

BOHEMIA NUGGET.

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FRIDAY, DEC. 1, 1899.

There is no use beating about the bush. Cottage Grove has reached the point in her municipal history when ways and means sufficient to carry on the city government must be considered by her citizens. At present the city's bonded indebtedness is \$5,000, drawing 8 per cent interest. Our streets are, as all must admit, in a deplorable condition. We have only a 12 o'clock electric light service, we have no night watch; and all of these are a necessity to any well managed municipality. It is not the fault of the present city council, nor of former city councils. They have managed the affairs as best they could with the funds at hand. The citizens of Cottage Grove should set themselves to working out a plan whereby the interests of the municipality may be furthered. In the first place 8 per cent interest is too high, and should not be paid any longer. It is a safe assertion that money can be borrowed at 6 per cent, and perhaps less. Why not issue new bonds at a reduced interest and pay off the old ones, at the same time borrowing enough more to make the necessary improvements? The city can borrow nearly \$2,000 more, by issuing new bonds, without increasing her interest account.

Various complaints have come to this office in the matter of obscene, and vulgar language being used on the streets of Cottage Grove, by men, who, were we to intimate that they were not perfect gentlemen, would be much offended. We realize that many men so far as the term is applicable in a business sense, use language that is rough and as a rule not appreciated even by themselves, but no true gentlemen will use vulgar language in the presence of ladies, and every man, even if he be addicted to the use of profanity, should refrain, in honor of the woman who bore him, from giving vent to uncouth expressions on the street corners. At any moment the sound of a woman's laughter may fall upon the ear of a gentleman.

Today the report of some pioneer's death is flashed on the telegraph wires of the state, bringing us to the realization that the day is fast approaching when we shall have placed the sod over the last survivor of the old heroes of pioneer days in Oregon. We may without hesitation call them heroes, for they were heroic in all their actions. The last one to be recorded is Lane county's old and respected citizen Joseph G. Gray, of Eugene. He died in Albany at the home of his son-in-law, F. J. Miller, on the evening of November 26 of pneumonia, aged 75 years. Mr. Gray was a pioneer of 1853, and was known throughout the state. He held various positions of trust, and was respected for his true manhood and gentleness of nature.

A Chicago woman frankly admitted in court recently that she made it a rule to soundly spank her husband twice a day. If this turns out to be a regular Chicago custom, one will begin in time to cordially sympathize with Lucretia and the other wife boilers of that extraordinary city.—S. F. Bulletin.

Susan B. Anthony, now comes to the front with her opinion of the Roberts case. Susan says: "There isn't a man in congress who dares raise his voice against Roberts. If he does his own record will be sifted to the bottom." "Almost all men are guilty of violating the sanctity of the home." Now for the life of us we can't see, and further more don't care what this has to do with the matter of seating Congressman Roberts of Utah; but we would like to know how Susan comes to know so doggasted much about all the men?

CAUGHT FROM THE WIRES

Ketch Lines From Associated Press Dispatches From Wednesday's Oregonian.

MANILA, Nov. 28.—The transport Manauense, with Lieutenant-Colonel Webb C. Hayes and three companies of the Thirty-first infantry on board, has arrived here. She narrowly escaped disaster. The Officers and soldiers were for 120 days bailing with buckets. The steamer was unseaworthy, undermanned and short of provisions. Her engines broke down, and she rolled three days in a typhoon. Authorities from San Francisco deny that the transport was unseaworthy, short provisioned, or undermanned.

BERLIN, Nov. 28.—"President Kruger and President Steyn have instructed General Joubert and General Cronje not to split their forces into small detachments, but to strike vigorous blows. General Joubert has three corps, one holding Ladysmith, the second commanding the Lufela, and the third east of Estcourt, in order to cut off the British retreat. General Cronje's forces are divided into three contingents, one Kimberley, another at Modder river, and the third in the rear of General Methuen."

WASHINGTON, Nov. 28.—The financial bill prepared by the republican caucus committee which met at Atlantic City last spring was today made public by the committee.

Died.—At the age of 72 years, one of the pioneers of Oregon in the town throughout the state was honored and all who knew her. Antof W. V. Masterson

alization board is in session at house. Very few complaints far been filed. A few w Multnomah reduces her as is year \$10,000,000? That is plainly defined. We have no State board of Equalization, and the cow counties are defrauded by Portland, as ever.—Guard.

It is announced upon good authority that the tie plant will be returned from California to Latham within the next few weeks. This branch of the Southern Pacific Company employs some 60 men.

The mining litigation over the Helena has been transferred from the Douglas circuit court to the United States court.

Miss Gertie Southworth has returned from Eugene.

In the Douglas county circuit court Mrs McKenney received \$1200 damages for injuries sustained last summer in the train wreck.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.

Land Office at Roseburg, Oregon, November 29, 1899. Notice is hereby given that the following-named settler has filed notice of his intention to make final proof in support of his claim, and that said proof will be made before the Register & Receiver, U. S. Land Office at Roseburg, Oregon, on January 6, 1900, viz: William Lively on H. E. No. 9096 for the N 1/4 SW 1/4, SW 1/4 SW 1/4, sec. 8 T. 23 S R. 3 W. He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon and cultivation of said land, viz: E. Geer, H. C. Combs, of Amos, Oregon, W. A. McBea, of Harris, Oregon, P. McMartin of Amos, Oregon. J. T. BRIDGES, Register.

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New crockery and glassware at CUMMING & SEHR'S.

The protracted meeting closed Sunday night at the C. P. church.

Marshal Miller thoroughly renovated the city jail last week. A good idea.

Don't forget the Special Mining Edition of Bohemia Nugget.

Try the new cigar factory's cigars, made right in your own town. 5 and 10 cent goods. Ask your dealer for them.

Take your shoe repairing to J. W. Nokes opposite Racket store. He will give you satisfaction at moderate prices.

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