MANY VISITORS.

Large Parties In The District To Invest In Properties.

H. L. Stewart, of New York, vicepresident of the Killen, Warner, Stewart company, and Charles H. Sieg, a director in the company, accompanied by a large party of Eastern investors, arrived in the city last week. Since its arrival the parcy has been busy visiting various properties with a view to investment and incidentally enjoying a vacation in the mountains.

Many of these people were already interested in Killen Warner Stewart prop- ans lots 7 & 8 blk 7 Ellis adn Sumpter; erties, and others come to investigate \$135. and invest if conditions were found favorable. The members of the party without exception express themselves highly pleased with the situation and it is understood that heavy investments have been made by them.

It might be remarked in this connection that there have been more visitors \$300. in the district at the instance of the various mining firms within the past week or two than at any time this season, and it is to be doubted if there ever has been a time in the history of the camp when investments were so lively. It is to be noted, too, that among the hundreds who have lately come to investigate mining conditions here, a solitary exception of one dissatisfied is yet to be found. Among the visitors are prominent mining engineers and mining men of experience from other districts. These as a rule are the most effusive in their praise.

PLENTY OF MONEY.

Directors of Smelter Company Materially Increase Reserve For Ore Supplies.

According to a recent arrangement made by Dr. Ed W. Mueller, manager of the Oregon Smelting & Refining company, the maximum charges for ore treatment, regardless of the character of the ore, will be \$13.50 and the minimum charge will be \$6.

President Lindsey and the directors of the company visited the plant this week and were highly pleased with its management. The directors have very materially increased the ore purchasing fund, and the company is in a better positionto handle the various products of the district.

The Mining World says that the production of gold in all the world for the year 1901 was 12,812,000 ounces of a value \$264,000,000. second with a production in gold of 7,750,00 ounces, valued at \$16000,-000. South Dakoa takes third place with a production of 325,000 ounces. The greatest gold producing mine was the Homestake of South Dakota, from which was taken gold to the amount of \$3,600,000. Stratton's amount of \$3,600,000. Stratton's 322-3-4 Wilcox building, Les Angeles Celif. Independence and the Portland Reference: State Bank & Trust Co.

of Cripple Creek, Colorado, are a close second, while the Con. Mercur of Utah and Alaska Treadwell follow.

OFFICIAL RECORDS.

The following instruments were filed at the Baker county court house during the week ending Aug. 14, 1903.

REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS. DEEDS.

Jan 27, '02-A Stalker & wf to Lucile Stalker, one lot of ground in nw 1/2 sec

36 tp 7 r 45; \$25. July 27-N J Chase to Rebecca Lloyd lot 3 blk 3 Richland ; \$100.

July 17-Fox Creek Gold Mining Co to R A Bowman tracts of land in secs 4, 9, 22, 27 tp 12 s r 45; \$1.

May 28-A W Ellis & wife to J L Ev-

August 8-W Chandler to B F Toney n¼ ne¼ sec 32 tp 7 r 39; \$2800.

April 13-W A Ross et ux to L L Foster 1/2 int in Bildner ice house grounds, stock and fixtures in Our House saloon. April 4-Albert Hutchinson et ux to W C York 158 acres in sec 4 tp 7 s r 38;

MINING MATTERS.

DEEDS.

Aug 6-R L Farmer to Fred D Smith A L Farmer placer claims, Red Bird, Snow Bird, Camp Bird, Blue Jay and Partridge claims : \$4000.

Aug 5-Master in Chancery McCammant to Bourne Gold Mining Co deed Mining Co, Bourne; \$25,000.

MORTGAGES. July 27-Lucile Stalker to E Wilkinson tract in nw 1/2 sec 36 tp 7 r 45; \$700. Aug 10-B F Toney to F L Moore ny ne¼ se 37 tp 7 r 39 and se¼ sec 22 tp 8 r 39 ; \$2800.

July 13-Zeno Denny et ux to Mrs R A Wilkinson w 1/2 w 1/2 sec 25 tp tp 7 r 46. Mrs R Wilkinson to Zeno Denny release of mortgage for \$300 on above land.

MISCELLANEOUS.

Action-J L Esselstyn vs J V Bennes et ux to recover on note, interest and attachment fee, Full Moon and Half Moon placer claims attached ; \$305.

Action-Davis Wilcox vs C R Dalton action on notes for about \$500; land in sections 10 & 11 tp 7 r 39 attached.

M R Woodward vs H K Brown to recover possession of furniture and fixtures n Panhandle saloon, Baker City.

Bfil of Sale-J A Riggs to M H Allen bar furniture and fixtures in Capital hotel bar, Sumpter.

Timber and Homestead Filings.

Timber and homestead filings, as well as final proofs, can be made before Charles H. Chance, United States Commissioner, office in First National Bank of Sumpter building, Sumpter, thus saving applicants expense of a trip to La

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