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**Eastern Oregon Development
Company at Work.**

The Eastern Oregon Development, company, a recently organized corporation which was previously noticed in The Miner, will occupy offices in President T. W. Davidson, residence on Center Street, behind the First National Bank. The officers in active charge of the work are, President, T. W. Davidson, Vice-president, R. A. Marr, Secretary, W. E. Davidson, and Consulting Engineer A. B. Browne. These gentlemen will occupy the new offices. An assay office will also be run in connection.

The object of the company as heretofore stated will be to examine mines and prospects, and develop them to determine their merit with a view to taking them over and incorporating companies. The company numbers among its stockholders three members of the Illinois Steel company besides many others whose personal holdings, it is stated, go into the millions. The management, however, proposes not to pay cash on a prospect until it is thoroughly satisfied by actual work and scientific investigation that it has merit, then it is in the market for all such openings.

R. A. Marr, vice-president of the concern and a mining man of large experience, has just returned from examining four or five prospects in the district which the company has under advisement. In addition the company has a man in Arizona for the same purpose. The policy outlined is to be carried into effect as soon as possible.

TO HOT LAKE.

Hon. J. H. Robbins Trying to Obtain Relief From Rheumatism.

Hon. J. H. Robbins left Monday to spend some time at Hot Lake, in the hope of obtaining relief from rheumatism which has been troubling him for some time. Mr. Robbins stated that if he did not get better he would spend the winter in California. Mrs. Robbins is in Spokane, and his sons are in school at Portland.

Relative to his returning to live here, Mr. Robbins said that he had interests nowhere else and naturally expected to come back, but at present he is in search of health.

EXCHANGE STOCKS.

Johns Takes Hawley's Dry Goods and Hawley Gets Johns' Hardware.

Cato Johns and W. R. Hawley have closed a deal for the exchange of a portion of their stocks. Mr. Johns will take over all the dry goods carried by Mr. Hawley, and Mr. Hawley will take Mr. Johns' hardware and queensware stock.

Mr. Johns will carry dry goods and groceries exclusively, while Mr. Hawley will devote his attention to

hardware, queensware, crockery and graniteware. Invoices of the separate stocks are now being taken and the transfers are soon to be made.

GOLDEN WIZARD MILL.

Stamps and Concentration Treatment Recommended for Ore.

The Sumpter Sampling and Testing Works has completed a test of Golden Wizard ore for Superintendent McPhee, with recommendations as to kind of mill suitable for its treatment. The mill best suited according to the report is stamps with amalgamation, concentration and cyanide process. This it is stated will effect a saving of over ninety-five per cent of the values. The capacity of the plant is to be 100 tons a day.

Superintendent McPhee is undecided yet whether the machinery will be ordered at once, or whether to wait till spring before attempting to install the mill. He will submit the matter to the Eastern officers. He states that the order may be placed now and the machinery hauled in on the snow which will doubtless come before it can be delivered.

To Visit Listen Lake.

George Poague, of Fargo, North Dakota, who is interested in the Listen Lake group arrived here this week to visit the property. In company with J. W. Wilson, general manager of the company, he left Monday for Baker City, but will return and spend some time at the mine.

TALK OF THE TOWN.

J. P. Bannon, attorney, of Granite, is in the city today.

Seymour Bell made a business trip to Baker City this week.

L. C. Edwards left this afternoon on a business trip to Portland.

Frank Baillie, manager of the Columbia, was in the city today.

County Commissioner Gleason made a business trip to Baker City Monday.

Attorney N. C. Richards spent some time in Baker City this week on business.

Mrs. Byron Weathord returned this week from a trip to Southern California for her health.

Thomas Moffet, superintendent of the Oregon Monarch, was in from the property this week.

Joe Johns, who has been employed at the Golconda, is laying off a few days on account if not feeling well.

Colonel E. S. Topping and W. E. Saunders left yesterday for Prairie City to look after mining interests.

Grant Thornburg, of Granite, returned today from Pendleton, where he took his daughter to attend school.

H. F. Hendryx, of the Geiser-Hendryx Investment company left last week for Sioux Falls, South Dakota, to look after mining matters.

A Few Facts Worth Knowing

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