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BOHEMIA MINING DISTRICT.

Should be Located in One County.

Bohemia Mining District is situated in Lane and Douglas Counties, Oregon. It is not a new mineral field. Nearly forty-five years ago the first stamp mill ever built in Oregon was shipped to Portland by water and on up the Willamette river to Eugene, from there by team to Cottage Grove and on to one of the highest points on Grizzly mountain in Bohemia by wagons, go devils, pack animals, etc., thirty-five miles distant. This mill now stands on the Vesuvius ground.

Mining has been carried on continually, properties have been held by some persons thirty and forty years, and many prospects have been held and worked ten to fifteen years and more by the same owners who have had satisfactory evidence of great values but not sufficient means to do extensive work and no possible way of getting their small portion of ore to market, or supplies in, except by great expense, and still confidence in the district and the encouraging appearance of more good ore. Every year is done, the hopeful and enthusiastic claim owner hangs on, works out for a grab stake and back he goes to the spot where his only hopes are centered, and where he can see Dame Fortune smiling. This is no dream, in Bohemia, the fortunes are there and the confident claim holder is still there wishing for relief and hanging on to the glittering edges of the rocks almost by his teeth praying for help. A few roads and the right kind of encouragement and better days would be soon at hand.

Public sampling works, concentrator and smelting men have visited the district frequently, and are all satisfied with what they see but the little encouragement they receive on the outside and the condition of the few roads, drives them elsewhere and leaves the fortunate, (though unfortunate) claim owner with the few tons of valuable ore on his hands, and in no way to realize its value, so as to enable him to continue his work on a larger and more steady scale.

Lane County has constructed a good wagon road to the district, the miners have constructed about fifteen miles of good roads, connecting some of the mines, partly in Lane and partly in Douglas County. Douglas county has not built one foot of road or contributed one penny to benefit the Bohemia District, and it is rumored that they are aiming to strike a heavy blow to the long suffering prospectors and miners, that have been striving to develop this section of the common-wealth of that county, by unjust and unheard of taxation.

A very small portion of the district lies in Douglas County, there is a little taxable property in both counties. Election precincts must be provided in both counties and each election, bearers of ballot boxes have to start out and go to Cottage Grove (35 miles) together, then one goes north to Eugene, the other south to Roseburg, at heavy expense to some one. There is no way to get to the county seat of Douglas County except by wagon road built by Lane County to Cottage Grove. What is wanted is to get the whole district in one county, so that one county can be looked upon for necessary encouragement and looked to with pride and pleasure as our friend, in bringing to pass a greater mining kingdom than has yet been witnessed

in Oregon. Now don't get scared and jealous.—It is not here yet, and unless conditions can be changed it will be forty-five years more.

We want to be in one county, be it Lane or Douglas, we think Lane, for the larger part of the district is in Lane, also Lane county is the only county where a county seat is accessible by wagon road built to the district by that county.

Our "mild" of taxes will go into one county instead of two, our chance of drawing in return will be greater, and to the county that takes us in we say we will pay you a hundred fold.

Knockers at It Again.

Several newspapers in neighboring towns have again stopped work on the Drain-Coos Bay railroad. These papers have always tried to knock this project and hoped against hope that something might turn up to prevent the building of this road. Every month or so they "stop work" on the road, notwithstanding the fact that everything is being done that possibly can be done during the wet season. Work on the four tunnels between Drain and Scottsburg is being rushed with the utmost vigor, day and night, with three shifts of men, working from both ends. Tunnels 1 and 2, eleven and twelve miles west of Drain, each about 1200 feet long, are rapidly nearing completion and Right of Way Agent Nier informs us that they will be completed by April. The S. P. officials here simply laugh at the foolish predictions that this project will be abandoned, and say that as soon as spring opens up, an army of 3000 or 4000 men will be put to work and the new railroad rushed to completion. The new rails piled up here for this road are not being moved away as reported in a Eugene paper, and the agents here deny that any such information has ever been sent out by them. Therefore it is simply a plain case of "knocking".—Non-pariel.

Rising From the Grave.

A prominent manufacturer, Wm. A. Fetzell, of Linn, N. C., relates a most remarkable experience. He says: "After taking less than three bottles of Electric Bitters, I feel like one rising from the grave. My trouble is Bright's disease, in the Diabetes stage. I fully believe Electric Bitters will cure me permanently for it has already stopped the liver and bladder complications which have troubled me for years." Guaranteed at Benson's Pharmacy. Price only 50 cents.

Copper as a Germ-Killer.

"Copper is a marvelous preventive of disease. If we returned to the old copper drinking vessels of our forefathers typhoid epidemics would disappear."

The speaker, a filtration expert, took a copper cent from his pocket.

Examine this cent under a microscope," he said, "and you will find it altogether free from disease germs. Examine gold and silver coins and you will find them one wriggling and contorting germ mass. Yet copper coins pass through dirtier hands than gold and silver ones—you'd think they'd be alive with micro-organisms. But no. Copper kills germs, Diphtheria and cholera cultures smeared on a copper cent die in less than two hours.

"They have many cholera epidemics in China, but certain towns are always immune. These towns keep their drinking water in great copper vessels. Travelers have tried to buy these vessels, for they are beautiful, but the villagers will not sell them. They have a superstition that their health and welfare depend on their retention. I wish all superstitions were as true and salutary as that."—Register.

SHOULD EXPLOIT TOURIST RATES

Whole State Can Assist—Cottage Grove Will do Its Part.

In the past a great many people throughout the State of Oregon have felt that these rates were good to Portland only, and as the railroads usually advertise the larger cities only because they are more familiar to the general public, the people of the interior state felt that the metropolis gets the chief advantage.

"Many citizens of Oregon content themselves with the statement that the railroads will advertise these rates, but we must bear in mind that when they are advertising rates to Oregon, these same rates are just as good to Texas, the Indian Territory and Oklahoma; the same rates are good to all points in the south and all points in the west; Colorado and Utah are working for new citizens, as are the Dakotas, and it is generally understood that there is some little activity in California and Canada along these lines, and that Washington is not inactive," said Tom Rich-

ardson, manager of the Portland Commercial Club. "Whoever a colonist rate goes into effect and is good to any portion of Oregon, it is also good to any portion of the Northwest, Middle West and Southwest and it is the community that gets up and hustles that gets the population and the wealth.

"Through a combined effort, the Portland Commercial Club and the Oregon Development League have been carrying on an extensive advertisement of the State of Oregon and it might as well be admitted at this time as to tell it later, that the funds are about exhausted and that the several communities in the state must take up and carry on a thorough campaign of advertising, if we are to get the full results.

ALL SHOULD SEND ADVERTISING.

"The names of thousands of inquiries are being furnished to the 63 organizations that compose the Oregon Development League, and if a single one of them is not sending out literature it is their own fault, for the entire cost is covered in stamps and printed matter. These colonist rates present a remarkable opportunity for active advertising, in which every school boy and school girl, as well as every grown man and woman in the state, can participate. There is no subject of greater interest to school boys and girls than the resources, attractions and advantages of their own state, and better still, of their own community, and if they could be kept busy a portion of their time during the next few weeks in writing to relatives, friends and acquaintances in the older states, advising them of these opportunities, and at the same time giving them the rates to their particular town, it would certainly result in attracting a great deal of attention to Oregon, if every county and city superintendent of schools, as well as each and every principal and teacher, would make it a point to put this matter before their schools, the result would be of enormous advantage to the State of Oregon.

MANY QUESTIONS ARE ASKED

"Inquiries being received by the Oregon Development League at their Portland office cover all kinds of questions. Many prosperous farmers in Iowa, Kansas and other states want to know how they can properly invest \$5000 to \$10,000; others desire small tracts of land; many inquiries come regarding logged off lands, and the opportunities in the dairying business. There are thousands of inquiries about the Willamette Valley, and the opportunities presented throughout all Western Oregon. The same is true with reference to the wheat and livestock portions of Eastern Oregon. Irrigation is the cause of many inquiries.

"There are more inquiries, possibly, in regard to fruit-growing and poultry-raising than any other, and it is the fault of the different business men and property-holders in the many communities of Oregon if these questions are not answered, because the entire expense is embraced in stamps, clerk hire and the printed matter.

"The mail being received by the Oregon Development League is simply enormous, and not a name or address arrives which is not furnished to every one of the 63 organizations composing the League. Lists of names will be supplied to any regularly organized commercial body in any community in Oregon which becomes affiliated with the Oregon Development League."

Following is a list of the exact rates from points in the older states to 78 points in Oregon, arranged alphabetically, so that each community can understand just what it costs to reach their station.—Oregonian.

New Awning.

Garnan & Hemenway have torn down the homely wood awning in front of their store and are replacing it with an up-to-date canvas awning on rollers, which is being installed by the Wynne Hardware Company.

Notice.

I have purchased of Mr. J. W. Bartels his meat business and good will in the city of Cottage Grove. I have now taken possession and in the future intend to keep the best of meats, also fish and oysters. I also have an experienced sausage maker. My motto good goods at reasonable prices.

Thanking you all in advance and hoping to enjoy your good will and patronage, I am yours
FRED HERREN.

A Valuable Lesson.

"Six years ago I learned a valuable lesson," writes John Pleasant, of Magnolia, Ind. "I then began taking Dr. King's New Life Pills, and the longer I take them the better I find them." They please everybody. Guaranteed at Benson's Pharmacy. 25c.

W. C. T. U. Convention.

The Lane County W. C. T. U. Institute held in Cottage Grove, Feb. 8th and 9th was one of the most successful ever held in the county. There were many delegates present from the various local unions. The Institute took for its theme, "Evangelism."

The W. C. T. U. and church in cooperation, both are christian and the highest ideal of evangelism is in cooperation. This point was forcibly brought out by the State Vice-president, Mrs. Newell. Discussion showed that "The Bible in the Home," "The Family Altar," and "The Mother as Evangelist in the Home" are the most successful and certain ways of making W. C. T. U. work effective.

Rev. D. R. Olson gave a most interesting outline for Bible study, and in part—know "The Book," Remember who wrote, on whom written, when written, where written and why, without which Bible study is confusion. Rev. R. C. Grace set forth the noblest, the most earnest and the most responsible of parenthood. "These things should be carefully thought out in child-training; wholesome literature, pure fashions of dress and unquarrelable company." A. R. King in a very able manner discussed the growth and progress of the W. C. T. U. and temperance work in America. He showed by abundant evidence that gambling, drinking, crime and immorality have greatly decreased. He outlined the organization and the growth of the liquor trust and its influence on national affairs showing that in person of the temperance movement by the government it is the most difficult of all trusts to handle. He said that in Mississippi the liquor companies would not carry liquor into the dry territories and that transportation companies would not carry liquor into Selma, California, that in Ohio liquor was shipped in wholesale quantities into dry territories, even for family consumption and cited numerous instances. He believed that in Oregon laws prohibiting the importation of liquor in wholesale quantities into dry territories would be respected by the transportation company and upheld by the courts.

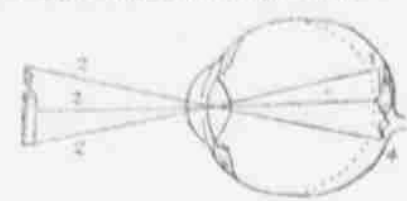
The evening session of the Institute was devoted to the media contest, under the splendid management of Mrs. DeSpain. The oratorical contest was won by Alice Phillips. Mary Willard and Vera Richards receiving medals in the musical contest. The proceeds of the contest were sufficient to carry on the county work for the ensuing year.

Much praise is due the County president Mrs. F. D. Wheeler for the success of the convention.

State Game Warden J. W. Baker has received word of the death of his cousin, Mrs. Susan V. DeJoy of Hopkins county. Ev. Mr. Baker states that this is the only member of the family that he can remember having seen none of them since childhood. This woman was in Oregon not long ago and lived in the whereabouts of Mr. Baker had failed.

THE EYE AND ITS CARE

By Dr. Frank Lucile Ford, Rooms 1-3 Ghiesman Building, Eugene.



MYOPIA OR NEAR-SIGHTED EYE.

1. Object looked at.
2. Rays of light.
3. Picture of object on retina.
4. Retina.

Myopia or near-sightedness is exactly the opposite condition to Hyperopia which we treated last week. The eyeball being too long instead of too short as in Hyperopia. This condition is shown in the above drawing, the dotted line being where the Retina should be.

Myopia has many causes. It may be inherited, or it may be caused by an over development of muscles in youth. But the most common cause is starting into school work without doing near vision, thereby causing such a strain on the posterior tissues of the eye as to weaken and bulge backward.

Myopic people do not see well at a distance, but objects held close to the eye are seen clearly. This trouble is not, but must to give the eye of the eye specialist is such a character in the change as the eye progresses so far that the eye is lost. But by wearing the proper glasses and by observing certain rules in regard to the care of the eyes this may be checked and thereby cured.

People with near-sighted eyes should never use the light gasolene kerosene when using the eye and should never work with the head in a downward position as this causes more blood to rush into the eye than is required and so causes an undue amount of pressure on the delicate coats of the eye.

When occupied person jobs of a similar nature is so much better for the eyes than books, light and the eye with light.

West Side School Notes

Twenty-five were absent no more during the fifth month of school work.

Fourth grade—Dorothy Funk, Helen Winder & the Brumbaugh, Edna Brown, Leah Perkins, Hazel Gies, Meta Jordan, Guy Whitlock and James Oster. Worth Harvey, teacher.

Fifth grade—Leatrice Baum, Edna Leach, Mrs. Myrtle Carter, Fred Jones, Carl Winder, Roy Henderson, Robert Gies, Guy Tucker, Carrie Woods, Lisa Phillips, Myrtle Harris, Anna Gies, Hazel Franklin, Ina Johnson.

Fourth grade—Ward Borg Lee, LeRoy Baker, Bronson, Guy Turner, Lyle Collins, Gene Gull, Gladys Cowell, Edna Forester, Miss Jackson, teacher.

Third grade—Miss White, Ois White, Edna Woods, Thurman Tucker, Warren Edwards, Solomon Coffman, Robert Jones.

Second grade—Agnes Staudacher, Georgia Raines, Hazel White, Miss Beebe, teacher.

First grade—Charlie Rains, Willie Tucker, Rev. H. Gray, Clara Conner, Hazel Robinson, Fannie Casswell, Aneta Oliver, Miss Palmer, teacher.

HIGHER GRADES.

Miss Ruth Young, who was in last year's class, and Miss Alice Carpenter and sister, Inez, made us present gifts last week. We are glad to have old students visit at any time.

Chas. Comer and Jesse Lewis, who took the eighth grade state examinations Jan. 24-25, made the required average and have been awarded their diplomas. This is good news, as only 52 of 150 applicants passed in the county.

Alice Phillips was the successful speaker at the recent W. C. T. U. contest and thereby won the medal.

Beatrice Hagale, who has been ill, has returned to school.

The Eighth grade Literary society will give a program Feb. 22. A debate on the Japanese question will be one of the prominent features.

The class has completed reading and study of the Constitution and are now receiving physiology and geography.

Herbert Rains, president of the First National bank, made a quick trip to Eugene Thursday.

Neighbors Got Fooled.

"I was literally scolding myself to death and had become too weak to leave my bed, and the neighbors predicted that I would never leave it alive, but they got fooled, for thanks to Dr. King's New Discovery, I took just four one-dollar bottles and became completely cured and restored me to good sound health," writes Mrs. Eva Engstrom, of Grosvenor, Stark Co., Ind. This King of cough and cold cures, and healer of throat and lungs is guaranteed by Benson's Pharmacy, 58 and 59 1/2. Trial bottle free.

Classified Advertisements.

LOST—Sample case, agents outfit, containing samples of silver ware etc., near Wildwood, Nev. 20th. Finder please return to the Nugget office and receive reward.

Wanted.

Gentleman or lady with good references, to travel by rail or with a dog, for a firm of \$250,000.00 capital. Salary \$1,000.00 per year and expenses; salary paid weekly and expenses advanced. Address, with stamp, Jos. A. Alexander, Cottage Grove, Ore. 7-17

Returned.

Tom Anderson has returned to Cottage Grove and is again writing numerous papers in the Oregon Fire-Baker Ass'n of McMinnville, and the Astoria Fire Insurance Co. of Clatsop Co., Ore.

For Sale.

Span eleven hunched pound mares, or will trade for cattle. Enquire of, or address

FRANK J. DINGWOOD, Wildwood, Ore. Phone Bohemia, 140. 11-231f

IF YOU TOUCH your tongue to ALUM

and look in the glass—you will see the effect—You can't help puckering—it makes you pucker to think of tasting it.

By the use of so called cheap Baking Powders you take this puckering, injurious Alum right into your system—you injure digestion, and ruin your stomach.

AVOID ALUM

Say plainly—

ROYAL BAKING POWDER

Royal is made from pure, refined Grape Cream of Tartar—Costs more than Alum but you have the profit of quality, the profit of good health.

