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SULTAN SIDI MOHAMMED.

A Ruler Who, by His Subjects, Is Considered Almost Divine.

This morning M. Tissot is to carry to the Sultan, on behalf of the President of the Republic, the grand cordon of the Legion of Honor, writes Benjamin Constant in Harper's Magazine. I shall see the man before whom trembles the whole race of one of the oldest peoples of the world, the Sultan in person, the Eldest Son of God, clothed in glory and power, a man more than royal and almost divine.

I have donned my dress clothes and my white cravat, and my gibbous hat towers above my head. This garb seems to me so ridiculous that I am ashamed of it for the sake of art, for the sake of my country, and above all for my own sake. Must I, then, appear thus masquerraded beneath the irony of the sun? And if there were only the sun to see me, it would not be so terrible, but there will be a whole nation to jeer at us!

My anticipation is being realized—we are a laughing-stock. The whole town is in a hubbub as we march through with our escort of infantry in red uniforms, of Janissaries attached to the legation, of interpreters and officers and all the official gala. My dress-coat is mingled with rose-colored caftans, and my tall hat rises with misplaced pride above turbans of spotless whiteness; around me ceremonial court swords clatter against Barbary yataghans, gold-striped trousers pass side by side with bare legs, and white gloved hands shake hands with black hands. The women, when they see me, hide behind pillars to give vent to their laughter without restraint, and the countenances of the men finally assume a smile of disdain and pity. Amongst the Moors black cloth is of an accursed color. Perhaps they take me for the public executioner.

We pass through the door, and we are now in the court-yard where the Sultan Sidi Mohammed is to receive us. It is a square court, which the oblique rays of the sun cut into two divisions of light and shadow. In the middle the crowd of courtiers is collected; ministers, officers, slaves, either Arabs or negroes, all dressed in white, are drawn up in two lines face to face. In the right-hand corner are the horses of the Sultan with their gold harness, each one held by a Moorish warrior, and a gala carriage formerly presented to the Sultan by Queen Victoria. In this carriage no one ever sat, and no horse was ever harnessed to it, but on the occasion of all official ceremonies it is dragged out as if it were a triumphal trophy. To the left is drawn up the private guard of the Emperor.

We dismounted, and the master of the ceremonies, himself but slightly ceremonious, armed with a staff, points out our places with a ferocious look, and beneath the blazing sun, in the torrent of light that pours on the burnoose, we wait in silence.

Suddenly the bronze gates re-echo with a shock, a flourish of trumpets is heard, the palace opens, and the Sultan appears, clad in white. He is mounted on a superb white horse with a green saddle and trappings, green being the color of the Emir. The instant the master appears the whole court bows to the ground, and, like a murmur at once humble and martial, a clamor ever growing in strength, the cry rises: "May Allah protect our master!"

The Sultan advances toward us in his sacerdotal majesty; at his side walks a man who holds over the Emperor's head the parasol, symbol of command. This parasol, nearly ten feet high, is of amaranthine color, lined with blue silk, embroidered with gold and surmounted by a gilded ball. The man who carries it from time to time lifts his eyes toward the all-mighty master whom he shelters, with an expression of religious dread, like that of a dog beneath the threat of the whip, and when he lowers his eyes and looks upon his own person he seems to admire himself, as if his soul venerated his body because that body is, as it were, an inherent part of the sacred thing with which rests the glory of furnishing shade for the brow of the Sultan.

Motionless in his green saddle and golden stirrups, the Emperor has stopped near M. Tissot, and looks straight before him. From time to time his eyes move and glance at us with rapid inspection, but in spite of the curiosity with which we feel that he is filled, his eyes never condescend to fix us directly. Sidi Mohammed and the Ambassador exchange, through the organ of the interpreters, the usual compliments. When the Sultan speaks he contemplates attentively his horse's ears, as if the lesson that he repeats were written there. The courtiers, prostrate around him, drink the words that fall from his divine lips; and yet, divine as are those lips, Sidi Mohammed stammers. While the ears listen to him, the eyes of the assembly caress rather than contemplate him. Two Moors, awe-stricken by their holy task, drive away with their hands the flies thus buzz around the royal babouches; another has the mission of passing his finger-tips every few minutes along the hem of the imperial burnoose, to drive away the desecrating air; while to another—and how many envy him—is allotted the task of stroking and patting the Sultan's horse. In all eyes, in all hearts, you feel that there is an absolute

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Application for a Patent

No. 918.

UNITED STATES LAND OFFICE,
Eureka, Nevada, January 14, 1890.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, THAT THE DAY SILVER MINING CO., whose post office address is Pioche, Lincoln County, Nevada, has this day, by its duly authorized agent T. J. OSBORNE, filed its application for a patent for fifteen hundred (1500) linear feet of the Melissa Mine or Vein, bearing gold and silver with surface ground three hundred (300) feet in width, situated in Highland Mining District, County of Lincoln, and State of Nevada, and designated by the field notes and official plat on file in this office, as lot No. 38.

Said lot No. 38 being described as follows, to-wit:

Beginning at a post marked No. 1, U. S. S. No. 38, whence U. S. Mineral Monument No. 2, bears S. 82 degrees, 10 minutes E. 1215 feet. and the Melissa shaft, bears S. 51 degrees E. 583 feet. This is also the original location corner. Thence, S. 82 degrees E. 1500 feet to post marked No. 2, U. S. S. No. 38, and the original location corner. whence post No. 4, of U. S. S. No. 39, Hamburg Lode, bears N. 87 1 4 degrees E. 891 feet. Thence, S. 8 degrees W. 550 feet to post marked No. 3. U. S. S. No. 38, whence the original location corner bears S. 80 degrees E. 40 feet. Thence, N. 82 degrees W. 1500 feet to post marked No. 4, U. S. S. No. 38, whence the original location corner bears N. 89 degrees W. 22 feet, and Thence, N. 8 degrees E. 550 feet to post No. 1, the place of beginning, containing 18.94 acres. Magnetic variation of 16 degrees East.

The location of this Mine is recorded in the Recorder's office of Highland Mining District, in book —— of ——

Any and all persons claiming adversely any portion of said Melissa Mine or surface ground are required to file their adverse claims with the Register of the United States Land Office, at Eureka, in the County of Eureka, during the sixty days period of publication hereof, or they will be barred by virtue of the provisions of the Statute.

D. H. HALL, Register.

It is hereby ordered that the foregoing notice of application for patent be published for the period of sixty days (ten consecutive weeks), in the Pioche Weekly RECORD, a weekly newspaper published at Pioche, Nevada.

fby-10t D. H. HALL, Register.

Application for a Patent

No. 919.

UNITED STATES LAND OFFICE,
Eureka, Nevada, January 14, 1890.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE DAY SILVER MINING COMPANY, whose post office address is Pioche, Lincoln County, Nevada, has this day, by its duly authorized agent, T. J. Osborne, filed its application for a patent for one thousand (1000) linear feet of the Hamburg mine or vein, bearing gold and silver, with surface ground two hundred (200) feet in width, situated in Highland Mining District, County of Lincoln, State of Nevada, and designated by the field notes and official plat on file in this office, as lot No. 39.

Said lot No. 39, being described as follows, to-wit:

Beginning at a post marked No. 1, U. S. S. No. 39, whence U. S. Mineral monument No. 2, bears S. 87 1-4 degrees W. 2166 feet. This post is also the original location monument. Thence, S. 16 degrees E. 200 feet to post marked No. 2, U. S. S. No. 39 and the original location corner. Thence, S. 84 degrees W. 1000 feet to post marked No. 3, U. S. S. No. 39, and the original location corner. Thence, N. 6 degrees W. 200 feet to post marked No. 4, U. S. S. No. 39, whence post No. 2, of U. S. S. No. 38, Melissa Lode bears S. 87 1 4 degrees W. 891 feet, and the mouth of the Hamburg tunnel, bears S. 65, ½ degree E. 197 feet. This corner is also the original location corner and, Thence, N. 84 degrees E. 1000 feet to the place of beginning.

Containing 4 59 acres.

Magnetic Variation of 16 degrees East.

The location of this Mine is recorded in the Recorder's office of Highland Mining district, in book —— of ——

Any and all persons claiming adversely, any portion of said Hamburg Mine or surface ground, are required to file their adverse claims with the Register of the United States Land Office at Eureka, in the County of Eureka, during the sixty days period of publication hereof, or they will be barred by virtue of the provisions of the Statute.

D. H. HALL, Register.

It is hereby ordered that the foregoing notice of application for a patent be published for the period of sixty days (ten consecutive weeks) in the Pioche Weekly RECORD, a weekly newspaper, published at Pioche, Nevada.

fby1-10t D. H. HALL, Register.

Application for a Patent

No. 920.

UNITED STATES LAND OFFICE,
Eureka, Nevada, January 28, 1890.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT JOHN CASTLES, whose Post Office address is Elko, Nevada, has this day applied for a patent, for fifteen hundred (1500) linear feet, of the Western extension of the Emma Nevada Lode or Vein bearing gold and silver, with surface ground six hundred (600) feet in width, situated in Pahranagat Lake Mining District, County of Lincoln, and State of Nevada, and designated by the field notes and official plat on file in this office, as lot No. 47, in Township 3, South, Range 59 East, of Mount Diablo Meridian, said lot No. 47, being described as follows, to-wit:

Beginning at a post marked No. 1, U S S No. 47, and the original location Monument, whence the ¼ section corner on the East boundary of Section 20, Tp 3 S, R 59 E M D M bears North 57 degrees, 2 minutes East, 5732 feet. Thence, South 247 feet to post No. 4, N W corner of U S S No. 43, Emma Nevada Lode, 600 feet to post marked No. 2, U S S No. 47, and the original location monument. Thence, North 80 degrees West fifteen hundred (1500) feet to post marked No. 3, U S S No. 47, and the original location Monument. Thence North 600 feet to post marked No. 4, U S S No. 47, and the original location Monument. Thence, South 80 degrees East Fifteen hundred feet to place of beginning.

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D. H. HALL, Register.

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JAMES McFADDEN, Plaintiff,
vs.
JOHN WARD CHRISTIAN,
Defendant.

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