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Commissioner Binger Hermann accompanied by Mrs. Hermann arrived in Portland last Friday, and Monday they came on to their home at Roseburg, where they will remain until September first when they will return will not be altogether idle during his one has yet been able to identify the to Washington, D. C. Mr. Hermann vacation, for he will put in a good share of his time looking up land matters pertaining to his department.

SOUTHERN Oregon is a land of many industries, yet there is likelihood of another industry being added to the list, that of growing frogs for the market. Klamath lake is the headquarters for this industry and regular shipments of frogs are made each season to Portland and San Francisce. Last week a shipment of 500 frogs was made to San Francisco. But the catching of frogs, like that of fish, is destined to cease to be profitable, if the present improvident method of taking them is long continued, and resort will have to be had to frog hatcheries, to sustain the industry, as the fish hatcheries have rebuilt the salmon business.

THE old settlers here said the weather last week was rather warm and the new-comers said it was as hot as-Arizona-and hotter than they ever knew it in the Eastern states. It was het, and a longer and hotter spell than is usual for this section, but Southern Oregon has not been the only part of this coast that has been roasted with the heat, for California reports one of the hottest spells last week for years past, while Portland, the place that boasts of its salubrious climate, sweltered in a temperature that was in the 90's for six days, a longer and hotter period than has been known since 1891. A refreshing shower Sunday night put an end to the heated term for this valley and now we are enjoying that perfect climate for which it. There is no doubting that it is Southern Oregon is noted.

The University of Oregon.

The University of Oregon will open Wednesday, September 17th. The outlook for the year seems at present very promising. A number of new men have been added to the faculty, all thoroughly fitted both by prepara tion and by experience for their work. The University buildings are being repaired and improved during the tention.

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TO IDENTIFY AN UNKNOWN METAL

Eastern Mineralogist Recently Visit Grant's Pass New Known as Josephineite.

Doctor David Day, mineralogist, member of the United States Geologi-Six Months. 1.00 off the Engineering and Mining Journ-Advertisements inserted at reasona- al of New York City, is in Josephine County for the purpose of making an investigation of the platinum Entered at the Postoffice at Jacksonville, Ore., deposits of this section. He was drawn here mainly for the purpose of securing and examining the unknown metal, "Josephineite," found in the placers of the Illinois district of Western Josephine County, recently described in The Telegram. Nuggets of Josephineite have been found in the hydraulic mines of the Illinois district for many years past, but no metal. It will be the purpose of Doctor Day to make a thorough analyseis of the strange metal and identify it if it can be done.

Mr. Day was highly pleased with the platinum as well as all other mineral prospects of the districts of Josephine County. He believes that when developed this section will be one of the leading mining districts in the Northwest. In addition to his investigations here he made known to all platinum miners and prospectors that the governmental geologists will handle all of this metal that can be furnished them, and that a ready market will be found for all platinum that is mined, at least for many years to come.

Dr. Day's visit here has increased the interest that was already manifest in Josephine County in the metal platinum. The Weisbach Gas Fitting Company, of Philadelphia which is mining for platinum in the Meredith placers of the Illinois district, are continuing their operations and from all indications are meeting with entire success. More prospectors are entering the field, and from all appearances platinum mining will become a permanent and important factor in the mining industry of Josephine

THE BUTCHER KNIFE STRIKE. Ramsey and Ingram, who discovered the big nickel and copper ledge on Butcher Knife Creek of Western Josephine, last week, brought a quantity more of are into Grant's Pass yesterday from their find. The discovery is proving to be all that was reported of

one of the greatest mineral veins ever uncovered in the mountains of Oregon. Assays made of the specimens brought in show the quartz to carry high values in both copper and nickel, its twenty seventh session at Eugene, with a fair showing of gold and silver. The discoverers state that the big vein is nearer 200 feet in width than 100 as reported. Joseph Fetchner and Williams Freed, of this city, are also interested in the discovery. BALLASTING WITH

GRAVEL. The Southern Pacific Company is summer, the dormitory, gymnasium, digging vast quantities of auriferous and Deady Hall receiving especial at- gravel from a gravel pit near Gold Hill and ballasting the railroad with it in Southern Oregon. The gravel school are invited to correspond with pit occupies the bed of an ancient channel and carries gold in quantity. Catalogues will cheerfully be sent on The workmen engaged in the work of digging up the gravel bave picked up a number of valuable nuggets. One man took a bucketful of the gravel and panned it out securing \$2.50 in dust and small nuggets. For a while there were a number of miners engaged in crading the yellow grains with rocker and pan at the pit, but the railroad company has now forbidden this, it is not many railroad companies that can afford to ballast their tracks with placer gravel, much of which is worth \$100 per ton.

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REAR ADMIRAL HIGGINSON and Prairie. The attacking squadror will be in fighting trim, with all temporary or movable gear sent below and the decks cleared for action. The fall maneuvers, as they are called, will last for a week. "It will be as nearly a condition of war as it is possible to secure,' said Rear Admiral Higginson the other day, "and there will be no child's play about them. The movements of the vessels will be protected by as much secrecy as if they were bent on a bona fide bostile mission."

A Musical Actor.

August Van Biene, the actor-cellist, who had a varied experience in this country some seasons ago with a play called "A Broken Melody," appears to be finding a great deal to worry him even where he is better known and, report says, better appreciated.

In an effort to get away from a part he had played something like 3,000 times and which the physicians told him would eventually drive him insane he produced "A Play Without a Name," asking the audience to contribute suggestions for a title and offering a prize of \$25 for the best. According to the latest information, Mr. Van Blene had not accepted any one of the names, though he promised to announce a choice on the second night. Thousands of slips were sent in, and Mr. Van Biene said that none suited him, and it is announced that he is quite as near becoming "dotty" with the effort to select the winner as he was before. The story of the play was from the German. Mr. Van Biene played a father whose daughters did not marry happily. They were not removed from their unpleasant connec tions at the end of the drama, nor in deed was any progress made. The time was taken up with domestic squabbling and Mr. Van Biene's excellent cello playing.

A Royal Visitor. The Grand Duke Boris, first cousin of the czar of Russia and younger son of the brother of Alexander III., the Grand Duke Vladimir, is touring the United States, having entered this country via Japan and San Francisco.



He is making a tour of the world. He is not traveling incognito, but his visit is not official and no state functions will be organized in his honor. On acczar, however, he will be accorded all the courtesy and formality possible at a season when the government officials are all away from Washington. He will pay his respects to President Roosevelt, at Oyster Bay, and will spend some time at Bar Harbor, when there will be some brilliant entertainments arranged by Count Cassini, Russian embassador.

Last of the Snuffers.

Senator Pettus of Alabama is the last man to use the ancient snuffboxes of the senate. Every now and then he goes to one of the black ebony boxes, which since time immemorial have been kept filled with the best quality of Scoten snuff, and, taking a pinch, snuffs it. Then an expansive smile spreads over his face, and, with, a look

of thorough enjoyment, he sneezes. Senator Harris of Tennessee and Senator Vest were at one time among the users of these snuffboxes. There is one on the Democratic and one on the Republican side of the chamber.

COUNTY RECORDS.

Matters of Importance Transacted at the Court House.

REAL ESTATE. W. P. Counts to Chas. R. Ray, 20 acres, sec. 19, twp 36, r 2 w, Tolo;

J. B.Selis, to Rebecca Eggleston Parcel of land near Iowa street, Ash-Robt, Jorden to T. J. Kenny, 160 Good chance for nurseryman or gard-ener. \$3,500. Apply to this office for land: \$300,00. acres in sec. 2, twp 38, r 2 w, \$300.00.

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Julia A. Gove, to C. R. Ray, all of

jot 4, portion of lot 5, sec. 13, twp 36, r 3 w; 8800. NEW SUITS FILED. N. B. Nye vs Bill Nye Gold Mining and Milling Co, a corporation-To

recover money. Gladys Haymond vs Wm B. Haymond: divorce.

C. L. Bloom vs Marion L. Bloom; divorce. Florence B. Reed vs Cornelius Reed;

MARRIAGE LICENSES. L. E. Cooper and Ollie N. E. Jones, Aug. 5th.

Robert Dimint and Marriette Burnett, Aug. 5th. Frank C. Smith and Elsie M Taylor,

PROBATE COURT. Estate of Jessie I Hammond, W. T. York, H. H. Howard and Harry Lumsden appointed appraisers.

PATENTS. U. S. to Mollie Songer 169.31 acres sec. 10, twp 40 s, r 3 e. U. S. to Mathias Mole, 160 acres in secs. 2-3, twp 34, r 3 e.

TAX DEED sec. 15, twp 36; \$2.05.

MINING LOCATIONS. Robt and Lewis Saxaner, quartz mine location "Jim Town claim,"

Birdsay creek, Aug. 4th, 1902. Condor Water & Power Co., water appropriation out of Rogue river to be known as the "Condor Ditch," Aug 6th, 1902.

Dora E. Tuttle, location of 100 miners inches of water in sec. 12, twp 33, to be used for irrigation and domestic purposes, Aug. 7th, 1902.

H. L. Hansen & Jacob Nilsen, Quartz claim, Foot's creek mining district, Aug. 5th, 1902.

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Teachers Examination.

Superintendent P. H. Daily, assisted by J. Percy Wells and E. E. Wash-burn, began the semi-annual exami-nation for teachers at the court house in Jacksonville, Wednesday. The following are the teachers who are taking the examination: Hattle Minnie Gowland

Leslie, Margeret Byers, Ella Griffith. Thora Smith, Ila Myers, Donna Bell. Clara Richardson, Jasper N. Miller, A. H. Peachy, Frances McWilliams. Effle Weiss, Marie Grey, Bertha Corum, Edith Dungey, Floy McNeill, Olive Boone, Christeina Mac Tavish, Margeret Byrne, Sara Law, Bessie Stephenson, Helen Waite, Fannie Hughes, and Edward C. Day.

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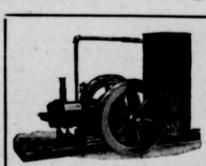
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