

AN OPEN LETTER TO MOTHERS.

WE ARE ASSERTING IN THE COURTS OUR RIGHT TO THE EXCLUSIVE USE OF THE WORD "CASTORIA," AND "PITCHER'S CASTORIA," AS OUR TRADEMARK.

I, DR. SAMUEL PITCHER, of Hyannis, Massachusetts, was the originator of "CASTORIA," the same that has borne and does now bear *Chas. H. Fletcher's* wrapper. This is the original "CASTORIA" which has been used in the homes of the Mothers of America for over thirty years.

LOOK CAREFULLY at the wrapper and see that it is the kind you have always bought *Chas. H. Fletcher's* on the and has the signature of *Chas. H. Fletcher's* wrapper. No one has authority from me to use my name except The Centaur Company, of which Chas. H. Fletcher is President. March 24, 1898.

Samuel Pitcher, M.D.
Do Not Be Deceived.

Do not endanger the life of your child by accepting a cheap substitute which some druggist may offer you (because he makes a few more pennies on it), the ingredients of which even he does not know.

"The Kind You Have Always Bought" BEARS THE SIGNATURE OF

Chas. H. Fletcher's

Insist on Having
The Kind That Never Failed You.

A PIONEER EDUCATOR.

The Death of J.W. Johnson Closes a Well-Spent Life.

"John W. Johnson, of Eugene, whose health has been failing for some time, died at his home Wednesday. A wife and six children survive him. His death will be generally regretted throughout the state, as well as by the large number of persons who had come in contact with him as students at the state university, of which he was the first president, and which he resigned a few years ago on account of failing health. He however, retained the chair of Latin, which he held until a few days before his death. People here regard him as a Benton county man, having been reared near Corvallis, being a son of Charles Johnson, brother of Jos. D. Johnson, and having a large family of relatives in Benton.

"In 1858 he entered Yale college and graduated four years later. The late M. F. Mulkey, formerly of Corvallis, was his companion at college. Upon his return from the East he took up the profession of teaching and became the first principal of Portland high school, a position he held for seven years, his incumbency extended to the time he was selected as president of the state university in 1876. He was born near Kansas City, Mo., in 1836. Mr. Johnson's excellent character and exalted disposition are well impressed upon the many students who have attended the university and in this manner he has assisted greatly in elevating the morals of the state."

THE TROUBLE LIES WITH ALGER

"The whole trouble," said Secretary Alger, at Detroit last week, "has been in the volunteer troops not knowing how to care for themselves." Whereupon the Kansas City Star got funny and published an advertisement for the kind of volunteers that could serve according to the ideas of the Secretary of War:

WANTED—100,000 VOLUNTEERS

For the United States army, to serve for two years, or until the end of the war, or until death does us part. Must not be less than 18 nor more than 38 years old, and must be fully provided with the following essentials for taking care of themselves:

1. Medicines, ice and milk.
2. Water.
3. Rations.
4. Transport ships.
5. Suitable clothing.
6. Healthy camp grounds.
7. Hospitals.
8. Surgeons.
9. Ambulances.
10. Tents, coats and blankets.
11. Competent officers.

Wages \$15.00 a month and the gratitude of a great nation.
RUSSELL A ALGER,
Secretary of War.

THE LATE PROFESSOR JOHNSON.

Editorial in Sunday Oregonian: "It is not possible to estimate justly the value of such service as Professor John W. Johnson gave to Oregon, because its results lie beyond the possibility of definite discovery and identification. That it was very great there can be no question. To Professor Johnson and a few of like spirit it is due that the germs of a genuine scholarship and a wholesome culture, planted here in very early times by Chandler, Marsh, Atkinson and others, were nourished through the long and adverse period of pioneer conditions. It was their devoted attachment, under circumstances of some personal sacrifice, to the ideals of the student, that created here long before the days of material development, a body of home-bred youth of very exceptional mental training.

"Very much of the distinctive character of Oregon rests upon this fact, for no small part of her traditional independence has grown out of the efficiency of her own people to her own needs. Oregon has not had, like some others of the newer states, to look abroad for leadership or for talent in any department of community life. All that her conditions have demanded of personal ability and of mental or professional equipment has been found at home among her own people; and without such service Professor Johnson gave to the country, this could not have been said.

"Professor Johnson was neither a brilliant nor a great man, as the world measures men, but in his walk and sphere he did a work truly great, accomplishing what brilliant men often fail to do, namely, to impress upon those who come under their influence with true ideals and worthy aims in life. An inherent soundness of heart is the dominating spirit in all men of this character; but we suspect that what gave to Professor Johnson his rare effectiveness was his knowledge of and sympathy with Oregon and Oregonian ideas. He was in a very genuine sense of the world of scholarship; but no devotion to abstract learning, no spirit of academic exclusiveness, was ever permitted to separate him from the life and the people about him. The temper and the tone of Oregon life were in the man and part of him. He lived and worked with his own people, not as the representative of an abstract and foreign culture. Kindship, thoroughness, sympathy—in these fine traits lay the force of a career whose influences were all for good."

THE SENATORIAL CANDIDATE.

It is not necessary to announce that the coming session of the legislature will be strictly a business one. Millionaire Corbett is a candidate for United States senator, and it is not unlikely that the senatorial tee that long has been buzzing in his bonnet will reverse the

DISHES WASHED

Gold Dust does it. Morning, noon and night. Makes all dull things bright. Housework's a delight with it.

GOLD DUST Washing Powder

It gives to a humble home or a palace the cleansing touch that both alike require. It's woman's best friend and dirt's mortal enemy. THE S. K. FAIRBANK COMPANY, Chicago, St. Louis, New York, Boston, Philadelphia.



rule of the busy and hot ended honey bee. In other words instead of gathering sweets disburse them. An old man in his dotage!

Report credits the Portland banker with having materially assisted the party managers with the necessary "dough" to carry the legislature. That being the case the old man has strong claims on party fealty.

A POLITICAL SESSION.

Eugene Register, Pop. Governor Lord's action in calling a special session of the legislature meets the approval of no one but a few ring leaders and aspirants to office. The people feel that if they have been able to get along for nearly two years without legislative aid they should be able to stand it four months longer. But Lord has a personal interest in the matter, and will have his way at the expense of the people.

There is an item going the rounds of the press to the effect that the proper way to keep apples in winter is to wrap them in old newspapers so as to exclude the air. The newspaper however, must be one on which the subscription has been paid, otherwise dampness resulting from what is "dew" may cause the fruit to spoil.

Pendleton has the latest horror. A man crazed by drink ran amuck, killing a man, fatally wounding a woman and attempting to kill a girl. He should be treated like a mad dog.

At the Cannery.

Work Continues on Prunes—Tomatoes Will be Canned.

Daily Guard Sept 19.—The Eugene cannery has been running its evaporator very successfully the past 10 days on French prunes. These they will finish about Wednesday or Thursday and will commence immediately after on the Italian prunes, on which they expect to have quite a run.

Superintendent Montleith has returned from Idaho, where he has just put in a large plant for a party of capitalists, and will from now on give his personal attention to all matters pertaining to the curing of the fruit.

The management will can tomatoes again this year, their previous experiments having been very successful. A large order for cans has already been placed and this department of the establishment is being made ready for its run.

THE CUTTING SCRAPER.

Hughes Bound Over to Appear Before the Grand Jury in the Sum of \$250.

Daily Guard Sept 20.—Frank Hughes was given an examination before Justice Scott, at Creswell, yesterday on the charge of having cut Damon Sherwood on the arm and on the side of the neck, at R. R. Hayes' hop yard last Saturday evening. The defense offered no testimony. Hughes was bound over in the sum of \$250 to appear before the grand jury, which he promptly furnished. Attorney Harris appeared for the state and Attorney Blythe for the defendant. The row occurred at a dance, and it seems the young men, who were 18 and 19 years of age respectively, have been enemies for some time. Sherwood's wounds are not serious so we are informed.

Junction City : Milling Company.

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The most popular flour in the market. Sold by all leading grocers.

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If you wish to see the finest display of Books and Stationery Ever brought to Eugene.

Entire stock just received direct from Chicago.

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MONDAY, SEPT 19.

A BAD FALL.—Saturday evening John Kitchen, who resides at Goshen, fell a distance of 12 feet from a barn loft to the floor below, dislocating his collar bone. Dr. Ch. Shire was called and attended the injured man. Mr. Kitchen had a bit to drink with him, which fortunately did not break during the fall, thus averting what might have proved a fire.

DIED.—September 18, 1898, at the home of her brothers, H. D. Edwards, at High Banks, of cancer of stomach, Mrs. Alice E. Gager, aged 44 years. Deceased was a daughter of the late T. D. Edwards. The funeral occurred at 1 p. m. today at the L. O. F. cemetery of this city.

FOR THE EAST.—Rev. M. L. Rose and family and Misses Stella Robinson and Nettie Auten, will leave on tomorrow's forenoon's train to visit the Omaha Exposition and points in the East. J. F. Robinson will accompany the party as far as Portland.

FUNERAL.—The funeral of the late Mrs. Seth Simmons of Lake Creek, occurred yesterday at the Pleasant Hill cemetery. The remains were hauled the entire distance, about 53 miles, in a wagon, and the trip made in a day and one half of almost continuous traveling.

AT LAKE BENNETT.—J. D. Matlock writes from Lake Bennett that he has bought the interest of his brother William, in the hotel and store. Edis Matlock is local agent for a steamboat transportation line.

MARRIAGE LICENSE.—A marriage license was issued this forenoon by County Clerk Lee to J. W. Kouns and Mrs. E. L. Gover.

MARRIED.—At the residence of the officiating clergyman, in Eugene, Oregon, Sept 19, 1898, by Rev. P. O. Bonebrake, Mr. J. W. Kouns and Mrs. E. L. Gover.

SETTLED.—The suit commenced by Gray & Sons against J. P. Holland was settled today.

TUESDAY SEPT 20.

WELL KNOWN HERE.—Sunday's Oregonian publishes an article on "Oregonians at Omaha." It has to say concerning a lady well known and highly respected here: "Miss Clara Parsons, of Eugene, has charge of the educational exhibit, in the liberal arts building, which provokes nothing but praise, so superior is the display and so excellent the arrangement. For a number of years she was engaged in educational work, having taught school in Iowa, before moving to Oregon. Later she taught in the Willamette valley, and has kept pace with the progressive strides made in educational work, and is in a position to state that the Oregon display compares very favorably with those of other states. Mrs. Parsons was a charter member of the Women's Relief Corps organized at Eugene, and has always shown an interest in local affairs where the influence of progressive, enterprising women has been required."

A FAILURE.—The Dalles T. M. of Monday: "The project of Christian Brothers to haul freight from the Dalles to Silver Lake, by steam has ended as many thought it would end in a complete failure. The engine and empty wagons, after nearly a month's labor, have reached the Davis ranch eight or ten miles beyond Shearer's bridge. Part of the freight was unloaded at Long Hollow, fifteen miles from here, and the remainder at Shearer's bridge and is now probably on the way to Silver Lake by the old method. The engine will be taken to Silver Lake and probably used to drive a wood saw or saw mill or something of that kind, although the Christian's we are told, still talk of using it to haul freight across the Crook county desert to Silver Lake."

LARGEST MINE IN THE WORLD.—Cottage Grove Leader: It may not generally be known that the Black Butte Cinnabar mine is probably the best as well as the largest quicksilver mine in the world. The largest smelting furnaces for the reduction of the ore has just been completed and is capable of supplying when worked to its full capacity, the entire quicksilver market of the United States. Supt. Behrman says there are now over 60 men on the company's payroll and that two large boarding houses have been built, one at the mine and one at the smelter, for the accommodation of employees. Though it is not generally known, yet it is a fact, that the prominence and extensiveness of these mines are more generally talked of in France and Germany than right here in our web-foot.

LIGHTNING STRIKES.—Yesterday morning lightning struck in the stubblefield of Mr. Barrett the dairyman, about 200 yards from his barn. The stubble was ignited and burned for some time.

MARRIED.—Monday's Albany Democrat: Dr. E. A. McAlister, formerly a resident of Albany, and Miss McDonald were married in Eugene yesterday, Rev. Brown officiating.

MARRIED.—In Salem, this forenoon Thomas Caulfield and Miss Margaret Murray. Mr. Caulfield is known by many of our citizens.

CHRONIC ECZEMA

CURED BY CUTICURA
I was troubled several years with chronic Eczema, on my head and face. I took medical treatment from two doctors and several lotions, but received little relief. At times, the dreadful itching became almost intolerable, and I was almost distracted. I tried CUTICURA REMEDY. The Eczema rapidly disappeared, and I am well, with no trace of my cutaneous disease. J. EMMETT REEVES, Feb. 22, 1898.
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Beware of cheap imitations. The name CUTICURA is prominent on the wrapper, and is blown in the glass of each bottle.
Sold by all druggists, grocers, and dealers in household goods.
Prepared by Dr. J. C. Allen, Lowell, Mass.
Beware of cheap imitations. The name CUTICURA is prominent on the wrapper, and is blown in the glass of each bottle.



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There has never been any question of rivalry about

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It is acknowledged by all to be the Victor. Its campaign has been successful because its forces have been irresistible. These forces are high quality and large quantity for a low price. In no other way can you get so large a piece of really good chewing tobacco for 10c.

Remember the name when you buy again.



NERVE SEEDS...
To THE EAST.—Rev. and Mrs. M. L. Rose and family, Mr. and Mrs. J. N. B. Fuller and Mrs. Fuller's mother, and Miss Stella Robinson and Mr. Nettie Auten formed a party that left today for the East. They will journey to Omaha together, and from there will visit in various states. Most of the party will be absent two months.

MONEY TURNED OVER.—Sheriff Withers today turned over to Treasurer Patterson the sum of \$1599.37, tax money. This makes \$9,280 collected by the present incumbent of the sheriff's office. The delinquent roll now only amounts to about \$6,300.

POSTOFFICES ESTABLISHED.—The following new postoffices have been established in Lane county since last December: Amor; Elliston, Estrug, Mirth, Ord, Saginaw, Samaria, Vida. Names changed: Gate Creek to Elliston. Discontinued: Siuslaw, mail to Lorane; Wallace, mail to Cottage Grove.

MARRIED.—At Minneapolis, Minn., Saturday, Sept 17, 1898, Miss Demarius Schofield to Mr. Lester G. Hallin, of Eugene. They will remain in the East about one year before returning to Oregon. The bride resided in this city about eight years ago.

ROAD FINISHED.—Benj. Lyons came down from Bohemia, last night, having completed the road into the mines. Owing to a larger rock formation than anticipated, the building has been slow, and likewise costly to the contractors.

HORSES STOLEN.—Some thief stole five head of horses from Alex. Cooley, near Cottage Grove, Saturday night. Three of the horses came home yesterday, and their condition showed that they had been ridden very hard.

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The great remedy for nervous prostration and all nervous diseases of the generative organs of either sex, is MOTT'S NERVE-PILLS. It is a powerful tonic, and restores the system to its normal condition. It is a powerful tonic, and restores the system to its normal condition. It is a powerful tonic, and restores the system to its normal condition.

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