

Coffee

Every minute that roasted coffee is exposed, it loses strength and takes in neighborly odors.

After Schilling's Best is roasted, we hurry—hurry to get it vacuum-packed in airtight tins. The moment these tins are sealed, no flavor can creep-out, no odors can seep-in.

When you break the seal in your kitchen, you are greeted by the prime fragrance of fine coffee.

The economy is in the number of cups to a pound.

Schilling's Best

AUTOS WON'T BE CHEAPER

DETROIT GAMBLERS ON BIG CARS.

Slight Increase Anticipated by Car Moguls.

Detroit, Mich., Feb. 7.—More than 1,000,000 American citizens will buy automobiles in 1916, according to the estimates of Detroit manufacturers who have made preparations to supply at least 550,000 of the total number.

Detroit auto makers are gambling on 1916; gambling with the millions of dollars in real money they have put into new buildings and machinery and the employment of thousands of additional men to handle the increased business.

More than 75,000 men now are employed in the automobile industry here. This number is steadily increasing. The average number of auto employees throughout 1915 was about 60,000.

Auto prices will not be lowered much during this year, local manufacturers declare. In fact, some of them predict a slight increase. The average price of all pleasure automobiles sold in the United States during

1915 was \$672. Eight years ago, the average price was \$2,123.

Statistics compiled by manufacturers show that the proportion of automobiles to the population of the United States is 1 to 48. For every mile of road in the country, there is one motor vehicle, according to these statistics.

TROUBLES AT MILTON.

Municipal Power and Light Plant Out of Commission.

Pendleton, Feb. 5.—With the municipal power plant out of commission, Milton is without electric light or power as a result of the storm, according to a phone message received this morning from that city. On Wednesday afternoon the tail race of the plant became clogged with ice and the backwater flooded the plant.

The snow was 34 inches deep at Milton this morning at 9 o'clock and it was snowing hard at that hour. No rain or chinook wind has been experienced there, despite the reports to the contrary. Several roofs have fallen under the weight of the snow. On Wednesday night the roof of the Christian tabernacle collapsed just two hours before a big party was to have been held in the building. Yesterday the barn of William Nichols caved in and one of his cows was injured.

No livestock losses have occurred in the east end of the county but the present supply of feed will last only about two weeks longer. Hay is selling at high prices.

The flume of the P. P. & L. company's plant has not yet been repaired but the auxiliary plant is proving adequate for the present demands.

Council Will Buy Land.

The City Council met in regular session, Tuesday night, February 1st. A few new matters came up for consideration.

The marshal was instructed to vigorously enforce the ordinance against profane language in public places.

A delegation of the Union Woman's club waited on the Council with the request that the lower room of the Library building be fixed up for the use of the Club. The matter was referred and action will probably be taken at the next meeting.

The road viewers of the Weaver lane reported in favor of paying the land owners \$300 per acre for the land required to widen the street.

Nothing further of importance coming up the Council adjourned until the next regular session.

Cancer Causes Death of Pioneer.

Baker, Feb. 5.—After an affliction of many years with cancer, starting on his lower lip and toward the last attacking the glands of the throat, Charles Baldock died last evening at the family home on east side.

Charles Baldock was born in the State of New York on March 15th, 1854, and came with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Baldock, both deceased, to Oregon across the plains in the memorable year of 1862, and on reaching Powder River valley located on the land which has ever since been known as the Baldock farm, four miles northeast of Baker, the place being the first settled upon in Powder River valley. After reaching his majority the deceased married and settled upon an adjoining place and remained there until a few years ago, when he removed with his family to

take up his residence in this city.

Deceased is survived by a wife and seven children, five girls and two sons—Mrs. Clarence Sherman, Mrs. Herbert Reilly, Mrs. Clark Allen, Edna and Laura Baldock and Earl and Joseph Baldock.

Don't Scold Fretful Children.

That nervousness, fretting and restlessness is no doubt caused by worms or constipation. Instead of whipping or scolding, give your child a treatment of Kickapoo Worm Killer. Nice candy confections that kill the worms and are laxative enough to move the bowels and expel not only the worms but accumulated poisons. These poisons and worms bring on fever, make children nervous and irritable, reduce their vitality and make them victims of sickness. Get a box of Kickapoo Worm Killer today at your druggist, only 25c.

Today's Oddest Story.

San Diego, Cal., Feb. 5.—"The Corner of Sighs," they call it here; a little spot on the street near the big gray jail where tragedy daily stalks in silence. It is a spot secluded, from whence relatives, friends and sweethearts of prisoners may signal those with the jail and still be guarded from the eyes of the sheriff and his force.

Something Good.

Those who hate nasty medicine should try Chamberlain's Tablets for constipation. They are pleasant to take and their effect is so agreeable and so natural that you will not realize that it has been produced by a medicine. Obtainable everywhere.

Honeymoon for \$500,000 Heiress.

New York, Feb. 7.—Dame Fortune today brought an armful of precious gifts to blushing little Mrs. Fred Wolfert at her home here. The packages, as they were unwrapped, are listed about like this.

No. 1.—One husband, slightly used but highly prized because wedded in secret and contrary to family wishes.

No. 2.—One legacy, very welcome, consisting of \$500,000 to be done with as the recipient sees fit.

No. 3.—One birthday, marked No. 21; priceless treasure because it brought with it the \$500,000 and personal freedom.

No. 4.—One honeymoon, delayed by the censor since No. 9, but in perfect condition and ready for immediate use, to which it will be put.

From Nov. 9 to Jan. 26 Miss Priscilla K von B. Ebling, daughter of Amanda Ebling of Weehawken and heiress to \$500,000 was the secret bride of Fred W. Wolfert, once a German army lieutenant, later her grandfather's chauffeur and now manager of a tire firm in New York.

Wolfert won Miss Ebling despite the opposition of guardians and relatives. Today, Mrs. Wolfert being 21, she will take her freedom, her husband, her trunks and some of her money and they will go for their belated honeymoon at Grove Hall, Asheville, N. C.

"Lieut. Wolfert," said his bride today, "came to this country five years ago. He is athletic and energetic; both in love and business. He did drive my grandfather's car for a time but more as a friend of the family than anything else.

"My mother never objected to my husband, but other relatives did because they said he didn't have enough money and because they thought I was too young. I told my mother when we were married at Gloucester, Mass., last November but I never told anyone else."

The Best Recommendation.

The strongest recommendation any article may receive is a favorable word from the user. It is the recommendations of those who have used it that makes Chamberlain's Cough Remedy so popular. Mrs. Amanda Gierhart, Waynesfield, Ohio, writes, "Chamberlain's Cough Remedy has been used in my family off and on for twenty years and it has never failed to cure a cough or cold." Obtainable everywhere.

RAIDERS DISGUISED.

British Captain Keeps at Least Two Miles from All Craft

New York, Feb. 5.—Captain Finch of the British steamer Baltic has arrived and said the admiralty warned him to guard against disguised raiders and not permit a steamer to approach within two miles until it was identified. The Baltic zigzagged through the Irish sea. Finch commanded the Arabic when she was sunk.

For Children's Cough.

You cannot use anything better for your child's cough and cold than Dr. King's New Discovery. It is prepared from Pine Tar mixed with healing and soothing balsams. It does not contain anything harmful and is slightly laxative, just enough to expel the poisons from the system—kills the cold germs—cures the phlegm—loosens the coughs and soothes the irritation. Don't put off treatment. Coughs and colds often lead to serious lung troubles. It is also good for adults and the aged. Get a bottle today. All druggists.

Severe Cold Quickly Cured.

"On December first I had a very severe cold or attack of the grip as it may be, and was nearly down sick in bed," writes O. J. Metcalf, Weatherby, Mo. "I bought two bottles of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy and it was only a few days until I was completely restored to health. I firmly believe that Chamberlain's Cough Remedy is one of the very best medicines and will know what to do when I have another cold." Obtainable everywhere.

WHITE HOUSE LADIES.

They Wield Considerable Power, as a Rule, "Under the Rose."

Only those who have given the subject close consideration and have been familiar with it personally can have even a remote idea of the power of the women connected with the presidential administration, meaning the wives of the president, the vice president and the cabinet officers. This power of the women first began to be marked in President Andrew Jackson's time, and it has continued almost unabated up to the present hour. It is an unseen power. It is not proclaimed from the housetops.

It takes some time for the wives of the cabinet officers to reach a fair footing with the wives of the president and vice president and among themselves. They come from different sections of the country and must accustom themselves to a vastly different environment, the official life of Washington. In a thousand little ways and in as many big ways they can make or mar, help or hurt, hasten or retard the policy of a presidential administration. They raised old hob in Jackson's time by attempting to boycott the wife of a cabinet officer, Mrs. Eaton, but Old Hickory, though not a ladies' man himself, stood valiantly and gallantly beside Mr. and Mrs. Eaton and declared that the wives of his other cabinet officers shouldn't rule his administration—"No, not by the eternal!" Jackson's favorite phrase in negating a proposition.—Exchange.

KEEPING CUT FLOWERS.

Methods by Which the Fading Process May Be Delayed.

Roses, carnations and orchids have been found to keep three times as long if a small quantity of sugar be added to the water, writes Mabel H. Wharton of Oakland, Cal., to Popular Mechanics. A small lump of starch has also been found beneficial. Other flowers begin to bleed as soon as they are cut, and the precious sap running out of the stem causes the cells to collapse immediately. To prevent this the end of the stem must be quickly closed, and this is best done by searing in a flame or by placing directly in hot water.

The florists of California go so far as to boil the stems of the brilliant poinsettias or Christmas flowers, for which they are so famous. The stem is first stuck through a large sheet of paper to prevent the steam from rising directly into the flower and injuring it.

Carnations and chrysanthemums will keep almost twice as long if placed in fresh water daily, and a small piece is clipped from the ends of the stems each time. While cutting this piece off keep the stem under water so that no air bubbles are allowed to enter the stalk and thus retard the upward flow of water.

If large headed flowers, such as chrysanthemums or peonies, are to be sent some distance insure their arriving in good condition by wrapping each blossom separately in waxed paper.

Where He Made His Money.

Years ago a gentleman settled in the south of England and became very popular in the neighborhood. The county families could never discover how he had made his money, but were satisfied by his solemn assurance that it was not in trade. Nothing could exceed the ordinary gravity of his demeanor, which indeed caused him to be placed on the commission of peace, but now and then, without any apparent provocation, he would burst into such a laugh as no one ever heard before except in one place. Where they could have heard it puzzled the county families for five and twenty years, but at last he was betrayed unconsciously by his own grandchild, who, after a visit to a traveling circus, innocently exclaimed, "Why, grandpa laughs just like the clown?"—James Payn.

Greek Fire.

"Greek fire" is a mixture of naphtha, niter and sulphur, highly inflammable and very destructive. In the Greco-Turk wars it was tied to an arrow or discharged through a tube.

The Rhinoceros.

A rhinoceros rolls in the mud because little insects get between the folds of its skin and worry it. If it gets its body covered with mud they are unable to reach the skin.

Monthly Settlements.

"Am I as dear to you as I was during our courtship, darling?" queried the bride of six short months.

"Much dearer," briefly answered the worried freight payer of the combine as he proceeded to audit the latest crop of monthly bills.—Indianapolis Star.

For a Bilious Attack.

When you have a severe headache, accompanied by a coated tongue, loathing of food, constipation, torpid liver, vomiting of partly digested food and then bile, you may know that you have a severe bilious attack. While you may be quite sick there is much consolation in knowing that relief may be had by taking three of Chamberlain's Tablets. They are prompt and effectual. Obtainable everywhere.

Liven Up Your Torpid Liver.

To keep your liver active use Dr. King's New Life Pills—They insure good digestion, relieve constipation, and tone up the whole system—keep your eye clear and your skin fresh and healthy looking. Only 25c at your druggist.

FASHION SHOW OPEN

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laces and the suggest of bodices in materials of different textures and colors.

In spring dresses the light delicate shades prevailed. Over-dress effects, full length sleeves and both high and low collars were worn. Cream dress fabrics were among the favorites and novelty weaves were scarce. Black and white fabrics in checks, stripes and plaids were in high favor, too. Spangled and beaded trimmings of high quality were pronounced. Many of the finer dresses bore iridescent trimmings and nets.

There's no relief for poor Hubby, for spring waists were featured by buttons in the back, though a few button-in-front styles were shown.

Milady's early spring millinery seemed largely a combination of straw with satin, Georgette crepe, or hatter's plush. Shapes were small and medium. Flowers, fancy feathers, ribbon and malines were the trimming effects.

Even cloakes like Grandma's were full to take in and hang gracefully over the hooped skirt. These in beautiful shot taffetas or soft brocades trimmed with fur proved popular.

In men's clothes exhibited, light stripes in dark suits were more than ever in vogue. The cut of the coat and trousers has undergone but little change over fall suits.

Men's hats for early spring will be soft felt made up in light greys, silvers, olive greens, and mossels. Shoes will be both tan and black, with tan predominating.

Chicago merchants predict an unusually heavy sale of Palm Beach clothes and other outing togs this spring, and have put in stocks with the expectations of selling more of this kind of clothes than ever before.

Sciatica's Piercing Pain.

To kill the nerve pains of Sciatica you can always depend on Sloan's Liniment. It penetrates to the seat of pain and brings ease as soon as it is applied. A great comfort too with Sloan's is that no rubbing is required. Sloan's Liniment is invaluable for stopping muscular or nerve pain of any kind. Try it at once if you suffer with Rheumatism, Lumbago, Sore Throat, Pain in Chest, Sprains, Bruises, etc. It is excellent for Neuralgia and Headache. 25c at all druggists.

Notice of Re-Assessment.

Notice is hereby given to all concerned that the preliminary re-assessment for the improvement of North Second street from the north property line of W avenue to the center of Lake avenue made by the Recorder of the City of La Grande, Oregon, under and in accordance with the Resolution of the Commission of the City of La Grande, Oregon, passed and adopted on the 26th day of January, A. D., 1916, which resolution directed the Recorder of said City to make and file with the Commission of said City a preliminary re-assessment upon the property specially benefited by the improvement heretofore made, of said North Second street from the north property line of W avenue (formerly Harding street) to the center line of Lake avenue (formerly Lake street) in Re-assessment District Number Twenty Seven, has been made by the said Recorder, and the same is now on file in his office and that on the 1st day of March, A. D., 1916, at the Commission Room in the City Building at La Grande, Oregon, at 7:30 o'clock p. m., the Commission of said City will hear and consider objections to such re-assessment by parties aggrieved thereby. Objec-

tions to such re-assessment must be filed in writing with the Recorder of said City before the time for such hearing.

The boundaries of the district so reassessed are as follows, to-wit: Commencing at a point on the center line of Lake avenue (formerly Lake street) in Rynearson's Addition to La Grande, Union County, Oregon according to the plat of said Addition now of record in the office of the Recorder of Conveyances of Union County, Oregon, where a line running north and south through the center of Block Nine of the said Rynearson's Addition intersects the center line of said Lake avenue, and running thence south along the line running through the center of Block Nine of the said Rynearson's Addition and a line running through the center of the alleys running north and south through Blocks 17, 18, 19, 20, 21, 22 and 23 of Riverside Addition to La Grande, according to the plat of said Addition, now of record in the office of the Recorder of Conveyances of Union County, Oregon, to the center of Harrison avenue in said Addition and thence southeasterly along the center line of said Harrison avenue to the intersection of said line with the center line of W avenue (formerly Harding street) in said Riverside Addition; thence East along the center line of said W avenue to a point thereon where said line intersects the line running north and south through the center of the alleys running north and south through blocks 11, 8, 7, 4, 3, 16 and 15 of said Riverside Addition, and running thence north from the center line of said W avenue on a line running through the center of the alleys in said Blocks 11, 8, 7, 4, 3, 16 and 15 of said Riverside Addition and a line running north and south through the center of Block Four of the said Rynearson's Addition, to the center line of Lake avenue, and thence west along the center line of said avenue to place of beginning.

Dated this February 7th, A. D., 1916.

LEE WARNICK, Recorder of the City of La Grande, Oregon.

—Adv. D.—Feb. 7-14-21-28.

NOTICE OF DELINQUENT TAXES

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W M Coggan's 2d Add to La Grande lots R S T & U Honan's Add lots 1 and 2 blk 12 ... \$155.28 Zeek, E. O., Com at NE cor of SW 1-4 Sec 12 Tp 4 S R 39 then W 160 rds S 100 rds E 160 rds N 100 rds to beg (less 1 3-4 A to C R R of O ... \$71.17 Zeek, Emma D., Com at a pt 60 ft S of SW cor of blk 22 Union then E 110 ft S 2.00 ft W 110 ft N 200 ft to beg ... \$25.23 Zimmerman, D., Thronson Fruit Colony lot 20 ... \$11.60

Terrible Croup Attack Quickly Repulsed By Old Reliable Remedy

Well known Georgia store keeper has mastered croup and colds for his family of ten with Foley's Honey and Tar Compound.

The minute that hoarse, terrifying croupy cough is heard in the home of T. J. Barber, of Jefferson, Ga., out comes Foley's Honey and Tar Compound—there's always a bottle ready. Here's what he says: "Two of my children, one boy and a girl, aged eight and six years respectively, had terrible attacks of croup last winter and I completely cured them with Foley's Honey and Tar Compound. I have ten in family and for years I've used Foley's Honey and Tar Compound and it never fails."

Hush! Worry and save doctor bills—keep Foley's Honey and Tar Compound always on hand in your home. One bottle lasts a long time—it's reliable and safe—and the last dose is as good as the first. Get the genuine. SOLD EVERYWHERE.

NEW MID - WINTER

Style Dresses

Easily Made at Home With

February McCall Patterns NOW ON SALE

A whole season's smartest styles are accurately forecast in the beautifully illustrated.

McCall Book of Fashions (Winter Quarterly)

NOW ON SALE

Get your copy today and see the interesting changes which are appearing in the world of fashions.

GOLDEN RULE CO. La Grande, Oregon.



Fresh Shipment of Jones' Little Dairy Farm Sausages.

Nothing Nicer for Breakfast

Plenty of Fresh and Packed Eggs, all Seasonable Fruits and Vegetables.

CITY GROCERY & BAKERY The Home of Fancy Groceries