

Constipated All His Life.



MR. and MRS. WILBERT THOMPSON,
801 Main St., Peoria, Ill.
MULL'S GRAPE TONIC CURED HIM.

Wilbert Thompson never knew a well day until last June—he had been constipated all his life—many doctors treated him, but all failed to even help him—his health failed rapidly and on January 21, 1903, Mrs. Thompson asked us to suggest a treatment for her husband—We thought the case too serious and recommended that a specialist be consulted—but he also failed to help the patient—NOW HE IS WELL.

Mull's Grape Tonic Cured Him

Mrs. Thompson first wrote us as follows: "My husband, aged 23, suffers from sharp pains in his stomach and sometimes thinks it is his heart. Let me know by return mail what causes the pain, if you can. Mr. Thompson has been treated by several doctors, but they have given him up." We promptly advised that a first-class specialist be consulted. "We quote: "We want to sell Mull's Grape Tonic, because we know it will cure constipation, but see, a bottle is no object to us when a human life is at stake, and if your husband's case is as serious as you state, we suggest you consult a reliable specialist, not the advertising kind, promptly." At the same time, knowing that Mull's Grape Tonic could do no harm, we advised its use until a physician could be consulted. January 25 Mrs. Thompson wrote that a physician had been consulted. He diagnosed the case as being chronic constipation and dyspepsia. His treatment was followed faithfully, but there was no perceptible improvement in Mr. Thompson's health. Then he began taking Mull's Grape Tonic and on Sept. 3, 1903, we received the following letter from Mrs. Thompson:

"You will remember that I wrote to you last January in regard to my husband's health. It is four months since he quit taking Mull's Grape Tonic for constipation, which he suffered from since birth. He took just 24 bottles of it and is perfectly cured. He is much stronger and has gained considerably in flesh. I cannot thank you enough for Mull's Grape Tonic. It is worth its weight in gold." Just \$12 cured him and he has spent hundreds of dollars with doctors who did him no good. Now I want to state my case to you and expect your early reply. I also have constipation, have had for three years. Kindly let me know as I am sure it will cure me if you say it will, as it did all you claimed it would in my husband's case. I await an early reply."

Very respectfully yours, MRS. W. H. THOMPSON, 801 Main St., Peoria, Ill.

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I have never taken Mull's Grape Tonic, but if you will supply me with a 50c. bottle free, I will take it as directed.

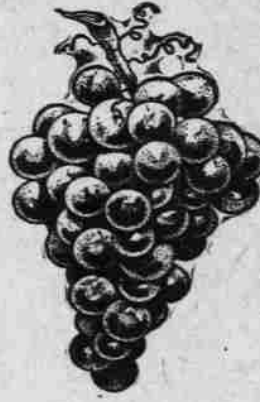
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WEATHER FOR MARCH.

U. S. Department of Agriculture Furnishes Some Statistics.

The following data, covering a period of 34 years, have been compiled from the Weather Bureau records at Portland, Oregon. They are issued to show the conditions that have prevailed during the month in question, for the above period of years, but must not be construed as a forecast of the weather conditions for the coming month.

Month, March for 34 years.
TEMPERATURE.
Mean or normal temperature 47°.

The warmest month was that of 1899, with an average of 54°.

The coldest month was that of 1897, with an average of 40°.

The highest temperature was 79° on the 29th, 1886.

The lowest temperature was 20° on the 2d, 1896.

The earliest date on which first killing frost occurred in autumn, October 13th.

Average date on which first gilling frost occurred in autumn, November 18.

Average date on which last killing frost occurred in Spring, March 17.

The latest date on which last killing frost occurred in Spring, May 9th.

PRECIPITATION.
Average for the month, 5.18 inches.

Average number of days with .01 of an inch or more, 18.

The greatest monthly precipitation was 12.76 inches in 1873.

The least monthly precipitation was 0.63 inches in 1885.

The greatest amount of precipitation recorded in any 24 consecutive hours was 2.35 inches on the 12th and 13th, 1877.

The greatest amount of snowfall recorded in any 24 consecutive hours (record extending to winter of 1884-85 only) was 2.0 inches on the 5th, 1894; 11th, 1897; and 11th, 1903.

RELATIVE HUMIDITY.
Average 5 a. m., 86; average 5 p. m., 68.

CLOUDS AND WEATHER.
Average number of clear days, 5.

Partly cloudy days, 10.
Cloudy days, 16.

WIND.
The prevailing winds have been from the south.

The average hourly velocity of the wind is 7 miles.

The highest velocity of the wind was 55 miles from the south, on the 25th, 1897.

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BARTON.

Not much news; too rainy. Some timber selling and some not sold. Guess they'll have soo to pay for what timber they get. Timber near Estacada sold for \$1 a thousand some time ago.

Geo. Forman will soon go to his eastern Oregon ranch. He is just taring his house roof, and has paint just from Chicago to paint the rustic. He also has a new incubator which his people will operate this summer.

Sunday School each Sunday. We think that just lots of people must have office itch by the number of men who want to serve the dear people.

H. Ward and family returned last

Saturday from an extended trip up the valley visiting and getting walnut orchard data. He has only 7 acres but he, like many others, will put out more.

Does a certain correspondent near Eagle Creek know there is a Pleasant Hill in the west end of this county that is ten times as big as his hill and been known by that name for 30 years and even the precinct is so named? Now considering the wood that grows on his hill, did he ever think of naming it Wood(hill)?

"They say" they are catching lots of fish in the Clackamas river now.

H. Ward, who lives by the Barton grist mill has artichokes to sell at 1c per pound, or trade for grain at market price.

Mr. Breithaupt is selling the last of his onion crop.

Arthur Hall spent Sunday with his mother.

People around here are registering pretty lively now.

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MT. PLEASANT.

Well, if has been a long time since we've heard from Mt. Pleasant, it's not dead yet.

Several young people of Mt. Pleasant attended the Methodist church last Sunday evening.

Miss Ruth Braker, of Beaver Creek, was visiting Miss Imogen Myers last Saturday and Sunday.

Mr. Earl Lutz was the guest of Walter Braker last Sunday.

Mrs. Rittenhaus and daughters the Misses Clara and Ivy, have been visiting Mrs. Chas. White, of Twilight, who is quite ill.

Mrs. Smith spent Sunday and Monday at her home at Mt. Pleasant.

The entertainment given last Thursday night was well attended according to the weather and the proceeds were \$7.50.

Misses Bertha and Lizzie Thomas and Nellie Buckner attended the Elyville Sunday school last Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. Warnock was calling on Mrs. M. Smith, Sunday.

Miss Alta Millard was visiting in Oregon City Sunday.

Mr. Way, who has been on the sick list for some time is getting better.

Mrs. Marrs, who has been visiting at Gresham for the past week, returned home again.

Mrs. Maud Harding, who has been at Gladstone for some time on account of her brother who is quite ill at the Hospital, has returned to her home.

Miss Cahill, who has been visiting her sister, Mrs. Clark, for the past week, has returned to her home at Beaver Creek.

The surprise party given to the honor of Mr. Morris Myers was quite a success.

Mr. Guy Walker, who has been working for Mr. Warnock for some time returned to his home at Gladstone last Friday.

The party given to the honor of Mr. and Mrs. Warnock was a successful affair in every particular and everybody enjoyed themselves.

Two is a couple, three is a crowd, and four is not allowed last Sunday evening which is not a very good plan.

The remarkable recovery of Kenneth McIver, of Vanceboro, Me., is the subject of much interest to the medi-

VIOLA.

Bert Mattoon made a trip to Estacada Monday.

Wm. Hitchbottom was seen on our streets Saturday. He returned to the DuBoise saw mill the first of the week.

Loren Tenney made a flying trip to Portland a few days ago.

Mr. Jubb is falling and burning a lot of dead timber on his farm.

Judging from the number of petitions we have had the opportunity of signing lately, the political pot will receive quite a skimming on the 20th of April.

The name of W. C. Hawley for congress is very popular in this part.

If anybody is in need of violent exercise let them drive over the two miles of old plank and broken corduroy between Viola and Redland.

Several of the vacant houses in our little town have been occupied of late by families who are working in the saw mill.

Carl Ward, from the DuBoise saw mill has been spending a few days in Viola.

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Disorders of the stomach produce a nervous condition and often prevent sleep. Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets stimulate the digestive organs, restore the system to a healthy condition and make sleep possible. For sale by Howell & Jones.

UNION HALL.

Mr. David Fancher, of Mt. Pleasant, was visiting Perry Burns and family last Sunday.

Mr. Enevans and wife were visiting at the home of John Robins last Saturday night and Sunday.

We learn that Irvin Wheeler, who resides on Prune Hill, is going to move to Sellwood in the near future.

John Molzen and wife were calling on friends last Sunday.

J. D. Wilkerson was hauling in hay today.

The potato market is dull here at present.

The Oregonians claim that we shall have a rain for every frost and if the rain keeps up much longer the rain will be ahead.

Joseph Pefinger called on John Thomas Sunday evening.

B. J. Helvey and his two sons were down from Marquam a few days ago. Otto Striker steps high nowadays—it is a girl. Mother and child doing well.

Frank Hilton made a business trip to Canby last Saturday.

School closed at this place last Friday. I don not know when the Spring term will commence.

Never can tell when you'll mash a finger or suffer a cut, bruise, burn or scald. Be prepared. Dr. Thomas' Electric Oil instantly relieves the pain—quickly cures the wound.

TWILIGHT.

Ward B. Lawton, school clerk, was here Monday, taking the school census.

George Lazelle made a business trip to Rainier last week.

James Hylton has purchaser a new buggy. Some one will have a buggy ride.

The children of our school enjoyed a taffy pull Thursday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. George Lazelle attended Warner Grange last Saturday.

Friends from the East are visiting at the home of Mr. Wells.

Mrs. Joehne has one hundred little chickens. Wonder who can beat that?

The regular meeting of Warner Grange at New Era was held last Saturday. Because of stormy weather, it was not very well attended by the members, but was very interesting.

The program for the Lecturer's Hour consisted of poems, sketches, and

speeches appropriate for the month containing the birthdays of Washington and Lincoln. Among the visitors were: Mrs. Mary Howard, State Secretary; A. Harrington; E. P. Carter, candidate for the legislature; Richard Scott, Republican candidate for County Judge; and Grant Dimick, Republican candidate for County Judge. The latter explained very thoroughly the primary law.

GEORGE.

The largest snow flakes of the season fell last Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Miller gave a dance last Friday evening. It was well attended and everybody reports a very good time.

Mr. Hans Paulson made a trip to Portland Sunday.

Mr. Will Held has returned from Bethany where he has been visiting his sister.

Mrs. Hans Klinker and sister were visiting Mr. and Mrs. Held one day last week.

Mr. Rob Miller, Mr. Henry Johnson, Mr. Carl Rath and Mr. Fred Linn, were out locating a road between the town of George and the city of Estacada last Sunday.

Miss Mae Strange and Mr. Henry Smith were the guests of Miss Klinker last Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Miller were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Peter Rath last Sunday.

A large crowd attended Sunday school last Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Adolph Weiderhold gave a dance at their home in Bissell last Monday evening. There was a large crowd present and everybody had a good time.

DOVER.

Mr. John Roberts and Master Web. Roberts were guests at a dinner party given by Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Kitzmiller.

S. E. Leonard, while hauling hay to his residence, last week, had a runaway. His team became unmanageable, upset the wagon. Beyond a few scratches and bruises, no damage was done.

Dr. Roebest, of Eagle Creek was called to attend Mr. Keith, who is critically ill with lung fever and pneumonia.

George Kitzmiller returned a week or so ago from a logging camp in Washington.

The Bowen farm for the coming year has been rented to Mr. Exon.

Mr. William Roberts went to Kelso last Wednesday on business.

Rudolph has returned to Dover to settle his business, preparatory to moving to Dover.

Mr. Keith, who has been seriously ill is improving and it is hoped will be seen about in a few weeks.

CARUS.

Rain, Rain, Rain!
Since the rain has come the grain is growing fine.

Mr. and Mrs. Fisher went to Oregon City Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Burgess and family spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Anderson and family.

Miss Emma Inskeep who has been working in Portland, spent Saturday and Sunday with her parents.

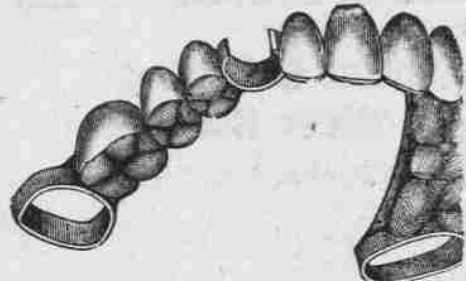
The dance at Burgess's Saturday night was quite a success.

Several of the boys from here have gone to Oregon City to work in the paper mills.

Lew Buckner and Gull Thomas spent Sunday at Ed Howard's.

Some of the boys from here attended the masque ball at Molalla Friday evening.

Emerson Spatz had a serious accident Saturday by falling from a ladder at C. E. Spence's. He broke his left arm and was injured otherwise. He is now under the care of Dr. M. C. Strickland.



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