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Miss Gannon, Sec'y Detroit Amateur Art Association, tells young women what to do to avoid pain and suffering caused by female troubles.

"DEAR MRS. PINKHAM—I am enthusiastically recommending Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound to those of my sisters suffering with female weakness and the troubles which so often afflict women. I suffered for months with general weakness, and felt so weary that I had hard work to keep up. I had shooting pains, and was utterly miserable. In my distress I was advised to use Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, and it was a red letter day when I took the first dose, for at that time my restoration began. In six weeks I was a changed woman, perfectly well in every respect. I felt so elated and happy that I want all women who suffer to get well as I did."

—Miss GRILA GANNON, 350 Jones St., Detroit, Mich., Secretary Amateur Art Association.—\$1000 Refund if original of above letter proving genuineness cannot be produced.

When one considers that Miss Gannon's letter is only one of the countless hundreds which we are continually publishing in the newspapers of this country, the great virtue of Mrs. Pinkham's medicine must be admitted by all.

SENATOR BROWNELL is to have a better place than president of the Oregon Senate, for which position he has declined to be a candidate, according to program. Senator Mitchell is quoted as saying: "I trust and believe I shall have an opportunity at no distant day to discharge, in part, my obligation to Senator Brownell." And Senator Fulton is quoted as follows: "I trust that an opportunity will be afforded Senator Brownell's loyal friends, who are numerous and include myself, in some better way in the near future to emphasize their appreciation of his many and long continued services in behalf of his party."

It was not always the rule that European governments awaited the initiative of the United States on questions affecting world matters, but it is the fact now. It has been so practically since the close of the war with Spain. The United States took the initiative at the outbreak of the war between Japan and Russia in the note addressed by Secretary Hay to the belligerents and to the powers of Europe, insisting on the scene of operations being confined to the territories claimed and occupied by them. To that vigorous note the belligerents promptly assented, and Europe gives its equally prompt assent.

Eruptions

The only way to get rid of pimples and other eruptions is to cleanse the blood, improve the digestion, stimulate the kidneys, liver and skin. The medicine to take is Hood's Sarsaparilla. Which has cured thousands.

A TRUST, pure and simple, has been formed in New York to control the raisin output of California. It is not a combination of growers, organized for their mutual profit, the benefits of which will be reaped by the men who do the work and produce the crop, but it is an abuse trust, dominated and controlled by wealthy packers and New York merchants. Now is the time for the Attorney-General to get busy. This trust business is getting entirely too numerous. The people are already wondering where they are at."

OREGON again leads all states in the amount of money realized from public lands, having turned into the treasury \$1,442,576 in the last fiscal year. This is over \$200,000 ahead of the nearest competitor. While these receipts are more than \$500,000 below Oregon's receipts last year, the state holds its own by proportion. There were 12,874 entries made in Oregon last year, embracing 1,170,655 acres of public land. In 1903 there were 1,854,862 acres. Cash receipts that year amounted to \$2,015,526.

WHEN one hears that Russell Sage is 85 years old, the first thing that comes to mind is what a lot of time he has misused wasting.

Burn the Underbrush.

Every summer much valuable timber is burned, and although the government has established a system whereby a force of rangers is kept in the forests to prevent fire and extinguish the flames after they have started, it is the same old story to a more or less degree.

Jackson county has been comparatively free from forest fires this season; but Josephine, Linn, Lane, Clackamas and other Oregon counties have not been so fortunate, and in each an immense quantity of valuable timber has been consumed. One of the greatest pieces of folly is preventing fires to be set in the hills and government reservations until the brush and undergrowth become so high and thick that when the inevitable fire comes the whole forest is destroyed. Old settlers and Indians know that the only safe method is to annually burn off the undergrowth, when it is so thin that it would not endanger the big trees. Then the grass can grow and you have a beautiful forest instead of a fire trap.

As Dr. W. W. Olesby of Lane county well says, use the rangers to act as overseers, and let them allow annually the cutting of such timber as is ripe. The Pacific coast, year after year, produces enough timber for all lumber needs if the waste is stopped and merely the annually ripe product is cut. Then let there be fires started each year in the reserves and allow them to burn off the year's brush, and by taking proper back-fire precautions no loss will result. Had the government adopted this plan instead of the one now in vogue, we would have vast areas of protected forests instead of the bleak hills and barren valleys that mark the path of great forest fires.

Cures Sciatia.
Rev. W. L. Riley, L. D. Cuba, New York, writes: "After fifteen days of excruciating pain from sciatic neuralgia, under various treatments, I was induced to try Ballard's Snow Liniment; the first application giving my first relief and the second effecting a permanent cure. I give it the highest recommendation." 25c, 50c, \$1.00. For Sale by Dr. J. Hinkle, Central Point.

The Soldiers' Reunion

The Soldiers' and Sailors' Association of Southern Oregon will hold its 12th reunion at Jacksonville, beginning Monday, Sept. 19th, and continuing five days.

The S. P. Railroad Co. will sell tickets, one and one-third regular fare for the round trip, from Portland to Medford, and the Rogue River Valley Railway will sell round-trip tickets from Medford to Jacksonville for 25c. Tents, straw, wood and coffee will be free to all comrades and their families.

Each afternoon there will be addresses by prominent speakers, and on the afternoon of Sept. 23d Senator Fulton will speak to the old soldiers.

List of Jurors.

The following is a list of jurors drawn for the September term of the circuit court, which convenes on the 9th prox:

Medford—John Arnold, J. D. Hooker, A. A. Davis, Alonzo Slover, Sterling—J. M. Cantrell, Jacksonville—Ed. Dunnington, S. W. Boyd, Talent—Nat'l Firestone, F. M. Kinlens, Elsie—John Mast, Rock Point—Thomas Duney, James U. Smith, Ashland—J. H. Haun, F. H. Carter, S. A. Parker, F. H. Crowson, J. P. Dodge, Eagle Point—E. J. Mills, J. H. Carlton, Mount—F. G. Stinson, H. L. Gregory, Trail—W. T. Houston, C. W. DeCarlow, Central Point—James Shields, Applegate—T. R. Rock, Willow Springs—Ralph Dean, Barron—H. Applegate, Lake Creek—Emil Pech, Union—Win. Smith, Wimer—J. D. Wimer.

In the Market.

Buyers representing eastern, Pacific Coast, and even foreign firms, are in Rogue River Valley for the purpose of buying the 1904 crop of apples. We are informed that they are offering \$1.25 a box for 4 and 4 1/2 tier Newtoms and Spitzenbergs and a little more for extra choice. It is believed that these offers will be increased as shipping time approaches. This year's crop is better than the abundant and of a better quality than ever, and will bring many thousands of dollars into Southern Oregon.

Stock Thieves Captured.

Jesse Stevens and Walter Lerwell are in the Klamath county jail, charged with the larceny of cattle. They were brought to Klamath Falls Thursday afternoon by Sheriff Owen-chain and Deputy Sheriff Sam Walker, who with a posse of 14 men left Fort Klamath the day before on a hunt for the thieves. Fifteen miles from their settlement in Cherry Creek canyon, a very secluded place, the criminals were discovered and arrested. They had with them 18 head of Melrose Bros' cattle and seven of George W. Looney's. They waited examination before Justice of the Peace Emory of Fort Klamath and were placed under \$5000 bonds each. Wood River valley stockmen have for the past year or two been missing cattle, and their efforts have finally ended successfully in bringing to time at least two of the marauders. These fellows had spent the past two or three summers in Wood River valley, working in the hay fields. On pretext of leaving for home they would seclude themselves in the mountain near by, get as many cats together as they could handle and drive them away.

Indian Relics Unearthed.
The Galice Consolidated Mining Company made a strike of a peculiar kind a few days ago. It recently purchased a tract of gravel on the bank of Rogue River and has just completed a ditch to it. In prospecting the bar an old Indian burying ground was uncovered, and up to date at least 100 skulls and a corresponding number of bones have been washed out.

The gravel was the scene of one of the closing battles of the Rogue River War, and the bodies of the Indians killed at that time are among the find. The major portion of them, however, are much older than those buried in the '50's, and were probably in the ground when Lewis and Clark visited the coast. Arrowheads and old Indian jewelry are found in the gravel. The gravel is rich in gold and the company will work it next year, an elevator being now put in place for that purpose.

Quaker Doctors Threatened.

A Russian giving the name of Schlos was arrested at North Yakima, Wash., Aug. 30th, for sending threatening postal cards through the mails to Quaker doctors now in the city. He demanded them to meet him in the city library in the evening and pay over without question \$100 or suffer the consequences of his wrath. Three such postal cards are written. The sheriff and that official's lay deputy for him and placed Schlos under arrest. He is a religious fanatic, with anarchistic tendencies. He threatened to blow the doctors and the town up with dynamite if he did not get the money he wanted.

He Attempted Suicide.

John Millon of Ashland on Saturday made an attempt to end his existence. He had been drinking hard and was under the influence of liquor at the time.

A 38-caliber revolver was the instrument chosen and two shots were fired, the first one missing his body entirely, but the second one, which entered his left breast just over the heart, will probably prove fatal.

John Millon is the oldest son of Bennett Millon and a well-known character about Ashland. He was a stage driver for years, but of late has devoted most of his time to berry raising.

Accidental Death.

O. M. Rosendale of Portland, a successful mining engineer, who is well known in Southern Oregon, was asphyxiated at the residence of Edgar L. Collins of Kalama, Wash., Thursday morning. The coroner's inquest brought out the theory that Rosendale probably struck a match to see what time it was, part of the head being ignited and igniting a bundle of clothing. The ensuing fire consumed all the oxygen in the tightly closed room, and the great heat literally cooked the dead man's body. There is no suspicion of suicide.

A Trackwalker Killed.

The grand encampment special of the Knights Templar, which passed through here Saturday morning, killed a trackwalker named Cal Yokum half a mile north of Tunnel 8. The man had apparently fallen asleep close to the track. He was awakened by the passing of the first engine of the train, was dazed and raised himself and fell between the first and second engines. The wheels ran over his shoulders and his skull was fractured. He was taken to Wolf Creek, but died on arrival there.

Step That Coupled

When a cough, a tickling or an irritation in the throat makes you feel uncomfortable, take Ballard's Horehound Syrup. Don't wait until the disease has gone beyond control. Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Anderson, 354 West 5th St., Salt Lake City, Utah, write: "We think Ballard's Horehound Syrup the best medicine for coughs and colds. We have used it for several years; it always gives immediate relief, is very pleasant and gives perfect satisfaction." 25c, 50c, \$1.00. For sale by Dr. Hinkle at Central Point.

BRIEF MENTION.

Saturday is circus day. Vacation days are almost over and school will soon begin. Next Monday is Labor Day and no public business will be transacted there. The City Council will be in regular monthly session next Tuesday evening.

Miss Bertha Corum of Central Point precinct is teaching a term of school in Payne district, Josephine county.

Ray Toft has a large quantity of wood that he wishes hauled to Medford. He will pay \$2 a cord.

C. H. Jones of Stockton, Calif., has been operating in government lands in Southern Oregon recently.

The September term of the county court will be held next week, beginning the 17th prox. District Attorney Moore of Lake and Klamath has appointed H. W. Kessee of Klamath Falls as a deputy.

A Bieher's store in Lakeview was robbed of jewelry and other articles valued at \$500 one night last week.

Twenty-five cents a pound is being paid for hops at Salem. This is a very good price, but may go still higher.

Religious services will be resumed at the M. E. Church, South, Sunday, by the pastor, Rev. H. C. Brown.

The eleventh annual exhibition of the Southern Oregon District Agricultural Society will be held in Eugene, beginning September 20 and continuing for five days.

Miss Ethel Fleury has gone to Siskiyou district, to teach school, vice Miss Inez Kitchin, who will visit the World's Fair soon, in company with Miss McCallan of Ashland.

Lee Beal, who got his start in Jackson county, but is now one of the prominent citizens of Lakeview, is being congratulated by his many friends. It's a girl this time.

S. F. Godfrey and his family have left Antioch precinct and are now on their way to Idaho. His son John remains and will be in charge of the Curry place, now J. W. Morrill's.

A light shower of rain on Saturday cooled off the atmosphere and drove away some of the smoke with which it was filled. The weather has been pleasant since then.

W. S. Baruum has returned from Portland. We are informed that his trip thither had some connection with the proposition to extend his railroad to Butte Creek.

The R. R. V. R. will run a special train to Jacksonville, to accommodate those who wish to attend the reunion of the Southern Oregon Pioneer Society. It will leave Medford at 8:20 Thursday morning.

Three carloads of cattle, belonging to Wm. Ulrich, W. C. Ashpole and other stockraisers of Butte Creek, were shipped to San Francisco Monday. They were a fine bunch and brought the top price.

L. B. Caster has traded his farm in Big Butte precinct, known as the Wilkinson place, for one in Idaho, and leaves this week for his new home, accompanied by his family. The best wishes of many friends go with him.

W. S. Richards, ex-secretary of the Socialist Party, and an able orator, will speak at the City Hall Tuesday evening, Sept. 6th. Everybody is invited to attend, for they will hear something quite interesting.

Large quantities of peaches and other fruit are being shipped from Medford. Much is being expressed south, which is something out of the ordinary. Jackson county fruit has no superior and few equals.

The Siskiyou Sunset Mining & Milling Company, Grants Pass, has filed articles of incorporation, with a capital of \$1,000,000; Samuel Bowden, F. Fetsch, A. Fetsch, J. H. Challen, N. G. Longfellow, directors.

Thursday is Southern Oregon Pioneer Day, and the event will be appropriately observed in Jacksonville. A splendid program has been prepared, which will include an address by Hon. R. G. Smith, the well-known Grants Pass attorney. A general invitation is extended.

It is noticeable that the leaves have begun to fall from the maple trees, which is something extraordinary for so early in the season. This is accounted for by the exceedingly dry summer. Last year the leaves did not begin to fall until late in September, and it was away along in November before the trees were bare.

LOCAL NOTES.

Judge Dunn and his family are visiting at Ashland. Francis Voyte, the miser, went south on Thursday.

Mrs. Gus Samuels is visiting relatives living in Jacksonville. Henry Orth tarried a couple of hours in Medford Wednesday.

E. C. Faucett of Watkins did business in our town Monday. Jas. Buckley, Jr., of Applegate was a recent Jacksonville visitor.

Mrs. Coulter has returned from her trip to Portland and Seaside. Druggist Briggs is in the hills, enjoying a well-earned vacation.

W. H. Miller and J. H. Hoffman were Medford visitors Wednesday. Mrs. L. R. Webster of Portland returned Monday from a trip to Arizona.

Geo. E. Neuber, T. J. Kenney and Roy Ulrich were in Medford Tuesday. D. B. Thompson and his family have returned from their sojourn at Dead Indian Springs.

Henry C. Maury and Tyson Beal who live near Central Point, were in Medford Wednesday. Ed. Welch, the efficient manager of the Welch Lumber Co., made Medford a business visit Saturday.

W. N. Wright, a prominent young farmer of Willow Springs district, was in Medford one day this week. Dave Buckley has gone to Bear Creek, to assist Chas. Hamilton in building a big barn for Jas. M. Cantrell.

Geo. W. Lane, Jr., and his family were in town Wednesday. They are preparing to go to the World's Fair. Antonio Ross, who purchased the McKee lot on Third street, will soon have a neat cottage built on it.

Chas. C. Pursell of Suncom was among those in our city during the past week. His saw mill is turning out a large quantity of fine lumber. F. Elman, one of Josephine county's idesawake fruit and hop raisers, did business in the central valley one day this week.

K. K. Kubek and Jas. O. Watson, who have been at Clatsop for several weeks, left for Portland Wednesday evening. Rev. J. Bowersox, father of Dr. Bowersox, who has been paying our town a visit, has returned to his home in Portland.

Miss Tillie Hooks is again in charge of the school in Missouri Flat district. She gave entire satisfaction during the spring term.

Wm. Mack, who has been mining in Siskiyou county, Calif., for a Willamette Valley company, is paying this section a visit.

Rev. Arthur Lane will hold services at the Catholic church in Jacksonville Sunday at 8:30 a. m.; also at Medford at 10:30 a. m.

B. R. Porter of Table Rock was in Medford Tuesday, to meet a relative from California, who will pay him and his family a visit.

Mrs. John Murphy on Wednesday visited her husband, who is night watchman for the Iowa Lumber & Box Co. at Medford.

John M. and Thos. E. Nichols of Butte Creek, two of the leading stockmen of Southern Oregon, were in Medford the forepart of the week.

Lewis Ulrich is assisting Assessor Jones to get the assessment roll of 1904 ready for the board of equalization, which meets in the court house on the first Monday in October.

The R. R. V. R. will run a special train Tuesday, to accommodate those who wish to attend the pioneer's reunion. It will leave Medford at 8:30 a. m.

Misses Frances and Josephine Donegan were in Medford Monday, accompanying Mr. Trish of Burns, their brother-in-law, that far on his way home.

Judge Prim is expected to return from Cinnabar this week, accompanied by his family. Miss Maude's health is considerably improved, and we are pleased to learn.

Ed. Dunnington will in the near future have a seven-room cottage built on the lot where his present residence now stands. It will be a fine, commodious structure.

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Trout in Crater Lake.

A Grants Pass party of campers, just returned from Crater Lake, made the discovery while in the park that the fish put in the lake a few years ago have greatly multiplied and are now present in considerable quantity. There is a boat on the lake, which can be reached by the steep trail down the cliff from Eagle Rock, and the party took a ride out over the lake in this boat. While on the way to Wizard Island the boaters were surprised by the leap of a trout from the water only a few feet from the boat. A short time later another fish, larger than the first and some 10 inches in length, leaped from the clear surface of the lake. The party discovered they had run upon a school of trout, as many fish could be seen in the clear depths below the boat.

Up till a few years ago Crater Lake was as a dead sea. It contained no fish, in fact no life of any kind, aside from a peculiar little water-dog, or lizard, that inhabits the rocky crevices along the shores. As there is but little vegetable matter in the lake, it was not believed that fish could live and thrive in it. However, a goodly number of trout, of a cold water species, especially adapted to such environment, were put in the lake, and the recent discovery would prove the success of the venture. Probably in a few more years trout-fishing will be a prominent feature of a trip to Crater Lake.

A Select Entertainment

Miss Adaline Lee, the versatile actress, who has gained a wide popularity, will appear at United States Hall Thursday night, with her splendid company, in high-class vaudeville. The program is very good, consisting of singing, dancing, vocal and instrumental music, tableaux sketches, etc. Those who have seen it speak in the highest terms thereof. A social dance, free of admission, with music by a first-class orchestra, will follow the performance. Reserved seats can be obtained at W. H. Miller's store.

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Those who are gaining flesh and strength by regular treatment with Scott's Emulsion should continue the treatment in hot weather; smaller doses and a little cool milk with it will do away with any objection which is attached to fatty foods during the heated season.

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