

A Sad Story.
Fowling is now very little practiced in the Shetland islands, although many eggs are secured annually. Many thrilling stories of fowling adventures are told by the Shetlanders. A man who had undertaken to climb a certain steep cliff was neither very experienced nor very brave, although he boasted of being both. He pushed upward, however, briskly without looking behind until he had got up about 150 feet, when he stopped to breathe. The pause was fatal to his self-possessed, and he fell out in tones of terror. "Men, men, I am going—I am going." But he still held on for a little, and it was not till he had shrieked many times "I am going" that he did fall headlong.

His comrades, having thus been warned, moved the boat out of the way so that the poor fellow came sheer down into the deep water. Mighty was the plunge, but at length he rose to the surface, when of course he was instantly caught hold of and dragged into the boat. After many gasps and much spluttering of sea water from his mouth his only remark was: "Eh, men, this is a sad story. I have lost my snuffbox."—Sketches and Tales of Shetland.

Beware of Ointments for Catarrh that Contain Mercury
Mercury will surely destroy the sense of smell and completely derange the whole system when entering it through the mucous surfaces. Such articles should never be used except on prescriptions from reputable physicians, as the damage they will do is tenfold to the good you can possibly derive from them. Hall's Catarrh Cure, manufactured by F. J. Cheney & Co., Toledo, O., contains no mercury, and is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. In buying Hall's Catarrh Cure be sure you get the genuine. It is taken internally, and made in Toledo, Ohio, by F. J. Cheney & Co., Testimonials Free.
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Possibly True.
Mamma (to a friend who is lurching with her)—I don't know why it is, but I always eat more when we have company than when we're alone.
Tommy (helping himself to the third piece of cake)—I know why it is; 'cause we have better things to eat—Brooklyn Life.

The crowned heads of every nation, the rich men, poor men and misers all join in paying tribute to DeWitt's Little Early Riser.
H. Williams, San Antonio, Tex., writes: Little Early Riser Pills are the best I ever used in my family. I unhesitatingly recommend them to everybody. They cure Constipation, Biliousness, Sick Headache, Torpid Liver, Jaundice, Malaria and all other liver troubles. Chas. Straub.

Parasitic Flowers.
Curious excrescences resembling rude flowers that grow on trees in Tierra del Fuego are described by a correspondent of La Nature, Paris. These are found to be due to a parasitic growth, but the "flowers" consist of the inner wood of the tree which has been forced through the bark and assumes various fanciful shapes, often those of the classical acanthus, seen on Corinthian capitals. The parasite that causes the growth is a relative of the mistletoe.

Unconscious From Group.
During a sudden and terrible attack of group one little girl was unconscious from strangulation, says A. L. Spafford, postmaster, Chester, Mich., and a dose of One Minute Cough Cure was administered and repeated often. It reduced the swelling and inflammation, cut the mucus and shortly the child was resting easy and speedily recovered. It cures Coughs, Colds, LaGrippe, and all Throat and Lung troubles. One Minute Cough Cure lingers in the throat, chest and enables the lungs to contribute pure, health giving oxygen to the blood. Chas. Straub.

Street Car Speed.
"Ever notice," asked the street car philosopher, "how the speed of street cars is regulated by our frame of mind?"
"In what way?"
"Notice how slow a street car is when you are in a hurry to catch a train and how fast it goes when you run to catch it."—Baltimore Herald.

A Scientific Discovery.
Kodol does for the stomach that which it is unable to do for itself, even when it is slightly disordered or over-loaded. Kodol supplies the natural juices of digestion and does the work of the stomach, relaxing the nervous tension, while the inflamed muscles of that organ are allowed to rest and heal. Kodol digests what you eat and enables the stomach and digestive organs to transform all food into rich, red blood. Chas. Straub.

Ignoring Precedent.
Edmonia—Mrs. Topnooch is what I call impertinent.
Eudocia—In what way?
Edmonia—Why, she is not a Colonial Dame, but when she came to the colonial reception she laid on a more elegant frock than any one of the Dames.—Detroit Free Press.

One Hundred Dollars a Box
is the value H. A. Tisdale, Summerton, S. C., places on DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve. He says: "I had the piles for 20 years. I tried many doctors and medicines, but all failed except DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve. It cured me." It is a combination of the healing properties of Witch Hazel with antiseptics and emollients; relieves and permanently cures blind, bleeding, itching and protruding piles, sore, cuts, bruises, eczema, salt rheum and all skin diseases. Chas. Straub.

Very Fine Handwork.
Dr. Heylin, in his "Life of King Charles," records that during the reign of Queen Elizabeth "there was one who wrote the Ten Commandments, the Creed, the Pater Noster, the queen's name and the prayer of our Lord within the compass of a penny and gave her majesty a pair of spectacles of such an artificial making that by the help thereof she did plainly and distinctly discern every letter."
A somewhat similar feat was that "rare piece of work brought to pass by Peter Bales, an Englishman, who also exhibited before her majesty the entire Bible written in a book containing as many leaves as a full sized edition, but fitting into a walnut."

BOWSER IN THRALDOM

Last Day of His Mother-in-law's Visit Is Memorable For Her Tyranny, She Vexes a Hog Deal, Bars Guests, Drives Away Horse Dealer and Calms Benjamin Burton Down

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I REACHED home this morning after a visit of three weeks to my son-in-law, Mr. Bowser. In previous articles I have related several little incidents of the first two weeks. As to the third week, I will take the days in rotation.
Monday.—When Mr. Bowser came home from the office this evening, he was scuffing his feet and had his shoulders humped up. He kicked the gate open, and between the gate and the steps he picked up an old teaspoon which some boy must have tossed into the yard. He ascended the steps with that spoon waving in the air, and mistaking me for Amanda, he cried out:
"More waste and extravagance! Another milestone on the road to the poorhouse! Woman, will there ever be an end to this?"
"There will be, Benjamin Burton Bowser," said I. "There will be an end right here and now. If you have come home tonight with a scrap under your hat, I'll see that you are not disappointed."
"But here is a spoon which has carelessly been thrown out, as have thousands and thousands of others," he protested.
"Then we'll throw it in again, and you may eat with it."
Mr. Bowser was grumpy all the evening, but that made no difference to me. By bedtime he seemed to have recovered to make the best of things, and he went to bed without slamming doors or kicking over chairs.
Tuesday.—Before leaving for the office in the morning Mr. Bowser talked



HE WAS IN A ROW WITH THREE HACKMEN.

about buying a hog, but I sat down on him at once. He came home to dinner without finding any spoons, but he was just in time to meet the iceman, who had a bill of a dollar or so to collect.
"By the great horn spoon," yelled Mr. Bowser, "but what does this mean? Must I submit to these bold robberies every day in the year?"
"Benjamin," said I as I laid my hand on his arm, "you've had a lump of ice a day for the last month, and there's the bill for it. The ice hasn't been burned in the range nor given away to tramps. It has been used to preserve your meats and vegetables and furnish ice water, and you'll pay for it and hang on to your breath!"
He looked around for a crowbar with which to strike me dead, but not finding any he paid the bill and sat down, with a sigh. Later in the evening he observed that if ever he were left a widower he wouldn't marry the best woman on earth, and I replied:
"Benjamin, don't fret your gizzard. Amanda will outlive you by ten years, and your mother-in-law will probably be holding your hand when you pass away."

Wednesday.—At 6 o'clock in the morning I thought I heard somebody knock downstairs, and a little later I looked out of a back window and saw Mr. Bowser making for the alley. When I had dressed and got down, a man who had a horse to sell was showing the animal off and boasting that he belonged to the Seek No Further breed. Mr. Bowser was hesitating about closing a sale for \$150 when I opened the alley gate and said:
"Benjamin, ain't you a little afraid that this early morning air will have a bad effect on your asthma?"
"I—I was looking at a horse," he stammered in reply.
"So I observe. I can see from here that he has two spavins and a ring-bone, and if he isn't blind he ought at least to wear spectacles. I heard him spoken of as a Seek No Further. That's correct, Benjamin. He won't have to seek no further for a woman who knows a horse from a giraffe. I don't think this is your horsy day."
He looked at me for a minute as if he meant to have my life, and the man with the horse said he killed his mother-in-law seventeen years ago, but it ended in Benjamin going down into his boots. It's a wise man who knows his mother-in-law.

Thursday.—When Mr. Bowser came home this evening, he was in good nature, and after dinner he suggested a trolley ride by moonlight. Amanda was ready to put on her hat at once, but I took him out into the back yard and said:
"Benjamin, you took a moonlight trolley ride not long ago. You first got mad because Amanda complained of a headache. Then you roared at a passenger who happened to step on your toes. Then you yelled at the conductor because the current happened to be shut off for a minute, and before you had got a mile you called a fat man a hog and got into a fight."
"I don't allow anybody to walk on me," says Mr. Bowser in reply.
"But are you going out with a chip on your shoulder? If you are you can go alone. Neither myself nor Amanda wants to carry a chip or get into a row. If you can sit still and look at the moon and be civil to the other passengers, we will go, but otherwise not."
We went. It was hard for him to behave, but by pointing my finger at him now and then I kept him in subjection, and no one was murdered.
Friday.—Mr. Bowser sat down to breakfast. He growled out that the chop wasn't fit for a dog to eat and was going to say that Mrs. Bowser probably ordered the cook to drive tacks into it to spite him when I remarked:
"That will do for this time, Benjamin. I knew when you were glad enough to get codfish for breakfast, and I don't want to hear a word against mutton chops."

Saturday.—As I was to start for home today Mr. Bowser made it a holiday day and a day of rejoicing. At breakfast I had to warn him that if he wanted better coffee he might go to a hotel, and at 10 o'clock I interfered to prevent him from buying an oyster farm and raising his own oysters, but we got him through the rest of the day without trouble. He took me to the depot in a cab and said he was sorry I couldn't stay longer, and I kissed him and offered to put in two weeks more, and then he hurried out. I knew what would happen. His pent up feelings had to find escape, and they were escaping as my train moved away—that is, he was in a row with three hackmen, and enjoying himself as he hadn't before for three long weeks.
SARAH-JANE CAICER,
Mother-in-law to Mr. Bowser.
M. QUAD.

THE ARIZONA KICKER.

Some Lively Items of News From a Busy Editor's Den.
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There will be no fall boom in Cleveland, Ohio, this year, but six more saloons will be quickly run up and dashed off to accommodate the increasing business.

Old Jim Hewson, who has just returned from New Mexico, witnessed three lynchings while he was gone, and he says they were all bungles compared to our artistic ways.

Our last issue contained a selection of seventeen murders compiled from various sources, and yet Colonel Morton has ordered us to stop his copy on the ground that the Kicker has become too Sunday schoolish. The colonel is a nice man, and we'd like to keep him on our list, but he must expect too much of a good thing. We've got to run in a few balloons and railroad accidents for the benefit of other readers.

If the party who threw a rock through our bedroom window in the postoffice the other night will call and repeat the performance, we will requite him as he deserves. It happened that we were a few seconds slow in getting out of bed that night.

Old Joe Wheeler claims to have seen a silver tipped bear near Sailor Creek last Sunday. If he is telling the truth, then he struck something at last he couldn't ask to buy him a drink of whiskey or lend him a quarter.

The vigilance committee over at Lone Jack seems to need an instructor. It has hung one man three different times, and yet he is walking around today in good health and declaring that he has come to town to stay.
M. QUAD.

Modern Conversations.

(At a funeral, whispered.)
"He looks so natural!"
"Doesn't he! I'm surprised. He suffered so, you know."
"Yes; so I heard. How well she bears up!"
"Wonderfully. It's really remarkable; but, then, she always had such will power."
"Yes, indeed. I remember—"
"Will she wear a veil?"
"I don't know. He didn't approve of the idea. He always told her not to."
"Still, I think she ought to."
"So do I. It's such a comfort to a woman."
"Isn't it? He was well off, wasn't he?"
"Oh, yes; but I'm told that it's all entailed."
"How do you mean?"
"Well, she gets only the income, and if she marries again it goes to a niece."
"Too bad. But, then, she never would marry again."
"Don't be so sure of that. I wouldn't be a bit surprised."
"I know it. One never can tell. I'm so glad I saw him."
"So am I. It's a comfort to know how he really looked."
"I suppose we ought to say something to her?"
"Oh, yes; of course. She'll expect it, you know. When the minister goes, we will."
"Yes; that would be the best time."
New York Herald.

None Passed Him.

Connolly knew all about prizefighting and had been in the ring himself—only once. In the second round he was pounded over the ropes, and at the finish he felt pretty groggy.
"Brace up, Connolly, brace up," whispered his second in his ear. "Brace up, old man, an' stop some of dem blows."
"Stoph 'em?" says Connolly, with a wistful look. "Be gorra, did yez see anny av thim gittin' by?"—New York Times.

STOPS PAIN
Athens, Tenn., Jan. 27, 1901.
Ever since the first appearance of my meninges they were very irregular and I suffered with great pain in my hips, back, stomach and legs, with terrible bearing down pains in the abdomen. During the past month I have been taking Wine of Cardui and Theobald's Black-Draught, and I passed the month in peace without pain for the first time in years.
NANNIE DAVIS.

What is life worth to a woman suffering like Nannie Davis suffered? Yet there are women in thousands of homes to-day who are bearing those terrible menstrual pains in silence. If you are one of these we want to say that this same

WINE OF CARDUI

will bring you permanent relief. Console yourself with the knowledge that 1,000,000 women have been completely cured by Wine of Cardui. These women suffered from leucorrhoea, irregular menses, headache, backache, and bearing down pains. Wine of Cardui will stop all these aches and pains for you. Purchase a \$1.00 bottle of Wine of Cardui to-day and take it in the privacy of your home.

For advice and literature, address, giving symptoms, "The Ladies' Advisory Department," The Chattanooga Medicine Co., Chattanooga, Tenn.

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Land office at Roseburg, Oregon, December 15, 1902. Notice is hereby given that the following named settler has filed notice of his intention to make final proof in support of his claim, and that said proof will be made before A. S. Hilton, U. S. Commissioner, at Medford, Oregon, on Saturday, February 6, 1903, viz:
DAVID ZANON.
On R. E. No. 858, for the S 1/2 of S 1/2, Section 10, Township 36 South, Range 2 East.
He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon and cultivation of said land, viz:
Robert A. Neill, of Brownboro, Oregon, and Rudolph Biberstett, of W. O. Hessel and Martin Zanon, of Lake Creek, Oregon.
J. T. BRIDGES, Register.

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HORACE G. NICHOLSON.
On homestead entry No. 1078, for the W 1/2 SW 1/4, NE 1/4, SW 1/4, NE 1/4, Section 12, Township 36 South, Range 2 East.
He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon and cultivation of said land, viz:
Carl Swanby, Louis Bundy and J. Harry Carlton, of Big Butte, Oregon, and William A. York, of Medford, Oregon.
J. T. BRIDGES, Register.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.
UNITED STATES LAND OFFICE,
Roseburg, Ore., Sept. 23, 1902.
Notice is hereby given that in compliance with the provisions of the act of Congress of June 3, 1878, entitled "An act for the sale of timber lands in the States of California, Oregon, Nevada, and Washington Territory," as extended to all the Public Land States by act of August 4, 1892,
JOSEPH T. COLE,
of Spokane, county of Spokane, State of Washington, has this day filed in this office his sworn statement No. 351, for the purchase of the SW 1/4 of NW 1/4, and lots No. 1, 2 and 4, of section No. 21, in Township 36 South, Range 2 East, and will offer proof to show that the land sought is more valuable for its timber or stone than for agricultural purposes, and to establish his claim to said land before A. S. Hilton, U. S. Commissioner, at Medford, Oregon, on Wednesday, the 4th day of March, 1903. He names as witnesses: Carl G. Carlson, Wallace B. Casey and Charles J. Johnson, of Spokane, Washington, and W. W. Willis, of Persim, Oregon.
Any and all persons claiming adversely the above-described lands are requested to file their claims in this office on or before said 4th day of March, 1903.
J. T. BRIDGES, Register.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.
UNITED STATES LAND OFFICE,
Roseburg, Ore., Nov. 27, 1902.
Notice is hereby given that in compliance with the provisions of the act of Congress of June 3, 1878, entitled "An act for the sale of timber lands in the States of California, Oregon, Nevada, and Washington Territory," as extended to all the public land states by act of August 4, 1892,
LOUISA LYONS,
of Trail, county of Jackson, State of Oregon, has this day filed in this office her sworn statement No. 352, for the purchase of the SW 1/4 of Section No. 30, in Township No. 32 S., Range No. 1 East, and will offer proof to show that the land sought is more valuable for its timber or stone than for agricultural purposes, and to establish her claim to said land before A. S. Hilton, U. S. Commissioner, at Medford, Oregon, on Wednesday, the 4th day of February, 1903. She names as witnesses: Samuel Geary, Jefferson Hewett, Thomas Lyons and Harry Campbell, all of Trail, Oregon.
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JOHN L. JOHNSON,
of Big Butte, county of Jackson, State of Oregon, has this day filed in this office his sworn statement No. 353, for the purchase of the W 1/2 of SW 1/4, W 1/2 of SW 1/4, of Section No. 22, in Township No. 32 S., Range No. 2 East, and will offer proof to show that the land sought is more valuable for its timber or stone than for agricultural purposes, and to establish his claim to said land before A. S. Hilton, U. S. Commissioner, at Medford, Oregon, on Saturday, the 24th day of January, 1903. He names as witnesses: D. R. Warner, of Holand, Oregon, O. O. Lund, of Grants Pass, Oregon, John Olanovich, of Big Butte, Oregon, and Dick Bosio, of Central Point, Oregon.
Any and all persons claiming adversely the above-described lands are requested to file their claims in this office on or before said 24th day of January, 1903.
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ANNIE TULLY,
of Spokane, county of Spokane, State of Washington, has this day filed in this office her sworn statement No. 479, for the purchase of the E 1/2 of SW 1/4, S 1/2 of NW 1/4, SW 1/4 of NE 1/4, of Section No. 11, in Township 36 S., Range No. 2 East, and will offer proof to show that the land sought is more valuable for its timber or stone than for agricultural purposes, and to establish her claim to said land before A. S. Hilton, U. S. Commissioner, at Medford, Oregon, on Monday, the 9th day of March, 1903. She names as witnesses: John Walker, of Oregon, and Joseph Carole, of Grants Pass, Oregon, and Riley Hammerley, of Gold Hill, Oregon.
Any and all persons claiming adversely the above-described lands are requested to file their claims in this office on or before said 9th day of March, 1903.
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HOWARD M. COBB,
of Medford, county of Jackson, State of Oregon, has this day filed in this office his sworn statement No. 356, for the purchase of the E 1/2 of SW 1/4, S 1/2 of SW 1/4, of Section No. 22, in Township No. 36 S., Range No. 1 West, and will offer proof to show that the land sought is more valuable for its timber or stone than for agricultural purposes, and to establish his claim to said land before A. S. Hilton, U. S. Commissioner, at Medford, Oregon, on Saturday, the 14th day of February, 1903. He names as witnesses: W. W. Gray, of Medford, Oregon, Harvey Richardson, of Trail, Oregon, and E. Norman and E. N. Warren, all of Oregon.
Any and all persons claiming adversely the above-described lands are requested to file their claims in this office on or before said 14th day of February, 1903.
J. T. BRIDGES, Register.

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SOCIETIES OF MEDFORD.

- L. O. F.—Lodge No. 100, meets every Saturday at 8 o'clock. Visiting brothers always welcome. W. A. GAYLOR, N. G., A. D. NAYLOR, Rec. Sec.
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 - Woodmen of the World—Camp No. 10, meets every Thursday evening in K. of W. hall, Medford, Oregon. J. W. WILEY, O. G.
 - Chrysalthemum Circle, No. 84, Women of Woodcraft, meets second and fourth Tuesday of each month at 7:30 p. m. in K. of W. hall. Visiting sisters invited. G. N. R. MRYNSKI, G. N. KATHRINE WAIT, Clerk.
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 - G. A. R.—Chester A. Arthur Post No. 17 meets in Woodman's hall every second and fourth Monday night in each month at 7:30. Visiting comrades cordially invited. FRANK KASCHER, Com.
 - D. K. ANDRUS, Adjutant.
 - W. C. T. U.—Meets every other Thursday at the Presbyterian church. MRS. BUCK, President. MRS. J. MORGAN, Secretary.
 - Fraternal Brotherhood—Meets every Friday evening at 7:30 p. m. in their hall in the K. of W. hall, Medford, Oregon. Visiting brothers and sisters cordially invited. W. L. ORR, Pres.
 - O. E. S.—Reames Chapter No. 66, meets second and fourth Thursday of each month at Masonic Hall, Medford, Oregon. Visiting sisters and brothers always welcome. MRS. J. BEARS, W. M. MATTIE E. PICKEL, Secretary.
- ## CHURCHES OF MEDFORD.
- Methodist Episcopal Church—W. H. Moore, pastor. Preaching every Sabbath at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. Sunday school at 10 a. m. H. L. Glick, superintendent. Class meeting every Sabbath at 10 a. m. Ladies' Aid Society every other Sabbath evening at 6:30. W. A. Fausett, pres. Regular weekly prayer meeting every Thursday evening at 7:30. Ladies' sewing circle every week. Missionary society meets the first Friday in each month.
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 - Episcopal Church—Rev. T. L. Orlandi, pastor. Sabbath services: Preaching at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m.; Sabbath school at 10 a. m. and 8 o'clock. Ladies' Aid Society every other Tuesday evening at 7:30 p. m. on Saturday preceding first Sabbath. Strangers and friends always welcome.
 - Christian Church—Corner of Sixth and I streets. Preaching every Lord's Day at 11 a. m. and 8 p. m. Sunday school at 10 a. m. The people welcome. K. M. Patterson, pastor. Resides at the church.
 - Methodist Episcopal Church South—Rev. M. L. Darby, pastor. Preaching every Sunday at 11 a. m. and evening; Sunday school at 10 o'clock; Wednesday evening at 8 o'clock; Women's Home Mission Society meets first Wednesday in each month. All services cordially invited to all our services.
 - St. Mark's Episcopal Church—Evening sermon, 1st and 3rd Sunday of each month at 7:30 p. m. Holy Communion, 2d Sunday of each month at 11 o'clock. Morning prayer and sermon, 4th Sunday of each month at 10 a. m. All invited. Pew fee, \$1. M. Idlemann, Priest in charge.
 - Christian Science services are held every Sunday morning at eleven o'clock at the residence of H. Dunham, of Talent. All are welcome.