



There have been times when the wild beasts have been more merciful than human beings, and spared the woman cast to them in the arena. It is astonishing how little sympathy women have for women.

\$500 REWARD FOR WOMEN WHO CANNOT BE CURED.

Backed up by over a third of a century of remarkable and uniform cures, a record such as no other remedy for the diseases and weaknesses peculiar to women ever attained, the proprietors and makers of Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription now feel fully warranted in offering to pay \$500 in legal money of the United States, for any case of Leucorrhoea, Female Weakness, Protrusion, or Falling of the Uterus, which they cannot cure.

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Dr. Pierce's Pleasant Pellets are the most desirable laxative for delicate women.

SUCCESSFUL AFFAIR.

Entertainment at Maple Lane Grange Hall.

The entertainment given at the Grange hall last Saturday evening was a success, a large and very appreciative audience listened to a delightful program.

When one considers how difficult it is to manage 17 small children they can imagine how faithfully Mrs. Swallow must have drilled them, and the selection on the violin and organ by Mesdames Scott and Mullin of Portland was perfectly lovely.

Blanche Mantz played the part of Columbia handsomely. The opening selection by Miss Mantz was very sweet indeed. Wallace Lewis, Lambert Beard, Doris Reynolds, Henriette and Worme were well received.

The closing number, "A Sleeping Car" under the entire management of Mrs. Swallow was beautifully played and was well received by all present every person in the play did remarkably well.

Mrs. Swallow was the star of the evening and her acting would certainly have been a credit to most professionals. The Grange people as a body cannot express their thanks to her for the proceeds of the evening. Furthermore all the persons present were more than pleased for the pleasant evening, to say the very least, the entertainment was a good success.

A GRANGER.

New Era.

Martin Stanber was a very sick boy part of last week. At this writing we are unable to state his condition.

Father Beck also had the doctor to call on him Sunday.

Aug Scheer left Friday last with a team for the harvest fields of Eastern Oregon.

Mr. and Mrs. Small, of Marion, accompanied grandpa Slyter home Saturday and returned Monday.

North high street was the scene of much excitement last Wednesday evening as an automobile refused to go for a party who was returning to Portland from a wedding at Silverton, so they had to drive the rest of the way in a buggy.

George Brown attended the Chautauqua Sunday.

Miss Lucile Clements, of Oak Grove is visiting friends in this place this week.

Brown and Slyter attended the Chautauqua last Wednesday.

Mr. Friedrich has treated his house to a new coat of white paint which adds very much to its appearance.

Mrs. Hougham has painted her new barn.

Geo. Brown and Ed Spulak commenced cutting their wheat with a binder Monday.

Mr. Veto drove his valuable steed to Oregon City Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Newt Critzer were looking for a farm to suit their fancy near Canby on Tuesday.

Mr. Rief commenced hauling lumber for his new house Tuesday.

Miss Grace Clements is spending her vacation in the vicinity of New Era.

Mr. Mead and Newt Critzer went out near Molalla Monday, with the intention of purchasing a farm if a suitable one could be found.

"The insect sees the tiny mite, And eats him as its natural right; The chicken sees the insect fair And dines upon him, then and there Man eats the chicken, if he can, And such is nature's wondrous plan, That this same man perhaps 'tis just Is swallowed up by some big trust."

The dance Saturday night was well attended and all had a general good time until the small hours arrived in the morning, when all departed for their homes. The refreshment stand under the supervision of Mrs. McHenry was also a financial success to the association.

Mr. Reif also did a "land office business" at his stand.

The spiritualist campmeeting is a thing of the past. A large crowd was in attendance Sunday and some exceedingly good tests were given in the afternoon by Mrs. Howell, of California. On Saturday the following officers were elected for the coming year. Mr. Lucas, president; Mrs. Finnigan, vice-president; Mrs. Lynas, corresponding secretary Mr. Bratton, financial secretary; and Mr. Burgoyne, treasurer.

Le Mahieu vs. Walker.

The assault case brought by I. Le Mahieu, against J. H. Walker was decided by Justice of the Peace Stipp in favor of defendant, whose attorney was Mr. Griffith. The ground given by his honor for deciding as he did was that the plaintiff was trespassing on the property of the paper mill, above whose doors are the words, "No Admittance" by following Mr. Walker, the timber superintendent, into the doorway, as he was trying to find answers to Mr. Walker's abusive language, which was summed up in calling the latter a fool. At this juncture he bounced the plaintiff and threw him on his back on the basin walk. Mr. Long, superintendent of the mill, paper mill laborer and the cook of the steamer Eagle were brought as witnesses by the defendant. As the matter stands, bill collectors should provide themselves with a slinger if they are not one themselves.

Wake up Correspondents.

What's the matter with our country correspondents these beautiful summer days? Is there no news or are they too busy making hay to write? Of the fifty in the county we ought to have the news from at least twenty-five per week. So come along, all of you, send in your "stuff" as early in the week as possible. We want the news, all of it all the time and we must have it.

FIVE THOUSAND DOLLAR DAMAGES.

Asked by Estate of Roy P. Sunderland for His Life.

Last Saturday morning, Mayor G. B. Dimick as attorney for the estate of Roy P. Sunderland, filed suit in the Clackamas Circuit Court for five thousand dollar damages against the Crown Paper Company for the killing of Sunderland on the 27th of last January.

The complaint alleges that Roy P. Sunderland was an employe of the Crown Paper mill on the 27th day of January, 1903 and prior to that date. That at the time of his death he was 27 years of age in good health and earning above fifty dollars per month. He was employed in a department of the mill known as the wood room, and the foreman of the department was H. C. Carmack. The petition alleges that the foreman had charge and control of all the hands in the wood room, and of the machinery and of the repair of the machinery.

The petition alleges that said Carmack was incompetent, unfit and unskilled for such employment and furthermore negligent of his duties as foreman. They allege that the Crown Paper company was aware that Carmack was incompetent and being aware of the fact, knowingly kept said foreman in their employ. That Carmack kept in his employ in the wood room one Chas. Dull, who was incompetent, inattentive and incapable of understanding the mechanism and operation of the machinery, or of intelligently comprehending the orders given in reference thereto. That with full knowledge of these circumstances said Chas. Dull was permitted to set in motion and operate said machinery and

to assist in repairing and fixing the same. They further allege that the company carelessly failed and omitted to use any means of precaution to prevent the setting in motion of said machinery during the time the same was being repaired and fixed.

They further state that on the 27th day of January last, while said Carmack was working as foreman and Dull and Roy P. Sunderland, deceased, were working in the wood room, a link in the chain in the conveyor broke and it became necessary that some one should go under the machine and mend the broken chain. The machinery was stopped, so the petition alleges, and Sunderland went under the machine with the intention of mending the broken parts, and while in the act of mending the chain, without notice or warning the conveyor was set in motion by said Chas. Dull and as a result Sunderland met with injuries which resulted in his death.

Sunderland was unaware of the fact that Dull was an incompetent hand and had no knowledge of machinery, so the petition alleges.

The plaintiff demands damages in the sum of \$5000 and the costs and disbursements in the action. The suit will be watched with much interest.

YOU KNOW WHAT YOU ARE TAKING

When you take Grove's Tasteless Chill Tonic because the formula is plainly printed on every bottle showing that it is simply iron and Quinine in a tasteful form. No Cure, No Pay. 50c.



Reduced Excursion Rates to the Seaside and Mountain Resort.

The Southern Pacific Company in connection with the Corvallis & Eastern R. R. have placed on sale round trip tickets to Newport and Yaquina, at very low rates, good for return until October 10th, 1903.

Three day tickets, good Saturday and returning Mondays, are also on sale from all East Side points, Portland to Eugene inclusive, and from all West Side points enabling people to spend Sunday at the seaside.

Tickets from Portland will be good for return via East or West at option of passenger. Tickets from Eugene will be honored via Woodburn, Springfield and Lebanon branches to Albany, if desired. Baggage will be checked through to destination of ticket.

Season rate from Oregon City to Newport \$6, to Yaquina \$8.

Three day rate from Oregon City to Newport \$3, to Newport \$3.

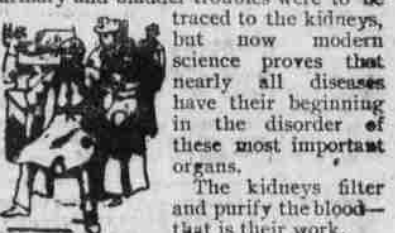
Beautifully illustrated pamphlets descriptive of those charming resorts can be obtained from any agent of the Southern Pacific Company or C. & E. R. R. Also by addressing W. E. Coman, General Passenger Agent of Southern Pacific Company, Portland, Oregon, or Edwin Stone, Manager C. & E. R., Albany, Oregon.

The Best Liniment for Strains.

Mr. F. A. Wells, the merchant at Deer Park, Long Island, N. Y., says: "I always recommend Chamberlain's Pain Balm as the best liniment for strains. I used it last winter for a severe lameness in the side, resulting from a strain, and was greatly pleased with the quick relief and cure it effected. For sale by G. A. Harding."

Often The Kidneys Are Weakened by Over-Work.

Unhealthy Kidneys Make Impure Blood. It used to be considered that only urinary and bladder troubles were to be traced to the kidneys, but now modern science proves that nearly all diseases have their beginning in the disorder of these most important organs.



The kidneys filter and purify the blood—that is their work. Therefore, when your kidneys are weak or out of order, you can understand how quickly your entire body is affected and how every organ seems to fail to do its duty.

If you are sick or "feel badly," begin taking the great kidney remedy, Dr. Kilmer's Swamp-Root, because as soon as your kidneys are weak they will help all the other organs to health. A trial will convince anyone.

If you are sick you can make no mistake by first doctoring your kidneys. The mild and the extraordinary effect of Dr. Kilmer's Swamp-Root, the great kidney remedy, is soon realized. It stands the highest for its wonderful cures of the most distressing cases, and is sold on its merits by all druggists in fifty-cent and one-dollar size bottles. You may have a sample bottle of Swamp-Root, by mail free, also a pamphlet telling you how to find out if you have kidney or bladder trouble. Mention this paper when writing to Dr. Kilmer & Co., Binghamton, N. Y. Don't make any mistake, but remember the name, Swamp-Root, Dr. Kilmer's Swamp-Root, and the address, Binghamton, N. Y., on every bottle.

CARUS.

Make hay while the sun shines. Miss Helle Gregory, who has been stopping with Mrs. Strickland, returned home Monday.

Several from Carus attending the campmeeting at New Era Sunday.

Miss Lizzie Parry and George Priester of Beaver Creek were visitors at Carus Sunday.

Miss Maggie Lewis, of Portland, visited her parent the first of the week, she was accompanied by her friend, Miss Virginia Mirges.

Mrs. B. O. Inskip and daughter, Emma, of Carus, and Mrs. Hayward and daughter, Lillie, of Oregon City, left Tuesday for Soda Springs where they expect to be gone for a week.

Miss Alice Durrant left Monday for Portland where she expects to work. That's what makes Ed look so blue? Don't you know?

Mr. Turner, of Tacoma, was visiting at Mr. Erickson's the first of the week.

Emerson Spatz and Sam Kaiblich are working at the shingle mill at Liberal.

Mrs. Vonderahe is visiting relatives at Oregon City this week.

"Girls" get your pink hats ready as it will soon be teasel cutting.

TREASURER'S NOTICE.

I now have money to pay county warrants endorsed prior to Jan. 1st, 1901, also road warrants endorsed prior to May 1st, 1903, interest will cease on such warrants on the date of this notice Oregon City Oregon, July 24th, 1903. ENOS CAHILL, Treasurer.

How's This!

We offer One Hundred Dollars Reward for any case of Catarrh that cannot be cured by Hall's Catarrh Cure. F. J. CHENEY & CO., Props., Toledo, O. We the undersigned, have known F. J. Cheney for the last 15 years, and believe him perfectly honorable in all business transactions and financially able to carry out any obligations made by their firm. West & Trux, Wholesale Druggists, Toledo, O. Wadling, Cannon & Marvin, Wholesale Druggists, Toledo, O. F. J. Cheney's Catarrh Cure is taken internally and acts directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. Price, 75c per bottle, sold by all druggists. Testimonials free. Hall's Family Pills are the best.

For a lazy liver try Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets. They invigorate the liver, aid the digestion, regulate the bowels and prevent bilious attacks. For sale by G. A. Harding.

EAST THROUGH TRAIN SERVICE BETWEEN PORTLAND AND ALL BEACH POINTS.

On and After Monday, July 6th, in Connection With Cheap Excursion Rates.

Commencing Monday, July 6th, the Astoria & Columbia River Railroad Company will resume its Summer Special Seaside Schedule, and train leaving Union Depot, Portland, at 8 a. m. daily, will run through direct without transfer at Astoria to all Clatsop Beach points, arriving at Astoria 11:30 a. m., Gearhart 12:20 p. m. and Seaside 12:30 p. m., making direct connection at Warrenton for Flavel.

Beginning Saturday, July 11th, and every Saturday thereafter the popular Portland-Seaside Flyer will leave Union Depot at 2:30 p. m., arriving at Astoria 5:50 p. m., Gearhart Park 6:40 p. m. and Seaside 6:50 p. m., making direct connection at Warrenton for Flavel.

In connection with this improved service, round trip season excursion tickets between Portland and all Clatsop and North Beach points are sold at \$4 for round trip, and Saturday Special round trip tickets between same points, good for return passage Sunday, are \$2.50 for the round trip. Special season commutation tickets, good for five round trips from Portland to all Clatsop and North Beach points sold for \$15. Beach excursion tickets issued by O. R. & N. Co. and Vancouver Transportation Co. will be honored on trains of this company in either direction between Portland and Astoria.

Additional information will be gladly furnished upon application to J. C. Mayo, G. F. & P. A. Astoria, or, E. L. Lewis, Com'l. Agent, 248 Alder St., Portland, Ore. Write for the novel and catchy Seaside pamphlet just issued telling all about summer girls, sea serpents and sunsets at Seaside.

Champion Rakes

Lock Lever, Self Dump and Hand Dump.

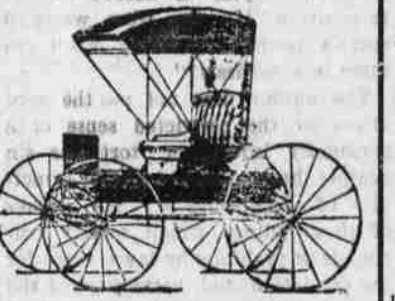
Easy to operate. Strong and durable.

Many desirable improvements for 1903.

On Lock Lever, may be locked down or not for gathering, as desired.

Interchangeable wheels. Teeth can be set any desired height, but return instant.

Many other convenient features. Send for special circular.



"BEE LINE" BUGGIES

known all over this country as the straightest piece of goods put out in the buggy line. Made especially for Oregon roads. New features added, making it better for 1903 than ever before. A comfortable, durable buggy. Try it. Prove it.



Lead all in the 4 Essential Features: Close Skimming, Easy to Clean, Durable, Light Running.

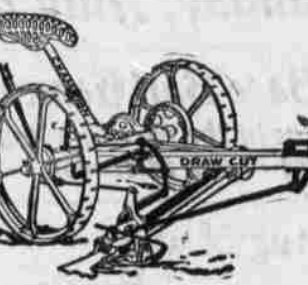
Cannot beat this combination in any Separator. Write for our proposition.

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Send for Special Catalogue of any line in which you are interested



FIRST AND TAYLOR STS. PORTLAND



Champion Draw Cut Mower

Champion in the field for 1903 same as in other seasons.

It draws the bar—No push. The most powerful cutter. Easiest to operate. Most Durable.

Choose the Champion and get satisfaction.



CHAMPION BINDER

There is no binder ahead of the Champion for strength and durability in usual conditions and increased capacity in difficult conditions of grain.

Force Feed Elevator. Eccentric Power giving wheel, giving increase in power of 16 2/3% over common wheel. Other practical improvements. Illustrated in Catalog. Mailed free.



The MITCHELL WAGON

MONARCH OF THE ROAD. The best possible wagon that can be built. The materials are well seasoned having been bought 5 years ahead of requirements. This alone means investment of a fortune in wagon stock.

Expert labor used in the construction. Their splendid reputation all over the country—the Northwest in particular—demonstrates the fact that MITCHELL WAGONS ARE ALL RIGHT

FIRE AT AURORA.

Residence of Emanuel Kiel Burned to the Ground.

Emanuel Kiel's residence caught fire at noon Sunday, and burned to the ground, in spite of the heroic efforts made by the citizens to save it.

The fire started from a defective line while the family were at dinner, and was first discovered by the neighbors. An alarm was quickly turned in, and was responded to promptly, but before the primitive apparatus owned by the city could be brought into play the fire was beyond control, and all efforts were turned to saving furniture and household goods and preventing the fire from spreading.

The loss is about \$800, with no insurance. An abt \$200 in money, belonging partly to Mr. Kiel and Katherine Fox, was destroyed.

A wheelman's tool bag isn't complete without a bottle of Dr. Thomas' Electric Oil. Heals cuts, bruises, stings, sprains. Mosch on over pain.

Letter List.

Following is the list of letters remaining in the Oregon City postoffice on July 23, 1903:

Women's List—Mrs Ada Dunble, Mrs R A Secret, Mrs. O A Smitting, Mrs Mary Thomas, Mrs Bernhard Truchser.

Men's List.—Pearl Beaman, Mr K Booney, A J Bosley, Huston Buffum, Geo Colfield, Mike Johnson, O E Skidmore, Charles Steele.

TOM P. RANDALL, P. M.

For Over Sixty Years.

An old and well-tried remedy—Mrs Winslow's Soothing Syrup has been used for over sixty years by millions of mothers for their children while teething, with perfect success. It soothes the child, softens the gums, allays all pain, cures wind colic, and is the best remedy for Diarrhoea. It is pleasant to taste. Sold by druggists in every part of the world. Twenty five cents a bottle. Its value is incalculable. Be sure and ask for Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup, and take no other kind.

Popular Sunday Excursion.

In order to meet the wants of the traveling public, and give practically daily service to the beach during the summer season, the Corvallis & Eastern Railroad will run an excursion train from Albany, Corvallis and all points west to Newport every Sunday commencing Sunday, July 12th, leaving Albany at 7:00 a. m., returning leave Newport at 5:30 p. m., arriving in Albany at 10:30 p. m. Three day and season tickets will be good going and returning on these trains. This should prove popular with the travelling public and a liberal patronage will be the best appreciation.

Summer complaint is unusually prevalent among children this season. A week developed case in the writer's family was cured last week by the timely use of Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy—one of the best patent medicines manufactured and which is always kept on hand at the home of every family. This is not intended as free puff for the company, who do not advertise with us, but to benefit little sufferers who may not be within easy access of a physician. No family should be without a bottle of this medicine in the house, especially in summer time.—Lansing, Iowa, Journal. For sale by G. A. Harding.

To Cure a Cold in One Day. Take Laxative Bromo Quinine Tablets. Cures Crip in Two Days. on every box, 25c. This signature, G. W. Brown