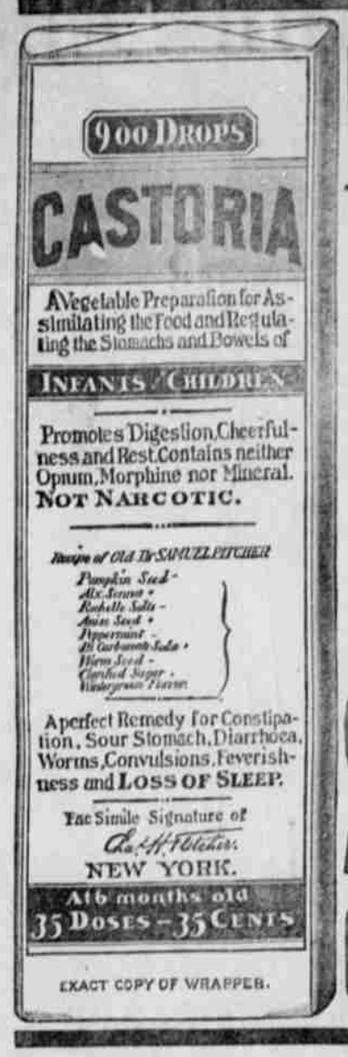

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WHEAT IN RUSSIA.

A Distinguished American Says There is a Big Shortage.

John W Bookwalter, the political economist of Springfield, Ohio, who is traveling in Russia, writing on August 14 gives a gloomy account of the condition of that country through which he passed. He says: "Throughout the whole distance to the Ural mountains from Moscow, nearly 1000 miles, the crops at best were very poor, but in five governments, of which Samara is the center and embracing a region fully 500 miles square the crop even grass, were an absolute failure. In the government of Samaria, twice as large as Belgium, they were burned out, and the farmers will not raise enough to supply one-fifth of the population. This stricken district is the Volga region, and the finest spring wheat and cereal section in Russia. It usually produces immense crops and generally a large exportable surplus." As the population of that region is about 12,000,000, a large importation of grain will be required to supply the necessities of the people.

Mr Bookwalter was informed by a Russian official that they expected to import into those provinces not less than 80,000,000 bushels of grain this year; that the stocks in Russia are completely exhausted, and with the stocks of the world so completely depleted, he says he cannot see how wheat under the circumstances is to remain down. This being true, and there is no reason to doubt Mr Bookwalter's statement, the wheat growers have much to encourage the belief that with him they cannot see how wheat is to remain down at the present prices. Under the conditions which exist for a large home consumptive demand, Russia will have little or none to spare for export.

WEALTH OF THE POPE.

The wealth of the popes is always an interesting subject, and some details are supplied by the Rome correspondent of the London "Morning Post" with regard to the financial conditions of the holy see and the wealth accumulated by Leo XIII, during his pontificate. Pius IX, his predecessor, collected $10,000,000, but Leo XIII according to this authority, has almost doubled the amount. This money is disposed partly in the Bank of England and partly in the other large European banks. The holy see has no debts. The few that existed at the death of Pius IX have been paid by the present pope. The vatician budget shows every year a slight surplus. It is not certain how much has been received by Leo XIII for his private benefit, but the value of the presents to him during his reign is believed to be quite $10,000,000. Pius IX may have received more, but this is difficult to judge, as he gave away his presents as freely as he received them. Leo XIII, on the contrary, has kept them, and they are so many that they will perhaps be collected and placed in a museum. The correspondent gives a list of some of the more valuable presents made to the pontiff, including gems and gold and silver religious emblems. Included in the list and probably the most valuable is a very large African diamond the gift of President Kruger, of the Transvaal republic, which is reported to be worth $40 000 There is also a ring from the sultan value $10,000. There is not much satisfaction to the financial officers of the pope in these treasures, as they go to the vatician museums and cannot be realized on for current expenditures.

A SENATORSHIP SALE.

Salem is the objective point for piece-making politicians these days. A senatorship is to be disposed of and a millionaire banker of Portland is understood to have an open sack for the benefit of legislators who are open for inducements. It is a disgraceful state of affairs.

That great moral conservator, the Oregonian, never wearies in telling of the "rotten borough" politics of the state of Nevada with incidental flings at the thrifty habits of California statesmen who have held down legislative seats at their state capitol. Now it is silent as the grave about the attempt to purchase a senatorship in this state of Oregon for a decayed and decrepit old man. And the shadow of the contemplated outrage on the people of our state falls athwart the door of the Oregonian building.

From the Dalles T-M: John McNeal, our Dalles boy of the First U S Cavalry who has just got back from Santiago de Cuba tells a story of the storming of San Juan heights that will bear repeating. Everybody has read of the flanking of the Seventy first New York, how when they refused to face the storm of Spanish musketry a negro regiment in their rear compelled them to lie down on the ground while the negroes marched on over them. Mr McNeal's regiment followed in the rear of the colored regiment. As they marched over the prostrate bodies of the New Yorkers, one of the latter's officers lifted his head and addressing the cavalry captain said: "Say, for Christ's sake go no further; they're fighting like hell up there." "You damned fool you" answer the captain, "did you expect it was going to be a Sunday school picnic?"

From the Springfield Republican: If the Maine and Vermont vote correctly reflects the popular temper in the country at large the Democracy will stand an excellent chance of securing control of the Fifty-sixth congress. Algerism and faint and uncertain leadership respecting the new problems and dangers confronting the nation are doing a perfect work in deadening republican anthusiasm.

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MONDAY, SEPT 26.

AN OLIVE BRANCH. — Corvallis Times: Through the courtesy of Rev W J Fenton, pastor of the M E church South, the State Agricultural College has fallen heir to about two thousand volumes that were in the old Corvallis college which is now being torn down. These books which made two large dray loads have been moved to the O A C library room and will be arranged in place at once. The courtesy of Rev Fenton in this matter is very much to be commended. In effect it holds out the ollve branch of peace in a controversy that was hitherto attended with much bitterness.

CARE FOR THE ORPHANS.—I F Tobey, superintendent of the Oregon Children's Home Society, says that during the society's three years work in the state it has received and placed in excellent family homes 204 children. The superintendent has organized 42 local advisory boards in county seats and large towns, made 200 addresses, and traveled about 25,000 miles. He now has several young children waiting for homes. Anyone wishing to adopt these children should communicate with him, 602 Marquam building, Portland, Or.

ON A FURLOUGH.—Florence West: "Last Saturday their many friends in Florence and vicinity were surprised and pleased to meet Will Bay and Walter Haring, two Siuslaw boys who belong to company M of the 1st Washington volunteers. They returned home on a 20 days furlough, after being in the service since last April. The boys are well and are in hopes they will have an opportunity to go to the Philippines." The boys left for San Francisco a day or two later, their regiment having been ordered to Manila.

A O U W PROMPT PAYMER.—Brother J W Johnson died on the 14th day of September. His beneficiary certificate for $2000, was paid to his widow on the 25th day of the same month. Just 11 days

A CURIOSITY.—Two rose bushes in the east city park present a peculiar appearance. Each one has been grafted. One has deep red and white blossoms and the other deep red and pink blossoms.

DIED—Sept 25, 1898, at his home on upper Mohawk, of infirmities due to old age, W M Crabtree, aged 78 years. The funeral will occur tomorrow to the Camp Creek cemetery.

HOPS SOLD.—N P Hammitt today sold to A G Helden, Horst Bros agent, 30 bales of hops for 12 cents.

Chas Savage, of Brownville, writes home from Presido: "The U S officer in command of our company is a 'dandy.' He bought us a baseball outfit costing $15, and every two or three days we take an afternoon off and play. Tomorrow or Friday will be pay day and we get our $15.60, then everybody will be happy. Last pay day some of the Portland fellows were gone from camp four days and nights, but that means guard house for a week or two and a fine of $10 or $15 dollars, and possibly, a court martial."

"Please, sir, can't you help me?" asked the seemingly mendicant; "I am sick and in need of a few dimes."

"If you are sick, why don't you go to the hospital?" answered the substantial citizen. "Why do you need a few dimes?"

"I thought a little change would do me good," was the plausible reply.

Norfolk, Nebraska Daily News, Sept 15: Mrs H A Beeler of Eugene, Oregon, is visiting her sons Messrs F A and L M Beeler in this city.

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TUESDAY SEPT 27.

TO GO TO LAKE.—Judge Hamilton will go to Lake county as soon as he returns from Coos county says the Roseburg Review, about Oct 17th, to hold court for Judge Benson. The Lakeview Register says: "Judge Hamilton, of Douglas county, is a man of pronounced ability in the law profession, having had a varied practice, and his judicial qualifications are highly commended by the leading men of the bar. The people of Lake county can rest assured that although Judge Benson will not be here for the entire term, he will have a worthy and capable representative in the person of Judge Hamilton."

WORK PROGRESSING.—Today's Salem Statesman: "Active operations are progressing at Dallas for the building of the new $40,000 court house for Polk county. Excavations have been begun and everything will be pushed as rapidly as possible until the structure is completed. L N Roney, of Eugene, has the contract for the basement stone work, and D D Neer of Portland, is the architect. The building will be similar to the Eugene court house, but smaller.

MISS WILLARD'S BIRTHDAY.—The W C T U will observe Wednesday, Sept 28, Miss Francis E Willard's birthday, with a special program, rendered by the young women. Final arrangements will be made for entertaining the state convention, which meets here October 4th to 7th. All White Ribboners and friends of temperance are requested to be present at Mount's hall on Wednesday, Sept 28 at 3 p m.

TO BE MARRIED.—This evening at 8 o'clock Mr John S Coleman and Miss Alice Elliott, of Cottage Grove, will be married in the parlors of the Hotel Hoffman in this city, by Rev J C Wooley. Tomorrow they will leave for Portland and other points north on a short trip before returning home. Each party to the affaire d'amour is well and favorably known and will receive the warm congratulations of their friends.

ARE SCARCE.—Real estate men say that desirable houses for residence purposes are remarkably scarce from a tenants standpoint. A good many applications are coming to them at present that they cannot fill. While there is very little sale of city property, this scarcity tends to bring in vogue slightly stiffer prices in city realty and a firmer market.

BUSY TIMES.—The past few days the hop pickers and agriculturists have crowded the stores, making purchases for the winter. It has given the business streets a most prosperous air, and if merchants and clerks go home of evenings tired and worn from their toil, it is with the satisfaction of a day well spent.

LESS THAN 100.—The registrations at the University at noon today numbered less than 100 students. It is stated that probably twenty more are expected during the next few days

CIRCUIT COUT CASE.—Mary Jane McCubbin has instituted suit in the Lane county circuit court against Earl and Luella Moxley to reform a a deed and quiet title.

HOPS SOLD.—Isaac Yokum, well known in Eugene, sold 250 bales of hops at Dallas Saturday, for 15 cents per pound. Ike is doing well in the hop business.

MARRIAGE LICENSE.—County Clerk Lee today issued a marriage license to John S Coleman, 42 years and Miss Alice Elliott, 37 years.

LECTURE.

Mrs Narcissa White Kinney in Eugene October 7th.

Mrs Narcissa White Kinney, State President of the Woman's Christian Temperance Union, will lecture in Eugene on the evening of October 7th.

Mrs Kinney has a national reputation as a platform speaker and the people of Eugene may well expect an able address on this occasion.

Wickwire— I don't exactly like the idea of calling one of the new ships of war "The American Girl."

Yahsley—What is the matter with it?

Wickwire—It sounds to tame. "The Hired Girl" would give a much better idea of destruction and desolation.

Over at Mule, Harney county, lives John Hoss, the sheepman. His postoffice address is John Hoss, Mule, Or. John is a bully good fellow, but it gets the best of him when the boys insist on calling him "hoss" mule.

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My niece's little baby boy had Eczema all over his face, so that he needed continuous watching, and he scratched the sores constantly. Mornings, his face, hands and clothes would be stained with blood. She never could take him out, his face was so full of sores. She had medical treatment, and tried everything she heard of. She commenced using the CUTICURA REMEDIES. The sores left his face and hands entirely cured, and now his face is smooth and rosy.

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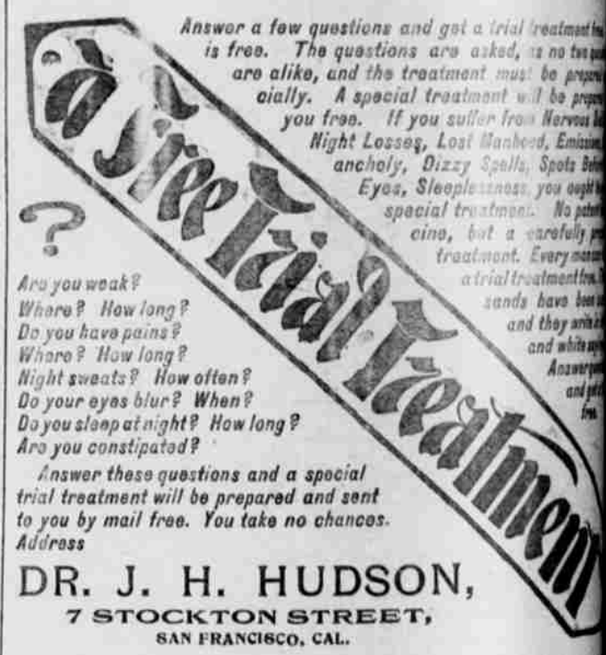

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