THE GALLAGHER GROUP ON THE NORTH SIDE OF LOOKOUT MOUNTAIN

There are few prospects located upon the north side of this mountain, the only ones worthy of mention are the two groups owned by Gallagher Brothers, located on upper Manning creek in Sec. 2, T. 11 S., R. 45 E. The nearest town is Durkee, which is reached by a good wagon road 12 miles long. The region is moderately hilly. Timber can be obtained from the slopes of the mountain.

The country rock consists of schists, argillites and greenstones all tilted at high angles. Much faulting and shattering has taken place. The gold is contained in quartz lenses of various sizes. The maximum width observed at the old Gallagher property was about 20 inches. Minute impregnations of quartz in argillite also contain gold. Many porphyry dikes were observed in the locality so that it is probable that the granitic intrusion is at no great depth below the surface. This property has been idle for 9 years. It is said to have produced $30,000 within a short time from a small tonnage of ore.

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GALLAGHER GROUPS (Gold)
Connor Creek District

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Ref. Parks & Swartley, 16:97
Swartley, 14:217 (quoted)

Howard H. Newell is reported to have acquired the Gallagher mine 12 miles from Durkee, Oregon, in, Baker County from James Berrie and associates. The mine is located on upper Manning Creek on Lookout Mountain and has been operated during the past year by Berrie, E. M. Smith, and Elmer Blankenship, who installed a small stamp mill. The shaft and other workings are being cleaned out preparatory to active production. Principal values are in gold. Newell is also president of the Crown Copper Company, which is developing the MacDougal mine north of Home- stead, Oregon, and has moved from Homestead to Durkee to be in charge of Gallag- her operations.

A five-stamp mill is being installed in the old Gallagher mine on Lookout Mountain 10 miles east of Durkee in Baker County, Oregon. B. J. Claude and Sam Hindman, both of Durkee, are operating the property and plan to be in production soon.