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BIG TIMBER CONCERN

Upper Willamette Lumber Co.
Has 5000 Acres of Trees.

WILL BUILD A MILL

Officered by Prominent Local Men, the
Company Will Have a Daily Capacity
of 50,000 Feet.

The Upper Willamette Lumber Company, controlling more than 5000 acres of the finest timber in the world, will commence operations in the near future. Their land lies on Mosby Creek five miles from the line of the Oregon and Southeastern railway. It is proposed to build a spur track to the new mills, which will have a daily capacity of 50,000 feet.

The timber industry of Oregon has a vast future and the especial district where the holdings of the Upper Willamette Lumber Company are located is in the very heart of the heaviest timbered section of Lane County, which is conceded to be the greatest timber region in the State of Oregon. This timber is also conceded by all mill men to be the clearest and finest growth in the whole country. Figuring on a daily production of 50,000 feet of lumber, there is sufficient timber to keep the mills in constant operation for a period of thirty years. Exact location of the mill has not been determined. Conditions will be considered and a site will be chosen where best advantages for approach are to be noted. Aside from the 5000 acres now under control of the Upper Willamette Co., there are adjoining their holdings unlimited quantities of fine timber lands, the product of which may well be estimated as part of their milling possibilities.

Eastern capitalists are interested and the mill will be built at once. Other properties may be acquired. This timber lies some ten miles from Cottage Grove, which will be the supply town for the mill. The advantages to this city will be many from the establishment of this big plant. Local men are interested in the company, some of the most reliable and prominent citizens of Cottage Grove having become its officers.

President J. E. Young is an attorney, whose home has been here for many years. He is a man of long business experience and is well familiarized with the lumber industry. His energetic administration of the affairs of the company will assure its prosperous operation from the beginning. He is one of the directors

and with him on the Board are F. D. Wheeler and O. O. Veatch. Mr. Veatch was born in Oregon, is now and has been for many years a prominent and prosperous merchant of Cottage Grove. He is a member of the City Council and one of the School Directors of the Cottage Grove district. He speaks highly of the future of this section and is sure of the successful operation of the new mills. He is also a director of the First National Bank. F. D. Wheeler is City Recorder, a Director of the Home Loan and Savings Bank and is in business in Cottage Grove, being of the firm of Wheeler & Phillips, insurance and real estate, and is interested in other local enterprises.

Herbert Eakin, President of the First National Bank of Cottage Grove, is Treasurer. Mr. Eakin was for many years in mercantile lines, having been one of the firm of Eakin & Bristow, groceries merchandise and banking. He is thoroughly conversant with the lumber industry and is confident of the great future before the timber trade of Lane county and of Oregon.

Otto Olston, secretary of the company, lives at Eugene, the county seat of Lane county, where he is prominent in business circles, and has had valuable experience in the lumber trade and in mining matters.

Constant increase in the demand for Oregon timber assures the new company a large volume of business and a steady market for its product. The price of timber has recently been advanced and currently the Southern Pacific railroad has reduced rates of transportation on lumber, giving the market an accelerated tone. When the company has completed its spur to connect with the line of the O. & S. E. R. R., it will be in touch with the markets of the world. The officials and board of directors are all men whose names are assurance of the solidity of the company and its future substantial business and standing.

Multnomah Fair.

One of the largest race meetings ever attempted in Oregon will open at Portland on August 8, and continue to August 28, and possibly through the first two weeks in September. Trainers and owners are shipping their strings to the track, and the officers of the Multnomah Fair Association are preparing to stable 500 horses, the pick of those now racing at Seattle. It is the intention of the association this year to give \$10,000 away in purses for the stake events alone. This assures big fields in each of the events, and it will bring together some of the best horses racing on the coast.

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MINERALS IN WATER

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GEER AND BOSWELL

Two Pioneers in Two Counties and
Two Springs They Represent
—Part of Our Resources.

For years the market has been supplied with water from the famous Boswell Springs on the line of the Southern Pacific railroad in Douglas county. Now the water from the Geer & Sutherland springs is to be bottled by the Oregon Mineral Springs Association and placed upon the market in carbonated form.

These springs may be recognized as a substantial part of the resources of Lane and Douglas counties. Everybody has heard of and most have used the famous Shasta mineral water from California. Not only has that water done much to make California's fame, but it has built up a locality independent of any other factor. Wm. F. Herrin, attorney for the Southern Pacific railroad, has caused to be built there a superb summer house overlooking the rushing flood of the Upper Sacramento. The hotel, its many cottages and inclined railway form a town in themselves. The mountain side is one great cascade and tower of beauty.

This has all been accomplished through intelligent handling of a water that possess and contains no more valuable properties than the water of the mineral springs in the vicinity of Cottage Grove.

Other instances may be noted where successful marketing of mineral water has produced valuable financial results, created new communities and attracted desirable settlers. Most notably is this so in the case of Jackson's Napa soda and Bartlett Springs mineral waters in California.

Accordingly the waters of the two springs near Cottage Grove may well prove the nucleus of profitable enterprises in Lane and Douglas counties. From invalids, tourists, and others, who would visit these springs if they were aware of their real curative properties, the towns surrounding them would receive a direct benefit. This is more especially true of the Oregon Mineral Springs than of the Boswell Springs, for the latter is on the main line of the Southern Pacific, a railroad point itself, while the former is ten miles by stage from the railroad. Boswell is the site for a popular hotel of large dimensions in the future.

London, where are located the Oregon Mineral Springs, is the place for quiet, restful recuperation where the world is shut out. Surroundings at both places are pleasing and invite to repose or rambles over the hills.

To enter into discussion of the medicinal values and properties of these waters would be to depart from the purpose of this article. Suffice it to say that they are an effective remedy for rheumatism, pulmonary troubles and digestive inaccuracies. That, however, is for the people to tell their friends who are sufferers.

The object of the writer is to urge the people of Lane and Douglas counties to assist in developing these resources, making known the really valuable properties of these waters to people everywhere. Tell your friends about these springs, just as you tell them about our mines, our forests, our crops, cattle, horses, gardens, orchards, homes and prosperity. That is what makes a section known. That is what Oregon is doing and is to do in the next few years. Help to do it.

The writer visited the Oregon Mineral Springs recently as the guest of Mr. Geer and the day was one of rare enjoyment. The drive is beautiful and the roads good, as Oregon roads go (this is not a "knock," but a fact) and the water when carbonated is delicious and possible of conversion, by addition of syrups, into many pleasing beverages.

Entirely evident on the part of the Oregon Springs Mineral Association, for there has been installed a complete filtering, carbonating and bottling plant which will begin operation next week. The product will be placed on sale generally and another industry will have been added to those of thriving Cottage Grove.

Insect Pests.

Prof. A. B. Corley of the experiment station at the Oregon Agricultural College at Corvallis, referring to the insect pest complained of by a Leader correspondent recently, says: The maggots are hatched from eggs which are deposited about the young plants, soon after they come up, by a fly very similar in general appearance to the common house fly. Like all insects which work within plants or in the ground this maggot is very difficult to control. Probably the most satisfactory results have been obtained by saturating the soil about the young plants with carbonic acid emulsion which is described in Bulletin No. 75, which may be had by application to O. A. College. There is no known method of destroying the maggots after they have once entered the plants except to also destroy the plants.

OREGON DEVELOPMENT LEAGUE

Will Convene in Portland On August 2nd and 3rd.

The Portland Commercial Club has issued a call for a convention of the Oregon Development League, to be held at the Marquam Grand Theater in Portland August 2nd and 3rd. All commercial, agricultural, mining stock-raising and irrigation interests will be represented; every editor in the state will be invited to attend as a delegate; County Commissioners and Mayors of all towns and cities will also be called upon to name delegates. The Portland Women's Club will look after the comfort of ladies accompanying delegates, and, among other entertainments, have arranged for a trolley ride on August 2nd, taking in the most interesting and beautiful environs of Portland, and on August 3rd ten streetcars will be provided for a trip over the entire city.

The Southern Pacific Co. will sell tickets at the very low rate of one fare for the round trip, from all points on Oregon Lines to Portland and return, for this occasion, and it is hoped that every section of the state will be well represented at the convention, to work in harmony for the development of Oregon.

DIVIDE.

Mr. and Mrs. Herlert Button and daughter of Eugene visited relatives here.

Holt & Barker's sawmill has been purchased by Courts & Church, to be moved to a new location on Row river.

An ice cream supper was given at Divide school house Saturday night to pay off the indebtedness on the school organ. The program was very good and with quite a crowd in attendance an enjoyable evening was passed.

Wm. Barker states that Jay DeSpain and Joel Long have the contract for splitting his railroad wood and they are actively at work in order to complete the job by December 1st. They are energetic young men and will doubtless make a success of whatever they undertake.

GLAZER
FOR
CANTALoupES

NOTICE

TO
Owners of Dogs

Pay your dog license to the Recorder on or before August 1, or pay \$1.00 additional penalty.
F. D. WHEELER,
City Recorder.

WILL SEND DELEGATES

Commercial Club to Be Represented in Portland.

MINES AND MINING

Display of the Ores of Bohemia Mining District Will Be Made at Session of Mining Congress.

The seventh annual session of the American Mining Congress will be held in the city of Portland, August 22nd to 27th. The Commercial Club of Cottage Grove has arranged to send a large delegation and to have on exhibition a display of specimens of the ore now being mined in this section, relief maps and literature descriptive of the Bohemia group of mines.

Lane County people are alive to this opportunity to attract to their mines the attention of operators, engineers and investors who cannot fail to appreciate the mineral wealth disclosed and awaiting the magic touch of capital for development. Cottage Grove is the natural trade center for the Bohemia district, connected with the mines by the Oregon & South Eastern Railroad and mail, express and stage route overland. Numbers of the leading business men of Cottage Grove are interested in mines of the camp, and the Commercial Club is urging the importance of making a creditable exhibit as the beginning of the extensive display which it is proposed to arrange for the Lewis and Clark Exposition next year.

Of greater consequence in acquainting visitors with the district, it is proposed to run an excursion from Portland to Bohemia, providing satisfactory arrangements can be made to do so. In order to do this it will be necessary to provide vehicles for conveying the excursionists from Wildwood, the terminal of the railroad, to the principal mines of the district. Several of the properties, those producing and having extensive development, some of the big veins opened with surface work, as well as by tunnels and shafts, bear convincing proof of permanence, and the mills are producing yellow treasure to swell the world's wealth.

Members of the Cottage Grove Commercial Club believe firmly that "seeing is believing," and feel that no other method will be of so great effect in bringing capital to the district as bringing the delegates of the congress to visit the mines. Distinguished mining engineers could be induced to acquaint themselves with the district who are

commissioned to report on good propositions to large financial interests whenever they find them and wherever located. Under ordinary conditions, hundreds of dollars would be no inducement to such men to make the trip, but when here as delegates from great organizations, or representing the states or Federal Government they would join the other delegates in such an excursion.

President Campbell, of the club, has appointed a committee of leading business men to take up the matter and report what arrangements can be made and suggest methods of carrying out the plans. Co-operation of all mining operators and others interested in the Bohemia district is desired, and as the time is not distant when the congress meets, it is the aim to reach a definite decision at the earliest possible date.

Secretary Irwin Mahon, of the American mining congress, is deeply interested in the mineral prospects of the district adjacent and would heartily approve an arrangement for an excursion.

The Black Butte Quick-silver Mines are now attracting general attention and there is a probability that the excursionists will also be taken to inspect them. W. B. Dennis of the Black Butte properties was in Cottage Grove last week and reports that these mines are producing a steady yield. He will be pleased to have the delegates to the Congress inspect the mines if the excursion shall be arranged. Special rates will be made on the railroads to all who are delegates and it is expected that general rates will be reduced at the time of the convention.

Convictions by Game Wardens.

B. S. W. Folk of Douglas county has been fined \$25 and costs for killing a deer on July 14th, one day before the season opened.

Marvin Drumery of Lane county entered plea of guilty in killing deer and was fined on July 16th \$25 and costs.

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