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STRONG OLD AGE

AN OCTOGENARIAN WHO USES DR. WILLIAMS' PINK PILLS.

Mr. Kindred Says They Cured His Rheumatism and That They Give Him Strength.

When old people are stricken with disease every practitioner knows how greatly the chances of successful treatment are diminished by the natural debility due to advanced age. This fact gives vital importance to the case of Mr. Amos Kindred, of No. 82 Jacques avenue, Worcester, Mass., who in his eighty-fourth year is enjoying good health and attributes it largely to Dr. Williams' Pink Pills for Pale People. Not only does he use them as a tonic, a purpose for which they have no equal, but he was cured by them of an acute disease, as related in the following interview.

Mr. Kindred says: "Some time ago I was a sufferer from inflammatory rheumatism. It was in my hands, legs and neck, and my flesh was very sensitive. My hands were badly swollen, but my back troubled me most and sometimes was so bad that I could hardly get about. Once when I stooped over to pick up something, I found I could not straighten up. For two weeks after that I could not stand upright. It was a terrible affliction and neither doctors nor any medicines I tried gave me any relief. I kept getting worse and my back grew so bad that I could not even turn over in bed without help.

"Then I tried Dr. Williams' Pink Pills for Pale People. They fitted my case exactly and cured me. I have had no return of the rheumatism since then. I still take the pills occasionally, for a person of my age requires a tonic now and then, and I find that nothing gives me the strength that they do."

Dr. Williams' Pink Pills have a double effect, on the blood and on the nerves, and have cured long-standing cases of locomotor ataxia, partial paralysis, St. Vitis' dance, sciatica, neuralgia, rheumatism, nervous headache, the after-effects of the grip, palpitation of the heart, pale and sallow complexion and all forms of weakness either in male or female.

Dr. Williams' Pink Pills for Pale People may be obtained at all druggists, or direct from Dr. Williams' Medicine Company, Schenectady, N. Y., fifty cents per box; six boxes for two dollars and fifty cents.

The Hog Law Invalid.

By a decision of Judge Burnett, rendered in Tillamook county, the farming communities are left without any law to protect them from the annoyance of swine running at large.

The case at issue was that of Ambrose Arstelt vs. Harrison Booth, in which the former sued Booth for \$150, the value of some hogs. The hogs were running at large on Booth's place, and he took them up; the usual notice the constable sold them. Arstelt then sued Booth for damages and Booth justified possession.

Judge Burnett held that the law was unconstitutional, because it allowed the constable to sell without proceedings in the courts.

An Ancient Foe

To health and happiness is Scrofula—as ugly as ever since time immemorial. It causes bunches in the neck, disfigures the skin, inflames the mucous membrane, wastes the muscles, weakens the bones, reduces the power of resistance to disease and the capacity for recovery, and develops into consumption.

"A bunch appeared on the left side of my neck. It caused great pain, was lumpy and became a running sore. I went into a general decline. I was persuaded to try Hood's Sarsaparilla, and when I had taken six bottles my neck was healed, and I have never had any trouble of the kind since."—Mrs. K. T. Stevens, Troy, Ohio.

Hood's Sarsaparilla and Pills

will rid you of it, radically and permanently, as they have rid thousands.

ROCKFELLER has lately advanced the price of oil two cents a gallon, which means thirty million dollars added annual profits for the Standard Oil trust, its output of oil being one billion, five hundred thousand gallons. As Rockefeller gets sixty per cent of the profits, his personal annual gain by the raise will be between nineteen and twenty million dollars. No wonder he can endow colleges and churches galore, for it's all at the expense of the people.

You Know What You Are Taking

When you take Grove's Tasteless Chili Tonic because the formula is plainly printed on every bottle, knowing that it is a tonic, and that it is a tasteless form. No Cure. No Pay. No Risk.

The railroad lobbyists who defeated the Panama canal treaty in the Colombian congress are now aware of a serious mistake committed by them. They failed to purchase the state, now a republic of Panama, and there is a very fair prospect that our Government will yet construct the canal on terms much more advantageous than were expected from Colombia.

Advertisement for Levi Strauss & Co's Copper-riveted Overalls, featuring an image of a man in overalls and the text 'Over the West they wear Levi Strauss & Co's Copper-riveted Overalls.'

GOOD ROADS—HOW TO GET THEM.

Gen. Miles Says that Soldiers Should Build Them—A Good Idea.

There is no man in America whose opinion on certain subjects should carry more weight than that of Gen. Miles. He has a long, highly honorable and distinguished career. His training and years of experience, with unusual opportunities for close observation, have pre-eminently fitted him to speak with authority on matters connected with the welfare of the army, says the Pacific Monthly.

It will, perhaps, be generally admitted that an army is a necessary evil. The fact remains, however, that its members are drones in the social scheme. The world is no better off on account of its armies, which are usually the playthings and diversions of kings and emperors—an enormous expense and a constant menace. The history of America shows that there is no place for a large standing army in a republic, and our policy has been simply to maintain the nucleus of an army for our own protection and to kill off the Indians.

But the effect of 25,000 to 100,000 men practically idling their time away is bad, even upon the millions of America. Besides, it is unnecessary. These men should be put to work, and Gen. Miles has come forward with a masterly solution of the problem. He says let them build good roads throughout the nation. It would be difficult to commend this recommendation too highly. It is the suggestion of a far-sighted statesman.

We spend millions of dollars a year on our navy, and Uncle Sam doesn't even make a wry face when the bill is presented. We see our big, glorious ships pictured majestically in the papers and magazines, and we feel a thrill of pride and satisfaction. Certainly our navy has had a splendid, glorious history. Let the good work go on, we say.

But is all this expenditure good? Is it wise? Is it right? Granting that we need a big navy, are we doing the wise thing to give so much attention and money to one thing to the neglect of others equally if not more important?

It is perhaps not necessary to point out the need for great, permanent highways in America. The advent of the automobile, the possibilities for it in peace and war, and the fact that the American people are great travelers, have made it apparent to all that we are sadly in need of good roads. No work, therefore, is more urgently taken by the nation that would so immediately productive of results and would meet with such national approval as the building of roads. The army and navy should be put to work and build us good roads at one stroke. It is to be hoped that Congress will take the recommendation into consideration at the coming session, and pass this measure. If it did nothing else, it would have a worthy monument to its judgment and sagacity.

He Broke Jail.

Graham, the individual who was arrested by Constable Miles of Montague, Calif., for breaking into a saloon, but turned over to Sheriff Rader, on a charge of burglarizing Sergeant & Dunlap's store at Talent, is at large again. On Sunday Graham was allowed to leave his cell and was given the freedom of the corridor of the jail. He soon went to work to gain his freedom and succeeded in prying off the casing of the door and reaching the bolt that fastened the lock. As the jail is surrounded by a high fence, and nobody was near, his operations were unnoticed.

There is no due to Graham's whereabouts as yet. Sheriff Rader is sparing nothing to capture him, and the chances are favorable that he will be behind the bars soon again. He offers a reward of \$50 on his return to the county jail.

Graham is about 40 years old, six feet tall and very slim, dark thin hair and almost bald, very black eyes, dark mustache, had on a grey mixed suit, well worn, double breasted blue shirt, and short, dark overcoat. Graham is a pleasant talker and smokes cigarettes.

Millennium in 1912

The statement is made by a prominent divine in the west that the millennium will arrive in the year 1912, and bases his claim on the prophecies at the Bible. Whether his prophecy is correct or not time alone will tell; but in the meantime we should make the most of our lives, and the first essential of this is good health. A sickly person cannot enjoy life, because he lacks the vigor and vitality necessary for such enjoyment, and consequently always feels downhearted and depressed. It was for such persons that Hostetter's Stomach Bitters was first introduced fifty years ago, and many persons today can ascribe their good health to its use. It positively cures indigestion, dyspepsia, constipation, biliousness and liver and kidney troubles. Don't fail to try it.

Active Again.

The Holy Rollers are "steaming up" at Corvallis again. Their groans are gradually increasing in volume of tone and another outbreak of a devotional nature is almost sure to occur soon. It is now an accepted fact that Brooks and Orefield stopped awhile at the Hurt house in South Corvallis, although for a few days they were believed to have taken the sheriff's advice and quitted the community for good. Mr. Hurt has forsaken them, however, and will steller them no more.

BRIEF MENTION.

Thos. McAndrew, Jr., has returned from Eastern Oregon.

The downpour of rain seems to be over, for the present at least, and springlike weather prevails.

Dr. Geo. B. Cole of Central Point was at Phoenix Monday, having been called to see Gus Epps, who is quite sick.

The Iowa Lumber Co. on Monday shut down its sawmill for the present. Operations will be resumed at an early day.

Dr. Chas. Hines and his family, of Forest Grove, who have been visiting in Applegate, will return home this week.

Will Barnum is engaged in building a boat, with which he will float down Bear Creek to Rogue River and kill ducks ad libitum.

The report that Ed Hill, the lame printer, was killed in a railroad accident, proves unfounded. He writes that he is still very much alive.

The firm of Fox & Good, which has been conducting the principal livery stable at Ashland, is no more. Wm. Fox has purchased his partner's interest.

The game between eleven representing the State University and Oregon Agricultural College, last Saturday, was won by the former by a score of 5 to 0.

Nearly eight inches of rain fell during the month of November, so far, over three times as much as the general average for the whole month. It beats all records.

Sufficient funds were raised for building a neat and substantial parsonage for the pastor of the German Lutheran church in Medford, and work has been begun.

Tyson Beall of Central Point, who has been in Siskiyou county, Cal., looking for feed for a band of cattle, returned Monday. He found no hay in large quantities.

The raise of the water of Rogue river, which was considerable during the late storm, did not leave the Raydam, which is one of the most substantial in the state.

Dr. Emil Kirchgessor has begun a suit for divorce in the circuit court for Marion county against his wife, Lillie Kirchgessor, alleging desertion, that began in October, 1901.

A son of W. L. Edmondson of Big Butte precinct, aged about 12 years, killed a huge eagle not long since. The bird measured nearly eight feet between the tips of his wings.

Fishing at the mouth of Rogue river has been discontinued, on account of the rain raising the stream. The catch for the season was larger than for some years past, fall fishing being especially good.

The University of Washington's football team won the championship of the Pacific Coast by defeating the unbeaten eleven from the University of Nevada. Score 2 to 0. It was a first-class game in every particular.

John Holton, one of Jackson county's earliest pioneers, died Friday from the effects of a paralytic stroke recovered the Sunday before at his farm on Wagner Creek. He came to this valley in 1853 and was nearly 87 years old.

Wm. Edgar Graham, who is a professional actor enjoying an excellent reputation, was in Medford Monday. He intends presenting "Under Two Flags" at Wilson's Opera House at an early day, assisted by Medford talent.

Margaret Herrin, who began a suit for divorce against David C. Herrin in the circuit court for Multnomah county recently, has been given a decree. They formerly lived at Ashland and are prominent in A. O. U. circles.

Owens Bros. are considerably embarrassed in their shipments of apples by a scarcity of refrigerator cars. They will soon begin shipping on an extensive scale, in five-car lots. The greater portion of these will go across the Atlantic.

There will be a boxing contest of 20 rounds at Jacksonville Friday evening, between Jack Bennett of Grants Pass and Jack Cannon of Portland. There will be a preliminary bout of 10 rounds between Otis King of Ashland and Kid Murphy of Grants Pass, two boys clever with the gloves.

Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets are becoming a favorite for stomach troubles and constipation. For sale by all druggists.

Frank Loder was up from Ray's dam a few days since. He says that ducks are quite numerous, as also are mud hens and other water fowl unfit for eating. A war of extermination may be declared upon the two kinds last mentioned, as they eat everything in sight and are a nuisance.

The estate of the late Henry Amerman, who was the richest man in Jackson county, with one exception, is nearly settled. Through procrastination he made no will, and his heirs, most of them living in Ohio, and who did not even know of the decedent, will receive nearly \$125,000.

Nearly 9,000,000 Chinook salmon eggs were taken at the Elk Creek hatchery this season, which beats previous records about 3,500,000. In one day 735,000 eggs were secured from 200 fish. Supt. Berrian says that all of them will be hatched there. The season for taking the eggs of steelheads and trout commences in February.

A citizen several years in arrears for his paper, who had never said a good word for the editor and who was always opposed to public improvements, was dying. "How do you feel?" asked the editor, who was on hand to write the obituary. "All lights bright before me," gasped the dying man. "I thought so," returned the editor, "you'll see a blaze in about ten minutes."

PERSONAL MENTION.

O. Wakefield of Phoenix was in our city Monday.

D. T. and J. W. Lawton made Jacksonville a short visit Monday.

Alex. Hanley has returned from Harney county, and will remain.

F. Y. Allen has gone to Wald, Josephine county, to engage in mining.

Ex Sheriff Orme of Gold Hill was among those in our town Saturday.

Fred Barnburg and Judge Crowell did business in Jacksonville Monday.

Ben and Asbury Beall of Central Point did business in Medford Tuesday.

Chas. E. White, a prominent citizen of Klamath county, is making the valley a visit.

A. M. Helms was at the county seat Monday, as was his father, James Helms of Talent.

King Bros., who have been employed at the Iowa Lumber Co.'s saw mill, are in Medford again.

Prof. Rittner, principal of the Medford Business College, was in Jacksonville Saturday afternoon.

Hugh Sanders of Gold Hill was among us Monday. He is now employed in the Foots Creek placer mines.

Mrs. Ann Beall, who has been making relatives and friends living in the East a visit, returned home recently.

Mrs. R. E. Cantrall arrived from Klamath county during the week. She left for Eugene on Tuesday evening's train.

H. Leighton, who has been running the milling plant at the Elk Creek mines, has returned and is at Jacksonville at present.

V. T. McCray, the expert civil engineer, is in the Butte Creek and Desert sections, in the interest of the Jackson Co. Improvement Co.

Mrs. L. Muller and her son, Will, who have been stopping in Ashland, during the week returned to Jacksonville, where they will reside.

Dr. J. E. Shearer will leave for the East next month, to take a post-graduate course in one of the large cities. He will return and open an office in Medford.

David Collier returned from Iowa Saturday, whether he went last year. He received a stroke of paralysis some time ago, from which he has not fully recovered.

The Best Liniment.

"Chamberlain's Pain Balm is considered the best liniment on the market," writes Post & Hesse, of Georgia, Yt. "No other liniment affords relief so promptly. No other affords such quick relief from rheumatic pains. No other is so valuable for deep seated pains like lame back and pains in the chest. Give this liniment a trial and you will never wish to be without it." Sold by all druggists.

Took Him Back.

J. H. McLaughlin, who was deputized by the sheriff of Union county to arrest W. J. Hawk, found his man in Jacksonville, and started for La Grande with him Sunday evening.

It seems that Hawk was engaged in business in Union county, and not prospering he sold out and left for Southern Oregon. The goods he disposed of were not paid for, however, and the firm who furnished them had a warrant issued for his arrest. He was located at Jacksonville, where he has entered the employ of T. C. Norris.

Hawk is a hard-working man with good intentions. He was probably not committed a crime, at least not knowingly. It was his determination to pay his debts as fast as possible, and it is not likely that he will be punished for being unable to settle his indebtedness.

Weather Report.

The following is a weather report for the month of October, furnished by E. Britz, volunteer observer. Mean temperature, 57.22 degrees; maximum temperature, 55 deg. on 22d; minimum temperature, 51.22 degrees on the 7th; total precipitation, .50 inches; number of clear days, 22; number of partly cloudy days, 3; 6 cloudy.

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To make a horse sleek and its hair bright and glossy feed it on whole wheat or wheat bran.

Southern Oregon State Normal School, Ashland, Ore.

Good Buildings; New Gymnasium, with modern appliances; fine Library; well equipped Chemical and Physical Laboratory; one New School Building, with new furnishings throughout; old buildings repaired; fine Water Supply added; Surroundings Healthful; Social Atmosphere of the School Good and Stimulating to Best Effort on the Part of the Student; Living Expenses Nominal; Departments in Charge of Specialists; Special Opportunities for Study of Vocal and Instrumental Music Afforded.

Send for Catalogue to B. F. MULKEY, President.

FRUITFUL, PROSPEROUS IS SOUTHERN OREGON.

A Valuable Work in Course of Preparation.

W. E. Conan, general passenger agent of the Southern Pacific lines in Oregon, assisted by H. E. Lounsbury, traveling freight agent, is editing a booklet entitled "Western Oregon Industries and Products." The work will be one of the most accurate ever issued. It is also the first publication to be issued by the company solely for the purpose of advertising Western and Southern Oregon and the Willamette. Brief outlines of industries have appeared incorporated in other advertising works, but this issue is to be devoted solely to this territory served by the Southern Pacific lines in Oregon.

The personal testimonials will be a feature of the production. Men who have had actual experience in cultivating various products are sending in reports of their efforts continually. These reports state the cost of production and the net profit on each item. When the book is published it will be a ready reference on every topic of produce in Oregon.

In response to the request of the company A. L. Haselton, of Eagle Point, writes of his efforts at raising onions for the market and demonstrates that his business is a fine paying proposition. From 34 acres of irrigated bottom land in Jackson county Mr. Haselton's income this year was \$1068.30 and his expense but \$296, leaving a net profit of \$769.30 or nearly \$230 per acre. The total weight of the crop reaches the almost incredible figure of 118,200 pounds, an average of 17 tons per acre. The price of onions this year average 90 cents per hundred-weight, which is lower than former years by from 10 to 20 cents. Mr. Haselton has been in the onion business for the past ten years and has always made money in his venture. His expense he figures as follows:

Commercial fertilizer.....	\$100
Labor.....	100
Seed.....	10
Hauling to market.....	89
Total.....	\$299

With an income of \$1068.30 these figures leave a net profit of \$769.30 on 34 acres, which Mr. Haselton considers very good interest.

Another Jacksonville County story which nicely illustrates the productive apple wealth of that county is told by A. D. Helms of Ashland. Mr. Helms owns an eight-acre orchard eight miles south of Ashland, and always yields \$6000 as a result of this year's crop. The orchard is irrigated, the variety of apples was Newtown Pippins and the total production reached 5000 boxes. The price realized on board the cars at Ashland was \$1.50 per box. The cost of handling the crop is estimated at \$1500, a very low figure. The net income was \$7500, with expenses at \$1500. This leaves a net profit of \$6000 to Mr. Helms' account at the bank. He states in his testimonial that he has never suffered from a lack of market; that Oregon apples are always in great demand and that a good price is always to be had for the product.

Mr. Helms' opinion of the profit of \$7500 per acre is naturally a very high one, and he states that there is plenty of room in Jackson County for more farms like this.

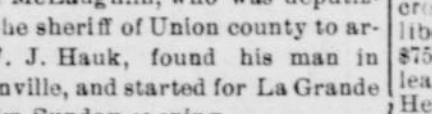
All the countries in the Willamette valley and Southern Oregon will be benefited by the new booklet and district will be benefited in discussing the advantages accruing to settlers. Numerous pictures have been prepared which will be used to illustrate the publication.

Turkeys Galore.

The big annual turkey slaughter in Douglas county for Thanksgiving is over. The price gross was 15 cents per pound, which gave the producer near \$2.00 per head for his turkey crop. E. G. Young & Co. of Oakland killed and dressed 6900 turkeys and 2000 chickens. Beckley Bros. handled 4000 turkeys, making a total of 10,900 from that section, within a twelve-mile radius. The entire lot was shipped to Seattle.

Scientific Discovery.

Kodol Dyspepsia Cure does for the stomach that which it is unable to do for itself, even when but slightly disordered or over-loaded. Kodol Dyspepsia Cure supplies the natural juices of digestion and does the work of the stomach, relaxing the nervous tension, while the inflamed muscles of that organ are allowed to rest and heal. Kodol Dyspepsia Cure digests what you eat and enables the stomach and digestive organs to transform all food into rich, red blood. Sold by all druggists.



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LOCAL NOTES.

Miss Lulu Jones was a Medford visitor Friday.

W. C. Donoff and Harry Helms were in Medford Friday.

J. W. Opp has been in Medford several times lately.

Sugar has declined 10 cents a hundred in San Francisco.

Judge Nell made Medford a professional visit Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. E. Hafer were Medford visitors Wednesday.

Sheriff Rader was in Medford Wednesday, on official business.

Messrs Fuller and Infstater, the miners, are among us again.

Mrs. Jas. Cronmiller and Mrs. G. E. Nuber visited in Medford Tuesday.

R. B. Dow, deputy county treasurer, carried a few hours in Medford Sunday.

Miss Bertha Orme of Gold Hill is visiting her friends living in Jacksonville.

Rev. Sanford Snyder will preach at the M. E. church Sunday, at the usual time.

W. R. Culton, the farmer-horticulturist, spent a few hours in Medford Tuesday.

J. Y. Eccleston of Watkins precinct, the pioneer miner, is paying our town a visit.

Wm. Schwartzfager of Steamboat and his son were recent visitors in Jacksonville.

Fred Kleinhammer, one of Applegate's farmers, was among us Wednesday.

Miss Emma Helms was among those who visited in Medford during the past week.

Corwin Bonham of Council Bluffs, Iowa, has been visiting his son, who lives in Jacksonville.

J. H. McElroy has gone north, but expects to return before long. He is a skillful saw-mill man.

L. B. Chase, chief of police of Ashland, has been looking after his mining interests near Jacksonville.

Rev. J. D. Murphy will hold services at the Catholic church on Thanksgiving at 8:30 o'clock a. m.

There will be Thanksgiving services at all the churches in Jacksonville. A general invitation is extended.

There will be services at the Catholic church in Jacksonville Sunday at 8:30 a. m., also at Medford at 10:30 a. m.

Mrs. M. E. Jones, who has been dangerously ill, is convalescing. Dr. R. G. Gale is the attending physician.

Mr. Grimes of Linn county, a brother of Mrs. Hinkle, H. W. and Abner Grimes, recently made our town a visit.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Myers, who live near Central Point, have been visiting Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Williams son.

Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Byrum and Mrs. J. B. Salmrath of Table Rock spent several hours in Medford Wednesday.

Owen Keogan, the efficient court-house janitor, is somewhat indisposed. His son, Chris Keogan, is acceptably filling his place.

Mrs. A. L. Kitchen of Ashland, who has been visiting at her old home in Illinois, during the past several months, has returned.

Mrs. Newbury, mother of Gus Newbury, the attorney, and Mrs. M. Peter, the teacher, who was quite sick, is somewhat improved.

W. H. Clements, the veteran miner, who has been operating in Applegate district, left for Powellton, Calif., where he will spend the winter.

Mrs. J. A. Whitelide (nee Eaton) of Point Richmond, Calif., is paying relatives living at Jacksonville a visit and will remain several weeks.