

THE FARMER'S WIFE.

Up with the birds in the early morning— The dewdrop glows like a precious gem; Beautiful tints in the skies are dawning; But she's never a moment to look at them.

Oh, glorious colors the clouds are turning, If she would but look over hills and trees; But here are the dishes, and here is the churning— Those things always must yield to these.

The days grow hot and her hands grow weary, Oh, for an hour to cool her head, Out with the birds in the winds so cheery! But she must get dinner and bake the bread.

They do not know that the heart within her Hungers for beauty and things sublime; They only know that they want their dinner Plenty of it—and just "on time."

For the world is quick to censure mothers, For the least neglect of children's clothes, Her husband comes from the field of labor; He gives no praise to his weary wife; She's done no more than has her neighbor; 'Tis the lot of all in country life.

But after the strife and weary tussle With life is done, and she lies at rest, The nation's brain and heart and muscle— Her sons and daughters—shall call her blessed.

GENERAL NOTES AND NEWS.

The best society and conversation is that in which the heart has a greater share than the head.

A rubber checker board which can be rolled up and put in your coat pocket, is the latest.

Lucien Heath, Oregon's first Secretary of State, is president of a banking establishment at Santa Cruz, Cal.

It is asserted that three thousand persons have visited Yaquina Bay the past Summer for recreation and pleasure.

In the east they do say that the mosquitoes are wearing striped extremities. As well be out of the world as out of the fashion, you know.

A Vermont woman says that a man's vest makes the easiest and nicest corset ever invented; and now look out for female agents.

The deaf mute school at Salem has been thoroughly reorganized, Prof. L. C. Tuck, late of Maryland, having general supervision.

D. D. Prettyman, says the Record, sends us samples of the second crop of very fine strawberries, grown on his vines in the Polk county hills.

The idea of teaching every girl to thump a piano, and every boy to be a book-keeper, will make potatoes worth \$4 per peck in twenty years.

An American editor acknowledges the receipt of a bottle of brandy, 48 years old, and says: "This brandy is so old that we fear it cannot live much longer."

The lady who fell back on her dignity came near breaking it; and the man who couldn't stand it any longer has taken a seat, and is now quite comfortable.

General Grant is bitterly attacked by a correspondent in the Dublin Freeman, who says he insulted the Irish nation by refusing to accept its congratulatory address.

The great Corliss engine in the machinery hall, Philadelphia, has been taken down and packed ready for removal to Providence, R. I. Seventy railroad cars will be needed to carry it.

"No, papa," she said to fully, "I renounce Theodore forever, and I will never marry him. I saw him in the regatta when he had no shirt on, and I'll never marry a man with a wart on his back!"

The long stalks of wheat sent to newspaper offices every spring should be carefully preserved and presented to summer resort hotels. Short straws and low counters are making the tall young men of our best society fruitfully round-shouldered.

Eminent physicians in Quaker city make affidavit that the ringing of church bells are unwholesome to healthy adults and destructive to the rest of the infants, and ask, with property holders, for an injunction to restrain the ringing of the bells of St. Mark's.

Waiter: "What would you be pleased to order, sir? We have potage printanier a la Julienne; Fricandeau de veau avec croquettes des pommes de terre; rissoles de bouef—" Milesian: "Well, give us a plateful of whichever of them's nearest to Irish stew!"

Architect Muller in his anxiety to put a mansard roof on the Hayes Administration, has offered his services to the Democratic State Central Committee as a stump speaker in the present canvass in Ohio. It is needless to say his magnanimous(?) offer was refused.

A whoop-bang sort of a boy, with feet as broad and flat as a pie tin, trotted through the Central Market, yesterday, till he reached a stall kept by a single woman about thirty years old. Halting there he yelled out: "Say! say! Your little boy has been run over and killed, up to the city hall!" "Oh! oh! Heavens—oh! oh!" she screamed as she made a dive under the counter, came up on the outside, and started to follow the boy. After going ten feet she halted, looked very foolish all of a sudden, and remarked: "What a goose I am! Why, I ain't even married!"

"What Everybody Says Must Be True."

The incontrovertible testimony offered by those who have used Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription induced the doctor to sell it under a positive guarantee. Many ladies have refrained from using it on account of a general feeling of prejudice against advertised medicines. Let me ask a question. Are you prejudiced against sewing machines because you have seen them advertised?

WABASH STATION, Ill., Oct. 24th, 1876. R. V. Pierce, M. D., Buffalo, N. Y.: Dear Sir—Allow me to extend my most sincere thanks to you for the great benefit my wife has received from the use of your Favorite Prescription. She suffered almost intolerably before using your medicine, and I feel that I cannot speak too highly in praise of the skill of several physicians, but to no purpose. Finally, I thought I would give the Favorite Prescription a trial, and she is now sound and well.

Very gratefully yours, D. A. HUNTER. From a Physician. Hyde Park, Vt., Feb. 7, 1876. Messrs. Seth W. Fowle & Sons, Boston: Gentles—You may perhaps remember that I wrote you several weeks ago in regard to the use of the PERUVIAN SYRUP for my wife, who was suffering from general debility, the sequense of Typhoid Dysentery. I had tried the most noted physicians in this State, and also in Canada, without relief.

"It's only a Cough" has brought many to untimely graves. What is a cough? The lungs or bronchial tubes have been attacked by a cold; nature sounds an alarm-bell, telling where the disease lies. Wisdom suggests "try WISTAR'S BALSAM OF WILD CHERRY;" it has cured, during the last half of a century, thousands upon thousands of persons. As long as you cough, there is danger, for the cough is a Safety Valve. Use "WISTAR'S" and be cured. Sold by all druggists.

LEGAL ADVERTISEMENTS. Administrator's Sale of Real Estate. In the matter of the estate of Edwin Taylor, deceased.

IN PURSUANCE OF AN ORDER AND license of the County Court of the State of Oregon, for Josephine county, sitting for the prosecution of probate business at the September term, 1877, the undersigned, administrator of the estate of Edwin Taylor, deceased, will sell at public auction, on a credit, of six months at the Court House door in Kertyville, in said county, on

Saturday, October 13, 1877, at 1 o'clock P. M., the following described real property, situated in Josephine county, Oregon, belonging to the said deceased, to-wit: Lot 6, No. 5, in section 35, township 36 south, range No. 7 west, and also two mining ditches.

BY VIRTUE OF AN EXECUTION AND order of sale duly issued out of the Circuit Court of the State of Oregon, for the county of Jackson, on the 28th day of August, A. D. 1877, and to me directed and delivered, in favor of the Board of Commissioners for the sale of School Land and the management of the Common School Fund, and against H. A. Grigsby and A. M. Grigsby, for the recovery of the sum of three hundred and fifty-four and 70-100 (\$354.70) dollars, gold coin, and interest at ten per cent. per annum, and the further sum of \$29.75 costs and disbursements and also the accruing costs, I have levied upon and offer for sale for cash, in U. S. gold coin, at public auction to the highest bidder, at the Court House door, in Jacksonville, Jackson County, Oregon, on

Saturday, the 6th day of October, 1877, at two o'clock P. M. of said day, the following described real property to-wit: The south-east quarter of section twenty-five (25) in township 36 south, range No. 2 west, situated in Jackson County, Oregon, and levied upon as the real property of the above named defendants, H. A. Grigsby and A. M. Grigsby, to satisfy the above named execution and order of sale.

GREAT REDUCTION IN THE PRICE OF SEWING MACHINES. Hereafter the NEW WHITE Sewing Machine will be sold for \$45. The same machine sold for \$75 before the reduction in price.

The White is considered by those who are using them to be the easiest running; simplest; makes less noise; has the simplest and easiest threading shuttle; more room under the arms; the best feed; has no noisy cans and cog wheels; is made of the best material; not easy to get out of repair; every part is made so that any lost motion, by simply turning a screw can be taken up; it is the latest production, therefore the best; has less machinery than any shuttle machine in the world.

Parties wishing to buy the best Sewing Machine should call on Miss Dora Cardwell, Jacksonville, and examine the White. Miss Cardwell will be pleased to show all about the machine and give instructions free. Every machine warranted to please.

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THE UNDERSIGNED HEREBY DESIRES to announce to the public that he is now prepared to fill all orders for cakes of every description, such as wedding cakes, cakes for parties, wine cakes; also brown and rye bread, ginger snaps and crackers. Takes orders on exchange. Prices reasonable and satisfaction guaranteed. Fresh bread every day. Wm. KREUZER.

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MY TERMS ARE REASONABLE. A liberal share of the public patronage is solicited. W. J. PLYMALE. LIME FOR SALE, -AND- BRICK-LAYING & PLASTERING DONE

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Interesting to Farmers. THE UNDERSIGNED, BELIEVING IT to be the mutual advantage of millers and farmers, have made arrangements whereby the Ashland and Phoenix mills will be under the management of Jacob Wagner, who will have charge of both mills for the company during the ensuing year, ending July 1st, 1878. We will pay the highest market price for good merchantable wheat, and are prepared to contract flour at \$18 per thousand pounds at the mill. Office of the company at the Ashland Mills. WAGNER, ANDERSON & FARMERS' MILL CO., Ashland, Oregon.

PRO BONO PUBLICO. THE PUBLIC ARE HEREBY NOTIFIED that I have placed my notes and accounts in the hands of my attorney, H. K. Hanna, with positive instructions to make immediate and forced collection in every instance where security is not given. Those knowing themselves indebted to me will do well to call upon Mr. Hanna, without delay, as this is my last call. My business must be settled! JAMES T. GLENN. Jacksonville, Sept. 9, 1874.

Farms for Sale. Persons desiring to purchase good farms of any size will do well to enquire of JOHN BOLT, Applegate, Oregon.

K. KUBLI,

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COURT SITTINGS. Jackson County—Circuit Court, second Monday in February, June and November. County Court, first Monday in each month. Josephine County—Circuit Court, fourth Monday in April and fourth Monday in October. County Court, first Monday in January, April, July and October. Lake County—Circuit Court, fourth Monday in June; County Court, first Monday in January, April, July and October.

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