

News of the Week

Friday, May 23.

Portland defeats Butte at baseball, 3 to 1.

Peace in South Africa is believed to be at hand.

Loubet received an ovation at St. Petersburg.

A negro fiend was burned at the stake in Texas.

Hoar spoke in the Senate against the Philippine bill.

The Rochambeau mission was entertained at the White House.

Victor C. Dolliver, of Iowa, addresses the Republicans at Ashland.

Planing mill owners get out injunction against interference by strikers.

The Senate passed the assay office bill and concurred in the House amendments to the Columbia River bridge bill.

George D. Evans, formerly a prominent politician and Deputy State Auditor of Washington, and a convict parole, commits suicide.

Saturday, May 24.

Loubet leaves Russia for France.

The war in South Africa is practically ended.

Young Corbett tested Kid Broad at Denver.

The worst eruption of Mount Pelee is yet to come.

Butte defeats Portland at baseball by a score of 4 to 0.

University of Oregon defeats Multnomah in dual athletic meet.

The Presbyterian Assembly goes on record against card-playing.

Portland Federated Trades endorse the strike and call out no more unions.

Terrible disaster at Fernie, B. C., by which from 125 to 150 lives were lost.

Mrs. Lopez petitions for the release of her brothers, who were deported from Luzon.

Robert Andrews elected grand master of the Oregon Odd Fellows, and Mrs. Atwood president of the Rebekah degree.

An explosion in the Coal Creek mines near Fernie, B. C., caused the almost instant death of between 125 and 150 miners in mines Nos. 1 and 2. Not a single person escaped. About 21 men saved their lives in the No. 3 workings.

The disaster is the worst in the annals of British Columbia coal mining, excepting that of Wellington, 18 years ago, by which 157 lives were lost. Immediately after the explosion a call for help was sent to Fernie, and the foremost of the rescue party was overcome by the after-damp, and his life was saved only by the timely aid of his comrades. In the work of rescue the miners made heroic sacrifices. The tunnels in which the disaster occurred were very long and badly ventilated. The miners are only six miles from Fernie, a town in the eastern part of the Province of British Columbia, on the Crow's Nest Pass branch of the Canadian Pacific Railway. It lies in the center of a country very rich in coal deposits. The building of the railway, four years ago, was followed by the operation of the coal mines, which belonged to a company composed largely of Toronto capitalists. These are the coal fields that J. J. Hill was reported to have gained control of a year or so ago, but beyond the Great Northern being one of the coal company's best customers, no evidence of this control has been apparent. Fernie's only industry is mining, and its population is about 5000. Most of the miners are foreign born.

Sunday, May 25.

Lord Pauncefoot died in Washington.

Registration in Multnomah County is 20,393.

No danger of June flood in Willamette River.

The South African war is practically at an end.

No more supplies are required in Martinique.

California defeated Princeton crack team, 7 to 6.



Mrs. D. Arnold, President German Woman's Club, Grand Pacific Hotel, Los Angeles, Cal., Relieved of a Tumor by Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound.

"DEAR MRS. PINKHAM:—I suffered four years ago with a tumor in my womb, and the doctors declared I must go to the hospital and undergo an operation, which I dreaded very much and hesitated to submit.

"My husband consulted an old friend who had studied medicine, although he was not a practicing physician, and he said he believed that Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound would cure me. That same day I took my first dose, and I kept it up faithfully until twelve bottles had been used, and not only did the tumor disappear, but my general health was very much improved and I had not felt so well since I was a young woman.

"As I have suffered no relapse since, and as I took no other medicine, I am sure that your Compound restored my health and I believe saved my life."—MRS. D. ARNOLD.

\$5000 FORFEIT IF THE ABOVE LETTER IS NOT GENUINE.

When women are troubled with irregular, suppressed or painful menstruation, weakness, leucorrhoea, displacement or ulceration of the womb, that bearing-down feeling, inflammation of the ovaries, backache, bloating (or flatulence), general debility, indigestion, and nervous prostration, or are beset with such symptoms as dizziness, faintness, lassitude, excitability, irritability, nervousness, sleeplessness, melancholy, "all-gone," and "want-to-be-left-alone" feelings, blues, and hopelessness, they should remember there is one tried and true remedy. Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound at once removes such troubles. Refuse to buy any other medicine, for you need the best.

Wednesday, May 28.

Slight and general decline in stocks.

Corn prices again move up at Chicago.

Oregon State Grange convenes at Salem.

West Indian volcanoes show signs of renewed activity.

China Mutual Steamship Line was sold for \$2,600,000.

The teamsters' strike may cause a meat famine at Chicago.

Large sash and door factory burned at Grant's Pass will be rebuilt.

Only minor details remain to be settled in the Anglo-Boer peace negotiations.

Portland Master Builders will not resume work until planing-mill boycott is off.

The Ohio Republican convention is practically unanimous for Hanna's reelection.

One man was killed and 100 hurt by the collapse of a temporary sidewalk at New York.

C. E. S. Wood, Democratic nominee for United States Senator, criticises his party's campaign.

What Shall We Have For Dessert?

This question arises in the family every day. Let us answer it to-day. Try Jell-O, a delicious and healthful dessert. Prepared in two minutes. No boiling! no baking! simply add boiling water and set to cool. Flavors:—Lemon, Orange, Raspberry and Strawberry. Get a package at your grocer's today. 10c.

Scientific Rheumatism Cured After Fourteen Years of Suffering.

"I have been afflicted with scientific rheumatism for fourteen years," says Josh Edgar, of Germantown, Cal. "I was able to be around but constantly suffered. I tried everything I could hear of and at last was told to try Chamberlain's Pain Balm, which I did and was immediately relieved and in a short time cured, and I am happy to say it has not since returned." Why not use this liniment and get well? It is for sale by G. A. Harding, Druggist.

Round Trip Excursion Rate to Clatsop and North Beach Points via Astoria and Columbia River Railroad.

Beginning June 1st, round trip excursion tickets will be placed on sale at A. & C. R. R. ticket office, corner Third & Morrison Sts., and Union Depot, Portland, to all points on Clatsop Beach via rail direct, and to all beach points on I. R. & N. Co.'s line (except Ilwaco) via A. & C. R. R. to Astoria and steamer and rail from Astoria, a popular round trip excursion rate of \$4.00, and from Portland to Flavel and return \$3.00 good for return passage until October 15th. Similar excursion tickets issued by the O. R. & N. Co., Vancouver Transportation Co. and Columbia River & Puget Sound Navigation Co. to points on Clatsop Beach (except Flavel) and points on North Beach (except Ilwaco) will be honored on trains of the A. & C. R. R. in either direction.

Close connection made at Astoria with Steamer Nahcota to and from North Beach points. The above rate includes transfer of baggage between depot and deck.

Wants Others to Know.

"I have used DeWitt's Little Early Risers for constipation and torpid liver and they are all right. I am glad to endorse them for I think when we find a good thing we ought to let others know it," writes Alfred Heinze, Quincy, Ill. They never gripe or distress. Sure, safe pills. Geo. Harding.

Fire yesterday afternoon destroyed the factory and mills of the Sugar Pine, Sash & Door Company, Williams Bros. and a number of dwellings in Grant's Pass. The loss will be about \$100,000 and the insurance is very small. In fighting the fire, J. A. Turner was severely burned, and may die.

Tuesday, May 27.

Paul Mohr road sold.

The Senate passed 62 pension bills.

A Turkish battalion was annihilated in Arabia.

Statistical position of Pacific Coast freights is weak.

Oregon prune trees badly damaged by cold rains and frost.

The Boer peace conference at Vereeniging is still deadlocked.

Eighty-eight steam and sail vessels lost during month of March.

The Senate isthmian canal committee reports against Hoar's canal bill.

All strikers but plumbers and woodworkers in Portland return to work.

The Navy Department will transport Canadian lumber to St. Vincent sufferers.

The Presbyterian General Assembly adjourns to meet next year at Los Angeles.

Senator McBride was married to Mrs. Laura Walter Schweichtenberg in New York.

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Advertisement for Dr. Pierce's Pleasant Pellets, featuring an illustration of a woman and child, and text describing the medicine's benefits for various ailments.

Table of Real Estate Transactions, listing names, addresses, and values.

When the Lamp is Lit and the Children are in Bed

The tired mother gets out her mending basket and begins to darn the holes made in the hose by the restless feet of her little ones. It is so good to be quiet for a little she thinks. But very soon the over-wrought nerves assert themselves. She feels dizzy, her head throbs, and she has to lay aside the work and creep wearily to rest.

All work brings a natural weariness, a healthy tiredness. But there is a weariness which is not natural and a tiredness which is not healthy.



Prescription establishes regularity, the drains which weaken women, inflammation and ulceration of female weakness. It is the bestervative for maternity, giving strength and elasticity and making the baby's advent practically painless. It is unequalled, and nursing mothers will find it superior to beer or any medicines or beverages commonly believed to have a tonic and strengthening value. "Favorite Prescription" contains no alcohol, neither opium, nor any other narcotic.

HOW TO BE CURED.

Any woman suffering from womanly disease can almost surely be cured by the use of Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription. This statement is based on the testimony of many thousands of women who have been cured of womanly diseases (often when aggravated by neglect or wrong treatment, and generally of a serious and painful nature), by the use of "Favorite Prescription."

"I used four bottles of your 'Favorite Prescription' and one of 'Golden Medical Discovery,'" writes Mrs. Elmer D. Shearer, of Mount Hope, Lancaster Co., Pa., "and can say that I am cured of that dreaded disease, uterine trouble. Am in better health than ever before. Every one who knows me is surprised to see me look so well. In June, when I wrote to you, I was so poor in health that at times I could not walk. You

FREE MEDICAL BOOK. Dr. Pierce's Common Sense Medical Adviser, containing more than a thousand large pages is sent free of charge to any address on request. Send 31 one-cent stamps for cloth-bound volume, or only 15 for the book in paper covers. Dr. R. V. Pierce, Buffalo, N. Y.

Advertisement for Cascarets, featuring the text 'BEST FOR THE BOWELS' and 'HELLO!', along with an illustration of the product box.

Advertisement for Piles, featuring the text 'Dr. Williams' Indian Pile Ointment' and 'KEEP YOUR BLOOD CLEAN'.

Advertisement for Kodol Dyspepsia Cure, featuring the text 'Digests what you eat.' and 'It does you good'.

Advertisement for The Clackamas Abstract & Trust Co., listing services and contact information.

Advertisement for Hold Up a Congressman, featuring a testimonial from Champ Clark.

Advertisement for Rates Again Reduced From All Points East, featuring a testimonial from a traveler.

Advertisement for Sciatic Rheumatism Cured After Fourteen Years of Suffering, featuring a testimonial from Josh Edgar.

Advertisement for Round Trip Excursion Rate to Clatsop and North Beach Points via Astoria and Columbia River Railroad.

Advertisement for Castoria, featuring the text 'The Kind You Have Always Bought'.

Advertisement for Ely's Cream Balm, featuring the text 'Ely's Cream Balm' and 'COLD IN HEAD'.

Advertisement for E. I. Sias, featuring the text 'E. I. Sias DEALER IN Watches, Clocks, Jewelry, Spectacles'.