

## BOHEMIA NUGGET.

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There is certainly a lack of interest in this city among the residence owners in the matter of street and lawn decorations, particularly that of the streets. In nearly all the towns in Oregon much attention is paid to the setting of shade and ornamental trees. Today Eugene owes much of her far-famed beauty to her beautiful lawns and magnificent shade trees which border her broad streets in every direction. Here where the native maple, ash and fir is to be had for the planting, not a street in the town is lined by trees. A few, and only a few property owners, set out a few trees in front of their homes last season. Those trees are now taking on growth and anyone can be convinced in a moment of the improved appearance of the property. It is to our credit to be honest with ourselves. And in turning the X-rays of honesty upon ourselves, we must admit that, notwithstanding that material improvement has been made in Cottage Grove in the past two years, the town is just a little ragged and untrimmed yet. The owners of property add much to the worth of their property, say nothing of untold beauty, by bordering their homes with trees. The practice should be general and at once for ever year's delay retards the future magnificence of our streets.

Eugene is talking of having a street fair. Eugene is a hustler and anything she goes into is bound to be pretty much of a success for she has the people training with her who are inclined to make things "go" anyway. However this street fair business is not the proper thing and we trust the good people down about the county seat of Lane, one of the best counties in Oregon, will look a couple of times before they jump. A county fair is the proper thing. The street fair would be all right if it went far enough, but it doesn't. Set up a Lane County Fair Association on honest business principles and the whole county will fall in line and the county seat town can have about 85 per cent of her entire family on hand in honor of the event. An organization of this kind is needed and should not longer be kept in the back ground.

A Grants Pass dispatch says that the Booth-Kelley Company has secured an option for forty days on the Springfield mill. This is considered to be but little less than the purchase of the property and will amount to that eventually. The Springfield mills have for some time been owned by a Portland company, composed of Joseph Simon, C. A. Dolph, Henry McGinn and Rufus Mallory. The mills were operated by lessees, H. A. Skiels & Co. The Booth-Kelley people are to double the equipment of the mills so soon as they get control, making them of 60,000 feet daily capacity. This mill will be number four on the list of the Booth-Kelley mills, making their combined daily output 350,000 feet. With night shifts this output will be doubled. They virtually own and control the lumbering business from Grants Pass to Eugene.

The Columbia river salmon catch this year is in many respects the most remarkable in the history of the industry. Careful estimates place the pack at 254,500 cases, while the cold storages have handled about 2700 tons, equivalent to about 83,000 cases. This means that the total catch amounts to 26,942,500 pounds of salmon, making a total outlay for raw material of \$1,200,000.

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tack of mountain fever. Here also dwells A. D. Whittier, the poet, sculptor and genial gentleman, who molds some really fine pieces out of the white talc that comes from the mines.

Just below and on the outskirts of the village Mineral John has a magnificent exhibit of large chunks of ore from over 300 ledges throughout the district. He is putting up small character cabinets representative of the various ledges and claims of the district which he intends disposing of at a moderate figure. These cabinets can be shipped at small expense to any point, and when viewed will give one an excellent idea of the many varieties of mineral-bearing rock in this district. He is engaged in a most laudable purpose for the advancement of the camp, and any mining man can in an hour's examination of his exhibit gain more information than he could acquire in weeks of weary wandering over the towering hills and steep slopes of this great mineral zone.

We were shown through the Musick mine by Mr. Cook, who pointed out the different bodies of rich ore. A small force at development work is all that at present is doing in the mine. A drift is being run in the lower level to strike an ore shute, and from present indications a fine body of ore will soon be met with.

The next morning after arrival in the camp found us on top of Fairview. Here a magnificent panorama of Bohemia district is spread out to view. As far as the eye can reach in every direction the mountain peaks, deep canyons and thickly timbered hillsides fill the landscape all about.

On the south and west slopes of Cat, Elephant and Fairview mountains we find the following:

H. C. Marcus is doing some development work and completing a good and substantial cabin on his property on Cat mountain.

S. J. Brund is opening up a new ledge on his mine on Elephant, while in close proximity to this the White Bear and Black Diamond claims, owned by Charley Gettys, are showing up fine ledges of galena.

Further south we find a promising group of claims, the Three Montes, owned by Al Churchill, the Belle of Fairview, owned by Al Walker and the Damon, owned by C. L. Johnson et al., are worthy of mention as future producers.

Adjoining these is the Gem and two other claims reaching to the flagstaff on Fairview mountain. These are the property of a company under the management of R. McMurphy and brother of Eugene and are being surveyed for a patent.

Next comes the Harlow, Stocks and Brush and then the Ziniker and Graber brothers' group of mines. These claims, with a few others we were unable to get the names of, cover the west slope and are easy of access by the wagon road up Hardscrabble. The ledges in this section are very large and well defined and carry good average values, with now and then exceeding high assays. The splendid body of timber which covers this area of steep mountain slopes is of great value for future mining purposes.

Going down City creek the Wall Street mine was looked at. Oliver Gilbertson is doing the contract work and expects the property to show up well. About three miles down Grouse creek is located the Oregon-Colorado under the management of F. J. Hard. A force of six men is at work pushing a tunnel in on the ledge and work will be continued for 600 feet without let up. They are now in about 50 feet and have a ledge 10 feet across of splendid ore. Many tons are now on the dump and before the winter is gone there will be thousands of tons taken out. Mr. Hard will sack and ship out a ton for sampling purposes and as a guide for the machinery that will be put up at the mine next summer. From here our route lay up the

Holy Smoke trail and along the saddle that leads up and over Grouse mountain, passing many fine properties on the way. A drop of half a mile down the east slope took us past the Noonday mill at the foot of the hill and soon landed us at the famous Helena Consolidated, where the night was spent, and in the morning we were shown over the workings of mill and mine by James Jennings and Charley Bruneau. This is indeed a wonderful property. Twenty men are employed in the mine stopping out ore and doing development work. Only five stamps are now dropping on account of a scarcity of water. A breakdown on the other five stamps is being repaired by putting in a new cam shaft. They have about 250 tons of fine grade ore in the mill bunkers and are crushing about 12 tons daily now.

On leaving the Helena the ascent of Grizzly was made and a fine view of that section of the district was had. Then along the saddle and up the north slope of Grouse to the old Knott mine, which is idle this summer. From this point down the Devil's slide, past the Broadway and several other fine groups and back to the Musick to meet the stage for the return home.

J. W. Cook and wife, W. W. Hawley and wife, Norman Hawley and A. D. Whittier set out last Monday from the Musick mine for a hunt and exploration in and about the Cowhorn country, some thirty miles distant from Bohemia. They expect to bring in lots of big game.

On the way out was seen Alex Sparrow and Cull Keiser, who are placering on Sharp's Creek. It was but 9 o'clock in the morning and Mr. Keiser said they had taken out \$15 in coarse gold already that morning and there was plenty of fine gold in the sluice boxes. He had sent out for copper plates and when they arrive and are put in place he expects to do much better. But little placering has ever been done on this creek, and now that a good start has been made it is not unlikely that many others will turn their attention to sluicing the virgin gold from the sands of Sharp's Creek.

A limit to our space this week precludes further details of the trip, but our next issue will contain mention of the many ledges seen and miners met in the greatest of all mineral zones the sun ever shown upon. Our faith in Bohemia has always been high, but now after having had revealed to our eyes the immense bodies of ore on view our faith is simply unbounded.

### DIED.

ROBINSON—The infant child of Mr. and Mrs. John Robinson of Divide, died Sunday, August 18, 1901, the day of its birth.

The funeral services were held Monday morning and the remains laid to rest in the Hawley cemetery.

### NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.

United States Land Office  
Roseburg, Ore., August 21, 1901.  
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," as extended to all the Public Land States by act of August 4, 1892, Frank A. Kent of Ely, county of St. Louis, State of Minnesota, has this day filed in this office his sworn statement, No. 1794, for the purchase of the SW 1-4 NW 1-4, N 1-2 SW 1-4, NW 1-4 SE 1-4 of Section No. 8 in Township No. 21 S, Range 7 West, 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 Thursday, the 7th day of November, 1901.

He names as witnesses: L. G. DeWolf of Portland, Oregon, George Woolly of Drain, Oregon, Elmer Woolly of Drain, Oregon, Henry Steinick of Portland, Oregon.  
Any and all persons claiming adversely the above-described lands are requested to file their claims in this office on or before said 7th day of November, 1901.  
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