



## Boise River Gold Country (Paperback)

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Sourdough Publishing, 2012. Paperback. Condition: New. Language: English . Brand New Book \*\*\*\*\* Print on Demand \*\*\*\*\*. There s gold in them thar hills, boys! That old saying - made famous by writer Mark Twain - is certainly still true in the Boise Basin, a broad region in the mountains northeast of Boise, Idaho. Just two or three years ago, a claim owner found a fine piece photographed by Skip Myers, Boise Basin merchant. (That photo is used on the book s back cover.) And there s more where that came from. Exactly where, however, must remain undisclosed. (It s somewhere within twenty miles of Idaho City.) As in the old days, claim-jumping is not unheard of, although the owner is most worried about weekend hobbyists. Gold made Idaho Territory, and the Boise River gold country made that happen. Claims in the Panhandle came first, in 1860. But by September 1863 the Basin had nearly five times the population of the first northern gold towns. After a few years, the solo prospector gave way to investors and speculators. Large scale mining continued another ninety years. In the end, miners would extract over \$5 billion (at today s prices) worth of...



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