

BOHEMIA NUGGET.

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Bryan might put in these long winter evenings writing a book on "How It Was Done."

Compare the condition of Main and Wall streets this year with that of last year, and see if you prefer the "old" or the "new."

The Iowa State Register continues to speak of Iowa and Nebraska as Western states. The editor should take a day off and visit Oregon and Washington.

Mary Ellen Lease the well known lecturer is now seeking a divorce from her husband. Well, Mary ought not to have anything tied to her apron strings—not even a respectable husband.

Another lad slipped and fell from the break beam of a Southern Pacific car the other day and in consequence his brains and bowels were scattered over a mile or more of track. Beating the beam will soon be considered almost as dangerous as foot ball.

It would be a grand stroke for industrial advancement if a branch railroad could be built from this city through the great Row river timber belt to the Bohemia mining district, thus creating a market for the immense lumbering interest as well as giving the rich mines of Bohemia a chance to reduce the ores.

It is to be regretted that the road supervisors cannot find ways and means, or at least an inclination to improve the square at the east end of the bridge on Main street. The street known as river street is a county road and the county should find a way to improve it in keeping with the improvements now made by the city on streets abutting.

The public schools of this city seem to be run in a very satisfactory manner this year. The teachers have shown special tact in management and the school is said to be under splendid control and the students taking on their books rapidly. This is as it should be and can only be accomplished through firmness and good judgment on the part of the teachers.

The Roseburg Plaindealer under the able management of Conner & Roach is doing a "land office business" to be envied by every poor printer in Oregon. However the paper is worthy of every dollar thrown to it and the business men generally in Roseburg appreciate the sterling qualities of the paper. May its ghost not "hant" us for many years.

This is the time of year when our hearts should warm with thoughts and deeds of charity. Many a poor man and woman are in want, not because they are not willing to work, neither because they could not manage properly under favorable circumstances. They should not be blamed simply because the whirlwind of misfortune has toppled their plans, scattered their specifications and ruined their well advanced business foundations. The best of us fail—get off on the wrong foot—and only a few of us survive the shock from a financial point of view. Many who do again mount the wave of success do so not through their efforts alone but through the efforts of kind hearts who go out to them in encouragement. Few of us have means to give, but we are all rich in thought and kind words if we would shatter the look of selfishness that entombs the priceless jewel of Charity. Open up the door and encourage and cheer those who are less fortunate.

Considerable controversy again exists as to the advisability of legislating the bible into the public schools making it a fixture from which to read daily lessons to the pupils. Some oppose it, many insist upon it and still others are indifferent. The question within itself is not one that will occasion particular energy upon the part of either those for or against, for to the conservative mind it is not essential in the public schools, neither would it result in harm. The bible is a good book and every man, woman and child would profit by the reading thereof, but it is hardly consistent to make the reading or listening there-to compulsory. There are studies more essential to the boy or girl than the study of the bible. Let them be given a good education along good and wholesome lines and as they take on knowledge and years, they will take up the bible of their own accord and then they will profit by the reading of the good book. When you compel students to make it a study in the tender years of school life, you set before them a dish distasteful, and in place of bringing the book into good repute the young pupil makes light of it and is apt to treat it with unjust disrespect. Let those who wish read it. It will do them much good. Let those who do not wish to read the bible alone until they see the necessity of acquiring knowledge of the book of God and they will take to it with a vim that cannot be whipped into service through compulsory reading.

Alba Heywood visited Cottage Grove this week and played to a full house. However, Mr. Martin, the manager of the Opera House, went behind on the attraction in as much as the first \$50 had to go to the company. In this there is food for considerable thought. If Mr. Martin had billed some third class minstrel attraction he would have made good money on the bill, but when he threw the doors of his house open to a star in the entertaining line who is seldom equaled and never surpassed, a frost falls upon the good people and they stay away. In this case several reasons may be assigned. First, Alba Heywood was a stranger to us. Second, his prices were above that of the rag-time attractions. Third, many prefer to go to a second class show for a second class price than to give a little more and take in an entertainment refined and versatile, glittering with the best thoughts and brightest sayings of a prince among entertainers. When Heywood comes to town again, he will not have only one or two old time friends, but the half of the town people who saw him Wednesday night will cause the other half to come out and see what kind of a circus the other half delight in.

The Oregonian celebrated its fiftieth birthday Dec. 4. Among the attractive features was a fac simile production of the first edition of that paper, which when compared with the handsome pages of Oregon's great paper now makes the old time print grind his teeth. The two editions of Dec. 4 are splendid illustrations of the old and the new way of doing newspaper business. If the Oregonian continues to improve in the future as in the past, fifty years hence it will lead the newspapers of the world. Why shouldn't it? It is the product of the west, the result of the efforts of men with brain, energy and determination.

A visit to Roseburg convinces one that the little city is one of growth, thrift and enterprise, well supplied with wide-awake business men. The last four years have dealt fairly with Douglas county's metropolis and by the end of the new McKinley administration Roseburg will be a town second to none south of Eugene.

Go to Geo. Bohlman's tailor shop Main street and see his fall lines of samples and goods. He can please you in any style or line you may desire.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.

NOTICE OF APPLICATION OF H. S. REED FOR PATENT FOR THE HIDDEN TREASURE CONSOLIDATED QUARTZ CLAIM.

Before the United States Land Office at Roseburg, Oregon, November 16th, 1900.

Notice is hereby given that H. S. Reed, whose Postoffice address is Grants Pass, Oregon, has made application for a United States patent for the Hidden Treasure Consolidated Quartz claim, mineral survey No. 405, situated in the Bohemia Mining District, Lane and Douglas Counties, State of Oregon, lying in sections 7 and 18, township 23 south, range 2 east, and section 12 of township 23 south, range one east, and consisting of the Hidden Treasure mining claim, the Holy Terror mining claim, the Clyde mining claim, the Mary F. mining claim, the Late Acquisition mining claim and the Blackbird mining claim and more particularly described as follows:

HOLY TERROR LODE.—Beginning at corner No. 1, a pine post 5 feet long, 6 inches square, set 2 feet in the ground with mound of stone along side the original post scribed 1-2-4-1-405; whence the southwest corner of section 7, township 23, south of range 2 east, bears south 9 degrees east, 1005 feet; the United States Mineral Monument established in survey No. 229, for "Bohemia Mine" bears south 7 degrees 15 minutes west, 2523 feet; and running thence

North 40 degrees 35 minutes east, to corner No. 2, 411 feet. Thence South 70 degrees 48 minutes east, 1403 feet to corner No. 3. Thence South 40 degrees 35 minutes west, 411 feet, to corner No. 4. Thence North 70 degrees 48 minutes west, 1403 feet to corner No. 1 and the place of beginning.

CLYDE LODE.—Beginning at corner No. 1, a fir post, 4 feet long, 4 inches square, driven a few inches to bed-rock and surrounded by a mound of rock, scribed 1-1-405, whence southwest corner of section 7, township 23 south, range 2 east, bears south 42 degrees 53 minutes east, 638 feet and whence Mineral Monument of survey No. 229 bears south 1 degree west, 1975 feet, and running thence

North 74 degrees 49 minutes west, 1500 feet to corner No. 2. Thence North 27 degrees 40 minutes east, 507 feet to corner No. 3. Thence South 74 degrees 49 minutes east, 1500 feet to corner No. 4. Thence South 27 degrees 40 minutes west, 507 feet to corner No. 1 and place of beginning.

MARY F. LODE.—Beginning at corner No. 1, identical with corner No. 1 Holy Terror Lode of this survey and the S. E. corner of the location, whence the southwest corner of section 7, township 23 south, range 2 east, bears 89 degrees east, 1005 feet and whence the Mineral Monument established in survey No. 229 bears south 7 degrees 15 minutes west, 2523 feet; and running thence

North 74 degrees 49 minutes west, 1500 feet to corner No. 2. Thence North 40 degrees 35 minutes east, 411 feet to corner No. 3. Thence South 74 degrees 49 minutes east, 1500 feet to corner No. 4 identical with corner No. 4 Holy Terror Lode of this survey. Thence

South 40 degrees 35 minutes west, 411 feet to corner No. 1 and place of beginning. **LATE ACQUISITION LODE.**—Beginning at corner No. 1 on line 2-3-CLYDE LODE of this survey, a fir post 4 feet long, 4 inches square, set 18 inches in the ground, scribed 1-1-405, whence the southwest corner of section 7, township 23, south of range 2 east, bears south 57 degrees 10 minutes east, 2074 feet and whence Mineral Monument established in survey No. 229 bears south 25 degrees 50 minutes east, 2024 feet and running thence

North 60 degrees 4 minutes west, 450 feet to corner No. 2. Thence North 32 degrees east, 580 feet to corner No. 3. Thence South 60 degrees 4 minutes east, 450 feet to corner No. 4. Thence South 32 degrees west, 580 feet to corner No. 1 and place of beginning.

BLACKBIRD LODE.—Beginning at corner No. 1, identical with S. W. corner of this location, a post 4 feet long, 4 inches square, set 18 inches in the ground scribed 1-406, whence the southwest corner of section 7, township 23 south of range 2 east, bears north 88 degrees 34 minutes west, 494 feet and whence the Mineral Monument established in survey No. 229, bears south 43 degrees 35 minutes west, 2049 feet and running thence

North 27 degrees 40 minutes east, 507 feet to corner No. 2. Thence South 46 degrees 45 minutes east, 1327 feet to corner No. 3. Thence South 27 degrees 40 minutes west, 507 feet to corner No. 4. Thence North 46 degrees 45 minutes west, 1327 feet to corner No. 1 and place of beginning.

HIDDEN TREASURE LODE.—Beginning at corner No. 1, identical with corner No. 1, CLYDE LODE of this survey, whence the southwest corner of section 7, township 23, south of range 2 east, bears south 42 degrees 53 minutes east, 638 feet and whence the Mineral Monument established in survey No. 229 bears south 1 degree west, 1975 feet and running thence

North 27 degrees 40 minutes east, 507 feet to corner No. 2. Thence South 70 degrees 48 minutes east, 1403 feet to corner No. 3. Thence South 27 degrees 40 minutes west, 507 feet to corner No. 4. Thence North 65 degrees 38 minutes west, 621 feet to corner No. 5. Thence North 74 degrees 30 minutes west, 846 feet to corner No. 1 and place of beginning.

The notices of location of the foregoing quartz lode claims are of record as follows. The HIDDEN TREASURE is of record in Volume 7, page 20, Records of Mining Claims, in the office of the County Clerk for Douglas county, Oregon, and in the office of the County Clerk of Lane county, Oregon, in Book 5 of Mining Records, page 412. The HOLY TERROR is of record in the office of the County Clerk of Douglas county, Oregon, in Volume 6 of Mining Records, page 315 and in the office of the County Clerk of Lane county, Oregon, in Book 4 of Mining Records, page 430. The CLYDE is of record in the office of the County Clerk of Lane county, Oregon, in Book 4 of Mining Records, page 431. The MARY F. is of record in the office

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of the County Clerk of Lane county, Oregon, in Book 4 of Mining Records, page 432.

The LATE ACQUISITION is of record in the office of the County Clerk of Lane county, Oregon, in Book No. 5 of Mining Records, page 168.

THE BLACKBIRD is of record in the office of the County Clerk of Douglas county, Oregon, in Volume 6 of Mining Records, page 310.

The presumed general course or direction of the said HIDDEN TREASURE CONSOLIDATED QUARTZ claim, together with the surface ground is shown upon the plat posted herewith.

Neighboring or adjoining claims are the Helena, Mineral Survey No. 363, and the White Wings on the north and the Emma, Mineral Survey No. 371 and the Henry, Mineral Survey No. 371 on the east.

Any and all persons claiming adversely the mining ground, vein, lode, premises, or any portion thereof so described, surveyed, platted and applied for are hereby notified that unless their adverse claims are duly filed as according to law and the regulations thereunder, within the time prescribed by law with the Register of the United States Land Office at Roseburg, Oregon, in the County of Douglas, State of Oregon, they will be barred in virtue of the provisions of said statute.

J. T. BRIDGES, REGISTER.

DIED.

HARRIS—At Drain, Oregon, December 3, 1900, E. J. Harris, of pneumonia.

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