

GERM CELLS OF LIFE.

THEY RETAIN VITALITY EVEN AFTER APPARENT DEATH.

Scientific Theory Showing That Instant Death is an Impossibility and That We May Be Conscious For Some Time After Dissolution.

You often meet with the phrase "death was instantaneous," and you believe it, but instant death is impossible.

A professor has been studying the life of a man of renown in his own mind, and he has discovered certain important data proving conclusively that no one can meet with instant death. He works out his theory on the basis of the physiology of cells.

He states that no one yet has proved a difference between a dead and a living cell. When this has been done, we can more easily ascertain how long a time elapses before the death of a cell takes place.

But the most wonderful thing is the superstition attached to the pitcher. There is an indescribable influence surrounding it that prevents its touch.

One night a lady in the neighborhood, while under the influence of whisky, made a bet with some friends that he would go and bring back the pitcher.

He refused to tell his experience and said he would not talk about it. Other parties have gone to see it, but met with the same repulsive feelings.

Clean Coal Mines. The Chileson coal mines opened in 1855, seem to be nice places to work in.

Remember, says an experienced New York physician, "that alcohol stimulates the heart and circulation in much the same way as exercise does."

A Foreign Writer's Border. "I find your political terms very puzzling," remarked the foreigner who was trying to gather material for a book on American institutions.

A European statistician has discovered that only 55 per cent of the blonds marry, while 79 per cent of their brunette sisters engage in matrimony.

REMARKABLE CURE. Deafness Cured in 10 Minutes. Mr. Editor: I wish to state through your columns that Dr. Darrin, 265 Morrison street, cured me of deafness in 10 minutes.

Salt Rheum Cured. Dr. Darrin—Dear Sir: It is with great pleasure and a thankful heart I wish to inform you that I am cured of salt rheum, which I have suffered with for 25 years.

Shively's Opera House One Week. COM. MONDAY, MAY 15. Miss Jessie Shirley supported by her talented company in a repertoire of plays new to the people of Oregon City.

"LA BELLE MARIE" "DAUGHTER OF THE EMPIRE" "MOTHS" "CHILD OF THE REGIMENT" "UNDER TWO FLAGS" "DIVORCE"

MATINEE SATURDAY. Uniform Band Parade Daily at 11:30. Under the management of H. W. Smith. TICKETS ON SALE AT P. O. Popular Price 10c, 20c, 30c.

AN ENCHANTED PITCHER.

The Belle of a Fatality. It is Preserved by Superstition.

About five miles from Aiken, S. C., on the Charleston dirt road and in sight of the railway, is a little place that was first christened Polecat, but afterward changed to Montmorenci, the French for that odorous little animal.

It makes no difference how bad the wound if you use DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve; it will quickly heal and leave no scar.

An Epidemic of Whooping Cough. Last winter during an epidemic of whooping cough my children contracted the disease, having severe coughing spells.

Family Boarding House. Board and Lodging \$3.50 Table Board - - - 3.00 Corner 12th and Main Sts. MRS. A. GANTENSEN, PROP.

CASTORIA. The Kind You Have Always Bought. Bears the Signature of J. C. Fletcher.

For Decoration Day.

OREGON CITY, May 16, 1899. Post orders for Decoration and Memorial Day. Headquarters Meade Post No. 2, G. A. R.

Members of Meade Post and all old soldiers who desire to participate in the parade on Decoration Day will assemble at the Post room at 9 o'clock a. m. on Tuesday, May 30, 1899, preparatory to marching to the cemetery to decorate the graves of fallen comrades.

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Dr. Lyons, who has had charge of the dental parlors of Dr. Pickins, has opened an office in the old Methodist church building on Seventh St.

Sailors and Walking hats, the latest and lowest price. Miss GOLDSMITH.

To Cure a Cold in One Day. Take Laxative Bromo Quinine Tablets. All druggists refund money if it fails to cure. 25c The genuine has L. B. Q. on each tablet.

If you have piles, cure them. No use under going horrible operations that simply remove the results of the disease without disturbing the disease itself.

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LOCATED BETWEEN THE BRIDGE AND DEPOT

Double and Single Rigs, and saddle horses always on hand at the lowest prices. A corral connected with the barn for loose stock.

Information regarding any kind of stock promptly attended to by person of letter.

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Horses Boarded and Fed on reasonable terms.

Corvallis & Eastern R. R. Co. WILLAMETTE RIVER DIVISION

Steamer Wm. M. Hoag. (Capt. Geo. Raabe)

Running regularly between Portland and Corvallis, stopping at all way landings.

RIVER SCHEDULE

Down river, Tuesdays, Thursdays and Saturdays. Leaves Corvallis 6 a. m.; Albany 7 a. m.; Boena Vista 8 a. m.; Independence 9 a. m.; Salem 10 a. m.; Newberg 12:30 p. m.; arrive at Portland 4:30 p. m.

Up river, Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays. Leaves Portland 6 a. m.; Newberg 10:30 a. m.; Salem 3:30 p. m.; Independence 5:00 p. m.; Boena Vista 7:30 p. m.; Albany 9:30 p. m.; arrive at Corvallis 11:30 p. m.

This steamer has been equipped with first class accommodations, including an elegant piano. Unsurpassed for carrying both freight and passengers.

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Gives choice of two favorite routes, via the UNION PACIFIC Fast Mail Line, or the RIO GRANDE Scenic Lines.

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1 1/2 Days to Salt Lake 2 1/2 Days to Denver 3 1/2 Days to Chicago 4 1/2 Days to New York

Free Reclining Chair Cars, Upholstered Tourist Sleeping Cars, and Pullman Palace Sleepers, operated on all trains.

For further information, apply to F. A. DONALDSON, Agent at Oregon City. C. O. TERRY, W. E. COMAN, Trav. Pass. Agt. Gen'l Agent, 124 Third St., Portland, Or.

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DEPART FOR TIME SCHEDULES FROM PORTLAND. ARRIVE FROM

Fast Mail 8 p. m. Salt Lake, leaves North, Omaha, Kansas City, St. Louis, Chicago and East. Fast Mail 6:45 a. m.

Spokane Flyer 2:10 p. m. Walla Walla, Spokane, Astoria, St. Paul, Duluth, Milwaukee, Chicago and East. Spokane Flyer 1:30 a. m.

Dalles Local 8 p. m. Dalles, Bonneville, Minoumah Falls, Cascade Locks, and Hood River. Dalles Local 6:30 p. m. Ex-Sunday 7 p. m.

Ocean Steamships 8 p. m. For San Francisco—Every five days. 4 p. m.

To Alaska— 7 p. m. 5 p. m.

Columbia River Steamers 8 p. m. Ex-Sunday. To Astoria and Way-Landings. 4 p. m. Ex-Sunday

Willamette River 6 a. m. Ex-Sunday. Oregon City, Newberg, Salem and Way-Landings. 4:30 p. m. Mon, Wed and Fri.

Willamette and Yamhill Rivers 7 a. m. Tues, Thur and Sat. Oregon City, Dayton, and Way-Landings. 4:30 p. m. Tues, Thur and Sat.

Willamette River 6 a. m. Tues, Thur and Sat. Fortuna to Corvallis and Way-Landings. 4:30 p. m. Tues, Thur and Sat.

Snake River 6 a. m. Riparia to Lewiston. Leave Lewiston Daily. 4:30 p. m. Daily

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Regulator Line.

PORTLAND TO THE DALLES

By the fast and commodious steamer Regulator

Leaves Portland daily except Sunday at 7 a. m.

This is the Great Scenic Route. All tourist admit that the scenery on the Middle Columbia is not excelled for beauty and grandeur in the United States. Full information by addressing or calling on J. S. BOOTH, Agent, Portland, Or., Office and wharf, foot of Oak St.

EAST AND SOUTH

THE SHASTA ROUTE

Of the SOUTHERN PACIFIC COMPANY. Express Trains leave Portland Daily.

South North 7:00 p. m. Lv Portland Ar 8:00 a. m. 7:30 p. m. Lv Oregon City Lv 7:05 a. m. 7:45 a. m. Ar S. Francisco Lv 7:00 p. m. 5:00 p. m. Ar Oyster Lv 1:10 p. m. 6:05 p. m. Ar Denver Lv 6:45 p. m. 6:40 a. m. Ar Omaha Ar 8:50 a. m. 8:15 p. m. Ar Chicago Lv 6:30 a. m. 7:00 a. m. Ar Los Angeles Ar 9:25 p. m. 8:15 p. m. Ar El Paso Ar 2:35 p. m. 4:15 p. m. Ar Fort Worth Ar 8:40 a. m. 7:55 a. m. Ar New Orleans Ar 8:40 p. m.

DINING CARS, OBSERVATION CARS. Pullman first class and tourist cars attached to all through trains.

ROSEBURG MAIL (Daily) 8:30 a. m. Lv Portland Ar 4:30 p. m. 9:25 a. m. Lv Oregon City Lv 5:30 p. m. 5:20 p. m. Ar Roseburg Lv 7:30 a. m.

CORVALLIS MAIL DAILY (Except Sunday) 7:30 a. m. Lv Portland Ar 5:50 p. m. 11:55 a. m. Ar Corvallis Lv 1:20 p. m.

At Albany and Corvallis connect with trains of Corvallis & Eastern railroad.

INDEPENDENCE PASSENGER DAILY (Except Sunday) 4:50 p. m. Lv Portland Ar 8:25 a. m. 7:30 p. m. Ar McMinnville Lv 5:50 a. m. 8:30 p. m. Ar Independence Lv 4:20 a. m.

Direct connection at San Francisco with steamship lines for Hawaii, Japan, China, The Philippines and Australia.

For through tickets and rates call on or address E. E. Boyd, Agent, R. KOEHLER, G. H. MARKHAM, Manager, G. F. & P. Agent, Portland, Oregon



FOR CLATSKANIE

Steamer G. W. Shaver, LEAVES

Portland foot of Washington street Tuesday, Thursday and Sunday evenings at 5 o'clock. Returning, leaves Clatskanie Monday, Wednesday and Friday evenings at 5 o'clock. Will pass Oak Point about 7; Stella 7:15; Mayger 7:25; Rainier 8:20; Kalama 9:15; St. Helens 10:30. Arrive in Portland 1:30 a. m.

This is the nearest and most direct route to the great Nehalem valley.

Shaver Transportation Co.

SCHEDULES OF TIME SOUTHERN PACIFIC RAILWAY

NORTH BOUND. California Express (through) - 8:30 a. m. Roseburg Local (way stations) - 3:34 p. m.

SOUTH BOUND. Roseburg Local (way stations) - 9:24 a. m. California Express (through) - 6:52 p. m.

POSTAL SCHEDULE. BY SOUTHERN PACIFIC RAILROAD.

Mail closes going North. . . 3:05 p. m. Mail closes going South, 9 a. m. and 6:20 p. m. Mail distributed from North 7:30 p. m., 10:30 a. m. Mail distributed from South 9:10 a. m., 3:40 p. m.

BY EAST SIDE ELECTRIC LINE. Mail closes for Portland and distributing points, 12 m. Mail closes for Milwaukie only, 9 a. m. Mail arrives from Portland 1:30 p. m.

SIDE ROUTES. Oregon City to Ely, Carus, Mulline, Liberal and Mollala leaves at 12 m. and arrives at 1:30 a. m. daily.

Oregon City to Beaver Creek, Shubel, Clark, Meadow Brook, Union Mills and Colton leaves at 8 a. m. Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday, and returns on following days at 4:35 p. m.

Oregon City to Viola, Logan and Redland leaves Oregon City Monday, Wednesday and Friday at 1 p. m., leaving Viola same days at 7 a. m.

Oregon City to Willamette, Stafford, Wilsonville and Gracene arrives at 10:30 a. m. and leaves at 11:30 a. m. daily. General delivery window is open on Sunday from 10 to 11 a. m. All letters dropped into the box at the door is promptly sent off Sunday as on other days. All eastern mail that is delayed and fails to arrive on 9:30 P. train will come on 12 o'clock or 6:32 P. train.

The Marketing Point OF CLACKAMAS COUNTY

The factory towns of the East are noted for affording the best market to the neighboring farmers and gardeners in proportion to the population of any of the towns in that section. The reason for this is that the people of these towns have a fixed income upon which they can always depend, and, as a consequence, they are liberal buyers, paying cash for all their purchases.

As the Great Manufacturing Center of the Pacific Coast

OREGON CITY..

Is Coming to be One of the Best Marketing Towns in the State

This is proven every day by the number of farmers, who are to be seen on its streets selling their produce, who, until just the last few years, sought the markets of other towns. The system of macadamized roads that is being built into all parts of Clackamas county, will enable all the people of this county to share in the profitable market that Oregon City affords. If, as it is sure to do, the demands of Oregon City increase in the next five years as it has in the past five years, this city will rank next to Portland as a market place for

THE PRODUCE of the Farmer