

BOHEMIA NUGGET.

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It would be a good idea to scrape the mud from Main street.

The indications are good now for Cottage Grove to be a city of 5,000 inhabitants by January 1, 1906. Cut this out and paste it in your watch.

If we can get a new charter that provides for sewerage, restriction of our dogs on the streets, and for the installation of a rock pile for the benefit of drunks, the extra session of the Legislature will not have been in vain.

Some weeks ago the City Council ordered the street committee to scrape the mud from Main street. How about it? There is not a muddier street in Oregon; and there is no reasonable excuse for it.

If Bohemia makes as rapid strides in the next two years as she has this year, the summer of '05 will see 2,000 miners in the district, a number of fine properties paying dividends, and many more rapidly developing into dividend-payers.

The Nugget does not have to defend its actions toward Bohemia in scarehead articles. A perusal of its files from the first issue, January 20, 1899, to the last issue, will convince anyone that the paper has been run in the interest of the district.

We have a cow ordinance, a chicken ordinance, etc., but as yet the good citizens of Cottage Grove are powerless in the matter of keeping our dogs off the streets. In talking this matter over the other day, a citizen, and, by the way, a dog fancier—that is, a fancier of a good dog—made the remark: "It should be a penitentiary offense for a man to own more than one dog, and it should be a crime liable to capital punishment for a man to own three or more." This worthy citizen might have been a little too severe, but there is some logic in it after all.

According to the statements of officials of other roads, the Southern Pacific is damaging the commercial interests of Oregon to an alarming extent by its refusal to increase its hauling capacity by the use of cars of other companies. It is alleged that this refusal is the result of a wrangle and an attempt on the part of the Southern Pacific to control in its entirety the business of the Willamette Valley. The Southern Pacific is not to be blamed for looking out for its own interests, but it should have sufficient interest in the development of this great State to take care of all the business. If it cannot handle the business on its own account, it should be broad enough to accept the assistance tendered by other companies. A board of railroad commissioners should be established, the members of which should be of the right kind of material to compel the Southern Pacific to protect the commercial interests of the State.

It now appears that the Governor has no intention of calling a special session of the Legislature unless the members of the body, or at least a majority of them, will make the request in writing, agreeing at the same time not to enact measures other than those bearing upon the tax proposition. While a method of this kind would, no doubt, tend to expedite matters, it would appear that the Governor is a trifle too severe. There are several things that could be brought up that would take up comparatively little time, that were they handled by the Legislature, would be of great benefit to the several communities. For instance, in the matter of a new charter for Cottage Grove. The sole object is to introduce sections that have been omitted in the one under which the city is now doing business, that are of vital interest to the community at large. With us we are without sewerage—a very necessary thing—and if we cannot get before the special session, the city is obliged to let the matter go until the next Legislature. It is a matter that is deserving of attention, and it would be a matter of grievous delay if a special session should be called and matters of such importance could not be taken up. Why not limit the session to a certain number of days, the primary measure to be the tax law, the balance of the time to be given to measures that are of general importance. Either limit the time or specify what legislative measures may be taken up.

The matter of special session of the Oregon Legislature is certainly to Governor Chamberlain. If a special session is needed to advance the interests of the several sections of the state in the matter of taxation, the responsibility of the session rests entirely with the governor. He should not attempt to park his duty nor to throw part or all of said responsibility upon the members of the legislature. It is a duty directly within his own province and he should meet the duty like the statesman that our democratic brothers would have us believe he is. It is no affair of the "lawmakers". They have troubles of their own. It is enough for them to pass upon obtuse and meaningless laws, without being forced into more conspicuousness by passing upon the vexatious special session question. It is up to our own George.

There is one notable improvement in the affairs of Bohemia district, among the many that have been realized in the last year, that is worthy of comment, and that is the feeling between the property-owners of the district. Up to a couple of years ago there was, apparently, as is nearly always the case, a spirit of jealousy. Today that spirit seems to be well under cover. Only once in a great while does it crop out, and then only in a small way and from an almost obscure source. There is no reason for such a spirit in a mining camp, and especially in Bohemia, where nearly every location presents a showing worthy of the most technical consideration. Again, it profits no one. If you have a good property it will become known to the people to whom you look forward to with the view of securing their assistance in its own good time. If your people get to the camp and bump up against some other mine owner, it is the poorest kind of policy on his part to run down your property with the hope of interesting them in his own, or by reason of the fact that he may have some personal grievance against you. In the majority of cases he does not succeed in keeping the people from examining your property, and if upon the examination, they find that the "fill" is not substantiated by the facts as they see them, then the "bawler" has fallen a great measure in their estimation, and therefore his property, which he has taken considerable pains to build up in their eyes, takes a tumble with him. The reaction never helps the camp, and is sure to be dead against the man that is running down the "other fellow's" property. We should always work for the general interest of the camp, and miners above all other classes should be above spite work. If we can't say anything good of a man's holdings, let us not be actuated to say something bad about it because we have had differences with the owner personally, or because we would like to land his people.

Chamberlain's Pain Balm is considered the best liniment on the market. It writes Post & Blinn, of Georgia, Va. No other liniment will heal a cut or bruise so promptly. No other affords such quick relief from rheumatic pains. No other is so valuable for deep seated pains like lame back and pains in the chest. Use this liniment a trial and you will never wish to be without it. Sold by New Era Drug Store.

THE OLD RELIABLE



Absolutely Pure
THERE IS NO SUBSTITUTE

FIRST OF LECTURE SERIES.

The first of the Public School Lecture Series, which has been arranged by Professor Briggs, will open November 7, with the famous poet and platform entertainer, Edmond Vance Cooke. Mr. Cooke is known throughout the United States and is greeted with rousing houses. Speaking of him the Detroit (Mich. gas) Evening News says: "Cooke while a poet of purely American ideas, is in the broader class, and does not confine his writings to any particular environment. In this respect he differs from James Whitcomb Riley. Mr. Cooke has the advantage of being an accomplished actor, and recites his poems with a fine and natural art. His impersonations in stories of the stage showed great talent, and the poems, under the title of Notable Narratives, are gems."

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Holiday Games FREE

Inside each pound package of **Lion Coffee** will be found a **FREE** game. 60 different games. All new. At Your Grocer's.

—THE—
Grocery Store
—OF—
Metcalf & Morse
is the place to buy your groceries.

Everything is clean, new, fresh and of first grade quality.

For Sale.

Double rotary complete saw mill outfit, excepting power. This plant includes main belt, inside belts, saw dust carrier, two inserted tooth Diston saws. With it horse power 2,000 to 8,000 feet of lumber can be cut per day.

A Bargain

and will pay you to investigate. The entire plant is in good working order and conveniently located. Will cut true and entire cut can be sold on the ground under present contracts at good figures.

\$ 300.00

Call at Bohemia Nugget for further particulars.

NOTICE.

LOST: Between the New Era Drug Store and the Postoffice, one leather purse containing the following:

Three Hundred Dollars (\$300.00) in bills, seven dimes and thirty-five cents in nickels and pennies, also one spool of thread and one box of

"Pop 'Em All Corn Salve."

The finder may keep the Purse, Money and Thread, but I earnestly request that the CORN SALVE be returned as it is

The Most Valuable Preparation On The Market.

for the cure of corns, etc. Please return it to.

Yours Respectfully,
Miss N. O. CORNS.

Advertise in the Nugget.

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Our line of M. D. Wells Shoes are the best wearers on the market and at prices that cannot be equalled.

Try our Roast Coffees, the best flavor and will please you.

SUTHERLAND & GEER,
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Cottage Grove Flour Mills.
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MANUFACTURERS OF

High Grade Flour and Mill Feed.

Bran \$1.10, Shorts \$1.20 per 100 lbs, Lower rates in ton, or half ton lots.

Oats and Barley at lowest living prices. Phone in your orders.

COTTAGE GROVE FEED MILL.

Wall Paper.

The beauty of your house depends on the pattern and quality of WALL PAPER you use.

The latest patterns, the best good and prices to suit.

Just received a large invoice of these goods and we take pleasure in showing them.

FRANCE & GOWDY.

W. S. Chrisman & Ely Bangs
PROPRIETORS OF

The Fashion Stables

ALSO OFFICE OF THE

Bohemia and Lack Butte Stages.

First Class Turnouts, Double or Single.

CHRISMAN & BANGS - COTTAGE GROVE, ORE.

KNOWLES & GETTYS
Proprietors of

...The Miners Supply House...

Our Motto: Good Goods for Low Prices.

General Merchandise, Miners' Tools and Ammunition

BOHEMIA, OREGON.

Think About Chinaware.

Have you enough to suit your ideas? Is it the sort you most admire? Is the decoration attractive? Is the quality as you prefer? Don't you want a new set?

WE HAVE SETS OR ODD PIECES

The economical can afford them. If you are particular we like it. If you want art value we supply it.

Pacific Timber Co.
Under Odd Fellow's Hall
Cottage Grove, Oregon.

"Welch & Woods has it for Less"

Underwear

We have just received a large invoice of Underwear which should have arrived 60 days ago. We have missed many sales on this stuff, but our loss will be your gain for those of you who are not already supplied. This shipment comprises

Heavy & Light Wool

Cotton fleec, Men's, Ladies' and Children's. We can fit you out from babies little Cassimere shirts to 44 size. We still have a large line of rubber goods, ready made clothing, blankets etc., which you should see before buying.

When you see it in our ad it's so. **WELCH & WOODS** The Leaders in Low Prices.

We Have Purchased

The West Side Harness business of Fred Gale and will conduct it at the old place. A first-class shoemaker will be employed for that class of work.

All goods and work guaranteed to give satisfaction.

We solicit your patronage and will try to please you.

CLARK & SON,
West Side Harness Shop.

IT MAKES A DIFFERENCE

McKIBBIN HATS
NONE BETTER MADE

Where you buy your Hat. There is three things to consider in selecting.

Style, Quality and Price.

Here is where we are specially equipped to help you.

McKIBBIN HATS
NONE BETTER MADE!

HEMENWAY & BURKHOLDER