

Organization Effected.

Monday night those interested in library association had the pleasure of seeing the organization effected. During the preceding week Mr. Casper took the responsibility upon him to canvass the town for members, through his energy succeed in securing 51 names to the roll of members. Each member is assessed \$1 membership fee so the organization a fund to commence with of \$51. At the meeting last Monday night the young officers were elected for the first term of one year. Professor Land, president; F. B. Phillips, vice president; Casper Lea, secretary and treasurer; J. E. Young, Mrs. Thos. Grey and Roy Knox board of directors.

Standard Trip.

Ed Hibbard, one of Ben Lurch's able clerks, made an extended trip the way to Yoncolla last Saturday afternoon, where he spent Sunday visiting his numerous friends. Some of his friends ever solicitous as to his fare took precaution to have him checked through and back, in order to avoid mistakes and embarrassing details. All went well until Ed reached the Yoncolla depot, ready for the homeward journey when it was discovered that he had lost his check. The punning S. P. conductor has ever realized a situation, knowing that Ed's friends could be anxiously looking for his return, and so hustled around and by a watch the baggage check was found at once our joy.

Property Changes Hands.

Already Cottage Grove property is beginning to change hands. This week the building occupied by Mr. McFarland's meat market, and owned by D. L. Baughman, was sold to Mr. Beagle, and Davis' hall was purchased by Mr. J. S. Martin and father. In the first sale mentioned quite a hardship is looked upon Mr. McFarland as the ex owner wishes possession and there is no other building at present unoccupied in Cottage Grove suitable for a meat market, and Mr. McFarland expects to be obliged to close his business in a suitable room can be procured.

Let Them Come.

A project is now under way which if successful will be the means of connecting Eugene, Junction and Corvallis with an electric line. It is also said that a colony consisting of 1000 people from Iowa are contemplating coming to Oregon and expect to locate between Junction and Corvallis. Let them come. Of course Cottage Grove would like to have them locate near here, but then Cottage Grove don't expect to have all the good things, and what helps Eugene, Junction and Corvallis is bound to help Cottage Grove proportionately.

Flattering Reports.

H. J. Jennings, who made a trip to the mines and returned this week brings a very flattering report of the findings at the Helena mine. Mr. Jennings says the strikes in that mine are very rich, the entire tunnel showing fine gold, and that the free-milling ore runs as high as \$200 per ton. Notwithstanding the severe winter weather, work throughout the mining region is being rapidly pushed, and everyone is confident that a successful season is opening up.

Good Prospects.

A letter received here last week from the Byrne Bros. of the mining firm of Johnson & Byrne Bros. in the Bohemia, speaks very flattering of their prospects there. The gentlemen speak of a good showing of crystallized gold which improves as they gain in depth. They speak of the snow at their mine being only about a foot deep at the present time.

Interest Sold.

Jack Morgan, one of the proprietors of the Idaho mine, owned by Morgan & West, who bonded his interest to I. N. Jones some time since, last Saturday closed the deal with Mr. Jones and turned over all his rights and title in said mine. Consideration private.

For the Mines.

Al Churchill who has been down from the mines for a number of weeks, left last Tuesday for his cabin up on the ridge. Al has adopted the mining business as a life-long following, and he is quite well pleased with his prospects thus far.

In From the Mines.

J. T. Jennings, of the Helena mine—Jennings Bros & Bruneau—came in from the mines last Friday. He reports things very quiet there at present. The snow on the ridge has settled to about 5 feet owing to the recent rains.

Will Speak.

A. Le Roy, lecturer for the I. O. O. F., will lecture in this city at Davis' hall on February 6, at 2 o'clock P. M.

The Oregonian.

And the Bohemia Nugget for \$2 per year, cash in advance. This is without doubt the greatest clubbing offer offered by Oregon newspapers today. The Oregonian is without doubt excelled by none, in point of news both local and foreign, is a clear print, and besides has that great redeeming feature, devoid of sensational and disgusting literature. Remember the two papers, the Weekly Oregonian and your home paper the Bohemia Nugget for \$2.

Having Bad Luck.

A letter received this week by Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Lea, from their daughter, who is in attendance upon the Month college, states that Professor Powell, formerly from here, is seriously ill with pneumonia, and that T. S. Younger formerly in the grocery business in this city is in very poor health, and that his physicians have advised him to get out of the store. It is only a short time ago that Mr. Younger's little daughter broke her arm.

Severe Storm.

A severe storm has raged throughout Oregon especially the Willamett valley, the last few days, and Cottage Grove has its share; but from all reports we are not as hardly dealt with as some of the valley towns. At Salem 12 inches of snow was on the streets on Wednesday morning. Wednesday evening two and one-half inches of snow was upon the ground in Eugene and still snowing. Thursday morning about four inches lay upon the ground in this city and the hills were covered.

The Minstrels.

The entertainment given by Dr. Pilgalle and his minstrels last Saturday evening at Davis' hall, was well attended. As the Nugget man is not up to date in performances of that kind he does not feel competent to enter into an extended criticism of the entertainment. However it might be well to suggest that if the hall had been more thoroughly heated those in attendance would have enjoyed the evening much better.

Tax Levies Made.

County Clerk Lev has received the reports from four cities apprising him of the tax levies therein made as follows: Eugene, 6 mills; Cottage Grove, 2 1/2; Junction City, 5; Springfield, 3; and a separate road district in Eugene, 1 1/2 mills. The clerks of 32 school districts have also reported, their reports giving the levy all the way from 1 to 12 1/2 mills.

Railroad Scheme.

Wednesday's Guard gives an account of a proposed railroad scheme, hatched at Junction City with W. W. Oglesby, Robert Cow and G. F. Skipworth as incorporators. The name of the corporation will be the Cottage Grove and Bohemia Railroad Company.

New Council.

The new city council and officers of Cottage met Monday night for the first time, and peace, harmony and good fellowship prevailed. Everything is now in working order and Cottage Grove will commence to grow.

All About You.

Mrs. Dudley Shields has been quite ill.

F. G. Williams is on a visit to San Francisco.

P. D. Knowlton has been ill for several days.

Professor Holland was a visitor to Eugene last Saturday.

Representatives McQueen and Gray returned to Salem Monday.

John Oaks was in from the Black Butte mines this week.

Rev. C. H. Wallace of Creswell was in the city last Saturday.

Mrs. H. J. Day of Eugene, was an arrival here on Friday's local.

Postmaster Sherwood made a trip to Henderson and back last Saturday.

Mesdames John Eakin and Wall were passengers to Saginaw Saturday.

Mrs. S. J. Piche who has been ill for a number of days is now convalescing.

Representative Gray, Sundayed at home, returning to Salem the first of the week.

B. L. Pickard, traveling salesman for M. S. Barker, Eugene, spent Tuesday night in this city.

Rev. M. O. Brink held quarterly meetings at Yoncolla and Drain Sunday.

J. H. Beckley of Eugene passed through Sunday on a visit to Douglas county.

Jack Poill of Eugene passed through Cottage Grove Friday on his way to Boswell Springs.

All the latest designs in valentines. Benson Drug Co.

Additional Personals.

Traveling Passenger Agent Jones was in Cottage Grove Tuesday.

I. H. Bingham is expected to arrive here this week from a visit at his old home, Spokane, Wash.

Jack Morgan the well known prospector, who has been stopping in Eugene for some time came up last Saturday.

G. G. Warner, a well known mining man interested in the Bohemia country, has returned from an extended trip East.

Mr. Milt Aubrey of Eugene was an arrival on Wednesday's local and is the guest of his son and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Thos. Aubrey.

J. W. Cook, owner of the Noonday, arrived from California this week and Tuesday went on to Salem where he joined Mrs. Cook.

N. J. Shipley of Portland is to be commandant of the Soldiers Home at Roseburg, who succeeds Mr. Byres, retiring on the 1st instant.

Mr. S. S. Seigel of Portland, whose wife is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Thos. Aubrey of this city, joined Mrs. Seigel here last Sunday for a few days visit.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Lurch visited Eugene Friday returning on the overland Saturday morning. Mr. Lurch says Eugene people speak highly of Cottage Grove.

A man is a good deal like a rooster—he wants admiring spectators. Like the rooster he calls the hens around him and then eats the worm.—Salem Independent.

Dean Sanderson, of the Eugene Divinity school arrived here Saturday afternoon and preached morning and evening in the Christian church last Sunday.

Miss Ada Hendricks, of Eugene, daughter of Hon. T. G. Hendricks, of that city, is visiting in Salem, a guest of Miss Gussie Giesy and Mrs. R. J. Hendricks.—Salem Statesman.

Mrs. Susanna Grubbs, a pioneer of 1854 died at the residence of a daughter in McMinnville Wednesday, aged 85 years. She was the mother of Mrs. M. Odell of Eugene, and T. M. Grubbs, of Cottage Grove.—Friday's Guard.

In Brief.

Davidson does good watch work.

Babbitts soap at Cumming & Huston's.

Who says we've had any nice weather?

Syrup at 65 cts. per pail at Eakin & Bristow's.

Snow at Burns, Oregon, is only 21 inches deep.

Salt Cheap at Cumming & Huston's. Car load just received.

Soon be time to get a move on you and dig up that later bed.

For the choicest juiciest meats call on the City Meat Market.

Lots of passengers on the local S. P these days.

A nice line of canned goods and prices right at F. B. Phillips.

Bacon and Lard at the City Meat Market. We keep only the best.

The stone steps are being placed in position at the new court house.

Remember Dr. L. L. Scott, Dentist when you want dental work done.

Nearly every local train has a number of blind baggage passengers these days.

A 3 lb. package of soda and a bar of soap, all for 20 cts. at Eakin & Bristow's.

If you want any farm machinery go and see F. B. Phillips, The Groceryman.

Remember we will sell you a valentine from 1 to 150 cents. Benson Drug Co.

Valentines, valentines, valentines. Benson Drug Co.

If you want a Plow, Harrow or Wagon, get prices of F. B. Phillips before buying.

The next teachers examination will commence at the court house in Eugene Wednesday, February 8, 1899.

Buy your winter Boots and Shoes of Eakin & Bristow. Best makes and lowest cash prices.

Don't forget Jack Knowlton when you want hauling done as he does it cheaply and with dispatch.

Valentine day will soon be here. We are head quarters for valentines. Benson Drug Co.

Keep your eye on the successful business men of Cottage Grove, be glancing over their advertisements in Bohemia Nugget.

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Snow is a foot deep in Salem. Come up into the mountains Salem and get a day of sunshine once in a while.

New line of Outing Flannels just received at the New York Racket Store. Golden Gate Baking Powder at Eakin & Bristow's for 40 cents per lb., cash.

I take particular pains to keep the best and freshest rolled oats, Grandma's mush, Gemma, morning meal, fresh corn meal and buckwheat flour. F. B. Phillips.

Buy your Ingredients for Mince Meats of Eakin & Bristow. They keep the best. GENUINE Oliver Chill and Steel Plows and Extras at Eakin & Bristow's.

When you want job work, call at the Nugget job rooms. We will do you good.

Cranberries, Oranges, Lemons, Sweet Potatoes and Bulk Pickles at Cummings & Huston.

Quite a number of Cottage Grovelites both young and old, big and little visited Latham last Sunday, some going down on the local and others "by hand." The day was a beautiful one, just calculated for out door exercise.

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A first class, three seated hack for sale cheap. Call at this office.

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