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General Mining News and Information

Elba Holderman started for Bohemia this morning.

Al Churchill came in from Bohemia Saturday evening.

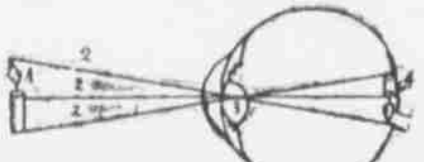
Good reports come from the work being done at the Oregon-Colorado.

Sherman Clark has filed with the county clerk a notice of location of a mill site of five acres in the Bohemia mining district.

Mr. George is getting along all right with his contract on the Boston group of mines for the Bohemia Gold Mining Company.

The present rain will take away much of the snow and may lead to weather that will enable the early completion of a few days outside work that must be done before the Vesuvius mill can start.

THE EYE AND ITS CARE



By Dr. Franc Lucile Hard, Rooms 1-4 Christian Building, Eugene.

1. Object looked at.
2. Rays of light.
3. Crystalline lens and point of reversal.
4. Picture of object on retina.

The eyeball is a perfect sphere about an inch in diameter. In front the cornea is engrafted onto the main ball.

The perfect or Emetropic eyeball is very hard to find, only one person in many having perfect eyes. Those that do, see the stars as sharp points of light instead of a blur of light as seen by most of us.

When we look at an object, rays from it enter our eye, focus upon the retina and from there the message is carried to the brain by the optic nerve. But to get to the retina the rays of light must first pass through the air then through the Cornea, Aqueous Humor, the Pupil, the Crystalline Lens, the Vitreous Humor, and finally to the Retina. Then the little fibers called the Rods and Cones must be set in action to carry the message to the brain through the optic nerve. When all this complicated process has been gone through we know what object is that we are looking at. Although this seems like such a long process it is all done so quickly that we are not aware of it at all.

Upon passing through the Crystalline lens the rays of light which enter the eye in a slanting direction are crossed so that that the picture formed on the retina is reversed, the brain, however interprets this correctly so we see the object as it is.

In the articles for the next few weeks some of the most common eye troubles will be talked about.

Miller and Corbit are closing out at cost.

J. D. Cochran has gone to Oakland, California on lumber business.

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Tom Jenkins of the Furniture Co. of Veatch & Lawson is in Lorano decorating the interior of W. W. Jackson's residence.

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NOLTY—To Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Nalty an 8½ pound daughter Saturday the 26th.

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Mrs. C. G. Hubbard of San Diego, California was in Cottage Grove over Sunday visiting her brother Ed Underwood.

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Evangelist Rev. T. S. Handsaker who is conducting a revival meeting at the Christian church was in Eugene Monday.

M. E. Church Notes

Great services at the M. E. Church Sunday morning, ten were received into the church, six were baptized. The sermon was preached from the text found in Romans 8th chapter and 9th verse, "Now if any man have not the spirit of Christ he is none of his."

The sermon was largely scriptural and by many pronounced helpful. Strangers are invited to all of the services.

New Brick Block

The contract has been let for a new brick block on the corner of Main and Fifth streets, the work of removing the buildings will be commenced soon. The Post office and other occupants of the buildings will have to find new quarters. As soon as the new building is ready W. A. Hemenway will move across the river with his large stock of General Merchandise.

London Springs.

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Platz, who have been stopping at London Springs for several months left for their home in Cedarville, Washington yesterday.

They came in hopes that the use of the water would be beneficial to Mrs. Platz and go away feeling satisfied with the test.

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Mr. and Mrs. Benjamin Lorch, of Cottage Grove, have issued invitations for the marriage of their daughter, Lillian, to Harry Kreuger of Butte, Mont. Sunday evening February 3, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Louis Hexter, 102 Twelfth st., Portland.

Closing Revival Meeting at the Christian Church.

The last two services Wednesday and Thursday.

Wednesday the Evangelist spoke on "A Puzzling Question."

Thursday, his last sermon will be on "Where will you Spend Eternity?"

Over forty have responded to the Gospel invitation.

These closing sermons promise to be full of good things for each one who comes to hear.

You are cordially invited to come.

Silk Creek.

Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Wheeler returned Thursday from a visiting tour to their friends at Drain and Divide, staying there at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Calvin Bunch.

Mrs. Henry Long called on Mrs. John Ashby Friday afternoon.

Miss Winnie Dresser is again in our neighborhood at this writing.

Crockery at cost at Miller and Corbit's.

C. Cooley of the furniture establishment of Cochran & Cooley spent Sunday with his family at Creswell. Mr. Cooley will move his family to Cottage Grove about April 1st.

We will for the next 30 days, for cash, give 15 per cent off on any suit and 25 per cent off on any overcoat in the house. Wheeler-Thompson Co. 41-52

Be's Laxative Cough Syrup containing Honey and Tar is especially appropriate for children, no opiates or poisons of any character, conforms to the conditions of the National Pure Food and Drug Law, June 30, 1906. For Croup, Whooping Cough, etc. It expels Coughs and Colic by gently moving the bowels. Guaranteed. For sale by New Era Drug Store.

DIED

Died at the residence of W. G. Hale, six miles south of Cottage Grove, Jan. 23, 1907, Alta C. Kester age 17 months, 19 days, daughter of Rev. and Mrs. S. J. Kester of Glenwood Springs, Colorado.

Only just a little roselbud,
Broken from the parent stem
Only just a little jewel
Placed in God's own diadem.

See her lying in her casket
How even has stamped its peace upon
The matchless tender grace.

A lonely father, a lonely mother
Look beyond the light of years,
And they hope to meet their darling
In the land that's free from tears.

They had planned for the future
They had lived with tender care
But their God is now indulgent
Mildly the angels pure and fair.

Jesus knows the woe that follows
All the weary steps of life,
Such love he took our darling
From the struggles and the strife.

And he took her to his bosom
In his arms so strong and kind
Bearing her away to glory
Leaving pain and death behind.

Much we think our little Alta
None can ever take her place
And the anguish and the heart-ache
Call for heavenly strength and grace.

But we trust the joy and fragrance
He has thrown upon our past
May be strengthened in the future
And complete in Heaven at last.

Mrs. W. G. Hale.

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H. E. Leunsbury, now district freight agent of the Southern Pacific lines in Oregon, will become general agent of the freight department at Portland for the consolidated Harriman lines in Oregon.

Millions Spent on Intoxicants.

By Frederic J. Haskins.

Washington, Jan. 20.—(Special Correspondence.)—There is hardly any other sentence that is repeated so often in the United States as "Have a drink with me," unless it is the remark of the other fellow to the bartender, "Fill 'em up again." The fact that New York spends \$1,000,000 a day for drinks shows how expensive is the age in which we are living. In the time of Charles II the keepers of ale shops in England used to advertise to "make a man drunk for a penny and find him straw on which to lie until he recovers his faculties."

When I called on the man who sits up nights figuring on the totals of the liquor traffic, he told me that the annual consumption of drinks in the United States amounts to \$1,400,000,000. I asked him if he could not dilute this statement so as to make it more understandable, and the next day I got a note from him saying: "If all the beer drunk in the United States since 1876 was brought together, it would fill a canal stretching from New York to Denver—a canal 20 feet wide, 10 feet deep and 1938 miles long." If I could get some one else to figure out how many "schooners" might be floated on this canal, the comparison would be complete.

IMMENSE SIZE OF DRINK BILL.

The nation's drink bill figures out one-third more than the public debt, twice as much as the capital stock in the bank; a little less than the capitalization of all our trusts and industrial combination; one-half the value of our domestic animals; more than one-half the value of all our farm products; one-third more than our total imported mer-

chandise and one-twelfth more than our total exports.

If each individual in this country regardless of age or sex, had drunk his pro rata of liquor in 1876, he would have consumed about eight gallons; but now the proportion is a little more than 20 gallons. The great increase is attributed to the influx of foreign immigrants, who drink much beer. It is estimated that three-fourths of our population are total abstainers, which would make every fourth person who does drink consume on an average \$70 worth of liquor each year. If that portion of our population which has the drink habit should abstain for a year and provide a fund from the savings, it would start every illiterate child on the way to a college education, and if the drinkers of the world were to deny their thirst for 18 months, their savings would buy every ounce of gold in existence.

Half of the 20,000,000 people who drink in this country constitute the dangerous element of our population and are confined largely to the slums of the larger cities. Those who study the source of crime and poverty say that 75 per cent of all such cases is caused by drinking. The use of wines and spirits is on the decrease in the United States, while beer is becoming more popular. We have fewer retail liquor dealers now than there were a year ago, while the number of places where beer is sold is increasing rapidly.

RAILROAD MEN BECOME SOBER.

As many railroad accidents were in times past accounted for by employees being drunk, 800,000 of the 1,200,000 railroad men now on duty in the United States are under orders to neither drink nor enter a place where liquor is sold. The penalty is dismissal from service. In Canada if a locomotive engineer or a train conductor is found drunk while on duty, he is liable to 10 years' imprisonment. A significant comment on the abstinence of railroad men is that when the locomotive engineers held their annual convention in Memphis last year, the papers stated that in all the gatherings held in that convention city there had never been a more orderly body of men.

ATTRACTIVE OF SALOONS.

Just to see in what way the saloons were superior to the other attractions life might offer a working man, or a homeless one, a prominent minister turned hobo for a while in order to study the question at first hand. Afterward he told of the universal kindness of the saloonkeeper and of the various plans he had for encouraging patrons. He told of the drinking fountain at the front door for the use of teamsters' horses; of the setting forth of a free lunch equal to a table d'hote dinner. The minister told his church people of the things they must combat if they would win men from the saloons, and added: "For \$500 men join exclusive political and social clubs on the avenue of the metropolis. For \$5 some men join Young Men's Christian Association Clubs, but for 5 cents the multitude of men whom only God and the saloonkeeper and the ward boss know, nightly join the one democratic club in American life, the American saloon."

SOUTHERN STATES.

Southern States are more aggressive at this time than those of any other part of the country in attempting to curb drunkenness by law. Kentucky, whose very name brings up the thought of mint juleps and apple toddy, has 119 counties, and of these 96 are without saloons. In all Kentucky there are but five counties where liquor may be sold all over the county. In the matter of local option elections, Illinois leads all other states with a record of 700 communities which have voted the saloon out. Mississippi and Texas are more than three-fourths dry by virtue of local option laws. Texas prohibits screens in drinking places, and Indiana requires saloons to keep lights burning all night with window shades open.

Tennessee, another great whisky producing state, has had a remarkable anti-saloon movement, with the result that there are but nine towns in the entire commonwealth where saloons are permitted. Every

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