

JACKSON THIRD IN GOLD PRODUCTION

WASHINGTON, Jan. 11.—For several years there was a decline in the metallic output of the state of Oregon, more especially in its gold and silver, but preliminary returns for 1912 show that this has now been checked, according to Charles G. Yale, of the United States geological survey. The mine report of the survey for 1911 showed an output of gold valued at \$633,407 and 45,221 ounces of silver. The preliminary 1912 indicate that the output was about 657,000 ounces of silver, a 10 per cent increase over the output received about 1911, compared with 38,000 ounces of silver here.

MEXICAN REBELS SUING FOR PEACE

EL PASO, Tex., Jan. 11.—Claiming authority to negotiate for the revolutionists under General Pasqual Orozco to bring about peace in Mexico, E. V. Anaya, former United States marshal of Arizona, arrived here today from Tucson to confer with Mexican Foreign Minister Lascruian, who later left for Laredo. Anaya admitted that Generals Salazar and Rojas had designated him to represent the rebels, but declined to state the terms he had offered as a basis of a cessation of hostilities across the border. He insisted, however, that he had presented a definite proposal to minister Lascruian. Before leaving for Laredo Lascruian denied he had received any such proposition. It is reported that Lascruian went to Laredo to meet General Orozco. Beyond admitting that the demands of the rebels do not include the resignation of President Madero, Anaya refused to talk.

Our Correspondents

KANE'S CREEK

Mr. and Mrs. Householder were combining business and pleasure in Medford Wednesday.

Among the notable improvements on Kane's Creek is the grubbing and clearing being done by Byrley & Lewis, which adds to the appearance of things.

John Ralls, the Kane's Creek trapper, was a business visitor in Gold Hill on Wednesday.

Prof. Greenleaf of Central Point spent several days recently at his Kane's Creek farm looking after his business interests.

Mary Boggis is attending the Dardanelles school.

Miss Iva Householder has been absent from school this week on account of sickness.

Maggie Foley has returned home after spending two weeks at Mrs. Lewis.

Mr. Goodrich and family left last week for their old home in Nebraska. The misses, Meade and Mona, have been attending the Dardanelles school since its beginning and the pupils and teacher alike regret their departure very much.

Mr. Byrley made a trip to the Pass on Wednesday for medical treatment.

Mrs. Mardon spent a day recently in Gold Hill with her many friends.

Al Boggis left the forepart of the week for Weed, Cal., where he has secured employment.

School has resumed again after a three weeks' vacation. The teacher, Prof. Johnson, spent the greater part of the time at his home near Derby, Ore.

Meritol White Lintment.

Should be in every home, as its immediate application to cuts, bruises, sprains and wounds gives instant relief. It has no equal as a pain killer and healer. Haskins' Drug Store.

EAGLE POINT EAGLETS

By A. C. Howlett

C. E. McDonald of Portland, who has been visiting his cousin Mr. Ash of Trail was a guest at the Sunny Side the first of the week. His brother was with him when he came out from Trail but went on to Medford while they were at Trail they bargained for the farms of Jeff and Ruben Johnson. Mr. McDonald says that he likes this Rogue river valley and thinks that he will locate among us.

The Eagle Point Athletic club that was organized a short time ago have rented the Holmes warehouse and are fixing it up for a gymnasium. They think that they will eventually have connected with it a reading room, so as to have a place where the young folks can meet and spend the evenings and improve their minds instead of spending their time in idleness.

The other day as I was talking with the mayor, Mr. Wm. Von der Hellen, and we were commenting on the condition of the streets in our town he remarked that he thought that it would be a wise plan to bond the town for seven or eight thousand dollars and fix up the streets in good shape before another winter and I have been talking to some of the property owners on the subject and they seem to think that instead of bonding the town and making all of the property owners, or rather taxpayers, contribute toward defraying the expense, to have those who own the lots on the streets that are improved, pay for the improvements on their property.

Mr. Neills, owner of the Flounce Rock ranch, came out last Monday left his team here and went on to Medford.

Mr. Roy Willets, our mail contractor reports that Messrs. Dolf and Henry Olsen have killed another cougar but he does not know the length

of it. He says that he thinks that everybody along the route from here to Persist reads the Eaglets.

Clarence Pierce, one of the Medford real estate men and a general hustler for Rogue river valley, came out Tuesday enjoyed a room and went up to look over his land near Eagle Heights, returning about ten o'clock P. M.

Art Nichols, our meat market man has had a new sign painted and hung over his shop door. He had ice with out going to the trouble to freeze it, and the result was that he was scarce of water. In fact the

could snap we have had caused trouble in several families in our town.

\$12,000 PARCELS POST STAMPS SOLD BAY CITY

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 11.—Up to date, \$12,000 worth of parcel post stamps have been sold at the main post office here and \$8,000 at outside stations, according to statistics compiled today. The average weight of outgoing parcel post packages handled here was 1.8 pounds and local packages half a pound. Four automobiles are used locally.

FREDDIE ANDERSON MATCHED FOR BOUT IN BAY CITY

Freddie Anderson, Bud's young brother, is to be matched in a bout shortly at San Francisco. Freddie has been staying in Portland but yesterday received a wire to report at San Francisco as Dick Donald had arranged a fight for him. Brother Bud will not fight on the 15th as Portland papers have announced, but will go into action on the 25th, Sammy Troit being the prospective victim.

THE FLOOD REVEALED WHEELING

Jan. 11.—which cost two days damage today is passed, on feet since the river was so.

Officers. 90. Woodmen will install officers tonight, January 11th. All members are earnestly requested to be present.

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A low priced car with a twelve million dollar guarantee.

Not an experiment, not a freak. Made upon honor of best materials, fully guaranteed all down the line.

Rear axle housing pressed from one piece of sheet steel—Result, greatest strength, least weight, ease in cleansing, a pleasure to the eye. Large "full floating" rear axle. Both brakes internal.

ORDERS TAKEN BY
GEO. F. DYER
GARAGE ON NORTH CENTRAL AVE.

Made in Anderson, Indiana

THE PEOPLE'S CANDIDATE FOR MAYOR

This is the kind of administration I propose, if elected, to give to the people of Medford. I can assure this, as I have no special interest backing me, and have made no promises to any individual or set of individuals and will be free to work for the people in general.

- An honest, open and above-board, clean cut business administration.
- A fair and square deal at all times.
- Equal rights to all. Special privileges to none.
- A genuine peoples' public market.
- Regarding the liquor question: Personally I do not drink, never have, but as long as the government, state and city licenses saloons, and under strict regulation they obey the law, they are entitled to protection. Should they persist in disobeying the law, their license should be revoked.
- A careful accounting of all finances.
- All disbursements subject to public inspection and open for publication by the city press.
- Due consideration of all petitions for and against public improvements.
- A rigid practice of economy, except when such economy has a tendency to retard progress.
- I will further all progressive matters of general improvement for the city, but such must come within the scope of good business.
- I shall endeavor to use my best efforts for the keeping of the city in a sanitary condition at all times.

Whereas, after years of struggle, the women have been given the privilege of exercising their rights of citizenship, due consideration will be given them on all matters of public importance. Should I be elected, I assure the people that I will be mayor in fact as well as name. I will not be the tool of any clique, and will be influenced only by what I believe to be right and equitable. If the above platform meets with your approval and you believe I am capable of filling the office, I will appreciate your support.

C. E. GATES.

The man who has never been a failure in anything attempted and my references are given herewith to prove my assertion.

AMERICAN NATIONAL BANK
Noblesville, Ind., Sept. 20, 1911.

To whom it may concern:
It is a pleasure for me to say that I know Mr. Chas. E. Gates very favorably, having his residence in our city. He has demonstrated his ability to "do things" and that he is a man of sterling qualities, courteous, affable, honest and courageous. What more could I say of him? I heartily recommend him to the confidence of any business institution.
Sincerely,
W. E. LONGLEY, President.

THE FIRST NATIONAL BANK
Noblesville, Ind., Sept. 19, 1911.

To whom it may concern:
I take pleasure in recommending Mr. Charles E. Gates as a man thoroughly competent, honest and worthy of the confidence of any with whom he may associate himself. Having known Mr. Gates personally for a term of years, I am familiar with both his business and social qualifications and am free to say that he possesses the ability that will lend a helpful influence to any community or to any enterprise.
Respectfully,
D. HOUSEHOLDER, Cashier.

HAMILTON CIRCUIT COURT.
Noblesville, Ind., Sept. 18, 1911.

To whom it may concern:
Dear Sir: I am informed that our fellow townsman, Mr. Charles E. Gates, is leaving Noblesville for the west on a business trip. It gives me great pleasure to say of Mr. Gates that he is one of our most enterprising citizens, and a man of affairs. During several years past he has been at the head of one of our large institutions and has been very successful in his management. He is a man whose moral character is above reproach and whose ability as an executive or manager of manufacturing concerns is certainly of the very best. I do not know Mr. Gates' intentions and regret very much if he is to leave our city, but if he is to change his location I am glad to speak a word for him in this manner.
Respectfully,
MEADE VESTAL, Judge.



C. E. GATES

THE FIRST NATIONAL BANK
Noblesville, Ind., Sept. 19, 1911.

To whom it may concern:
The bearer, Mr. C. E. Gates, a highly respected citizen of our city, is thinking of looking for another location.
Any community securing his location and that of his esteemed family will gain what we lose.
Mr. Gates is a gentleman of affairs, energy and push. Just the kind of a man every community needs.
Respectfully yours,
F. E. BEALS, President.

THE LEDGER COMPANY.
Noblesville, Ind., Sept. 19, 1911.

To whom it may concern:
This is to certify that I have known Mr. C. E. Gates for many years. He has been my neighbor and friend, and as such I have found him genial, loyal and true. As a citizen he is upright, honorable and wide-awake. Whatever he undertakes to do he does with all his might. As a business man he has been progressive and successful. I cheerfully recommend him to any one who may meet him and has dealings with him.
Very Respectfully,
WILL H. CRAIG, Editor.

NOBLESVILLE GAS AND IMPROVEMENT COMPANY.
Noblesville, Ind., Sept. 21, 1911.

To the public:
I understand that Mr. Charles E. Gates of this city is seeking a location in the west for the benefit of the health of some members of his family. If he finds a location, inducements, etc., enough to justify him in the change I feel it will be a loss to Noblesville and a big gain to the community that locates him. He and all his family are in every way desirable to have as friends, citizens and neighbors. They will not be long in any location until they will be appreciated.

I will not undertake to name the many qualities of Mr. Gates. His acquaintance and personality will instantly impress itself on any who may read this. He wears and grows with time and you will find him entirely reliable and honorable if his future is as the past.

C. R. HEATH,
President Noblesville Gas & Improvement Co.
STATE BOARD OF HEALTH,
Noblesville, Ind., Oct. 4, 1911.

To whom it may concern:
I wish to state that I have personally known the bearer, Mr. C. E. Gates, for the past seven years, and know him to be a gentleman at all times, and an honorable one.

He is a man of unusual ability as a manager and organizer of men and institutions. He has extra ability as an organizer and manager of manufacturing institutions, being a man of detail. We know him as a "Doctor of crippled and embarrassed business."

He is a clean Christian gentleman, one of integrity and highest regard for a square deal. It does me good to add my word in his behalf. But we regret very much that he is contemplating leaving our city. Our loss will be a distinct gain for whoever wins him.

Respectfully,
F. A. TUCKER,
President Indiana State Board of Health.

THE UNION TRUST COMPANY,
Indianapolis, Ind., Sept. 22, 1911.

To whom it may concern:
I have been acquainted with Mr. Charles E. Gates for ten years, during a considerable part of which period he was employed by this company in a responsible position, most of the time as superintendent and manager of the McElwaine-Richards Company, manufacturers of bath tubs, lavatories, etc., of which concern The Union Trust Company was receiver. Mr. Gates showed remarkable ability in his management, being familiar with all sides of the business, selling as well as making. He introduced numerous economies and improvements and had a fine way of handling his men, so that it was largely due to him that this company made a success of the business before selling it. He is wide-awake, enterprising, careful and economical in his work and his judgment was always excellent. I know of no man I would rather put into a responsible place in manufacturing and he is not likely to promise more than he can perform. He is a fine all-around business man of good character and habits, and can be depended on.

Yours truly,
JOHN H. HOLLIDAY, President.

CITIZENS STATE BANK,
Noblesville, Ind., Sept. 20, 1911.

To whom it may concern:
Mr. Chas. E. Gates, the bearer of this letter, has been a resident of our city for several years. He is a man of excellent character and habits, honest and energetic. He is a man that "does" things when he starts after anything.

For a number of years he was the receiver's manager for the McElwaine-Richards company, manufacturers of enameling ware. He was most successful in its management and placed the plant on a paying basis.

For four years he was president of the Enameling Ware Manufacturing Association of the United States. Also for several years vice-president and chairman of organization committee of Iron Pipe Mfg's Association. He is a good organizer and usually succeeds in all his undertakings.

I can most cheerfully recommend him.
Respectfully,
W. E. DUNN, President.