

FREIGHT IN VOLUME.

In all the previous history of Bohemia there has never been a season when so much mining supplies and food has been taken into that camp. All of the fall the roads have been in fine condition and the freighters have been up to their ears in business. Besides the great volume of freight handled by the regular men engaged in that traffic several private contract have been let and much supplies have gone into the district through those sources. Joe Cole and Ben Pitcher of the regular lines have transported an immense amount of goods into the district, and for some time past have been bringing out return loads of ore from the Helena for shipment to the Selby smelting works. This has made the business of freighting much more profitable than formerly when the teams had to make the return empty handed. Taken all in all, the splendid condition of the roads, the good weather and the volume of trade handled, and it would surely seem that the freighters are having a bonanza season.

THE FISHER-VAN CLEVÉ SHOW.

It has been here all the week so far and will play out its dates. Last week the Nugget called your attention to the fact that it was coming and suggested that if the advance agent was a man of truth it would be a good thing to attend. Well that agent, S. Guy Hirsch, came a whole lot nearer telling the truth than we gave credit that he could or would. The show is all right and you have all been to see it and will continue to go as long as it stays in town. The show people are all nice, that is because they are nearly all Oregonians; they can't help it for it comes natural, and they can act and act right. No aggregation has ever struck the town in the knowledge of the Nugget man that has so ably filled their pretensions in the line of good, clean and wholesome entertainment and on whom the ear marks of gentility was so plainly stamped. Go and enjoy the good things they present while you have the opportunity.

THE NEW TUNNEL.

Professor Kimball is pushing the work of making the level surveys for the new 8x8 double track tunnel to run through the Grizzly mountain for the purpose of tapping the ore bodies at a great depth and connecting the two Helens. Since the work in this direction was recently started much work has been done to put things in shape for the coming winter. For the accommodation of the men, machinery and tools, clearings had to be made, buildings had to be erected and supplies stored and cared for. This has nearly all been accomplished and with an added force of men the work of running the tunnel will soon go forward in earnest.

RUTABAGA TURNIP.

J. H. Teeters one day this week was hunting up the real estate men and parading up the Main street with a rutabaga turnip done up in a gunnysack that weighed twenty-one pounds. He ran square into the arms of Wheeler & Phillips, the hustling real estate dealers, and deposited his burden. Teeters has got a big stock of these fine rutabaga vegetables on hand but does not propose to allow his generosity to deprive his cows of their nourishment by hauling them into town to put on exhibition. The one he did bring in is a Jim Dandy and no mistake.

GETTING BETTER.

The new strike of rich base ore in the Helena mine that was run into recently in the shape of a chute at the head of the lower tunnel is getting better all the time. Two shifts are kept going in pushing development at this point in the mine. A quantity of this rich ore is being hauled out for shipment from here as fast as teams can be secured for the service. The Helena today is in fine shape and never looked better.

BOHEMIA RAILROAD.

P. J. Jennings, the Promoter, in Eugene.

PROGRESS OF THE SURVEYORS.

Mr. P. J. Jennings, while on business in Eugene this week was interviewed by the Guard reporter and gave out material for the following write up which will be of much interest to many of our readers:

P. J. Jennings, the Bohemia mining man and railroad promoter, was in Eugene today on business, returning to Cottage Grove on the 2:08 train.

In an interview at the Hoffman House by a Guard reporter this afternoon Mr. Jennings stated that the surveyors for the proposed railroad from Cottage Grove to Bohemia are progressing rapidly with their work having gone 18 miles on the route. W. F. Morphy of Boston, manager of the railroad enterprise, arrived Sunday night and will soon go over the two routes proposed and decide which one will be chosen. Mr. Jennings said that the one running close to the Booth-Kelly Lumber Co's big tract of timber on Row river will be chosen. In that event a spur will be built running through the tract. Mr. Jennings said that there are 16 men in the surveying crew and they are pushing the work right along. "Plenty of capital is behind the enterprise," he said, "and the road will certainly be built. The survey will be completed about the first of the year, but actual construction of the road will commence at the Cottage Grove end before that."

When asked about the mines, Mr. Jennings stated that the Helena company has all the teams available engaged in hauling ore to Cottage Grove to be shipped to the Selby smelting works in California. They are now taking out some very high grade ore running into the thousands per ton. The company's proposed smelter in Portland will be looked after when the new railroad is finished. The Bohemia mines can furnish all the ore for a 300-ton-per-day smelter, which is the size of the one to be built, but if the miners of Eastern Oregon, Washington and Idaho wish to patronize it, the capacity will be increased.

ANOTHER TITLE PERFECTED.— E. W. Ferguson of Chicago has been the owner of a two fifths interest heretofore in the Star mine, but this interest had been held in bond by P. J. Jennings, who has this week took up the bond and paid the cash for the Ferguson interests. This outlying interest has seriously conflicted with the working of this property in the past, but now that the title has been acquired by Mr. Jennings this fine property will in the near future be put in operation and brought to the front.

WORKING THE TRAMPS.— Bert Nunn, the energetic marshal of this delightful burg, has at last succeeded in getting permission from the Council to work the tramps to the extent of fines imposed upon them for becoming the guests of the city in irregular manner and occupying the downy couches of the city bastille. Bert now has a small force of artists clearing the gutters of the Main street of the loose rock they have accumulated and spreading it judiciously over the center of the street to offset the wear and tear and give the street a better drainage from the center.

The two sons of A. S. Woodard on Coast Fork, near the ranch of Sam Shortridge, on Monday last killed a monstrous large cougar. After treating it and finally killing the beast night closed in and the boys were obliged to camp by their game until morning when they went to their home, go a team and hauled it in.

Personal Paragraphs.

W. E. Edwards is down this week from Bohemia.

George Rouse came down from Bohemia this week.

J. W. Cook and wife came out from Bohemia this week.

George W. Lloyd came down from the mines on Saturday.

Miss Dorothy Miller went to Kirkeville, Missouri, last Sunday.

Some new carpets and furniture have been put into the Methodist parsonage this week.

Ed Jenks came out from the Bohemia hills this week and is registered at the Sherwood.

W. H. Shane came to town this week from his fine property on the Monta Rica ridge.

This week Fred Gale purchased the property on River street now occupied by his harness shop.

Rev. E. F. Zimmerman will preach at the Elk Creek school-house next Sunday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock.

Frank H. Hughes came down this week from the Helena, where he has been employed for a long time.

Bert Willard this week departed for South Dakota to be gone all winter. He has relatives there to visit.

H. C. Schultz of Salem was in town last week. He is in the employ of the S. F. Company and an all right fellow too.

Service at the M. E. church next Sunday both morning and evening. Morning subject, "The Witness of the Spirit." All are invited.

J. L. Le Roy came down again this week from the mine. He says things are moving very satisfactory on his properties.

Dave Gover this week went into the Steamboat country. He will look over that section and the Johnson Meadows for some time.

Alex Pugh of the European groupe on Adams mountain, came down this week. Alex thinks his property is good to tie to and expects to have plenty of wealth some day.

Butcher Earnest has rented the Knemerson place at Latham, paying \$200 cash for the yearly rental. He will take possession next week and Mr. Emmeron and family will remove to California.

Dan W. Kaup, special agent for the Washington Life Insurance Company is now in this section in the interest of that reliable old company. Dan is an old-time insurance man and an artist in his line.

Services at the Christian church Sunday at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. Evening subject, "Why be a Christian Only." Sunday School 10 a. m. Y. P. S. C. E. 6:30 p. m. Public invited. F. E. BILLINGTON.

On Sunday last our genial friend Doc Patterson did the gracious thing to his near and well-beloved friends by providing for their delectation a sumptuous repast at the Imperial Hotel. If there is anything that fills Doc's cup of happiness it is to make merry with his friends.

T. W. Jenkins came home this week from his attendance upon the convention of the Maskebers at Sioux City, Iowa. Tom had a fine time while he was away, and he has now buckled down to honest toil so as to replenish the big hole made in his wallet.

George W. Lloyd came down from Bohemia in the early part of the week. He had expected to go east last week but was instructed by his company to make a survey of the Champion groupe, consisting of fourteen claims, which work has now been completed and he is now under waiting orders. He expects to be called east any day.

P. T. Scott, general manager for the Pacific Coast of the Washington Life Insurance Company, came down from Portland last Friday. Mr. Scott is an up-to-date manager and represents one of the best and most substantial companies doing business in that line on the Pacific Coast. This company has done a large amount of business in this section and is deservedly popular.

Hugh Behne, superintendent of the Helena Consolidated Company, is in town this week from the mines. He not only confirms the report of the big strike in the Helena, but says that there has been a body of very rich ore uncovered and it is so big that he can knock down anywhere from 300 to 500 tons a day. Hugh says: "Bring on your railroad and the Helena will load a train every day."

READY FOR BUSINESS.— The books of stock and seal of the Crystal Consolidated Mining Company have been received by the secretary and are now open for the issuance of stock. At a meeting of the Board of Directors of the company it was decided to put the first block of 25,000 shares upon the market at three cents per share, thus placing a small quantity of the stock within the reach of all the friends of the company.

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A sure cure for Whooping Cough, Dr. Simms Specific, at the New Era Drug Store.

All kinds of shoe repairing at the new harness shop, west side. Fred Gale.

Real estate bargains of Jerome Knox & Co.

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Shoe repairing neatly and promptly done at the west side harness shop. Fred Gale.

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