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BOHEMIA AND COTTAGE GROVE.

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Cottage Grove, Oct. 12, 1902.

At this writing the sound of active industry is filling the air and our rapidly growing little city is fast forgetting to the front in permanent and substantial structural and business enterprise. All of the past season our merchants have done a rushing trade and many times their forces of clerks have found it necessary to work nights and Sundays to keep up with the flow of orders coming in from the mines and outlying districts, to say nothing of the ever increasing volume of trade occasioned by the new-comers in our midst. It is estimated that over 500 souls have been added to and become fixtures in this community during the past year.

Our fine graded public school, with its competent corps of teachers, is now giving instruction to over 300 pupils and will continue to scatter pearls of knowledge for a full term of nine months.

Our new depot is completed and occupied, and the grounds surrounding it are soon to be filled in and receive a top dressing of crushed granite and other embellishments.

The roundhouse of the new railroad line that is stretching out from here to Bohemia is about finished, and the second engine for service on this road has arrived and been sheltered in the new quarters to receive a brand new coat of shining paint.

The Long & Bingham sawmill firm has received this week and forwarded to their timber tract on Mosby creek for active service a first class portable engine and equipment for logging, which will greatly facilitate the output of the lumber from this mill in the future.

Advantage of the good weather is being taken, and Cottage Grove is being hustled on now such as has never been equaled in all of its previous history. There is no boom here, but the growth is steady and substantial, and the feeling of faith in the great possibilities of the future is secure.

Bohemia District has made great strides this season. Work has been done in that camp that it was thought a year ago was impossible of accomplishment with the means and methods at hand. Development has been general throughout the district, and a wealth of treasure has been uncovered. New bodies of rich ore are being brought to light every week. A few skeptics as regards the wealth of Bohemia could be found a few years ago, but the light of this season's events have silenced their kinks and the "knocker" is fast getting to be a thing of the past.

The Sunrise Mining Company, is located on the east side of Adams mountain, and consists of eight full claims, covering about 100 acres of splendid mineral ground, is destined to be one of the best paying properties in the Bohemia District. Much money has already been expended in developing this property, and the condition of the property today more than justifies the outlay for the showing made most gratifying to the management. The main lode, which traverses the entire length of the company's holdings, is nearly perpendicular, between well defined hanging and foot walls, and has a width of over 12 feet of high grade quartz of an average of \$15 per ton. A tunnel in this vein is now in over 300 feet, the entire length in quartz, the face of the drift being now in solid quartz, and from which tunnel between 5000 and 8000 tons of ore have been taken and are now on the dump awaiting reduction. Many thousand tons of ore can be stopped down and taken out through this tunnel when it shall be required. Another tunnel on this property is in over 100 feet, also in solid quartz, and still another tunnel is being run on the south end of the property, which is looking fine, and the ore is improving as depth is gained. There are four other lesser tunnels on the property and all are in fine quartz. Preparations are being made to install a mill and concentration plant a short distance lower down in the canyon, and a substantial wagon road has recently been made for two miles to the warehouse station of the new railroad, so as to facilitate the transportation of the heavy and necessary machinery for the reduction plant. When the mill is installed a tramway will be erected to carry the ores from the main tunnel to the mill. It is also proposed later on to start a long tunnel from near the millsite, which will tap the ore bodies at a vertical depth of nearly 2000 feet, and from which common point the entire workings of the property can be readily and economi-

cally made. This company has an abundance of wood and water for all mining purposes, and every adjunct that goes to make a big mine and a long and successful dividend payer. Assays from this property run from \$1.20 to \$3065.40.

Albert Johnson, mining superintendent of the Lefloy Company, was in town this week attending the meeting of the board of directors of the company and also the annual meeting of the stockholders in this fine property. He says that a full crew of two shifts are constantly employed, that the installation of the new compressor plant is complete and in active operation and working to a charm. This plant consists of a thirty-five horse power boiler, two Leyner air compressors, two water Leyner drills, etc., and the air is being conveyed for some 500 feet to the face of the tunnel. The lower tunnel is in about 250 feet on the vein and the face of the drift is in one of copper and lead carrying a high percentage of gold. The drills are putting in seven feet holes and breaking about five feet to the shift, the tunnel in the clear being 6 1/2 feet. All work on this property is to be conducted in this tunnel until the main ore chute is reached under the rich surface croppings. Over 1000 tons of concentrating ore is now on the dump, and the reserves are being blocked out for future stoping when required. Abundant supplies for continuous work, ample and substantial quarters for the men employed, with everything in first class shape, and the property of this company in the best of condition, with a bright future ahead, the shareholders of this excellent property have nothing to fear from their investment and may rest assured that another year will reward their faith in Bohemia, and especially in the Lefloy property with rich dividends. The Oregon Securities Company is running full forces on all of its various properties. At the Helena No. 1 all of the levels are being driven with speed, and in the No. 5 level a new body of rich shipping ore has been opened up, as also in the No. 7 level. The mill is running steadily on high-grade ore. At the Helena No. 2 the long tunnel has a full face of ore. At the Calipoola tunnel work is going ahead with all speed and is most satisfactory. At the Musick the mill is grinding away and turning out the usual quantity of bullion. New bodies of base ore are being opened up and much tonnage is awaiting transportation. Estimates are being made now for the new electric plant to be erected at the warehouse on Champion creek, which will furnish power for the proposed machinery to be installed for running the big tunnels from the Champion Basin to connect with the Helena and the Musick mines.

Reports from the Judson Rock property are very flattering. As far as development has progressed the best of results have followed. The last 100 feet of tunnel run on this property made an excellent showing, and the face of the lower tunnel is now in solid quartz.

O. G. Gilbertson came out from Bohemia today and reports that the Oregon-Colorado is running a full crew, and the main tunnel is in now over 350 feet in quartz, and the face of the drift is in solid ore of high-grade carrying mostly copper and gold. There is now over 300 tons of shipping ore on the dump. Work is progressing finely on the new wagon road being constructed for the main traveling road at the Musick, and will soon be completed to this fine property. Everything in and about the property of this company is in excellent shape and highly gratifying to the management.

Work on the Riverside group is going ahead on the lower working tunnel, which is in now about 50 feet and looking fine.

At the Vesuvius mine a full crew is at work, and the property is not only in the best of shape, but in every portion of the mine the ore is increasing in volume and value as work progresses. All the workings of this splendid property are in free pitting ore. Supplies of all kinds are being put in for a full winter's work, and the prospects for this fine property were never so good.

Henry Johnson, popularly and pleasantly known throughout the entire district as "Dutch" is down this week from Bohemia. He has just completed a contract on the Ophir property, adjoining the Musick, which is owned by O. P. Adams and others, and is now under bond for a large sum, and says that this fine property is in the best of shape, and will in the future make one of the dividend payers of this great district. "Dutch" will again return to the hills in a few days and see to it that the drills are kept hot until the time the Christmas bells shall chime.

New Board of Directors.

In making mention of the Lefloy stockholders' meeting held early this month we neglected to give the names of the new directors or any particulars regarding the progress and plans of the company, which was due to the fact that we were short on space.

The following are the directors elected for the coming year: J. L. Lefloy, A. D. Lefloy, Dr. L. W. Brown, W. C. Johnson and Dr. Geo. Wall. The new officers will not be installed until November 1. At that time they will elect a president, vice president and secretary and treasurer. It is stated that there will be a slight change in the officers, as three new directors were put in this time. The work done during the past year consists of tunneling work, installation of air compressor drills, new buildings, etc. The present financial condition of the company is very satisfactory to the stockholders. From the present plans the company has outlined for the ensuing year, they expect to accomplish an enormous amount of work in the way of developments. The tunnels will be driven in on the ledges and they are going to tap their big bodies of ore at enormous depths. This property lies between the Helena and Crystal Company's property, and is on the mother lode of the district.

Pleased With The Prospect.

Z. H. Greenough, of Astoria, returned last Thursday from a tour of inspection throughout the Bohemia Mining District in the interests of himself and other Astoria investors in Bohemia mining properties. Mr. Greenough expresses himself as more than pleased with Bohemia and the properties in which he is interested, including the Lefloy which he thinks is making very rapid progress since the installation of the new Leyner air compressor and drills. Before returning home he also visited placer mining properties in Josephine county in which he has some stock.

Grants Pass Railroad.

Cot. Draper in a letter written to the board of trade, states that by January 1st it is very likely they will have matters in shape for beginning of the laying of the tracks of the new railroad between Grants Pass and Crescent City. He also states that the first matter they will have to consider will be the building of the bridge across the Rogue in this city. The beginning of this work will virtually mark the beginning of the actual construction of the line, as this will be the key to the railroad.—Observer.

Sale of Public Lands.

The total proceeds from the sale of public lands in Oregon during the fiscal year just ended amount to \$546,925 which is a wonderful increase over the previous year which was \$364,988. These amounts go to the credit of our state and will be used sometime in the future in the construction of irrigation canals, reservoirs and other necessary irrigation works within its state. The total receipts from this source last year in the country were \$6,261,927.

Putting in New Switch.

For the past week or ten days a large gang of workmen have been busy in the yards of the S. P. Ry. at this place unloading dirt and putting in a new switch between the new depot and the main track. Later it will be filled in across all the tracks with decomposed granite which will improve its appearance considerably, making it one of the neatest and best depot and yards in this part of the state.

Mammoth Apples.

Issac Taylor brought in three large Baldwin apples last Saturday the largest of which weighed 18oz. They were grown upon the farm of his son-in-law, J. J. Simpson, who resides near Divide, upon trees that were set out fourteen years ago, and bear testimony that nice large apples can be raised in this vicinity which will rival those of any apple country in the world.

A Good Show Coming.

Lawes Madison Square Theatre Co. will open a weeks engagement at the opera house commencing Monday, Nov. 3. During their stay in this city they will present a repertoire of the latest and most popular comedies and dramas, new and pleasing specialties will be introduced between the acts. Reserved seats now on sale at the usual place.

Notice of Stockholders' Meeting.

Notice is hereby given that the annual meeting of the stockholders of the Crystal Consolidated Mining and Milling Co. will be held in this city on November 15th 1902 and not the 25th as was previously advertised thru these columns by mistake.

West Side Harness Shop.

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NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.

United States Land Office, Roseburg, Oregon, Oct. 10, 1902. 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, William Harrison, of Cottage Grove, County of Lane, State of Oregon has this day filed in this office his sworn statement No. 2530, for the purchase of the Lot No. 11, S 1/2 SW 1/4, SW 1/4 SW 1/4, of Section No. 2, Township 22 South, of Range 2 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 Marie L. Ware, U. S. Commissioner at Eugene, Oregon, on Monday the 17th day of November, 1902. He names as witnesses: D. H. Brumbaugh, James Lebow, Thomas Rawlings, William Westcarson, of Cottage Grove, Ore. Any and all persons claiming adversely the above-described lands are requested to file their claims in this office on or before said 17th day of Nov., 1902. J. T. Burdoss, Register.

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