A LITTLE OF EVERYTHING

A steamer recently arrived at San Francisco from New York, via Cape Horn, making the 14,000 miles without stop and also towing a barge freighted with 2000 tons. The vessel is an oil burner and the long trip shows the advantage of using liquid fuel.

A Providence, R. I., death recently was that of a man whose age was 104 years. He spent nearly a century at farming and gave up active work at 97, his eyesight failing. At meal time he was a slow eater and never finished a meal in less than an hour's time. His wife lived to be 99.

The imprisonment of a miner in a mine near Bakersfield, Calif., for 12 days claimed wide attention, and we imagine that shrewd tobacco men will not be long in taking advantage of some of the news regarding his experiences before his rescuers reached him. What he wanted most of all was tobacco, and the first thing he asked for upon liberation was a chew. The weed it was which sustained him, and the want of it was his greatest deprivation.

Smarting under some alleged slighting remark and, according to a note left by her, feeling that life was no longer worth living, because a 16-year-old student in Lick High School had transferred his affections to another girl, Janie McNeil, of San Fancisco, aged 19, went home one evening last week and shot herself through the heart. Her parents, Dr. and Mrs. Alex. McNeil, had left a few minutes before to attend a party in Oakland, and up to a late hour had not been located.

Managing Editor Ross of the Kalamazoo, (Mich.) Gazette has recently displayed considerable religious sentiment, carrying it to such an extend as to require that the news department of his paper is opened daily with prayer by himself or ministers of the city. As a reason for this Ross said: "I believe that the reporters will be able to do better work and that the object of the newspapers will be more thoroughly reached in this way than heretofore."

That a man's trade or profession fastens its habits on him with a grip that is often embarrassing, to himself and amusing to others was demonstrated in the lower house of the Legislature last Tuesday, when J. U. Campbell, of Clackamas, chairman of the committee on resolutions, was arguing in favor of the adoption of his report against the passage of the McCue resolution. Mr. Campbell was getting warmed up to the proposition, when with an emphatic swing of his right arm, he said: "New gentlemen of the jury—I mean of the house." A roar of laughter followed, and spoiled his dramatic effort, but he finally secured the adoption of his report.

Cured of Lung Trouble.

"It is now eleven years since I had a narrwo escape from consumption," writes C. O. Floyd, a leading business man of Kershaw, S. C. I had run down in weight to 135 pounds, and coughing was constant, both by day and by night. Finally I began aking Dr. King's New Discovery, and continued this for about six months, when my cough and lung trouble were entirely gone and I was restored to my normal weight, 170 pounds." Thousands of persons are healed every year. Guaranteed at Chas. Strang drug store. 50c and $1.00. Trial bottle free.

Klamath County News.

Klamath Falls Express.

The cold weather has made the run to Keno a difficult one for the steamer Klamath, and on a few occasions the ice blockaded the channel so that it was impossible for the boat to make the trip.

Klamath county has experienced the coldest weather of the Winter the past week. In Klamath Falls the mercury egistered in the neighborhood of 4 deroes below on Tuesday morning. hermometers in different parts of the ity varied in the degree of coldness egistered and some claim that it was six and eight below instead of only four.

A bunch of Austrians caused considerable excitement at the ditch camp Tuesday when they jumped onto their foreman, a white man, and began bombasting him with clubs, shovels and even fists. Other men working near the scene of the trouble came to the foreman's rescue and the gang was beaten back before any serious injuries had been inflicted.

Klamath Republican.

One of the best evidence of the prosperity of the people of this county is to be found in the tax roll of last year, on which less than $2,000 in delinquent taxes are to be found. Few counties in the United States can make as good a showing as this. Even this amount would be practically wiped out if the non-resident taxpayer would pay attention to the notices sent out.

Monday night came very near being a memorable one in the history of Klamath Falls, and if it had not been for the quick wit of Bob Sloan and Jim Henley much of the business section would have been laid waste by fire. The threatening conflagration was discovered by Bob Sloan in the kitchen of the Portland restaurant. He and Henley broke in the front door and found the flames eating their way into the wall back of the kitchen stove. They had gained considerable headway, but they were able to subdue them by the use of soup and coffee, a large quantity of which happened to be close at hand. Owing to the intense cold and the failure of many to hear the bell, the response to the fire alarm was slow. It was claimed by the proprietor, Olson, that the rear door had been forced and that a case of eggs was missing, and he advanced the theory that some one dropped a match while prowling around. The place was insured for $800. Olson left for Portland Wednesday morning, having placed the sale of the place in the hands of a real estate firm, fixing the price at $500.

Wise Council from the South.

"I want to give some valuable advice to those who suffer with lame back and kidneyl trouble," says R. C. Blankenship, of Beck, Tenn. "I have proved to an absolute certainty that Electric Bittres will positively cure this ditressing condition. The first bottle gave me great relief and after taking a few more bottles, I was completely cured; so completely that it becomes a pleasure to recommend this great remedy." Sold under guarantee at Chas. Strang drug store. Price 50c.

Northwest Paragraphs.

At an adminsitrator's sale at The Dalles recently about 2½ cords of old bridge timbers sold for $17.25. There were thirty bidders. Fuel is evidently scarce in that section.

Representative Stanford of Blaine county, Idaho, is having a hard experience with coal shortage He ordered six cars of coal for himself and neighbors last August but the fuel has not been delivered. His family were at home while he was attending the state legislature and, after paying $10 a load for wood, were forced to cut down and burn some much-prized shade trees in order to keep from freezing.

A strange freak of the severe storm that visited the country around Bend last week was discovered by Lineman E. A. Simth, of the Deschutes Company. Smith went out to make some repairs on the line between Bend and Rosland, and reports that he found the wires coated a greater part of the way south of Lora Butte with ice on an average of 22 inches in circumference. There is now on exhibition at the company's office a piece of this ice 20 inches in length and 18½ inches in circumference. The storm of last week was an exceptional one for that section in more ways than one.

Klamath Falls will be deprived of finances to the extent of about $5000 this year, owing to the failure of the city council to meet at the proper time and make the levy.

The question of dividing Union county, with Union as the county seat of that part including the North Powder district, is being agitated and is meeing with much opposition.

Last week the Coquille valley had one of the worst floods in her history. Sevral towns were completly cut off from outside communciation for several days.

A widely signed and circulated petition will be presented to the state legislature asking for the formtion of Cascade county out of a portion of Wasco county.

The lowest tide of the year occured Monday night at Tacoma and exposed the oyster beds of Puget Sound to great cold. The bivalves were killed. New beds will have to be planted before the Olympia oyster will again be on the market. The loss is estimated to run into the hundreds of thousands of dollars.

It is undrestood that the rivers and harbor committee will recommend appropriations authorizing the completion of the jetty work at the mouth of the Columbia.. The Celilo canal will get about $500,000; the river from Portland to the sea, $2,500,000; the river above Celilo, $120,000, and dredges for harbors along the coast of Oroegn, $100,000.

The St. Paul & Tacoma Lumber Company closed down its lath mills last week and put the saws at work transforming slabs and edgings into stove wood fofr distribution about the city. Work as they will the mill cannot keep ahead of the teams, and there are not a half a dozen loads in evidence at any time. Nothing now goes into the furnaces at the mills as waste save sawdust, and even old knots that were once considered not worthy of attention save as waste, are being cut up. The company is furnishing slabwood to keep the city's pumping stations going

While two 9-year-old boys, McKinley Markum and Brooks Bartley, were hunting near their homes, 20 miles east of Canyonville, Douglas county, last week, young Markum, thinking his gun was not loaded, pointed it at young Bartley and pulled. The ball, a 32 caliber, entered his neck a little to the left of the center, lodging in the back of the neck. The boy is seriously hurt.

REV. CARLISLE P. B. MARIN, L. L. D.

Of Waverly, Texas, writes: "Of a morning, when first arising, I often find a troublesome collection of phlegm which produces a cough and is very hard to dislodge; but a small quantity of Ballard's Horehound Syrup will at once dislodge it, and the trouble is over. I know of no medicine that is equal to it, and it is pleasant to take. I can most cordially recommend it to all persons needing a medicine for throat or lung trouble." Chas. Strang Medford Central Point Pharmacy.

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A Native African Food.

The native food of the Malunda country, in southern Africa, comprises manioc and that alone. It is a plant particularly adapted to wet, marshy soil, says the author of "In Remotest Barotseland." It takes two years to arrive at maturity and while growing requires very little attention. The root when full grown is about the size and has very much the appearance of a German sausage, although at times it grows much larger. One shrub has several roots, and the extraction of two or three in no way impairs the growth of the remainder. When newly dug it tastes like a chestnut, and the digestion of the proverbial ostrich can alone assimilate it raw, but when soaked in water for a few days until partly decomposed, dried on the roofs of the huts and stamped it forms a delightfully white soft meal, far whiter and purer than the best flour. Then it is beaten into a thick paste and eaten with a little flavoring composed of a locust or a caterpillar, which the natives seek in decayed trees. Another way of eating this native luxury is by baking the roots after soaking them and eating it as you would a banana.

George Eliot's Savonarola.

Savonarola is one of the most striking characters in George Eliot's great historical novel "Romola," the scene of which is in Florence and the period that of Savonarola's career. The idea of writing the book occurred to the novelist while on a visit to Florence, and on a second visit to the city, in 1861, she began to carry out her project. The subject and design were foreign to the author's genius, but she spared no pains in making a thorough study of the locality, the people and the literature of the Italian renaissance for the purposes of her story. In her own words, the work "plowed into her" more than any of her books. She begun it, she says, as a young woman and finished it as an old woman. Her picture of Florence and Savonarola is undeniably impressive, and some critics declare "Romola" to be George Eliot's greatest novel and the character of Savonarola one of the finest delineations.—Pearson's.

Size of Heads.

The average adult head has a circumference of fully twenty-two inches. The average adult hat is fully six and three-quarters size. The sizes of men's hats are six and three-fourths and six and seven-eighths generally. "Sevens" hats are common in Aberdeen, and the professors of our colleges generally wear seven and one-eighth to eight sizes. Heads wearing hats of the sizes six and three-eighths and smaller or being less than twenty-one inches in circumference can never be powerful. Between nineteen and twenty inches in circumference heads are invariably very weak and, according to this authority, "no lady should think of marrying a man with a head less than twenty inches in circumference." People with heads under nineteen inches are mentally deficient and with heads under eighteen inches invariably idiotic.—London Young Woman.

How to Enjoy the Circus.

There ain't much pleasure in this life ter men as old as me—that is, a feller thinks they ain't when he is sixty-three. O' course, he likes to smoke his pipe an' set around an' gas an' argue with the boys to git his leisure time to pass. A man who's gettin' 'long in years—too weak to hoe or plow, fer pleasure of the good old kind—has small chance anyhow. But there's one thing I like to do—one thing I sure enjoy—it's goin' to a circus with some poor, big eyed small boy. I alwnys like to have it be the first show he's seen to. I like to watch those big eyes snap. Oh, snap they always do. I like to see him smile an' clap an' crane his neck around an' see him eatin' peanuts, throwin' shells down on the ground. It don't seem very long ago that I was eight or nine, nor long since the first show I saw seemed simply grand—divine. I 'member how I set up there jest in a fit of joy. You see, I know the feelin' that comes to the big eyed boy. I don't care much for circuses like once I used to care. But, friend, I get my pleasure takin' little fellers there. An' while I set enjoyin' it—I mean that kid's real joy—I almost cry to think that I can't be once more a boy.—Denver Post.

Man and His Pockets.

A tailor who had received an order for a suit of clothes was asked by the customer's wife for an interview.

"I want to ask you as a special favor," she said, "not to put any pockets in my husband's clothes."

"Why not?" asked the astonished tailor.

"Because they are responsible for his looking so shabby so much of the time," she explained. "He wears his clothes for weeks without pressing because he says it is too much trouble to change the things in his pockets to another suit. He says that half the men who go around in seedy clothes do so for the same reason. If that is so, just leave out the pockets, and they will have no excuse for shabbiness."

"That is a new point of view," said the tailor. "I will see about it."

But when the suit came home it had the usual number of pockets.—New York Sun.

How Frostbite Comes.

The first effect of cold on the skin is to contract the tiny vessels that connect arteries and veins. Arteries are vessels that take blood from the heart. Veins are those that bring blood back to the heart, and the connecting vessels are called capillaries. While these little vessels are contracting the skin itself becomes tenser. In a few moments or minutes the effects change. The tiny nerves whose stimulation caused contraction of the capillaries are more or less paralyzed, and the vessels dilate so the skin gets red. Soon the veins are dilated, and the skin becomes bluish. Then the nutrient fluid in the skin (the lymph) is coagulated, and the stretched skin ruptures or "chaps." If the cold is more severe its action is deeper, and the blood itself may be coagulated. This is frostbite.

Strayed or Stolen.

A brown horse about eight years old, branded "N" on left hip; also indistinct brand on left shoulder weight about 875 pounds 15 hands high. Notified R. H. Whipple, Medford, Oregon, and receive reward.

Subscribe for The Mail.

Lifting a Kettle of Hot Water.

Some time when the teakettle is bubbling and boiling on the kitchen range lift it quickly by its handle and set it on the open palm of your other hand. This sounds like a very foolhardy thing to do—as if your hand might be blistered in a twinkling—but you will find that you can hold the teakettle which has just come from a roaring fire for some time without hurting you. Try it and then see if you can tell the reason why you are not burned. Be sure, however, that the water is boiling strongly before you make the experiment.

A Kippered Pastor.

A French Protestant pastor was the guest of a Scottish preacher at a manse. One morning kippered herrings were served at breakfast. The French pastor asked the meaning of "kipper." His host replied that it meant "to preserve." On taking his leave next day the French pastor, wringing his host's hand, said, "May the Lord kipper you, my good friend."

Postage Stamps.

Postage stamps are peculiarly liable to become septic and to convey deadly germs, says the British Medical Press and Circular, a fact that cannot be too widely known to the public who find in it a popular substitute for sticking plaster.

Never Missed It.

Teacher — Who discovered America? Small Boy—Dunno. Teacher—Why, I supposed every boy in school knew that. Small Boy—I didn't know that it was lost.

Somewhere.

"Pardon me, madame. I think I have seen you somewhere."

"Very likely. I go there very often." —Le Sourire.

If thou love learning thou shalt be learned.—Socrates.

Admisistrator's Final Notice.

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned admuistrator of the estate of Mary J. Dahack deceased, has filed in the county court of Oregon for Jackson County, his final account as such administrator of said estate, and that the said court has fixed Monday, January 14th, 1907, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon of said day as the date upon which said final account will be heard. All persons interested or having objections to the same will file their objections thereto on or before the said day and date.

IRVIN DAHACK,
Administrator of the estate of Mary J. Dahack, deceased.

ADMINISTRATRIX'S NOTICE

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned has been duly appointed by the County Court of the State of Oregon, for Jackson County, as Administratrix of the Estate of Oliver Bursell, late of Jackson County, Oregon, deceased; and has duly qualified as such administratrix.

All persons having claims against said Estat are notified to present the same duly verified to said administratrix at her residence, Central Point, Oregon, within six month. from date hereof.

Dated this 11th day of January, A. D. 1907

SARAH E. BURSELL, Administrix.
Colvig & Durham Attorneys for Estate

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE.

The undersigned, having been duly appointed administrator of the estate of John W. Cunnyngham, deceased, by order of the County Court for Jackson County, Oregon, sitting in probate and having qualified as such, notice is hereby given to all persons having claims against the estate of said John W. Cunnyngham, deceased, to present said claims with proper vouchers attached to the undersigned at Medford, Oregon, or to Charles Prim, my attorney, at Medford, Oregon, within six months from the date of the first publication of this notice.

Dated at Medford, Oregon, December 20, 1906.

J. E. BARKDULL
Administrator of the estate of John W. Cunnyngham, deceased.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.

Department of the Interior,
Land Office at Roseburg, Ore., Dec. 5, 1906.

Notice is hereby given that

MARION C. SEAVEY,
MARTHA R. MITCHELL,
Sisters and sole heirs at law of James R. Dunn, deceased, (unmarried)

of Grants Pass, Oregon, has filed notice of his intention to make final five-year proof in support of his claim, viz: Homestead Entry No. 9130 made May 13, 1898, for the S½ NE¼, Sec. 34; W½ NW¼, NW¼ SW¼, Sec. 35, Tp. 32 S. R. 2 E, and that said proof will be made before the Register and Receiver, U. S. Land Office, at Roseburg, Oregon, on January 26, 1907.

He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon and cultivation of said land, viz: McDonald Perdue and John W. Walden, of Prospect, Oregon and James Dean and Al. Dean, of Grants Pass, Oregon and Richard W. Grey, of Medford, Oregon.

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Chop Corn $27 ton.	$1.50 per 100 lbs
R Barley $26 per ton	$140 per 100 lbs

RETAIL PRICE.

Wheat in bulk	55c
Oats	40
Barley	$1.00 per 100 lbs
Potatoes	$1.50 per 100 lbs
Eggs, per doz	25c
Butter, per lb	25c
Beans, white dry,	$3.50 per 100 lbs
Beans, red dry, per lb	3½c
Onions	90c per 100 lbs
Bacon, per lb	12½ to 16
Hams, per lb	15½c
Shoulders, per lb	12c
Lard, per lb	12½
Hogs, live, per lb	5 to 5½c
Beef, live, per lb	2½ to 3c
Mutton, per lb	3½c
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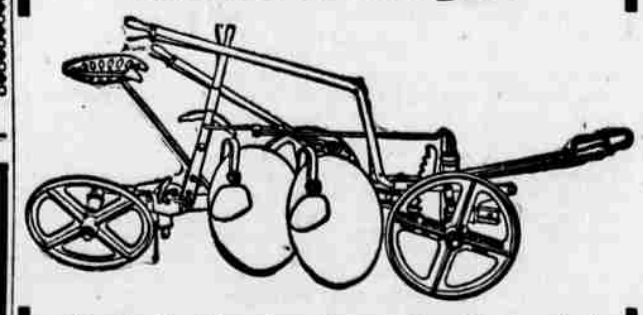

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