

THE ART OF EMBROIDERY IN LACE MAKING

THE OREGONIAN'S HOME STUDY CIRCLE. DIRECTED BY PROF. SEYMOUR EATON

HISTORIC STUDIES IN HOME FURNISHING

The early Gauls also showed great proficiency in the art of embroidery. This taste was fostered by Greek merchants...

Cut Work (Point Coupe). Sixteenth Century. (Guerre des Art Decoratifs.)

Antiquaire and Provence, where she taught all the inmates the intricacies of the various forms of needlework. There is still preserved in St. Peter's, Rome, a Greek damask called the "imperial damask" because Charlemagne is said to have worn it when signing high mass as a deacon...

Point of the Thirteenth Century. Embroidered on two woolen mittens, with embroidery on the hands of two figures of St. Veronica, surrounded by pearls...

the outside world that said: "Communicable things bear." There was no date and no signature. Mr. Conger...

The night before fell arrived we heard the rattle of the machine guns at a distance, and it was sweet music. Everybody got up—it was about 1 o'clock—the women made coffee, and there was no more sleeping that night...

The third and last night of horror was August 13, the day before the relief came. On that night the Chinese were fairly frantic and moved heaven and earth to break in and kill us. Firing that had seemed furious before was tame compared with the noise of the shells that poured in upon us...

SEPTEMBER WEATHER.

Table with columns: DATE, Max. Temp., Min. Temp., Precip., Clouds. Data for September 1st to 30th.

Mean atmospheric pressure, 30.0; highest pressure, 30.8; on the 26th; lowest pressure, 29.6; on the 12th; mean temperature, 60; highest, 87; on the 12th; lowest, 41; on the 25th; least daily range, 28; on the 10th.

Mean temperature for this month in 1872, 61.1; 1873, 61.1; 1874, 61.1; 1875, 61.1; 1876, 61.1; 1877, 61.1; 1878, 61.1; 1879, 61.1; 1880, 61.1; 1881, 61.1; 1882, 61.1; 1883, 61.1; 1884, 61.1; 1885, 61.1; 1886, 61.1; 1887, 61.1; 1888, 61.1; 1889, 61.1; 1890, 61.1; 1891, 61.1; 1892, 61.1; 1893, 61.1; 1894, 61.1; 1895, 61.1; 1896, 61.1; 1897, 61.1; 1898, 61.1; 1899, 61.1; 1900, 61.1.

Mean temperature for this month for 29 years, 61; average deficiency of daily mean temperature during month, 1; accumulated excess of daily mean temperature since January 1, 26; average daily excess since January 1, 1.1; total movement of wind, 5688 miles; maximum velocity of wind, 42; direction, N. by E.; number of days with 39 inches or more of precipitation, 10.

Total precipitation (in inches) for this month in 1872, 1.1; 1873, 1.1; 1874, 1.1; 1875, 1.1; 1876, 1.1; 1877, 1.1; 1878, 1.1; 1879, 1.1; 1880, 1.1; 1881, 1.1; 1882, 1.1; 1883, 1.1; 1884, 1.1; 1885, 1.1; 1886, 1.1; 1887, 1.1; 1888, 1.1; 1889, 1.1; 1890, 1.1; 1891, 1.1; 1892, 1.1; 1893, 1.1; 1894, 1.1; 1895, 1.1; 1896, 1.1; 1897, 1.1; 1898, 1.1; 1899, 1.1; 1900, 1.1.

Average precipitation for this month for 30 years, 1.75 inches; total excess in precipitation during month, 38 inch; total precipitation, 1.86 inches; average precipitation from September 1, to date, 1.75 inches; total excess from September 1, 1900, to date, 18 inch; total precipitation, 1.86 inches; average precipitation for 20 wet seasons, 3.4 inches; number of clear days, 11; partly cloudy days, 10; cloudy days, 9; dates of frost, none; greatest precipitation in 24 hours, .57 on the 13th.

A. B. WOLLABER, Observer.

Women and Chinese Voters. ROCHESTER, N. Y., Sept. 24.—(To the Editor.)—Native-born Chinamen cast vote now, and 2000 of them availed themselves of this right in 1896 to cast their ballots against the suffrage being given to the women of California.

John Green has taken a contract to cut 1000 cords of wood for the Red Boy mine. The Bonanza is employing about 60 men again. Work on the 500-foot shaft is being vigorously pushed.

The steam traction drill which has been used to prospect mining ground on Kane's Creek, Southern Oregon, has been shipped to California.

It is reported ore assays \$80 was found in the face of the 350-foot tunnel at the Last Chance property in the Clackamas district.

The Grizzly mine, which adjoins the Bonanza, will be equipped with a 500-foot shaft. The shaft is located in the Clackamas district. Improvements in the mine are being made.

DISCOVERED BY CHANCE

LEDGE THAT FED CRACKER CREEK PLACERS LOCATED.

Find It in the Sumpter District—Good Strike Made by Other Prospectors in Same Section.

SUMPTER, Or., Oct. 2.—L. C. Beckwith, a well-known prospector of the district, has discovered the ledge that fed the Cracker Creek placers, about four miles from Sumpter. He was out hunting for horses, and knocked a pile of rocks off of a ledge that dropped out, and was much surprised to find he had a small piece of quartz, moss-covered, with a carrying of gold attached.

The ledge is a porphyry and slate contact, and the quartz is white and bluish white sugar quartz, all panning gold.

JACKSON COUNTY MINES.

Seven-Eighths Interest in Sterling Property Disposed of for \$42,000.

ASHLAND, Or., Oct. 2.—S. J. Fore has disposed of a seven-eighths interest in the Sterling mine, Jackson County, Ore., to a corporation recently organized under the liberal mining laws of the state of West Virginia, and called the Sterling Gold and Silver Mining Co., together with the quartz mill, tracks, buildings and water rights, etc. The consideration was \$42,000. Mr. Fore remains a superintendent and manager of the mine and holds one-eighth of the capital stock of the new company.

Great Activity at Blue Jay Mine.

At the present time things in a mining way are lively at the Blue Jay mine, situated at the head of Empire Creek, west of Cole's Station. Twenty-five men are at work on the property, making an uprise from the main lower to the upper level, and the one-eighth of the mine to the 10-stamp mill. Blue Jay is furnished by a new 75-horsepower boiler, and a 70-horsepower engine. There is a sawmill with a capacity of 60,000 feet of lumber.

Mines on Douglas Side of Umpqua.

Near the head of Starvout Creek on the Douglas side of the Umpqua divide is located the Green Mountain mine, a quartz property, owned by Messrs. Clarno, Wilson and Jones, of Portland. There is a five-stamp mill and some 300 feet of tunnel on the mine.

Washington Notes.

Pierce County's tax will be \$7 mills. The city levy of Palouse will be 22 mills. A Bryan club of 75 members was formed at Idley Monday.

A new paper has been started at Sumner, called the Sumner Index. New Watson dairymen have made a reform rate for retailing milk.

Efforts will be made to have the Fairhaven car line extended to Lake Padden. A second crop of strawberries is reported to be ripening at several places in the Puyallup section.

It is reported from Davenport that John Hogan has threshed 17,000 bushels of wheat from 530 acres. The Great Northern Company has completed a building for the use of its Japanese employes at Hillary.

being done. It is said they recently struck an 18-inch vein of ore which gave value of \$45 to \$55.

Eastern Oregon minerals will not be exhibited at the Spokane Exposition in the elaborate display intended. The estimated cost of the exhibit was \$2000, and the sum has not been raised.

It is rumored that the officers of the Calapooia & Blue River Mill & Mining Company contemplate building a 10-stamp mill on the Pooman quartz claim in the Spruce Knob section on one of the promising mines in the Blue River district.

The Fidelity Gold Mining Company are working two shifts on their property in Wind Creek. Charles Hecht, secretary of the company, says the tunnel will be run 300 feet, and if values are satisfactory they will install sinking machinery at once.

Work on the Concord mine is being pushed rapidly forward day by day. The tunnel penetrates the mountain a distance of 700 feet, and several rich pay shoots have been encountered. The owners however, are waiting to tap the big Blaine ledge, that crops out on the mountain's apex.

The Connor Creek Gold Mining & Milling Company has struck the lead of their Spruce Knob mine. It has been lost for number of years, and are getting in shape to commence work again with a large force of men. This mine is one of the oldest and largest gold producers in Oregon. Over \$2,000,000 has been taken out of it in the last 30 years.

MINING STOCK TRANSACTIONS

Portland Mining Stock Exchange. The following transactions were made yesterday at the Portland Mining Stock Exchange:

Table with columns: Stock Name, Bid, Asked. Includes Helena, East Horse, May Queen, Portland G. & M. Co., etc.

Following are the transactions at the Oregon Mining Stock Exchange yesterday:

Table with columns: Stock Name, Bid, Asked. Includes Adams Mountain, Buffalo, Coppersopolis, etc.

Following are the transactions at the Spokane Mining Stock Exchange yesterday:

Table with columns: Stock Name, Bid, Asked. Includes Blackfoot, Bismuth, Deer Trail, etc.

The following are the transactions at the Seattle Mining Stock Exchange yesterday:

Table with columns: Stock Name, Bid, Asked. Includes Alaska, Alpha, Bismuth, etc.

The following are the transactions at the Vancouver Mining Stock Exchange yesterday:

Table with columns: Stock Name, Bid, Asked. Includes Adventure, Alouette, Copper, etc.

The following are the transactions at the Portland Mining Stock Exchange today:

Table with columns: Stock Name, Bid, Asked. Includes Chollar, Con. Cal. & Va., Deadwood, etc.

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Advertisement for "Vegetable Compound" by Lydia E. Pinkham. Includes text: "The Falatial Oregonian Building", "A woman whose experience in treating female ailments is greater than that of any living person, male or female."

Advertisement for "Mrs. Pinkham makes no statements she cannot prove." Includes text: "Every woman knows some woman Mrs. Pinkham has restored to health."

Not a dark office in the building absolutely fireproof; electric lights and artesian water; perfect sanitation and thorough ventilation. Elevators run day and night.

A capacity of 40,000 feet a day. The box factory and electric light plant will be put in as soon as the others are in operation. The store of L. A. Knox & Co., at Centralia, was entered Friday night and goods to the amount of \$150 taken.

It is thought that the body has been found of Richard Lee, alias Robert Lee, alias Charles Shaffer, alias Charles Smith, who murdered Police Officer Tom Roberts, of Seattle, in April, 1888.

Charges of a serious and sensational nature are made against J. H. Gardner, Sheriff of Lincoln County, by Mrs. Doris D. Yates, who has commenced an \$8000 damages against Thomas Campbell and Frank Larabee, two well-known merchants of Edwall. The Sheriff is charged with keeping a woman imprisoned in his jail, and with making fraudulent proposals to her, becoming intoxicated and making threats of continued imprisonment in case a bill for \$15 was not paid.

Suits have been filed by the Everett Improvement Company and Rucker Bros. for ejectment of squatters occupying lots on the Kromer tract. It seems to be the opinion of the grand jury that the contract that the title is not good, and that they may reside there indefinitely without the payment of rent. The idea has been fostered and encouraged by a Seattle lawyer, who, it is understood, has undertaken to wipe out the title of the Improvement Company and Rucker Bros. to this land.

A number of large wheat yields are reported from Colton. Barney Yunch has harvested 35 bushels to the acre. Bob Scholtz, Jr., had a crop of 60 bushels to the acre. Joseph Semler, Jr., has a large crop of Sonora wheat, the seed of which came from La Crosse, Wis., and weighs from 63 to 65 pounds to the bushel, and brings a premium on the market. He also has a lot of New Zealand wheat, which he finds makes an excellent fall crop in the warehouse. One field of Red Turkey wheat yielded 49 bushels to the acre. John Kamm, of Bald Butte, raised 40 bushels to the acre of Sonora wheat in 10,000 bushels of 10 1/2 wheat. This is only one of the many big crops raised around there this year. Tom Standley, a young farmer west of town, is well pleased with his crop of wheat. One hundred and sixty acres at an average of 35 bushels is his record.

Advertisement for "FAKE HAIR PREPARATIONS". Includes text: "Do Hair No Good, but Often Cause It to Fall Out." "Many hair preparations are 'fake' because they are merely 'solid irritants'."