

BOHEMIA NUGGET.

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The Bohemia Gold Mining Company, with headquarters in Boston, has recently issued a neat little folder for general circulation, in regard to its property and the advantages and facts pertaining to the entire Bohemia mining district. The information contained in this little pamphlet is gleaned from the most eminent sources of both scientific and practical men, whose opinions carry weight and whose sincerity cannot well be doubted.

Prof. Geo. H. Stone of Colorado Springs says that "this is a volcanic district and the formation is similar to Cripple Creek; the veins are fissures and the mines already developed show that the gold is there."

Prof. J. S. Diller, U. S. Geological Survey, says, "The deposits in the Bohemia district may be considered as fissure veins."

The Denver Republican recently said: "Take Bohemia mountain for instance: If that were in Colorado there would be one of the greatest mining booms the state ever saw."

The Daily Mining Record of Colorado Springs and Denver says: "Oregon's mineral wealth is just budding forth. There is every indication of the rapid growth of the mining industry throughout the state. Bohemia mining district, in the near future, will be another Cripple Creek."

Comparisons are made as follows: "Nine years ago Cripple Creek was not so well known as Bohemia is today. In 1891 Cripple Creek produced only \$200,000 in gold. In 1899 it produced over \$20,000,000, and made for the stockholders of its various companies, in dividends and profits, \$7,000,000. Every indication today goes to show that Bohemia will develop much more rapidly in the next five years than has Cripple Creek in the past decade. The Helena and Musick, the two largest producers in Bohemia, are working in much richer ore than the Cripple Creek district shows, and are producing with ten-stamp mills about \$20,000 per month. Their assays run from \$25 to \$400 per ton.

"The slopes of the ridges in the district are precipitous, and the veins cut these ridges, and all work can be done upon these veins by tunnelling, thus eliminating from the expense of mining the cost of heavy machinery for hoisting and pumping purposes."

The recent strikes in Bohemia confirm all that has been said of the ore bodies there, and every foot of development made brings the district nearer to the day when vast fortunes will be the reward of the mine owners.

The NUGGET acknowledges receipt of a very unique circular, the compliments of Butterfield Bros., the popular jewelry house of Portland, advertising the Portland Street Fair and Carnival which will be held in that city from September 4th to the 15th. Aside from setting forth the fact that the Carnival will be an attractive feature, it extends an invitation to the recipient to "make your headquarters with us or any other business house in Portland; the town will welcome and the Elks will pasture you."

Astoria is to have a regatta this year that will eclipse all previous efforts in that line. Foreign warships as well as one or two of our own will be there. There will be crews from the East, British Columbia and California, and the biggest time will be had that was ever seen in the Northwest waters. August 23 to 25 inclusive are the dates.

Subscribe for the Nugget—all the Bohemia mining news, \$1.50 per year.

C. H. Markham, general freight and passenger agent of the Southern Pacific Company, has announced that his road will carry free of charge all exhibits for the State Fair at Salem, to and from any point on its line within the state. This is enterprise worthy of the appreciation of the inhabitants of Oregon. The Southern Pacific people are alive to the fact that by developing the people's interests they develop and increase their own business, but at the same time there is a spirit of interest and determination on the part of the company to do all in its power to be instrumental in furthering the welfare of the people of Oregon, and the courtesy extended deserves much praise. The Bohemia people should take advantage of this offer and prepare a splendid cabinet of rich ores and see that they were on exhibit at the State Fair, accompanied by a man thoroughly conversant with the ores and matters pertaining to Bohemia district. Let us have a good ore exhibit.

Monday's Oregonian contained an exhaustive and accurately illustrated writeup of Bohemia mining district, which consumed over two pages of that paper. It was not a boom article, but based upon the historical, geological and statistical facts of the district. The Oregonian also devoted much valuable editorial space in the same issue, in which it drew flattering conclusions relative to the district's future, citing as its authority for such conclusions the reports of Prof. Diller of the U. S. geological survey and Prof. Stone, the well known mineralogist, formerly of Colorado College. The space given the district by Oregon's leading journal will be highly appreciated by every man who owns property in Bohemia, and will establish for that paper a record for its fair and not exaggerated report in the minds of mining men who have knowledge of the mineral wealth of this section of Oregon.

Chicago men are in Portland now arranging for the immediate construction of the Oregon Midland railroad to run from Klamath, in Northern California, to Klamath Falls, a distance of 84 miles. The new road will open up the immense resources of Klamath and Lake counties and give the people of Southeastern Oregon quick transit with the outside world, and will tap the largest sugar pine forests in America.

The wood industry at Comstock is in a rushing condition just now. Some forty teams are engaged in hauling it to the track and piling it for the railroad company. Piling for the track is being hauled in quantities, and an air of push and energy is displayed on all sides.

It is announced upon good authority that the famous Musick mine has reverted to the old management and its destinies will hereafter be presided over by J. W. Cook, the former superintendent. Mr. Cook is one of the best known and most successful miners in Oregon and his many friends will be pleased to see him return to the helm of the Musick.

SHOULD HAVE A CREAMERY.

In a letter to this office from C. H. Markham, general freight and passenger agent for the Southern Pacific Company, relative to the advisability of advocating a creamery for this place, he says: "I am in receipt of your favor of July 13th, and am obliged to you for the information contained therein. If there are 500 cows within a radius of 10 miles of Cottage Grove, you ought to have a creamery there, and if no one can be found to come in from the outside to put up a plant, then I believe it would pay the business men of Cottage Grove to take the matter in hand, as was done by the merchants of Albany."

Yours Truly,
C. H. MARKHAM.

David A. Kauble, an employe of the Booth-Kelly Lumber Company at the Coburg mills, met with a horrible death on Wednesday morning. He was caught by a belt while trying to throw it off, and literally crushed to pieces. He was 47 years old, unmarried, and leaves a father, mother and two sisters.

GROWTH OF THE CITY.

How Cottage Grove Is Building Up—A Steady and Substantial Improvement.

There are few towns on the Pacific Coast that have taken on more general improvement during the past year and a half than Cottage Grove. The growth has not been of a "rush" nature, but has been steady and of substantial kind. Last year some 75 dwellings were erected here, which, based upon a value of \$500—many of them exceeding that sum twice over—would aggregate an expenditure of \$37,500. During the first six months of this year \$18,500 have been expended in improvements, say nothing of the street improvements, which aggregate \$7,000. With last year as a criterion it is fair to presume that the improvements of the city for this year will equal and perhaps exceed the sum expended last year, as the bulk of last year's improvements were made in the fall.

Cottage Grove has no boom on—never had any—didn't want it, but is growing year by year in a substantial and gratifying manner.

MAIN STREET.
Perhaps the most attractive and important structure now under way in this city is the new Methodist church, which will be under roof by the last of this week. The estimated cost of this building is \$3,000, and it is said to be by far the handsomest building of the kind yet erected here. It is of Gothic design, the foundation overall being 60x64 feet. The auditorium will be 40x50 in the clear. There will be two class rooms 10x23 feet and one 10x24 feet. It will be heated by hot air furnaces. The extreme height from base to top of spire will be 72 feet, while the main building will be 24 feet high. The church will be given a wood finish, varnished. Pews will be placed in the auditorium while chairs will be the seats selected for the class rooms. The church will also be provided with a modern and convenient baptistry. Such improvements are a credit to any city and the people of Cottage Grove can certainly be proud of it.

Drs. Schlee laid the stone foundation, 21x40, last winter for their residence, and now the material is on the ground for a ten-room residence, the cost of which when completed will be about \$800.

Dr. Snapp has only recently completed a handsome two-story residence, foundation 20x27, valued at \$600.

L. Lurch—a fine store building on Fifth and Main, foundation 30x60 feet; \$800. Also addition to Bohemia hotel, 30x35, 12 rooms at a cost of \$600.

E. R. Case—business block. This property was originally the old M E church, removed and refinished, two stories, 10 rooms, at a cost of \$1,100.

PERKIN'S ADDITION.

James Ostrander, residence, foundation 16x24, story and one-half, wing 14x16, cost, \$500.

F. Kellum—residence, one story 24x24, cost, \$500.

D. H. Hemenway—addition to residence 8x22, cost \$75.

Ed McKibben—cottage, 26x30, cost \$500.

MISCELLANEOUS.

Joe Garoutte, 4th street, wing to dwelling 18x22, cost \$150.

Thos. Aubrey has remodeled and refinished his residence on 4th street, built new front and division fences, and made other substantial improvements in the sum of some \$250.

James Potts has painted and otherwise added to the looks of his residence on 4th street during the last month.

Mrs. Sears is building a handsome residence at the south end of 4th street in Long's addition. The foundation is 16x26, 5 rooms, cost \$300.

C. R. Moor—residence, Jones' addition, foundation 24x24, story



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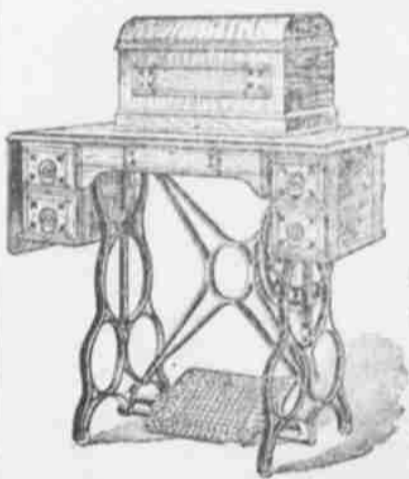
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No. 77—5 lots and good 2-story dwelling near C. P. church; \$1,700.

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We have for sale several choice building lots, tracts, stock ranches, a sash and door factory and Bohemia mining property.

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The Booth-Kelly Lumber Co. is offering 30,000 feet of 1" cull material from 4 inches to 10 inches wide at \$1.00 per M. They also have a lot of 2x4 and 2x8 at the same price.

For a fine assortment of fishing tackle and sporting goods GUYTON & VEATCH Co. are the leaders.