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Religious News.

Rev. F. S. Nord will preach at the Catholic church in Jacksonville Sunday, as usual.

Liberal Sunday-school and Bible class meets every Sunday at 11 o'clock A. M. at the U. M. L. Hall, 2 alent.

Rev. I. W. Miller will continue to fill his regular appointments as follows: The first Sunday in each month at Gold Hill; second Sunday at Central Point; third Sunday at Medford and fourth Sunday at Jacksonville.

Rev. G. F. Jones' appointments will be as follows until further notice: At the church on the second Sunday in each month and on the Saturday before at 11 o'clock A. M., at the Mountain district school-house on the third Sunday at 3 o'clock P. M.

The following are Rev. G. W. Quimby's appointments: 1st Sunday in each month, both morning and evening, at Jacksonville; 2d Sunday at Antioch; 3d Sunday at Gold Hill; 4th Sunday, at 11 o'clock A. M., at Brownsborough, and in the evening at Eagle Point.

The following are Rev. R. Ennis' appointments: On every Sunday morning, excepting the third, he will hold services at the Presbyterian church in Phoenix, on the third Sunday morning and every Sunday evening he will preach at the Presbyterian church in Jacksonville.

The following are Elder M. Peterson's appointments for February: First Lord's day, at Mound school-house at 11 o'clock A. M., and at Eagle Point in the evening, second, at Woodville; third, at Central Point; fourth, at Medford. Baptism will be administered after the forenoon service.

The Minneapolis Housekeeper.

Wellknown as the leading ladies' paper in the country, has just been received and its pages are filled with choice and interesting matter. Among its many interesting articles "Cooking Lessons for Young Housekeepers," by Janet Corson, principal of the New York Cooking School, and a series of Home Kindergarten instruction to mothers. Other departments are devoted to the care of infants, dress and the toilet, home decorations, home furnishing, and all kinds of art and fancy work, etc. Its literary matter is by the best authors. The letters from the sister, young folks and queries and replies form a never ceasing source of interest. The "Housekeeper" is a large sixteen-page quarto monthly, and its twenty-four numbers cost only $1 00 a year—the price commonly charged by all the leading papers which come but once a month. Premiums are given to subscribers, among them the famous Buckeye Cook Book, a complete cooking book of 352 pages, in waterproof cloth binding. Send two-cent stamp to the "Housekeeper," Minneapolis, Minn., for sample copy and premium list supplement, which give lots of reading and full particulars.

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Bill Relating to Mines.

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SECTION 3833. That from and after the passage of this act, any person, company or corporation shall be allowed to operate and represent his or their mining claim, or claims, as may best suit his or their convenience; provided that whenever any person, company or corporation, being the owner of any placer mining claim, or claims, have, or shall thereafter abandon the same for the period of one year, shall be deemed to have lost all title, claim, or interest therein, and provided, also, that any company or corporation duly organized, being the owner in whole or in part, of any water ditch, and of water rights connected therewith, have, or shall thereafter cease to make use of the same in whole or in part for the period of three years, shall be deemed to have lost all title, claim or interest to the portion thus abandoned.

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Redding, Cal.

PUT ME ON THE LIST.

I suffered for years from catarrh. It destroyed my appetite and wrecked my system. None of the remedies I took afforded me any relief, until I commenced using "The California Remedy," Joy's Vegetable Sarsaparilla. I began taking it last spring and am entirely free from this disgusting disease, and am again strong and healthy.

Lizzie A. Hall
Mohave, Cal.

Shooting Match.

A grand rifle match will take place at Canyonville, Or., on February 22d, for a purse of $100—entrance fee ten dollars each. Said match to be 100 yards with rest, or sixty-six yards off hand, ten shots, string measure; also turkeys and a fine beef will be shot for on the same day or the day following. All champion shots of the state are invited to participate. Not one is barred out.

ASSESSMENT AND TAXATION.

The assessment law is one which taxes the ingenuity of the average legislator. How to assess property so that the burden of taxation shall bear equally upon all is a problem that is easily worked out on paper. But the practical operation of such a law is one which confronts the law-maker with difficulties so great as to cause bewilderment. In despair some ideologues find refuge in the single-tax system advocated by Henry George, namely, to tax land alone and allow all other values to go free. They hold that to tax any of the products of skill and labor is to lay a burden and a discouragement upon those who toil, and that such action is therefore impolitic. As our state constitution, however, requires the taxation of all property, both real and personal, with a few permissible exemptions for municipal, educational, religious and other purposes, all theories for the present must be laid aside, and the ingenuity of the legislator must be taxed to prescribe such regulations as will secure a just valuation of all taxable property. This is particularly required by the constitution. There are so many more conscientious holders of property who strive by every possible means, short of those that will carry them direct to the penitentiary, to evade the payment of their just proportion of the public burden, that it is safe to say that not more than one-third of all the property of the state is actually assessed for taxation. This state of affairs, however, is not a novel one, each generation having the same difficulty to deal with; but the strife apparently has reached such a climax that the long-suffering people demand that some means be devised by which the intent of the constitution may be carried out, namely, a uniform and equal rate of assessment and taxation. It is argued that if such was the case, and all assessed at its true value, regardless of indebtedness, the rate of taxation would be greatly lowered, the burdens would be evenly distributed, and universal happiness would be the rule. But, if such a utopian scheme could be carried out in practice we would respectfully inquire whether, if there was no exemption for indebtedness, the rate of assessment and taxation would be uniform and equal?—and if property on which there is indebtedness is taxed to its full value and the evidence of indebtedness is also taxed to its face value, is there not double taxation? The inevitable answer to these questions, it seems to us, places the proposition in its true light, and shows that it is violative of a positive injunction of the constitution as well as of a plain precept of natural justice.—*Salem Statesman.*

How Loans are Made.—Once upon a time a little child accidentally dropped and broke a goblet which the parents prized very highly. No one was by when the accident occurred, but the child, who was by nature frank and truthful and had not learned the devious ways of concealment, ran and with tearful eyes and sorrowful heart related the particulars of her mishap to her mother. She was chagrined and irritated, and on the impulse of the moment, without taking time to reflect or without noticing that the child was suffering, proceeded to administer a severe whipping. What followed? The next time the child met with a similar accident or did any forbidden thing it carefully concealed all knowledge of the same from its parents, and it accused and interrogated stoutly denied any knowledge of the matter. It generated from a truthful child into an unblushing liar. Why? Because it had a dread of physical pain, and its first rude experience had taught it that it is not always safe or expedient to tell the truth.

Who made this child a liar? Who but its rash and inconsiderate mother? If when the little one came to her with the story of the broken goblet she had kept her temper, noticed the tear-stained visage and the agitation of the child, and said: "My dear, I am very, very sorry that you have broken that goblet through your carelessness, as it was very precious to me and its loss grieves me; but I see that you are grieved, too, and I am glad that you came directly to me with the truth, so we will say no more about it," the child would doubtless have been confirmed in habits of truthfulness, while its own reflections and the kindness of its mother would have been sufficient punishment and would doubtless have led to more carefulness in the future. As it was, the child's experience probably embittered its whole life and led it into the ways of falsehood and cowardice. And all this because it had an unwise mother.

After the Trusts.—The decision of Judge Barrett of the supreme court of New York, on the case of the "sugar trust" that was taken up to that court, and in which the judge decides that the North River Sugar Refining Company had forfeited its charter by joining the "sugar trust," is the sharpest criticism upon the trust business that has yet been made, and will probably lead to some practical results in shaping legislation and controlling the nefarious business. General Pryor, one of the ablest lawyers in the country, in speaking of this decision, says that the decision of Judge Barrett was as he expected it would be. It was a signal victory for the people and a severe rebuke to the promoters of trusts. The case was plain. There were no facts at issue; it was simply a question as to the law. He was confident that the decision would be affirmed in the court of appeals, and hoped that the defense would urge the case there and have it definitely settled. The decision, in Mr. Pryor's opinion, was far-reaching in its effect. It was founded on common law, and, therefore, of value as a precedent in any state of the Union. It applied to all kinds of trusts and combinations, and the envelope and silk trusts would probably be proceeded against in due time.

The Largest in the World.—Among the orange growers there is great interest in the fact that the largest single orange orchard in the world will be set out two miles east of Pomona, Cal., during the next few months. Seth Richards, of Oakland, now has the largest navel orange grove in the world. He has 20,000 trees, but the new orchard will have 30,000. It is to be the property of a syndicate of five Illinois and Iowa men, and Holabird will not yet reveal the names of all the men in the orange orchard syndicate; but it is known that ex-Governor Oglesby, of Decatur, Ill., is among them. The purchases of land have been secretly made, and a large tract has been secured at unusually low prices.

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Mothers!

Castoria is recommended by physicians for children teething. It is a purely vegetable preparation, its ingredients are published around each bottle. It is pleasant to the taste and absolutely harmless. It constipation, regulates the bowels, quiet pain, cures diarrhœa and wind colic, allays feverishness, destroys worms, and prevents convulsions, soothes the child and gives it refreshing natural sleep. Castoria is the children's panacea—the mothers' friend. 35 cents.

Children Cry for Pitcher's Castoria.

A FINE HORSE.

W. C. Myer arrived home lately with a fine young Percheron stallion, "Hector." "Hector" was bred by Mr. Hitchcock, near St. Louis, and numbered 6016, Percheron Stud Book; dapple gray, foaled May 11, '86; sire, Cæsar, 3526 (601); winner of first prize in two-year-old class at the Concours of the Societe Hippique Percheronne, held at Nogent-le-Rotrou, France, May, 1884; also at the World's Fair, New Orleans (thirteen entries) first in the three-year-old class at the great St. Louis Fair, 1885. $2000 was paid for Cæsar as a two-year-old in France, and $5000 as a three-year-old, delivered in the United States, the seller to have the privilege of breeding ten mares to him while he lived. This is the highest price any Percheron stallion has ever sold for in the U. S.

"Hector's" dam, Rosette 3661 (1516), got by Brilliant 1371 (735); dam Fontine by Favori 999 (725). This horse Brilliant has gained a high reputation as a sire on both sides of the Atlantic, and probably there have been more of his colts imported from France to the U. S. than from any other stallion. He has been in constant use in the stud from the time he was three years old, and consequently has seldom been in the show ring; but at the great Percheron Horse show held in Chicago Sept. 1886, he was awarded the highest honors for a stallion with his get. At the American Horse Show at Chicago in November of the same year he was awarded the *Breeder's Gazette* champion medal for best Percheron stallion of any age.

Cæsar, the sire of Hector, Brilliant, his grandsire, and Rosett, Hector's dam, all trace in the pedigree to Jean-le-Blanc (739). This noted horse stands in the Percheron family as did imported Messenger does with our modern trotters.

Herewith is a translation from the Percheron Stud Book of France, giving a description of Jean-le-Blanc by Chas. Du Hays: "It is to this remarkable horse more than to any other that we owe the great improvement in the breed. He was regarded as a Percheron of the purest blood, strengthened by the infusion of the Ar