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Table with columns for destination (Leaves Independence, Leaves Astoria, Leaves Dallas) and time (7:30 a. m., 9:00 a. m., 3:30 p. m., 5:00 p. m., 11:00 p. m., 7:15 p. m., 9:45 a. m., 1:30 p. m., 3:30 p. m., 5:00 p. m., 11:30 a. m., 7:30 p. m.).

Foley's Honey and Tar cures colds, prevents pneumonia.

The Doctor's Dilemma

By Hedra Stretton

CHAPTER V. "Martin Dobree" ejaculated both in his head and his hands.

"Yes, madam, I said, unrolling the tree of hair as if it had been a serpent, and going forward to greet them: 'Are you surprised to see me?'

"Quite easily," I replied. "I came on Sunday to see you, but you were not at home. The doctor had permitted I should have paid you a call, but you know what it has been."

"You see, I said, 'that will take me some time to get ready. I am a doctor, and I do not go to bed until I have had my dinner. I am a doctor, and I do not go to bed until I have had my dinner.'

"I do not know what you mean," I said. "I am a doctor, and I do not go to bed until I have had my dinner. I am a doctor, and I do not go to bed until I have had my dinner."

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EVENTS OF THE DAY

FROM THE FOUR QUARTERS OF THE WORLD.

A Comprehensive Review of the Important Happenings of the Past Week Presented in a Condensed Form Which is Most Likely to Prove of Interest to Our Many Readers.

Francis, the Missouri murderer, is still at large. Frenchmen are excited over the coming visit of the Czar. Five American warships visited British ports simultaneously.

Columbia defeated Constitution in the first race of the season. Boers blew up a train and killed a promising young British officer. Venezuelan and Colombian troops are massed on the border near Cucuta.

An Illinois aeronaut fell 400 feet from his balloon and was alive when picked up. New York banks affected by Subversive operations and interior demand for money.

Powder mills at Krebs station, Pa. were destroyed by an explosion and two men were killed. Montana train wreck on the Great Northern was the worst in the history of the line.

Three men-of-war were sunk in the Atlantic. Durango, Colo., Sept. 2.—By the turning over of the Pullman on the west bound Rio Grande passenger train at 11:18 this morning, Mother Baptiste, of Denver, mother superior of Colorado, was killed.

Princess China's mission will be hurried to Berlin. Shamrock had another satisfactory trial in New York bay.

NEWS OF THE STATE

ITEMS OF INTEREST FROM ALL PARTS OF OREGON.

Commercial and Financial Happenings of Importance—A Brief Review of the Growth and Improvements of the Many Industries Throughout Our Thriving Commonwealth—Latest Market Report.

Hop picking has begun in several Oregon yards. Another contest has been filed in the Tillamook timber land case. Cattlemen fired about 100 shots into a band of sheep in Eastern Oregon.

Richard Downey has been appointed marshal of Vale, vice Robert Draper, resigned. Construction of the Lakeview-Silver Lake telephone line will be begun about September 1st.

W. S. Walker's threshing crew run five days on spring grain and averaged 2500 bushels. The largest run in one day was 3100 bushels. That is something big, and Mr. Walker would like to hear of the thrasher that equals it.

Prunes are beginning to move in earnest at The Dalles. The Jacksonville public schools will open September 2. A race meeting will probably be held in Pendleton this fall.

The wheat crop of Jackson county is turning out much better than expected. The Sherman county Horse Fair Association will hold a fair at Wasco some time this fall to encourage the breeding of good horses of all kinds.

The following schools in Polk county are without teachers, and in each case a good one is wanted: Concord, Lincoln, Bridgeport, and the primary department at Falls City.

The Best Newspaper

Is the one that gives the most and freshest news. Compare the WEST SIDE with any paper in Polk county.

Washington, Sept. 2.—A study of the results that have been attained at the Indian school at Hampton, Va., gives a fair idea of what modern Indian education under the most favorable circumstances. The Indian school is not primarily one conducted in the interests of the colored race.

There were at the Hampton school last year 119 Indians—64 girls and 55 boys. They were chosen from 21 different tribes: the Ojibwa of Wisconsin and the Sioux of North and South Dakota predominating. A plan has lately been devised to encourage the Indians to keep cows and study practical dairying.

There will go from the Hampton school to the Oahe reservation within the next year a number of boys and girls who have definite plans as to what they will endeavor to accomplish. The Hampton school has made more than 500 similar plans with all Indians, adapting the work of the school to the special conditions at their respective homes.

Verne Hopkins attempted to break jail at Lakeview last week. He removed three slats from the jail floor with an iron bar, making an aperture through which he could pass to the ground beneath the building. One underneath he proceeded to dig a trench to the south end of the building, and the other side of the wall escape he would have nothing to do but remove a board from beneath the sill. The aperture in the floor was covered by a blanket from the bed, and the officer, noticing this, thought it strange. Lifting the blanket from the floor, the means of the prisoner's escape was discovered, and a jail-break averted.

The Sherman county Horse Fair Association will hold a fair at Wasco some time this fall to encourage the breeding of good horses of all kinds. The first crop of alfalfa in Klamath has been cut and cared for. The second crop, which will be cut next month, promises to be much larger than the first.

The following schools in Polk county are without teachers, and in each case a good one is wanted: Concord, Lincoln, Bridgeport, and the primary department at Falls City. Wheat—Walla Walla, nominal 56 1/2¢ per bushel; bluestem, 56 1/2¢; valley, 55 1/2¢.

There are three courses in cooking at Hampton—on the one hand, the home cooking for girls who are not likely to go very far in the school; a more advanced class, and the normal course for post-graduate students who intend to become teachers. Besides the routine of the cooking classes, the girls are taught to care for the dining room, to set a table properly and wait on the table.