

AT SAGINAW.

Hon. R. M. Veatch accompanied by J. P. Curran and a few others of the stalwart democracy visited Saginaw last Friday evening where Mr. Veatch fired the first gun of the campaign. They took the middle of the road, or the ties rather, in preference to patronizing the railroad corporation. We are informed that they had an enthusiastic meeting before a club of 65 members. Mr. V says they are taking in members on probation until after election. We were aware that some are liable to be "taken in" on nearly every occasion, but can scarcely conclude that Saginaw precinct is large enough to hold so many reprobate sinners. What Robert sought and what he saw. You'll never know 'till you have read. The speech he made at Saginaw.

PORTY ONE YEARS.

Tom Gardner of Amos was in town last Saturday and made the Nugget office a pleasant call. Mr. Gardner brought with him his brother E. M. Gardner of Cassopolis, Michigan, who has been visiting him for the past two months. Mr. Gardner has been on an extended visit to relatives in California and Oregon and speaks very interestingly of his coast trip. The two brothers Tom and Ed had not met for 41 years and it is needless to say that the meeting was a pleasant one. Mr. Gardner left Sunday on his return trip to Michigan via California, but hints that he may again visit the coast at no far distant day.

ANOTHER RECOMMENDATION.

There are few people who have better opportunity to judge the growth of a town than railroad mailing clerks. Quite frequently they stick a slip in the mailing pouch for Postmaster Sherwood, which signifies that their attention has been called to Cottage Grove through the great increase in the mail for this city. Here is the last one under date of March 1. "Cottage Grove grows faster than any other town on the line, I mean the mail."

HERE TO LIVE.

Mr. L. Archibald and wife, from Gobel, Columbia county, arrived here last week and expect to make their home here. Mr. Archibald is a nephew of Mr. Percy Newcomb, and will remain upon Mr. Newcomb's farm near Cottage Grove this year.

MONEY TO BURN.

If you are not of the opinion that miners have money to burn you should have seen the jolly fellows from the Musick tossing nickles into the muddy streets the other day and finding amusement in seeing the small boys fall over each other in their effort to get the coin.

FUSED.

John Nokes and T. A. Lewis the two well known shoe makers of his city have "fused," not politically but in a business way. Mr. Lewis has given up his shop in the room of Martin's hall and gone in with Mr. Nokes in the Bennett building.

TO VISIT ENGLAND.

C. H. Park the mining man left here Sunday for Eugene from which place he started over the southern Pacific south enroute to England. Mr. Park expects to return here about May 15th.

WILL REGISTER VOTERS.

Chas. Gettys and Geo. O. Knowles have received register blanks and are prepared to register voters for Bohemia precinct. They will be found at the postoffice.

WILL VISIT BOSTON.

Geo. W. Lloyd left Monday for the Southern Pacific en route to Boston. Mr. Lloyd will be gone several weeks.

Friday evening March 2 1900.

Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Burkholder great big, handsome boy. Congratulations Charles.

DRAWING NEXT SATURDAY.

Miss Rose Williams announces that the drawing for the lunch pail will take place next Saturday at 2:30 p. m. at L. Lurch's store.

SCHOOL MEETING.

Monday was school election day for Cottage Grove, and a representative crowd of ladies and gentlemen were in attendance at the appointed hour 2 o'clock p. m. The meeting was a most harmonious one the only trouble being the inability to place in nomination those for the offices of director and clerk who would not decline. At last the ballot for director was taken; F. Jordan and Oliver Veatch as nominees. The result was the casting of 73 votes of which Mr. Veatch received 52, Mr. Jordan 14, and the balance scattering Mr. Veatch was duly declared elected. Mr. J. K. Barratt was placed in nomination for clerk. Several others were nominated but they declined. Upon motion Mr. Barrett was elected by acclamation.

ABOUT THE SCHOOL.

School Clerk Oliver Veatch has already completed his report for the school term just ended. In his report is noted that the district has 477 pupils under the age of 4 and 20 years of which 298 are enrolled besides 5 pupils under the age of 6 making in all, enrolled 303. This is a pretty good sized school to be left without school privileges for 11 of the lawful school months of the year. Such conditions are not encouraging to people contemplating making a home in Cottage Grove, who have a family of children to educate.

LIBERAL PEOPLE.

Mr. and Mrs. F. E. Miller who have been circulating a petition for aid for Mrs. Joe Wheeler of Silk creek who was left a widow some few weeks ago with 6 little girls to support, have met with much success and speak highly of the people who have so generously helped Mrs. Wheeler. They received \$20 in cash, 6 sacks of flour and any quantity of clothing which will help of the little family of 4 children. Mrs. Wheeler is highly appreciative of the kindness ten kind hearts.

TOO MANY OF 'EM.

Everybody seem to go in bands these days and its a hard job to get a personal column. If the Nugget published the names of those who come in from Bohemia this week and then those who visited Roseburg, an order would have to be placed with the American Type Foundry Company for an "upper" case chock full of "caps." The fact is every body from Bohemia visited Cottage Grove and every body from Cottage Grove visited Roseburg this week.

WORKS QUITE A HARDSHIP.

Many of the residents of Bohemia are objecting to the inconvenience to which they are placed in the matter of a voting place. It seems that the precinct voting place is at Wildwood. The boys claim that it is too far away for them; that they cannot get out to vote as it consumes too much time, asserting that they can just as well get leave of absence to come to Cottage Grove as to go to Wildwood.

MADE A LONG STAY.

Cy Bingham overseer at the Musick mine arrived in Cottage Grove last Tuesday afternoon. Mr. Bingham has made a long stay in the hills. He went in on the 19th of last June and this is his first visit out, lacking only a few days of nine months, almost time enough to make a mining trip to Alaska.

CONSIDERABLE IMPORTANCE.

The Southern Pacific tie plant and tie train now running over this section has in its employ some 15 or 20 Cottage Grove men, who draw from the company from \$500 to \$550 per month. This money comes right into Cottage Grove.

R. S. Smith has purchased E. R. Cases cigar and confectionery store. Mr. Smith is a good business man and will no doubt build up a good business.

Republicans of Cottage Grove Republican Club will meet at the City Hall Monday night, March 12.

C. H. Ames, mining man of Sumpter, visited here and in the mines this week. Mr. Ames is well pleased with the district.

DIVIDE ITEMS.

Mr and Mrs Seth Rowe are visiting with I J Taylor and family. The annual school meeting for this district was held at the school house Monday. Several resignations were tendered, and altogether the meeting was not harmonious. A special meeting will be held soon, and interesting events are anticipated. A petition asking for a post office at Divide has been circulated.

DEMANDS ATTENTION.

There are many things that will require the close attention of the city council of Cottage Grove for the next few years in view of permanent city improvements at the least possible expense to the city. One of these will be that of an adequate water system. At the present time the city is supplied with sufficient pure mountain spring water for household purposes, but there is not surplus enough to admit of sprinkling lawns, say nothing of supplying the hose companies in case of a sweeping fire. As Cottage Grove grows, her citizens will naturally take a pride in keeping nice residence grounds. This can only be done by the abundant use of water. The city will be called upon to furnish it; and then again the fire department should have consideration. As the city grows the danger of fire increases. As the demands and dangers present themselves the opportunity for the city to purchase water privileges and right of ways attendant, will be lessened. The city authorities as soon as it is practicable should look into this matter in particular. There is no use denying it—the business portion of Cottage Grove is, practically speaking, without fire protection.

DOUGLAS COUNTY COURT.

Special Correspondence to Nugget (Thursday)—Bohemians and Cottage Grovelites are awaiting the call of the Helena case. It will probably not come up before Friday morning.

Hugh Patterson is being tried on the charge of rape upon the person of Winnie Thorn. The prosecution withdrew the case from the Lane county docket and brought it to trial in Douglas. Considerable difficulty was experienced in drawing a jury. Nearly everybody had read the papers and formed an opinion. Those who had not read the papers had talked with their wives.

Special—4:15 p.m. Thursday, Patterson was found guilty as charged. Will be sentenced Monday.

The hotels are crowded here. Some guests are thankful to get a chair to sleep in.

In the case of Jones, administrator of estate of Gailhange, deceased, vs S P Co for \$5,000 damages verdict was given defendant.

All About You.

Attorney J. E. Young visited Eugene Wednesday.

Uncle Joe Garoutte was a passenger south last Monday.

John Graber was a visitor to Cottage Grove and Eugene this week.

Chas. Van Fleet has returned from a several months stay in California.

Andrew Land of the Minera King group on Steamboat was in town this week.

Attorney Jerome Knox, of this city was doing professional service at Roseburg this week.

Lew Hartly arrived from Corvallis this week and will visit his mining interests in Bohemia.

W. H. LeRoy of Bohemia was among the guests at the Cottage Grove Hotel this week.

Thos. Gardner of Amos was registered at the Cottage Grove Hotel this week.

Attorneys E. R. Skipworth and A. C. Woodcock of Eugene were in attendance upon Douglas county circuit court this week.

Miss Bertha Tait of Walker left Wednesday for Albany, where she has accepted a position in the Postal Telegraph office.

Geo. O. Knowles, Albert Stocks and John Lloyd came in from the mines Saturday and left Monday for Florence on a two or three weeks visit.

Burton Hurd of Cripple Creek registered at the Hotel Sherwood this week. Mr. Hurd is a thorough mining man and is now in Bohemia on a tour of inspection.

Misses Margarette and Catherine Brund who have been spending the winter with their father and brother in Bohemia arrived in Cottage Grove last Saturday en route to Siuslaw on a visit with friends.

In Brief.

If you are looking for a present that will be useful as well as ornamental go to Phillips and Jones Hardware.

You can get a good stamp photo at Boyds as any place in Lane Co., 21 for 20c.

If you want wall paper or books don't forget to get prices of J. P. Curran the druggist.

Suits! Suits!! Tailor made suits!!! Up to date in every respect, from \$15 up. Call and see samples. GEO. BOULMAN.

For best values in teas and coffees go to Cumming & Sehr.

If you want a saw, axe, wedge, or any thing in the wood choppers line, Phillips & Jones have a good assortment and prices right.

Two cows belonging to Wm Thorn were killed by Wednesday morning's train, near Latham.

Fresh candies every day, made from pure sugar at the Tailor shop.

For quality and cheapness in fresh meats go to the Central meat market. C. A. Lewis, boot and shoe repair shop. First class work, low prices. Opposite Sherwood Hotel.

For all kinds of plumbing and tin work go to Griffin & Veatch Co.

Get your wife a washing machine, wringer or churn for a Christmas present. Phillips and Jones have them.

Eakin & Bristow are agents for the Genuine Oliver Chilled and Steel Plows and extras.

We have in stock a nice assortment of garden tools as well as garden seeds.

PHILLIPS & JONES.

At the school meeting at Walker Monday Geo. Sears was elected director for a term of three years and T. Wright clerk.

The best for the money if you want any table or pocket cutlery go to Phillips & Jones Hardware.

Cottage Grove visited Roseburg Monday.

Take your laundry to Geo. E. Griffin, agent of the Eugene Palace Laundry. Goes down Thursday and returns Saturday afternoon.

A choice selection of dried fruits at Cumming & Sehr.

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Subscribe for the Nugget. J. P. Curran has a choice line of grain and figured wall paper, at prices to suit the trade.

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The boys down from the Musick are on their good behavior.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.

United States Land Office, Roseburg, Ore., Feb., 19, 1900.

Notice is hereby given that in compliance with the provisions of the act of Congress of June 3, 1878, entitled "An act for the sale of timber lands in the States of California, Oregon, Nevada, and Washington Territory," Phillip Hohl of Cottage Grove, County of Lane, State of Oregon has this day filed in this office his sworn statement No. 859, for the purchase of the NW 1-4 of Section No. 20, in Township No. 23 S Range No. 1 W., and will offer proof to show that the land sought is more valuable for its timber or stone than for agricultural purposes, and to establish his claim to said land before the Register and Receiver of this office at Roseburg, Oregon, on Friday the 4th day of May 1900.

He names as witnesses: Nathaniel H. Martin, Enoch E. Lilly, James E. Ostrander, Sina Orrell, of Cottage Grove, Oregon.

Any and all persons claiming adversely the above-described lands are requested to file their claims in this office on or before said 19th day of February 1900.

J. T. BRIDGES, Register.

A. R. De Fluent, editor of the Journal Doylestown, Ohio, suffered for a number of years from rheumatism in his right shoulder and side. He says: "My right arm at times was entirely useless. I tried Chamberlain's Pain Balm, and was surprised to receive relief almost immediately. The Pain Balm has been a constant companion of mine ever since and it never fails." For sale by BENSON DRUG CO., Cottage Groves. LYONS & APPLIGATE, Drain Druggists.

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It is very hard to stand idly by and see our dear ones suffer while awaiting the arrival of the doctor. An Albany (N. Y.) dairyman called at a drug store there for a doctor to come and see his child, then very sick with croup. Not finding the doctor in, he left word for him to come at once on his return. He also bought a bottle of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy, which he hoped would give some relief until the doctor should arrive. In a few he returned, saying the doctor need not come, as the child was much better. The druggist, Mr. Otto Scholz, says the family has since recommended Chamberlain's Cough Remedy to their neighbors and friends until he has a constant demand for it from that part of the country. For sale by BENSON DRUG CO., Cottage Grove, LYONS & APPLIGATE, Drain Druggists.

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