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BOHEMIA MINING NOTES

And General Mining News Gathered from Exchanges.

Manager A. B. Wood went up to the Oregon Securities Co. property on Monday.

John Davies of Eugene went through the Grove on his way to Bohemia this week.

Al Churchill is in town after an absence of several weeks. He expects to go up to camp soon.

John A. Anderson, one of Bohemia's sturdy miners was granted his final citizenship papers in Eugene Monday.

Blue River is in much the same fix as Bohemia. It needs deeper work, and more of it, capital and a smelter, with better roads, and then they will be in the ranks of the producing camps, says the Register.

W. A. Hogate came down from the Vesuvius on Saturday, to get a big load of provisions for camp. He says the roads are getting rather muddy. It has been raining quite hard in the hills.

A couple of new claims located in the Bohemia District were registered last week at the court house, The Trojan by Thomas H. Meadow, The Bird's Nest by Tom Parker, Frank Haley and Harry Parker.

The donkey engine in its browsing on a hillside, where it pawed up the earth, disclosing the outcropping that resulted in the opening of the Bunker Hill mine, now valued at \$17,000,000, is to have a marble shaft erected over its grave, by one of its owners, who gained a fortune from the mines.

M. DeKeyser of Portland, a metallurgist and inventor of an ore furnace of the same name, with Count Geo. Verbeke, of Belgium, were visitors in Bohemia last week, being shown around by Lawyer J. C. and Al Johnson. Mr. Verbeke has been travelling all over the world looking up mining propositions to present to his company in Belgium who have large capital to invest in good propositions. He states that it is probable that after going abroad and giving in his reports he will return by May of next year, at least, to make investments, and possibly to erect a custom plant for

the handling of ores. Mr. Verbeke says that the camp has fine ore and splendid prospects, and thinks the DeKeyser invention suitable to such ores. The mining men will be glad to see Mr. Verbeke return in the spring and hope he will come prepared to do something.

Champion Shooter of World at Medford.
Gamewarden Baker returned from the big shoot at Medford where he saw the champion shooter of the world, Crosby, break 196 out of a possible 200. Crosby will shoot in Salem this week.

Steel Made in Electric Furnace at Portland.

Steel made from black sand found at the mouth of the Columbia river is the latest of the wonders of Oregon. Dr. Day of the Government Bureau started a series of investigations into the black sands of the Pacific coast during the Lewis and Clark Fair. These have been continued and have resulted in a successful issue. A number of pigs were run last week, and were used in making gear wheels and other small castings, and turned out perfectly. The successful outcome of these tests will probably result in a further development of the smelting of such iron ore.

Cottage Grove souvenir tablets at the Bazaar.

Fall opening at the Bartels Millinery Saturday.

Write to your friends on Cottage Grove tablets and use the souvenir envelopes.

An attempt was made to blow open the Drain post office safe Sunday night, but was unsuccessful.

Curtis Veatch killed a large coyote near his farm west of town Tuesday morning, the scalp of which will net him about \$8.

Souvenir envelopes and writing paper cost you little more and advertise the Grove. Do your part to let people know what a town we have.

Business in Cottage Grove is on the upward path, and is growing steadily, and from now on should go by leaps and bounds. Every body is busy and is making money.

A prominent business man who has always been in favor of the saloons said the other day, "Well, sir, if the saloon question were to come up again for a vote, I would vote against the saloons, and I believe nine-tenths of the people would be with me, business is better, the town is growing on a more sturdy foundation than ever before, let it keep up."

OFFICIAL CALL

To American Mining Congress at Denver Oct. 16-19th.

To the president of the United States, the Chief Executives of Foreign Nations, Governors of States and Territories, Boards of Trade, Boards of County Commissioners, Mayors of Cities and Towns, Chambers of Commerce, Mining Bureaus and Exchanges, Miners' Organizations, Scientific Societies and Permanent Members of the American Mining Congress. The Ninth Annual Session of the American Mining Congress is hereby called to meet at Denver, Colo.

in practical and scientific mining and the dissemination of scientific information bearing upon the development of the metallic and non-metallic mining resources of the United States; to promote a more co-operative tendency in the evolution of agriculture, mining, manufacturing, transportation and commerce; and for the particular purpose of bringing the mining men of the United States into closer relation with one another and of promoting a friendly feeling for one another through social intercourse and the discussion of mutual interests.

THESE PURPOSES ARE TO BE ACCOMPLISHED BY

First—The creation of a department of mines and mining, through which increased assistance and co-operation of the National Government may be secured.

Second—By the creation and

Coming Oct. 5

Mrs. Wm. Calvin Chilton
Star Monodramist.

ONE OF THE FOUR GREATEST IN AMERICA

Subject: An Evening in Dixie Land.

Excellent Entertainment, Splendid Interpretation

None better on the Coast this year.

October 16, 17, 18 and 19, 1906.
REPRESENTATION

For the purpose of concentrating and putting into action the best thought of the mining world, to the end that through united action a greater development of the mining industry may be obtained, you are requested to appoint delegates to the Ninth Annual session.

OBJECTS OF THE AMERICAN MINING CONGRESS.

The purpose of this organization is to advance the mining and metallurgical industries in all their various branches within the United States; to assist in bringing about a more perfect co-operation between the government of the United States and the development of mining and metallurgy; to encourage education

maintenance of a complete exhibit of commercial specimens of ores, a complete mining library, a bureau of information through which all possible information may be obtained about every mineral section of the country and a mechanical department in which practical illustrations may be given of treatment methods, and a laboratory in which experiments may be made on refractory ores and chemical analyses made of ores which are thought to contain rare minerals, to the end that the mining man may be assisted in the solution of those problems which often mean success or failure to his enterprise and the possible investor may gain such information as will protect him against all but the necessary risks
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SCHOOLS PROSPEROUS

Schools 50 Larger Than Last Year at This Time.

Supt. Strange stated in an interview Tuesday that the total number of scholars registered was over 350, at least 50 more than last year. Last week at which time 270 were registered, many were in the hop fields, and 80 more have come in since.

There are now 42 in the High School and 24 in the Freshman class.

Prof. Strange is greatly pleased the way school in starting in and says the attendance will be the largest in the history of the school. Many new families from the East have moved, and so many new children are in school who have brought in their Eastern books and cards for grading. The professor says he was much surprised to find so many new pupils. The second, third, fourth and fifth grades are all crowded and if the attendance keeps growing it is probably other arrangements will have to be made to handle some of the boys and girls.

The furnaces are now almost ready to be fired up after being relined, at a great deal of trouble.

The students are all anxious to get to work and Monday morning the High school after their assembly, which was addressed by Prof. Strange who gave an outline of their work and duties, and a talk by Editor Fisher, who spoke of the value of their education and the necessity of learning the power of application, the students went to their class rooms and began hard work.

The Graham Hotel is putting in a big rough dry mangle in its laundry department.

Portland is making rapid strides on its contributions to the Y. M. C. A. building fund.

The DeWald Grocery has recently invested in a fine new computing scale of the latest pattern, at considerable expense.

Geo. McQueen injured his right knee in playing ball during the summer and while it has pained him considerable, it has not seemed serious until Sunday when he threw it out of joint, and since then he has been having a very serious time with it. Monday it was set by Drs. Kims and Best.

Sears-Widdersheim.

A quiet, but very pretty wedding was solemnized at the home of the bride's parents at Salem, Thursday, Sept. 20, 1906 at 3 o'clock p. m., the contracting parties being Ernest J. Sears of Cottage Grove and Miss Zelma Widdersheim of Salem, the pastor of the local Baptist Church officiating.

The parlor decorations were very pretty and appropriate and the pleasing and impressive ceremony was witnessed by relatives and a few intimate friends of the happy couple. The bride was attended by her sister, Miss Atha, while Walter Sears of Dallas, acted in the capacity of best man. The bride looked charming in a beautiful gown of white silk, while the groom wore the conventional black. At the conclusion of the ceremony splendid refreshments were served. The happy couple were the recipients of many elegant and useful presents. They took their departure on the evening train at Salem for Eugene and after a brief visit with friends in that city, came to Cottage Grove, which they will make their future home. The bride is a charming young lady, a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. H. Widdersheim of Salem, and is a sister of Mrs. W. A. Hogate of Cottage Grove. The groom is an adopted son of Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Sears, and both of the contracting parties are well known here and very popular. They were given a very cordial reception here by their many friends on their home coming. The Nugget extends congratulations and best wishes.

Millinery Opening.

I take pleasure in announcing our opening of Fall millinery with a selection of the latest pattern hats and bonnets on Saturday, September the 29th 1906.

MARY BARTELS.

Pattern hats opening Saturday, Mary Bartels.

Don't miss our fall millinery opening Saturday Mary Bartels.

The Roseburg Review states that the Roseburg light and water plant was not purchased by the Willamette Valley Co. but by a New York man.

County Surveyor Collier came down from the mines on Tuesday morning, after doing considerable work.

A big sale of timber was made near Leona on Tuesday in which a large number of acres changed hands.



Ladies! Come in and look at our furs?

THE SAME PRICE FOR EVERY DAY IN THE WEEK

There is no person's money potent enough to buy here cheaper than any other person. And everybody is treated alike, no special courtesies or accommodations to anybody—no playing of favorites—either in price or in service or attention. It is a store where every person can buy "good" clothing for just what good clothing is worth with a decent profit added—enough to maintain the store but not enough to make good clothing cost you as much here as you pay at other stores for it.



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