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"UNFIT FOR WORK"

The Doctor's Verdict and How Mr. Graham Disregarded It.

"The doctor said I was not fit to work and that if I wanted to live I would have to give up business," said P. J. Graham of No. 125 Jefferson street, Peoria, Ill.

"And I was incapacitated," he continued. "It was a kind of incipient paralysis and it is due to Dr. Williams' Pink Pills for Pale People that I am now in perfect health again. First I would be hot, then cold and clammy and at times my body felt as if pierced by needles. There were terrible pains all over me and then I would have no feeling at all. A numbness sometimes came over me and I could not move. With it all were agonizing headaches and a pain in the region of my spine. I took back on it now and wonder how I retained my reason through that long and trying ordeal. There were months and months when I got no natural sleep and my nervous system was a wreck from pain and the opiates which I had been obliged to take.

"One day I read the statement of a man who had been cured of a case like mine by Dr. Williams' Pink Pills for Pale People and I began taking them. The first box did so well that I continued until six boxes were taken and I was entirely well. I have been in perfect health ever since."

No other medicine in the world has accomplished so many cures in cases that were apparently hopeless, as Dr. Williams' Pink Pills for Pale People. The cure of Mr. Graham is only one instance out of thousands, and the reason this remedy is so wonderful in its efficacy is because, unlike any other medicine, it acts directly on both the blood and the nerves. Dr. Williams' Pink Pills contain, in a condensed form, all the elements necessary to give new life and richness to the blood and restore shattered nerves. They are an unfailing specific for such diseases as locomotor ataxia, partial paralysis, St. Vitus dance, neuralgia, rheumatism, nervous headache, the after-effects of the grip, palpitations of the heart, pale and sallow complexion and all forms of weakness either in male or female. Dr. Williams' Pink Pills for Pale People are sold by all dealers, or will be sent postpaid on receipt of price, fifty cents a box, or six boxes for two dollars and fifty cents (they are never sold in bulk or by the hundred) by addressing Dr. Williams Medicine Company, Schenectady, N. Y.

Stockmen Meet.

There was a large attendance of the stockmen of Jackson county at the meeting held in Medford last Saturday, and much interest was manifested in the proceedings. This is ample evidence of the fact that they are in earnest.

The meeting was called to order by Grant Rawlings of Clatsop, temporary president, Fred R. N. of a Ham acting as secretary.

The report of the committee on constitution and by-laws, consisting of W. B. Beson, Geo. Owens, D. H. Jackson, Grant Rawlings and H. W. Barn, was presented and after a few minor changes adopted. (It will be printed in full in our next issue.)

The executive committee was given authority to take a book of brands issued.

A permanent organization was effected by the election of the following officers: President, Geo. Owens, Ashland; vice-president, H. B. Mathews, P. O. Box 100; secretary, Fred R. N. of Ashland; treasurer, F. Hubbard, Medford; members of executive committee (besides president, vice president and secretary), J. M. R. of Eagle Point, Peter Barnburg of Ashland.

Tragedy Averted.

"Just in the nick of time our little boy was saved," writes Mrs. W. Watkins of Pleasant City, Ohio. "He was born with a terrible cough and he grew worse every day. At length we tried Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption, and our darling was saved. He's now sound and well. Every body ought to know it's the only safe cure for Coughs, Colds and all Lung Diseases. Guaranteed by City Drug Store. 50c and \$1.00. Trial Bottle free.

Ready for Entry.

The U. S. land office at Roseburg has given out notice that Township 31, ranges 9 and 10 west, will be thrown open for entry Friday, March 27. This land lies in the extreme southern portion of Douglas county, in the West Fork section, and contains considerable fine timber.

March, April, May

There is a best time for doing everything—that is, a time when a thing can be done to the best advantage, most easily and most effectively. Now is the best time for purifying your blood. Why? Because your system is now trying to purify it—you know this by the pimples and other eruptions that have come on your face and body.

Hood's Sarsaparilla and Pills

Are the medicines to take—they do the work thoroughly and agreeably and never fail to do it.

Hood's are the medicines you have always heard recommended.

"I cannot recommend Hood's Sarsaparilla too highly as a spring medicine. When we take it in the spring we all feel better through the summer." Mrs. S. S. McGraw.

Hood's Sarsaparilla promises to cure and keeps the promise.

Removal of Office
DR. A. BARKIN.
Specialist for Diseases of the EYE, EAR, NOSE and THROAT.
has moved his office to Mutual Savings Bank Building, No. 9 Geary St., corner Market, San Francisco.

BRIEF MENTION.

See our last page.

The Rock Point bridge is being put in good order by J. Hartman, the well-known contractor.

Dr. A. C. Stanley of Gold Hill and E. G. Borden of Woodville attended the meeting of the Democratic county committee.

Melvin Conklin has commenced a suit for divorce against T. D. Conklin, who resides in Alameda county, Calif. Hogo & Purdin are her attorneys.

The March term of circuit court is now being held in Jacksonville. The docket has a number of cases on it; but very few are of much importance.

Miss Hattie Gleason of Ashland has been granted a state diploma and Miss Grace Garrett a state certificate. Both are prominent teachers of Jackson county.

Mrs. Cora Jones Emmerson returned from San Francisco Sunday. She has retained Colvig & Cannon to appear in the suit for divorce brought by her husband.

E. L. Parrott, the popular sheriff of Douglas county, was in Jacksonville, attending circuit court. He captured the following who stole W. M. Morris' horse, and is a witness on behalf of the State.

Farmers are busy. Many of them have succeeded in getting in their crops, but there are some who have not been able to do much of anything as yet, owing to the wet condition of their ground.

The sad intelligence was received Monday evening that the wife of Chas. Howard died at her residence near Korb, Josephine county, that day. She was for a number of years a resident of Medford.

The eldest son of Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Goppert died one day last week at La Junta, Colorado, to which town they removed from Big Butte last year. The remains will probably be brought here for burial.

Chas. Nickell, U. S. Commissioner for the District of Oregon, is fully equipped to receive applications under the timber and stone, also homestead laws. Final proofs taken, and all business connected with U. S. government land transactions. Office, SOUTHERN OREGONIAN, Medford, Phone 211.

Assessor Jones has obtained a list of all the timber claims for which certificates and patents have been issued, and will assess the lands they represent at \$2.50 an acre. This proceeding is right and proper and will be generally approved.

Gold Hill will soon have a municipal election. The following ticket was nominated at last evening's caucus: Dr. A. C. Stanley, W. H. Caine, C. F. Young, John A. Cook and W. A. Carter; recorder, John A. Harvey; marshal, Chas. Rippey.

Announcement has been made of the coming marriage of John F. Miller and Miss Mabel Prim, prominent members of Jacksonville's society. The happy event will take place at the residence of the bride's parents, Judge and Mrs. Chas. Prim, on April 15th.

This office is often in receipt of communications with no name signed. We must have the name of the writer, as evidence of good faith, else we cannot publish the communication. Of course the name is withheld from publication, if desired, but we must know the writer.

District Attorney Reames' gas plant is furnishing Jacksonville with a superior quality of light at a reasonable figure. It is proving so satisfactory that those who own acetylene plants have discarded them and are using Reames' gas. The service is being constantly enlarged.

According to what is known among lawyers as the 41st Oregon, in which 50 cases decided by the Supreme Court are given, 52 were affirmed and 33 reversed. Both of those appealed from Judge Hanna's decision were affirmed. Judge Hanna was reversed in the case appealed from his court.

Mrs. Emma B. Hawkins, well known in Ashland as Emma Gabbush, was found dead in her room at 620 Geary street, San Francisco, Saturday morning, with the apartment filled with escaping gas from an open fixture in the room. The San Francisco press pronounced the case as one of suicide. Mrs. Hawkins left Ashland in the latter part of January for San Francisco, and her mother received a letter from her no later than last Monday, says the Tidings. Miss Gabbush was married to Alfred Marion Hawkins at Denver, Col., January 27, 1900. Their nuptial happiness was of short duration, and they lived together not quite two years when a divorce ensued. The cause is intimated to have been a case of too much mother-in-law. Mr. Hawkins taking his bride to live with his mother. After the divorce Mrs. Hawkins returned to Ashland.

The many friends of Mrs. M. J. Hockersmith will be sorry to learn of the death of this estimable lady, which took place at the residence of her daughter, Mrs. A. P. Weiss of Griffin creek, last Thursday evening. She was a lady of many admirable traits of character, and one of the sturdy pioneer women who helped to make Oregon what it is, coming to this state in 1853 and settling first in the Willamette valley. In 1867 she removed to Jackson county with her husband, the late Jackson Hockersmith, and his family, residing here ever since. The remains were interred in the Phoenix cemetery, under the auspices of the First Spiritual Society of Southern Oregon, of which she was a prominent member. Mrs. Hockersmith's surviving children are Mrs. H. H. Taylor of Roxy, Mrs. P. L. Fountain of Klamath Falls, Mrs. Sadie Van Tine of Tenino, Wash., Mrs. A. P. Weiss of Griffin creek, John N. Hockersmith of Roxy, and Mrs. W. Hockersmith, who lives in California.

HERE AND THERE.

After May 19 all death sentences in Oregon will be executed at the state penitentiary.

Deeds, mortgages, leases, bonds, bills of sale and every imaginable kind of legal blanks—the latest and best—are constantly on hand at the Times office.

During the year 1902 there will be at least 200,000,000 feet more of timber cut and handled in the State of Oregon than last year, and 1902 broke all previous records.

Kirks has reached here that Rev. Jesse Kirk, who went to Washington some months ago, in the interest of the treaty with the Klamath Indians, had a successful surgical operation performed for appendicitis in that city.

Incorporation articles of the Alaska Oil Company have been filed in the State Secretary's office by J. Frank Watson, Phil Metchan and Vincent Cook. The capital stock is \$5,000,000. The objects announced are to prospect for and operate oil lands, etc., in Alaska.

The best pill 'neath the stars and stripes. It cleanses the system and never grips. Little Early Risers of worldly repute. Ask for Dr. Witt's and take no substitute. A small pill, easy to buy, easy to take and easy to act, but never failing in results. Dr. Witt's Little Early Risers arouse the secretions and act as a tonic to the liver, curing permanently.

The conferences between the Southern Pacific officials and the representatives of the trainmen's association resulted in an increase of 15 per cent. to freight-handlers and an advance of 12 per cent. to passenger conductors and trainmen. This arrangement was practically a repetition of the action of all the other roads west of Chicago. The men demanded an increase of 20 per cent.

The proposed railroad routes along the Pacific coast, mention of which was made in our last issue, that are supposed to be independent of the Southern Pacific, are both shorter than the present Shasta route, one by 120 miles and the other by at least 140 miles. It is said that the routes selected by the surveyors guarantee the construction of a railroad along a grade of about 2 per cent., as against 4 per cent. and more which is expected for the route of the Southern Pacific.

Several carloads of the new 80-pound rails, recently received in Portland from Germany, have been unloaded at tunnel 3, Josephine county, which is the longest of all along the Southern Pacific line in Oregon. The track of this tunnel will be the first to be replaced by the new and heavy steel rails. They are 33 feet in length and weigh 80 pounds. Many more will be brought in soon, and the mountain division of the Southern Pacific in Oregon will have an entirely new track. Many of the sharp curves are being taken out and the road otherwise improved.

The new Mathematics is a sort of substitute to language, affording a means of thought about form and quantity and a means of expression, more exact, compact and ready than ordinary language. The great body of physical science, a great deal of the essential fact of financial science, and endless social and political problems are only accessible and only thinkable to those who have had a sound training in mathematical analysis, and the time may not be very remote when it will be understood that complete initiation as an efficient citizen of one of the new, great, complex, world-wide states that are now developing, it is as necessary, says H. G. Wells in the March Cosmopolitan, to be able to compute, to think in averages and maxima and minima, as it is now to be able to read and write.

The Stomach is the Man.
A weak stomach weakens the man, because it cannot transform the food he eats into nourishment. Health and strength cannot be restored to any sick man or weak woman without first securing a healthy and energetic stomach. A weak stomach cannot digest enough food to feed the tissues and revive the tired and run-down limbs and organs of the body. Kodol Dyspepsia Cure cleanses, purifies, sweetens and strengthens the glands and membranes of the stomach, and cures indigestion, dyspepsia and all stomach troubles.

WORKING OVERTIME.

Eight hour laws are ignored by the so-called little workers. Dr. King's New Life Pills. Millions are always at work, night and day, curing indigestion, biliousness, constipation, sick headache and all stomach troubles. Liver and Bowel troubles. Easy, pleasant, safe sure. At City Drug Store.

Survives a Duel to be Killed by a Pie.

Lee Barnes is dying from the effects of eating an entire pie. Shortly after finishing the pastry he was seized with violent cramps, stitches which had been taken in his lungs and abdomen broke and the surgeon says his recovery is impossible. A few weeks ago Barnes fought a terrible duel with Bill Silverthorn, in which the latter was killed. Barnes was almost disemboweled, and was at first supposed to be dead. He regained consciousness, however, and was on his way to full recovery when he went against the blackberry pie which has apparently done deadlier work than Silverthorn's dagger.

Another Man Gone Wrong.

A month ago Jas. McDiarmid, bookkeeper of the American Type Founders Company's branch house in Portland, married Miss Nellie Gibson of Ashland, a highly respected young lady. Now she is a deserted bride, while he is a fugitive from justice, with the penitentiary staring him in the face. McDiarmid's salary was not equal to the demands he made upon it, and he appropriated money belonging to the company to the amount of \$800. He has been missing since March 28. In palliation of his crime it is said that he has been assisting his sister, who lives in the East, to whom most of the missing money was sent.

PERSONAL MENTION.

Mrs. Hattie Stevens visited in Jacksonville Monday.

Mrs. S. R. Coffman of Union is in Medford, visiting relatives.

T. J. Cook of Footh Creek, the genial miner, was in our city Monday.

C. A. Brandenburg of Klamath is spending a few days in this section.

J. B. Welch of Meadows was in Medford Tuesday, after a load of trees.

Fred Darling, of the Gold Hill livery stable, tarried in Medford Tuesday.

J. H. Blosser of Hubbard has been in this section during the past week.

Mrs. A. Orme of Gold Hill was in our city Saturday, visiting her friends.

J. C. Hannah and Alex. Rainey of Beagle spent Monday night in Medford.

District Attorney and Mrs. A. E. Reames have returned from a short trip north.

Ben Hammond and W. M. Morris of Rock Point were Medford visitors Tuesday.

Mrs. J. N. T. Miller left for Oregon City Sunday, for a visit with relatives living there.

W. H. Bradshaw, a prominent citizen of Lake Creek district, spent Monday in Medford.

Miss Kate Plymale is visiting in Willow Springs precinct, at the McDonough farm.

Herbert McCarthy, who is a Pullman dining car conductor, runs between Ogden and San Francisco.

W. H. Leeds, former state printer, is visiting in Ashland. He will soon continue his journey to California.

Thos. Baldwin, J. W. Slinger, Thos. Farlow, Mr. Bradshaw and M. D. Bowles of Lake Creek spent Monday in our town.

A. Bieberstedt and G. W. Frey, well-known citizens of Lake Creek precinct, were among our visitors during the past week.

E. B. Hanley and his wife are making this section a visit. They are returning from their wedding trip to California.

Judge Day spent several hours in Medford Tuesday. He accompanied the remains of the late C. Morrison to the Antioch cemetery.

Miss Bertha Orme has returned to Gold Hill, after a stay of several months in Seattle, where she has been attending a business college.

Misses Frances Barnes, Myrtle Sutton, Ollie Huffer, Martha Robinson, and Raymond Robinson came down from Jacksonville Sunday, and spent the afternoon here.

ALL STOCKMEN MUST HAVE PERMIT

To Drive Loose Stock Across the Forest Reserve.

By order of the Department of the Interior, made July 15, 1902, a permit is necessary for persons wishing to cross any part of a forest reserve over a public road or trail, established for sheep or cattle or horses, (the f. w. head of stock following a wagon or pack train being excepted from this regulation). Application must be made to the forest supervisor in charge, either by letter or on the regular application form, for the privilege of grazing the stock on the reserve en route, and must have a permit from the supervisor, to be issued by him on the form in use by him for issuing grazing permits. The application must state the number of stock to be driven across the reserve, the date of starting, and the period required for the passage. Grazing along any such road or trail will only be allowed for periods actually necessary for the stock to make the passage across the reserve.

S. C. BAUMSTARK, Forest Supervisor.

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Democratic County Convention.

In pursuance of a call of W. M. Holmes, chairman of the Democratic central committee, that body held a meeting at Medford Tuesday, March 24th, for the purpose of naming a time and place for holding a county convention, also primaries, about the coming congressional election. Frank R. Nell was chosen secretary.

It was decided to hold the convention—which will elect nine delegates to represent Jackson county in the congressional convention that will meet at Albany April 11th—in Jacksonville Saturday, April 11th. Primaries will be held Tuesday, March 31st. The representation of the precincts in the convention was based on the vote cast for Hon. J. K. Weatherford in June, 1902. Each will be entitled to a delegate for every 15 votes or major fraction thereof.

We hope that every Democrat will be quite certain to attend the primaries and make it a point to send delegates to the convention who have the good of their party at heart and no selfish motive to subvert.

The Republican party is real and there is an excellent opportunity to elect the Democratic candidate for congress, if a judicious nomination is made.

Danger of Colds and Grip.
The greatest danger from colds and grip is their resulting in pneumonia. If reasonable care is used, however, and Chamberlain's Cough Remedy taken, all danger will be avoided.

Among the tens of thousands who have used this remedy for these diseases we have yet to learn of a single case having resulted in pneumonia, which shows conclusively that it is a certain preventative of that dangerous disease. It will cure a cold or an attack of the grip in less time than any other treatment. It is pleasant and safe to take. For sale by City Drug Store.

Republican County Convention.

The Republican county committee met at the office of W. L. Vaxter, in Medford, last Saturday, for the purpose of calling a convention to choose 12 delegates to represent Jackson county in the Republican convention which meets in Eugene April 9th for the purpose of nominating a candidate for congress man to fill the vacancy caused by the death of Thos. H. Tongue.

Chairman Kellogg presided, Fred Wagner officiating as secretary.

The county convention will be held at Medford Friday, March 27th, and the primaries on Wednesday the 25th. The convention will consist of 132 delegates. Each precinct will be entitled to elect two delegates at large and one for each 25 votes and major fraction thereof cast for Mr. Tongue at the last election, apportioned as follows:

East Ashland 7, South Ashland 7, West Ashland 6, Dunn 5, Barron 3, Talent 5, Phoenix 5, East Medford 6, West Medford 6, Jacksonville 6, Union 4, Central Point 4, Gold Hill 5, Rock Point 3, Eagle Point 5, Woodville 3, Applegate 4, Sterling 3, Trail 3, Clatsop 3, Big Butte 3, Poon Ran 4, Sam's Valley 3, Footh Creek 3, Lake Creek 3, Roxy 3, Watkins 3, Florence 3, Rock 2, Table Rock 3, Willow Springs 2, Mount 3.

John R. Cook, committeeman from Eagle Point, created considerable of a future by declaring the mandate of the people at the polls regarding the U. S. senatorship, and as he thought their will should prevail he did not feel that he would be acting consistently should he retain his membership. His resignation was accepted and B. Von der Heiden elected to fill the vacancy.

In reply to inquiries we have pleasure in announcing that Ely's Liquid Cream Balm is like the solid preparation of that admirable remedy, in that it cleanses and heals membranes affected by nasal catarrh. These are affecting the mucous membrane of the throat, causing sneezing. The Liquid Cream Balm is adapted to use by patients who have trouble in inhaling through the nose and prefer spraying. The price, including spraying tube, is 75 cents. Sold by druggists or mailed by Ely Brothers, 55 Warren Street, New York.

Col. Maury, the well-known pioneer, visited with relatives living in Medford not long since. He is enjoying excellent health.

Bruce Burnett, who has a home-stead in Watkins district, was in Jacksonville a few days ago, on his return from Corvallis.

J. Nunan, the pioneer merchant, has returned from San Francisco, where he laid in a large stock of first-class goods for this market.

R. E. McGill, Jr., who is operating in the Duggan mines, located in Forest Creek district, is a frequent visitor in Jacksonville. Warum?

The Society of Christian Endeavor will in the near future present a popular drama. Some of the best talent of Jacksonville will participate.

E. B. Dufur, J. L. Hammerly, E. D. Briggs, H. L. McWilliams and C. B. Watson, the attorneys, have been in Jacksonville this week, on legal business.

Rev. J. D. Murphy will hold services at the Catholic church Sunday, at 8:30 a. m.; in Medford at 10:30 a. m. Lenten services every Friday evening in Jacksonville.

Mr. and Mrs. T. L. Beard of Dickinson, N. D., have been visiting us the past week, and are pleased with Southern Oregon. They were in Jacksonville Monday, accompanied by Miss Mattie Furcison.

Democrats should remember that the primaries will be held next Tuesday afternoon. There should be a good attendance. An excellent opportunity is presented to elect our candidate for Congress.

Rev. E. B. Lockhart will occupy the pulpit of the M. E. church Sunday. His subjects will be: Morning, "The Duty of Church Membership;" evening, "The Book of Books; or the God of Books the Book of Gold."

Clarendon Morrison died last Monday, and was buried in the Antioch cemetery on the Wednesday following. He was not only one of the first to come

BRIEF MENTION.

C. W. Culey and M. A. Watkins were recent visitors.

Mrs. Gus Newbury made Medford a short visit Monday.

Chas. Schultz is acting as circuit court bailiff, as usual.

E. H. Helms was among his Medford friends a few days ago.

H. E. Ankney returned Wednesday from his trip to Eugene.

Miss Maud Prim passed a few hours in Jacksonville Wednesday.

Dr. J. H. Messner, our efficient stock inspector, was here Tuesday.

Miss Rose Buckley of Applegate has been visiting in Jacksonville.

Lowden Bros. and E. C. Faucett of Watkins were recent visitors.

Graco Eaton has gone to San Francisco on a visit to her sisters.

Ex-Sheriff Orme of Gold Hill was in Jacksonville a short time ago.

Judge Nell was in Medford one day this week, on professional business.

A number of jury cases are being tried at this time of circuit court.

John H. Simon of Gold Hill, the miner, made us a short visit Tuesday.

Will Barnum is at the throttle of the R. R. V. R. during the absence of his father.

Terry Byrne and H. H. Wright of Watkins spent a day in town during the week.

J. S. Tucker, one of Trail creek's most energetic citizens, was with us this week.

T. A. Olson, John Humphries and other citizens of Gold Hill have been here lately.

Frank Manning of Leeds, the well-known mountaineer, tarried with us Wednesday.

Chas. St. Louis of Grant's Pass was among the many in our town during the past week.

Our town presents an unusually lively appearance this week, circuit court being in session.

V. A. Dunlap, the Talent merchant, was in town Monday. He was excused from jury duty.

H. H. Riddell of Portland, formerly of The Dalles, has been in Jacksonville on legal business.

W. E. Macaulay of Medford and his wife are learning the art of making candy at A. Learned.

K. C. Harrison, manager of the Iowa Lumber Co., has returned from a business visit at Portland.

J. J. Neal of Boise and E. C. Pentland of the Oregonian were among the forepart of the week.

A. S. Hammond, the Grant's Pass attorney, has been attending circuit court for Jacksonville county.

Democratic primaries will be held next Tuesday. Convention on the Saturday following, April 4th.

Jack Snelling and Mr. Montgomery of Galico, the export miners, illuminated our town one day this week.

Misses Anna Jeffrey and Lizzie Ferguson visited in Jacksonville Saturday, and were guests of Mrs. A. Elmer.