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All the news from Bohemia is of an encouraging nature. The very early winter of last year and the equally late spring this year, retarded much of the outside work that had been started. The operators in the district will not be caught again by such conditions, but will prepare in ample time for any kind of a winter that may present itself. Everywhere that work is being prosecuted on the veins good reports of finding an abundance of ore comes. Every practical mining man who visits the district, has only good words to say of it.

SEND DOWN YOUR ORES.

There is comparatively but a short time until the meeting of the American Mining Congress in Portland on the 22nd of August.

It having been decided that an exhibition of the ores of Bohemia will be made at that time and place, it is necessary for all parties interested to at once begin to make collections and get them down to Cottage Grove. Quite a number of the mine owners have already responded.

The Commercial Club of Cottage Grove having undertaken this matter desires the assistance of all, so that our mining district may be properly represented. Every holder of a mining claim should be willing to send to the end of the O. and S. E. track a good sample of his ore. From that point it will be received by the agent and brought to this city, where the committee will properly label and see that it has its place in the exhibit.

The Oregon Information Bureau of Portland, have asked to have the privilege of taking charge of the exhibit until wanted for the Lewis and Clark Exposition.

Send your collection to Mining Committee, Cottage Grove.

TOO MUCH MINING NEWS.

Not long since a subscriber who owns a farm near the city complained of too much mining news in the Nugget columns, making the statement at the same time he had no interest directly or indirectly in mining and he did not care to read of things in which he was not concerned, but preferred the neighborhood gossip. This is not the first time this paper has been criticised an account of its mining news.

It seems strange to one who has been familiar with mining affairs and has seen small towns become cities, from no other cause, than their being contiguous to mining districts and has known the merchant, the farmer and the laborer to become rich, or greatly benefited by the development of mines, that any one can fail to understand they are interested in mining. When there are thousands of miners at work in Bohemia entirely dependent upon the outside country for all supplies every one within a radius of many miles will realize they are very much interested in the mining business.

The main reason why the Nugget gives the reliable mining news as fully as it can is that hundreds of copies are weekly sent to its eastern subscribers in the East who are furnishing the major part of the money by which Bohemia will become a great producer of the precious and other minerals.

These people care but little for gossip, but do want to know something about the district in which they are making investments.

Neither the war in the far East nor the strikes in the other East serve to check the advance in business in Portland, Bank clearing last week showed an increase of 13.4 per cent over those for the corresponding week last year. With the exception of Los Angeles which showed a gain of 15.8 per cent, Portland was the only city on the Pacific Coast that did show a gain of any consequence. Seattle reports a decrease of 5 per cent, Tacoma a decrease of 7.1 per cent, and San Francisco a gain of but .5 per cent. The average clearings for the week were over $500,000 per day, which is a very satisfactory volumn of business when it is considered that the grain-shipping season has not commenced and that the intertior banks are this season unusually well supplied with money. —Oregonian.

REV. DR. H. E. WARNER.

Outline of His Second Sermon to the Miners at Bohemia.

TEXT.

"If any man will do this he shall know of the doctrine." John 7-17:

CHRIST'S CHALLENGE TO MEN.

Christ's appeal is to earnest souls. He presupposes a yearning to know the truth. He does not argue. He deals in assertion. He throws a challenge down before every human being.

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Obedience to God's will in every known respect is the condition of perfect consciousness of the truth. No futile effort will avail. There need be no futile effort. Omnipotent power is assured. But to get that power there must be rightness with God and rightness with man. Then that power comes and we can do God's will every time. Doing God's will simply and constantly, just so far as we know, doubts and questionings and uncertainties disappear. Christ's challenge is fulfilled."

The attendance at these services is increasing. Many of the miners and quite a number of ladies avail themselves of this opportunity to hear the gospel. The music by Mrs. Warner assisted by Master Charles Hard with his cornet is thoroughly enjoyed and all heartily join in the singing.

It is hoped that Doctor and Mrs. Warner will make their vacation in Bohemia as long as possible.

Preaching and song services next Sunday at three o'clock p. m.

THE AMERICAN MINING CONGRESS

ADVANCE PROGRAM:

Governor Geo E. Chamberlain, address of welcome on part of the State of Oregon.

Hon Geo H. Williams, Mayor, address of welcome on part of city of Portland.

RESPONSES BY STATES.

President's annual address; Hon. J. H. Richards, Boise, Idaho.

"Benefit to be Derived from the Lewis and Clark Exposition to be held in Portland, Oregon, in 1905" (Exposition management have not yet named the speakers.)

ment of Our Country."

Hon Wm A Sulser, M. C., New York City. "Creation of a Department of Mines and Mining by our Goverement."

"Mining Laws." (Speaker not yet named.)

Hon H W Scott, editor "The Oregonian," Portland, Oregon. "The Relation of Mining to the World's General Advancement."

Chancelor E B Andrews, University of Nebraska, "The Promoter and His Place in Our Advancement."

Hon John H Mitchell, U S Senator, "The Establishment in Oregon of a Branch Mint or Assay Office by the Government."

Mr Fred G Shaffer, secretary and treasurer Consolidated Brazil Mining Co, "Statutory Protection for Mining Investors."

Mr T A Rickard, editor, "Mining and Engineering Journal," N. Y., (Subject not yet named.)

Hon R W Richardson, secretary National Good Roads Committee, Washington, D C, "Good Roads in Mining Sections."

Mr Arlin T Brown, "The Cyanide Ores, Ragged Top District, Black Hills."

Hon O W Powers, Salt Lake City, Utah, "Permanent Location of National Business Headquarters for the American Mining Congress."

"Permanent Location of National Business Headquarters for the American Mining Congress. Hon J F Callbreath, Jr, President Denver Chamber of Commerce; also Hon H C Hamlin, Denver, Colorado,

William L Wilson, Secretary and Treasurer Rocky Mountain Security Co, Denver, Colo. "The Question of Mining Stock and the Flotatiov Thereof."

The Governors of many States have appointed others to present papers upon the mineral resources at the meeting August 22nd in Portland.

PIONEER MEETS.

Weekly Coquille Herald.

Mrs. A Martindale, a pioneer to Oregon fifty-four years ago and a resident of Camas valley for more than half a century, was in our city on Wednesday greeting friends of the early days. A Herald representative happened to be present when she called on Uncle Sam Handsaker, who with his wife, is visiting in our city. The meeting was a surprise to both of these pioneers and ye scribe could not tell which was the more elated. They had not met since the Indian War of 1855-6 when Mr. Martindale's family, with Adam and W. P. Day's family and others were forted up in Camas valley. It was interesting to hear these old timers talk of the stirring times one beautiful spring morning in 1856, when the families with the dozen soldiers of Capt. Buoy's company, who were detailed to protect the settlers of the valley, awoke in their slumbers to learn that the fort was surrounded with hostile Indians intent on murder and robbery. During the battle, which raged for an hour or two, "Uncle Sam" having as Lieutenant Stephen Longfellow, the officer in command expressed it "the best gun in the fort," was ordered outside where he would have a good chance at a number of Indians nearly 500 yards distant who were assisting in driving off the settlers' stock, which was done, none being left. At the crack of "Uncle Sam's" gun an Indian was seen to fall, and then the Indians who had not made much noise, except with their guns, raised the Indian yell which must be heard to be appreciated. With the stock in their possession to the number of 50 or more, the Siwashes started down the trail leading to the Meadows on Rogue river. William Freeman, one of the volunteers, mounted the only horse left, the property of Wm Day, which had run to the fort during the fight, and rode in a hurry to Ten Mile valley where more of the company were. In a short time Capt. Buoy arrived with reinforcements, and coming up with the rear guard of the enemy a running fight ensued, in which at least one Indian and the mule he was riding was killed. Some of the soldiers had narrow escapes but none were injured. Of those present on this memorable morning, but four are known to be living.

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When President A. R. Diamond and the rest of the Multnomah Fair Association officials talked of giving a week's racing last year, they were told frankly by the local horsemen that the racing had received such a black eye in Portland that the public would not turn out to see them. In spite of this discouraging talk the officials went on, gave the race meeting, proved conclusively that horses could be raced and raced honestly, and not only the people of Portland paid their money at the gate, but horsemen from all over the state attended the meeting. And when they returned home they were loud in their praise for the clear sport which they had enjoyed, and of the liberal manner in which the books handled the odds on the races. This was all the encouragement that the association wanted, and they began at once to plan for their 1904 August meeting.

Most of the horsemen who raced here last fall declared when they departed that nothing could keep them from returning. Not only have they kept their word, but they assisted in filling the state book entries when it was sent to Oakland and Los Angeles. Originally the association planed only to care for 300 horses, but the demands for stall room became so great that it was found necessary to build 200 additional stalls. They have just been completed, and are the most modern and up to date stalls on the coast. They are constructed after those at Washington Park, Chicago and at Saratoga, and are so arranged that sleeping quarters for the trainers and rubbers are in a sort of loft over the horses. Last year it cost the association $15,000 to get Irvington into shape, and this year $7,000 more has been spent. The entire grandstand, the saddling paddock and the judges and timers' stands will be painted anew and every stall will receive a thick coating of whitewash.

It is the intention of the association this year to give $10,000 away in purses for the stake event alone. This assures big fields in each of the events, and it will bring together some of the best horses racing on the coast. The Oregon Stakes, the first stake event of the season, closed with 52 entries, and among them are such horses as Misty's Pride, Step Around who won the opening stake event at Seattle; Lake Usk, Albermarle and a large number of other clever performers. The big stake race of the meeting will be the Irvington handicap, value $1000 to the winners. For this money such horses as Modlcum, Forest King, George Berry, Veteranor, Mr. Dingle and Gateway, and many others will face Starter Mulholland August 20, the date of the race.

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