Mrs. Hughson, of Chicago, whose letter follows, is another woman in high position who owes her health to the use of Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound.

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HERE AND THERE.

Oregon will produce 100,000 bales of hops this year.

Ashland raised 3,500 crates of strawberries for shipment this year.

New York city reports 111 cases of prostration from heat on last Saturday.

The Weston brickyard made a new record the other day in turning out 6,000 brick in 4 hours and 59 minutes.

The miners' strike in Colorado has cost $32,000,000. There are other items of expense which can not be stated in financial terms.

The fool can criticise and find fault as easily as anyone else—but fortunately nobody pays any attention to what he has to say, so he does no harm.

Christina Clark Parrish died in Umatilla county, aged 103 years and 4 days. She came to Oregon in 1849, living in Yamhill county till 1897.

Blue-print maps of any townships Roseburg, Oregon, Land District, showing all the vacant lands, for 50 cents each. If you want any information from the U. S. Land Office, address Title Guarantee & Loan Co., Roseburg, Oregon.

It is stated in military circles that Gen. Kuropatkin has been denied the additional forces he asked for amounting to 350,000 men, owing to the burden already on Russia and the serious condition of internal affairs.

The school land board have threatened to foreclose their mortgages on the state fair grounds unless the debt is paid at once. In 1899 the legislature appropriated $7,000 to pay the debts of the fair association, but it seems as if the debt was not paid.

According to Portland market reports there is still a strong demand for old potatoes, on account of the firmness in price of new ones from California, while Oregon new potatoes are not expected to get to market before July 20, the reference being, of course, to potatoes grown in the Willamette valley.

Thirteen saws were found in the murderers' corridor of the Multnomah county jail last Friday. That looks like as if some one was contemplating a general jail delivery. But how did those saws get there? No one seems to know. And where were the officers when the goods were delivered? Who can tell?

Guaranteed Forest Reserve Scrip for sale, in large or small quantities, by Frank E. Alley, upstairs over Land Office, Roseburg, Oregon. Will place same for non-resident purchasers.

In Portland some cases of smallpox developed that could not readily be accounted for by the health officers. Finally the infection was traced to a dog that sojourned at the hospital for contagious diseases. The fact was satisfactorily established that the canine was responsible, and it was accordingly put to death.

Now comes the report that the ship owners of Great Britain, France and Germany have formed a combine to regulate the rates for carrying produce from this coast. It is claimed that about 80 per cent of the ship owners have joined this combine and if they can hold together they can make the rates to suit themselves and the producers will have to pay them.

A good emerald is worth several times as much as a diamond of the same size. Gen. Geo. W. Mindil, precious stones expert for the United States at the port of New York, says that fewer emeralds have come into the country during the past year than ever before, and that the importation of them is diminishing yearly. Precious stones merchants say that they are unable now to obtain good emeralds.

Acting Land Commissioner Fimple has rendered a decision applicable to Eastern Oregon, to the effect that a corporation duly incorporated under the laws of the state can make entry under the desert land act, provided no member of that corporation has previously entered land under this act. The fact that any member of the corporation had previously acquired 320 acres or less under the desert act would, under this decision, operate to deny the corporation this privilege.

Is This So?

The Tidings says that steps toward an enterprise, which is of great magnitude, that woule be carried out as now projected, will prove of vast benefit to not only Ashland, but two thousands of acres of land in the valley between that city on the north and as far as Tolo on the south, have been quietly taken recently by men who are amply able to see it through.

The plan is to retain the waters of Ashland and Bear Creeks in an artificial lake to be constructed north of Ashland. For the past week Portland and Rogue River valley capitalists have been engaged in securing bonds on lands situated on Bear Creek for this purpose, and up to the present time have bonded about $100 000 worth of property. The stored waters will be used to irrigate the orchard and farm lands between that city and Tolo. The lands which have already been bonded extend from the old placer diggings, near the Wyant place, to a point near the outlet of Ashland Creek. These men contemplate putting in a substantial dam, about 45 feet in height, from the old placer diggings, to the rocky bluff on the west bank of Bear Creek.

This dam, when completed, will mean a lake nearly two miles long and about one-half a mile wide, covering the flats belonging to D. H. Jackson and Clarence Farnham, to a depth of from 30 to 40 feet of water. This amount of stored water, if used judiciously, will be sufficient to irrigate many thousand acres of land in the Rogue River Valley.

Cured of Chronic Diarrhoea After Ten Years of Suffering.

"I wish to say a few words in praise of Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhœa, Remedy," says Mrs. Mattie Burge, of Martinsville, Va. "I suffered from chronic diarrhœa for ten years and during that time tried various medicines without obtaining any permanent relief. Last summer one of my children was taken with cholera morbus, and I procured a bottle of this remedy. Only two doses were required to give her permanent relief. I then decided to try the remedy myself, and did not use all of one bottle before I was well and I have never since been troubled with that complaint. One cannot say too much in favor of that wonderful medicine." This remedy. For sale by City Drug Store.

Hope for Prune Growers.

There is some hope for Oregon prune growers in the fact that a number of prune orchards are being grubbed out. For many years more prunes have been produced on this coast than there was a reliable market for. At first the production of prunes was profitable, but as a consequence too many people went into the business. Last year there was an immense crop, and the price fell to less than the cost of drying the fruit. A good many small growers proceeded to grub out their trees. This year in some places the crop is a failure, and growers are more than disgusted. Plethora one season and shortage another is the regular course with Italian prunes, and in Petites, which yield more regularly, Oregon cannot compete with California. If half the average quantity of Italians were grown in Oregon, the price would be regular and satisfactory. It may come to that before long, but probably would not remain so, for with profitable returns growers would increase again. Near Corvallis one orchard of 160 acres will not yield more than 200 bushels this year, and Hugh Finley, of Benton county, who has 400 acres in prunes that will produce nothing, has started to grub the trees out. Another big grower adjoining is much of the same mind, but has decided to try the business another year. The same thing is going on in other counties, and the result will likely be to eventually reduce the product to profitable limits.

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The Denver & Rio Grande in connection with the Missouri Pacific, will run a series of Personally Conducted Excursions to the World's Fair during June. These excursions will run through to St. Louis without change of cars, making short stops at principal points enroute. The first of these Excursions will leave Portland June 6th, and the second June 17th. The rate from Medford will be $77.50 to St. Louis and return. Excursionists going via the Denver & Rio Grande have the privilege of returning via a different route. This is the most pleasant way, as well as the most delightful route, to cross the continent. The stops arranged give an opportunity of visiting the various points of interest in and about Salt Lake City, Denver and Kansas City. If you wish to accompany one of these excursions write at once to W. C. McBride, 124 Third street, Portland for sleeping car reservations.

Willamette Valley Chautauqua Association.

The Willamette Valley Chautauqua Association will meet at Gladstone Park, near Oregon City, July 12th to 24th, 1904, inclusive. The Southern Pacific Co. will make reduced rates on the certificate plan for this occasion. Call on any Southern Pacific Agent for advertising matter.

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Who Will Be Winner?

The Portland Commercial Club offers two gold medals and $200 in cash prizes for articles on Oregon, under the following conditions:

For the best article appearing in the regular edition of any newspaper or other publication printed outside of the state of Oregon, to be competed for only by persons residing in Oregon and not living in the city of Portland, choice of a gold medal or $50 in cash.

For the second best article, either the gold medal or $50 in cash, depending upon selection made by the winner of first prize.

Article winning third prize will be given $25.

Fourth prize will be $15, the fifth prize $10.

To residents of Portland a gold medal and $100 will be distributed in prizes upon exactly the same basis as the gold medal and $100 are to be distributed to residents of Oregon outside of Portland.

The reason for having these articles printed outside of the state is that we want the people away from home to know our advantages, and then we desire the Portland and Oregon papers to be relieved from any embarrassment that might arise through having to decline articles. Articles containing the expression "Webfoot" will not be allowed to compete.

The Governor of the state will be asked to appoint a committee to decide as to the winners in the state contest, while the Mayor of Portland will be requested to name the committee that will select the winners in that city.

One of the chief reasons for offering these prizes is to give the younger generation an opportunity to do some pleasant work during vacation. This is a busy age and no article is desired exceeding five thousand words—those of about one thousand words preferred.

No articles will be accepted in competition except where the newspaper or other publication is submitted complete. The article submitted become the property of the Portland Commercial Club, to be used as desired.

The contest closes October 1, 1904.

We believe that there will be an interesting competition for these prizes, and feel sure that many newspapers throughout the United States, Mexico and other countries will be glad to secure interesting matter relative to the most fertile state in the Pacific Northwest. Articles in any language will be accepted.

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"I can tell in a minute simply by looking at a man whether he shaves himself or is shaved by a barber," said the wielder of the razor and brush. "No, it isn't a question of cleanliness, nor yet a question of hacking the face. There is no reason why a man who is accustomed to shaving himself shouldn't make as clean a job of it as the average barber. And yet I can spot him every time. See that little lock of hair that grows down the side of the face just in front of the ear? Well, when a man is shaved by a barber these two locks don't vary in length more than a sixteenth of an inch. The man who shaves himself, on the other hand, is lop-sided. He always begins to shave higher up on the left side of the face than on the right side, as a consequence of which one side of the face looks longer than the other. No, I don't know that I can explain this phenomenon."

Populists Nominate

At Springfield, Ill., July 6th, the Populist National Convention, by acclamation, nominated Thomas E. Watson of Georgia for president and Thomas H. Tibbles of Nebraska for vice-president.

Samuel W. Williams of Indiana and William V. Allen of Nebraska were also put in nomination, but their names were withdrawn. It is not known as yet, however, whether Watson will accept the nomination and make the race, as he favored Hearst for president.

The platform was adopted almost without discussion. It opens by reaffirming the platforms of 1892, 1894 and 1896, demands that all money be issued directly by the government, every dollar to be a full legal tender; demands postal savings banks; upholds the right of labor to organize, and favors the enactment of legislation for the improvement of the condition of the wage-earners; demands the initiative and referendum; favors prohibition of the alien ownership of lands; demands the withdrawn of special privileges of trusts and monopolies, and declares the government should own and control the railroads, telephone systems, and should provide a parcels post.

Baseball Players and Foot Racers!

Louis J. Kruger, ex-champion long distance foot racer of Germany and Holland, writes, Oct. 27th, 1901: "During my training of eight weeks' foot races at Salt Lake City, in April last, I used Ballard's Snow Liniment to my greatest satisfaction. Therefore I highly recommend Snow Liniment to all who are troubled with sprains, bruises or rheumatism" 25c, 50c, $1.00 bottle. Sold by Dr. J. Hinkle, Central Point.

Family Government.

Family affection thrives only when matters in the family are decided on their merits, without reference to age or strength.

Slipshod family government and allowing children to tyrannize over one another are responsible for absence of affection in families.

Sometime the tyranny of weakness exists in a household, the youngest and weakest holding a whole family at bay—but this is the exception.

Some mothers decide every quarrel according to the age of the disputants, the younger child always being forced to give up to the older. Children brought up this way are likely to show a hatred for each other and prefer to play with other children than with each other.

Often these family hatreds start in child life and continue until death, and are the direct result of maternal mismanagement.

Children should be brought up to observe the laws of etiquette, not only in society but at home.

The mother should set the example and see that it is followed by the children.

The rights of each member of a family should be recognized by each other member and a well regulated household will follow.

White Shoes With White Skirts.

Miss Alice Roosevelt deserves much from the members of the board of lady managers. She has solved for them a momentous problem. Short skirts of light material look shorter when worn with black or tan shoes. Miss Roosevelt knew this, and she wore white shoes whenever she donned a short white skirt. Since her coming a number of the ladies wear white shoes with short white gowns.

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"Jeb" Stuart Smashes a Trap

A FORTIETH ANNIVERSARY WAR STORY

September 13, 14, 1863

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AUG. 26, 1863, General Averell's Federal raiders closed a drawn battle with the Confederates at Rocky Gap, in the mountains of West Virginia. In these days of realistic chronicles Averell's rough ride through southeastern Virginia would make a sensation. It was one of those expeditions which give the troops no limit in hardship for a doubtful gain or no gain at all, with all the risk and excitement of guerrilla fighting.

West Virginia, after it had been cleared of the Confederates in 1861, had no positions of importance to be conquered, but it was a wild, inaccessible country between the seat of war in Virginia and the great west, very tempting as a hiding place for armed columns wishing to form in secret and sally forth without warning. It was also the salt producing field for the south. The Confederates kept partial control, especially in the salt regions; the Federals didn't think it worth the cost of an army big enough to keep the Confederates out.

Averell's clash with the enemy at Rocky Gap was the wind up of a ride covering nearly 1,000 miles actual travel. The last stage of it was a continuous fight with bands sent out to harass the march and drive him out of West Virginia. He left Winchester, in the Shenandoah valley, Aug. 5 and crossed the Blue Ridge, led by a slender advance guard under his aide-de-camp, Captain Baron Paul von Koenig, a foreign volunteer. About the same time General John D. Imboden, a Confederate leader reared in the region, started south by roads farther west, intending to beat Averell in the race and join his own force to the defenders of the district Averell was aiming to conquer. Imboden was a mountain and a horseback fighter. He was just in from piloting Lee's trains through South Mountain and across the Potomac on his retreat from Gettysburg. The first day out from Winchester Von Koenig picked up ten of Imboden's scouting troopers and that was the beginning of a constant warfare between the two armies. The second day Von Koenig captured another band, but after a few miles' march the guard fell into ambush and was captured with all the prisoners. Only a handful was engaged in the ambush, but a dozen men were killed and wounded.

The fifth day's march brought the column to Petersburg. Averell had been told by his superior to wait at that point for shoes and nails to put his horses in condition for the long march ahead. Imboden had already given him warning of what was to come. The Federal troopers carried no

DEATH CHARGE OF BARON VON KOENIG.

rations beyond hard bread, coffee and sugar, and lived off the country for the rest. The foragers encountered armed bands of Confederates and brought in reports showing that the country was alive to the danger of the raid and the enemy pressing forward all available men to defend the passes to the salt works.

The nails and shoes came to the front several days late, and then it was found that the amunition was short. After another wait of two days Averell decided that further delay might be more dangerous than going ahead, for the enemy would be prepared to dispute his march if given too much time. Moving his main column on to Monterey, he sent a detachment to Franklin to destroy the salt works there. At Monterey the raiders found a Confederate court in session and arrested all the officials. Through the courts, the Confederates kept a hold upon the people. Imboden had ridden into Monterey the day before Averell arrived, devising a plan to attack the Federals at Petersburg. Finding that Averell was on the march, he posted a detachment on the Huntersville road to ambush the column. Averell made a feint of attacking Imboden with a part of his command and moved the rest on a by-road rapidly to Huntersville.

Beyond Huntersville the raiders entered the heart of the enemy's country. A new column under the Confederate General Jackson was soon met with. To guard his rear Averell sent a regiment back to Huntersville and broke up his column into bands to cover the several points on his front and to destroy the salt works. The morning of the 26th he massed his troops, consisting of five regiments and a battery, and marched across the mountain to White Sulphur Springs. When the column was strung out passing a narrow gorge and extending over four miles, Baron Koenig rode back from the front with word that the Confederates were disputing his advance and he could not proceed without re-enforcements. Averell gave him two squadrons, and just as he dashed off to the front the Confederates opened fire with cannon.

Averell started the whole column forward through a narrow pass which opened out into a valley a mile in length and inclosed on each side by rugged rocky heights covered with a stunted growth of pine oak and chestnut. The moment the leading squadron of Federals appeared in the opening the Confederates turned their guns upon it. A jutting cliff on the right of the valley afforded cover for the horses of the Second and Eighth West Virginia cavalry, and the troopers dismounted, the Second climbing to the summit of the hill on the right and the Eighth on the left.

Under the protection of the lines formed on the summit Averell brought his battery to the front and posted it on a knoll, where it opened fire with accuracy on the enemy's cannon. Meanwhile the Third West Virginia and Fourteenth Pennsylvania cavalry filed slowly through the narrow gap, the troopers dismounted and formed in the valley, making the line continuous from right to left. The Confederates pressed so close upon the battery that the guns were compelled to use canister. The enemy was finally driven back and the battery advanced to a better position.

The Confederate leader, General Sam Jones, had been deceived as to Averell's intentions; otherwise the chance for an ambush at Rocky Gap would have been used to better advantage. General Jones believed that Averell would keep close to the Blue Ridge and cross eastward into the Shenandoah valley and attack Staunton. It was late on the night of the 25th when Jones discovered that the raiders had turned westward from Huntersville and were moving toward the Springs. Taking the brigade of Colonel Patton he made a night march and reached the gap just as Averell's advance rode into the pass.

Finding that he was too late in the field to hold the pass Jones drew back, after feeling the fire of Averell's guns, to elevated ground at the end of the valley. Here he posted his right upon a rugged hill and protected his left by a stockade. Averell saw that his foe was temporizing and decided to push the fighting. One gun of the six in his battery had burst and the remaining five were rushed forward to within 600 yards of the enemy. A house in front of Jones' center was occupied by a Federal battalion, but this was soon driven out by a regiment of Confederates which came to the field at double quick. Averell immediately ordered the battery to fire the house with shells.

During the fight at the house Baron von Koenig attempted to lead forward the West Virginians on the summit and flank the enemy in the valley. In spite of desperate fighting this movement failed, and for three hours the contest was one between sharpshooters, who found good cover 100 paces apart.

During the lull in heavy fighting Averell personally reconnoitered the enemy's line from the heights on the right and left. He decided to risk one dash at the enemy's center, and ordered up Captain Bird's squadron of the Fourteenth Pennsylvania. The troopers rode down gallantly, accompanied by the brave Von Koenig, who burned to be in every charge. He was shot from the saddle in front of the stockade.

About 300 Confederates left the stockade in a hurry when the cavalry rode up, but a regiment of reserves pushed through the fleeing line and drove out the Federals in a desperate fight, which cost the life of Major McNally of the Second West Virginia. Attempts to push the line forward on the right and left during the cavalry charge had failed, and at nightfall Averell found his men short of amunition and repulsed at every point.

One reason for Averell's boldness was the hope of receiving help from a column under Colonel Scammon, which had been directed to follow his march. No tidings came from Scammon. Without help Averell could not break through the Confederate line. He decided to wait until morning. When morning came the enemy was found to have been re-enforced. Barricading the roads with felled trees the Federals withdrew, marching on the back track through Huntersville and Beverley.

In his retreat as well as in the advance Averell deceived his foe. They looked to find him everywhere except where he actually was. The road was often blocked by barricades placed in his rear by citizens or stray bands of scouts or guerrillas, but there was no attack beyond the usual bushwhacking, and the column finished its wonderful march Aug. 31, with a total loss of 218 men.

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NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.

UNITED STATE LAND OFFICE, Roseburg, Oregon, June 24, 1904.

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Any and all persons claiming adversely the above described lands are requested to file their claims in this office on or before said 12th day of Sept., 1904.

J. T. BRIDGES, Register.

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NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.

UNITED STATES LAND OFFICE, Roseburg, Oregon, June 13, 1904.

Notice is hereby given that in compliance with the provisions of the act of Congress of June 3, 1878, entitled "An act for the sale of timber lands in the states of California, Nevada, Oregon and Washington Territory," as extended to all the Public Land States by act of August 4, 1892, Mrs. Emma H. Williams, of Spanaway, County of Pierce, State of Washington, has this day filed in this office her sworn statement No. 6224, for the purchase of the SW¼ of Section No. 28, in Township No. 40 S Range No. 3 W., Willamette Meridian, and will offer proof to show that the land sought is more valuable for its timber or stone than for agricultural purposes, and to establish her claim to said land before the Register and Receiver of this office at Roseburg, Oregon, on Thursday, the 8th day of Sept., 1904. She names as witnesses: J. H. Gardner, W. A. McCrosson, all of Roseburg, Oregon, Mrs. Clara J. Wise, L. A. Reed, all of Tacoma, Washington.

Any and all persons claiming adversely the above described lands are requested to file their claims in this office on or before said 8th day of Sept., 1904.

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