

ELKS ENTERTAIN.

The Eugene Elks entertained their many friends last Friday evening in a manner long to be remembered by those present. They are a jolly herd, those self-same Elks, and they know exactly how to do the honors, Hon. A. C. Woodcock presided over the destinies of the members and guests in a "bully," good manner. With other things he wore a glad, broad and welcome smile, making the guests feel as comfortable as old folks. The program consisted of music by a splendid orchestra of five pieces, songs and stories, with light refreshments. Among the features of the evening might be mentioned a soul-inspiring burst of song by one of Eugene's favorites, Frank Osburn, stories by Bert Pefer and "Habe" Smith, respectively, that would have a tendency to lead most anyone into—oh, well!—other realms of thought; while Dr. Paine made his hearers interested as well as merry, in a sketch of his travels abroad last season, a feature of which was a demonstration of the assertion that it is highly necessary to be an Elk. At the eleventh hour Hon. L. T. Harris responded to the toast "To our absent members," in a neat speech, and then the jolly crowd of the best people on earth scattered to the four winds with words of praise for their entertainers and the Elks in general. Those from here were Hon. James Hemenway, Dr. Wall, L. Lurch and Tom Blew, members of the order; W. B. Dennis, Robert Alexander, C. H. Burkholder, T. C. Abrams, E. A. Willson, and James Potts. "Here's 'opin'" hit will 'appen again.

THE S. P. THE PLANT.

One of the most interesting places to visit and at the same time enjoy a refreshing walk on a pleasant day is to view the life, activity and diversified mechanism of the Southern Pacific tie plant at Latham, about one and a half miles south of town. To one who has not been there it is indeed a novelty and a vast deal of information can be gained by a look over this great plant. The two immense retorts are wonders to look at and they are kept full of ties night and day. The ties are placed on low trucks following each other and are run into the great cylindrical retorts by the aid of a wire table. About four hours are required to thoroughly saturate them with the preserving preparation and this is repeated with some six or seven fresh operations daily, each train of trucks being taken from the retorts having the cured ties taken from them and loaded into cars for shipment east. At the time of our visit one of the cars being loaded belonged to the Michigan Central and carried away 600 of these preserved ties. Superintendent Cole is at all times a very busy man, but he always manages to find time to show visitors over the plant and explain the workings thereof, which is indeed of much interest to the uninitiated.

FORESTERS' SMOKER.

On Tuesday evening at their new hall Court Bohemia No. 33, Foresters of America, held a most enjoyable smoker and royally entertained their many friends. About 8:30 the gathering began and half an hour later the large lodgeroom was comfortably filled with members of the order and invited guests in animated conversation and nicely disposed in little groups in the pastime of various card games. Later on came an elegant lunch, which, after being generously partaken of, was succeeded by an impromptu program, which was contributed to by more than a score of artists throughout the range of song, story, recitation, duet and final blending of all the voices present in patriotic vocal strains that welled out upon the crisp night air and brought the entertainment to a fitting close and sent each one happy to their homes.

The revival services at the Methodist Church will continue all next week. Evangelist Marsbel is preaching with power and earnestness. Large congregations are in attendance. Much good is being done.

BOHEMIA'S MINES.

Flattering Reports From Some of the More Prominent Ones.

STEADY DEVELOPMENT AND EXCELLENT SHOWING BEING MADE.

News from the Star Consolidated this week is very encouraging. Superintendent Behne has just returned from the mine and says that the new quarters are now all in complete shape. The long cross-cut tunnel is under good headway. Some fine quartz have been come upon and the indications are that the first lead is close at hand, and the surface showings indicate that good results can now be looked for at any time. Mr. Behne is feeling quite jubilant over the outlook.

Helena No. 2 has encountered about eighteen inches of quartz that assay well, and with every foot of development the mine looks better, demonstrating that depth will improve the future of the camp.

In the lower tunnel of Helena No. 1 three feet of ore has been encountered that assay up in the hundreds, which is being steadily developed with double shifts and blocked out to await transportation.

The rich ore streak in the upper tunnel still continues.

At the Musick No. 6 is being driven with good results and the base ore is steadily getting better, proving beyond a doubt that the future of Bohemia will be all that is hoped for it.

There is just now about three feet of snow in the camp but work in all of the principal mines is going right along and many prospects are being developed.

BARBER WISDOM.

John Stoneberg has for a long time contemplated making sundry improvements in the front of his combination barber shop and notion store, and realizing the delicate methods and calculating mind of the average carpenter, decided that the only way for him to get his improvements made and at the same time get somewhere near value for his money, was to hire the work done by the hour and pick out, if possible, the coldest day of this winter, so if the carpenters did not warm to their work they could feel the nipping sting of the frost king. Well, John had the job done on Tuesday, and it was bitter cold, but those carpenters got down to their work with an energy that was a joy to behold and earned their money with a will, which proves that the barber's wisdom was well conceived.

THE SUCCESSFUL DRAMA.

The presentation last week by our local talent of "The Deacon," a neat little farce-comedy drama, in aid of the free reading room, was a grand success in more ways than one. Its rendition was appreciated and applauded by a large audience. Each participant was conspicuous for the study and force put into the part portrayed and the financial outcome was most gratifying, inasmuch as the proceeds, after paying all the necessary expenses, netted the neat little sum of \$47 for the reading room, which money was sufficient to pay off the indebtedness of that worthy institution, amounting to \$30, and left a balance of \$17 in the hands of its treasurer. Taken all around a great good has been accomplished and an evening of delight gone on record through the generous efforts of the home talent company.

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For 90 days from February 1st we will sell at a ten per cent discount any and all of our large stock of wall paper. This liberal offer is given as we have a big invoice of new stock on the way and need the room. Now is your chance to secure the best bargains on the finest wall paper ever brought to Cottage Grove.

JERKINS & LAWSON.

Personal Paragraphs.

Frank Whipple went up to Bohemia on Monday.

Will Edwards returned to Bohemia Saturday.

I. H. Bingham came down from Portland yesterday.

C. A. Taylor went into Bohemia on Wednesday to work in the Champion gulch.

Mrs. William Harris is down from Blackbutte and registered at the Imperial.

Miss Gertrude Southworth of Wendling is visiting her mother in this city for a few days.

Bob Veatch was out on the slough and came home with a sand hill crane which he intends to stuff.

John Hoffman leaves this week for Crow, from where he will make a several weeks trip down the Snake.

Morris & Crow of Eugene, through their agent, this week sold to Miss Ethel Cottle a fine Trowbridge piano.

Mrs. M. J. Lindsey left this week for Orling, Wash., where she will join Mr. Lindsey. They expect to return here in the spring.

John Hicks returned on Wednesday from a pleasant visit to Albany. In a few days he will go back to his old employment at Blackbutte.

Jim Plaster, who has been employed as mail carrier on the Cottage Grove and Bohemia route is now recovering from an attack of mumps.

John C. Walsh, who for some time past has worked in the Blue river district, has now cast his lot with Bohemia. He went into that camp on Monday.

W. H. Le Roy and A. D. Le Roy were down this week from their several holdings in Bohemia to look after the business end of their enterprises in that camp.

James Sears and James Potts have been sworn in as mail carriers on the Cottage Grove and Bohemia mail route and will alternate on the route this winter.

George M. Cornwall of the Oregon Timberman, published at Portland, was in the city this week. He is a pleasant gentleman, and his future visits will be welcomed.

G. C. Brown, who has been in the employ of South-Kelly Lumber Co. at Wendling for some time has returned to this city. The Nugget acknowledges a pleasant call.

The cold weather of the first of the week formed skating ice on the Joe Perkins pond east of town and many of our young people hunted up their skates and enjoyed a glide on the smooth and glistening ice.

The right of way committee met on Monday evening. A general discussion was held and progress reported. Everything pertaining to the right of way is going along smoothly and it is expected that little difficulty will be encountered in securing a successful outcome.

John Baker, David Markley, Frank Wadley and J. C. Wilcox, who have for several months past been employed as a gold prospector in California, have all returned to their homes and families here. They brought back good health and a generous quantity of that most essential article which bears the government brand and is so handy to have around.

J. J. Lane, mail carrier on the Blackbutte route, met with a painful accident last Saturday. On his out-going route he had the misfortune to break his cart. He procured a horse and made the trip without further accident to Latham on the return, when the horse threw him, bruising his side badly. He managed to get up with the mail but was badly knocked out.

GOING TO BOSTON.

George W. Lloyd returned this week from Bohemia. While in the camp he let a 100-foot contract on the Gold Cross property. There is now 4 1/2 feet of ore in the breast of the tunnel that will mill better than \$10 per ton, and the surface indications are that this additional 100 feet will open up a fine body of rich ore. He is now making preparations to move his family and go with them to Boston, and will not again be here until July. Attention of mining men is called to a tunnel contract notice over his signature in another column. It speaks for itself and shows that the company has unbounded faith in Bohemia.

BLACKBUTTE MAP.

A. D. Whittier returned this week from Blackbutte after completing in tale a relief map of that section for W. B. Dennis. The relief map is 384 feet, with a scale of three-fourths of an inch to the 100 feet, and covers a radius of two miles. This last achievement of Mr. Whittier is fully equal to his former productions in that line. The map he made for the Le Roy company of Bohemia has been photographed, lithographed and thousands of copies sent out over the country with the fine prospectus gotten out by that company, and cannot help but interest and enlighten the thousands who are now seeking information with reference to the great mineral bodies of Bohemia.

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LOST.

On Wednesday, a pair of gold-rimmed spectacles. Finder will please leave at Cash Grocery.

TAKEN UP.

At my place near Lorane one red and white cow marked crop of right ear and upper bit out of left. Owner can have the same by paying charges and for this notice. W. B. HAWLEY.

ATTENTION!

The new hardware store and plumbing shop of Wynne & White is now open for business on Main street near the bridge. All who need goods or work in our line are cordially requested to give us a call.

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Many people have to pass the show windows of the Benson Drugstore without going inside to price and admire the many beautiful things Doc Patterson has to show you. There are many brands of artistically colored and delightfully scented toilet soaps. You will there find brushes for the teeth, hair and clothes, and when you have faithfully and energetically renovated your person with these masterpieces Doc will be more than pleased to introduce to your notice several of the choicest brands of cigars that have heretofore only been indulged in by men of royal or aristocratic blood. If anything should occur to you that in straightening out would require a dose of pills, opium, liniment, balsam, or any old thing, drop into the Benson drugstore and Doc Patterson will take the kinks out of you in a jiffy.

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