FREE! FREE!

TO KIDNEY SUFFERERS

An Opportunity Worthy of Your Notice.

If you suffer with kidney diseases or any ailment arising from an improper action of the kidneys or urinary organs, this offer we make to the people of Astoria should interest you. In the advancement of medical science, the kidneys, the organs of the greatest importance to human health, have not been neglected, and in placing before you such a cure as Doan's Kidney Pills the proprietors recognize how far the so many statements of the makers of similar preparations have fallen short of their claims, being convinced that no remedy for kidney complaints in existence equals Doan's Kidney Pills for such ailments; strengthened in these convictions by letters that are daily received of the work they are doing for mankind's benefit, old backs and young backs are being constantly freed from never-ceasing aches, and many a lame and shattered one, stooped and contracted, is strengthened, invigorated and infused with new life. With such a medicine an offer of this kind can be made without hesitancy, for while we lose the box we give to you, we make a friend that assists us in the sale of many others.

FULL BOXES

of Doan's Kidney Pills will be given away free to every person suffering with kidney ailments at the undersigned address. First come, first served, and only this one chance offered. Remember this is not a sample box, but a regular size box of Doan's Kidney Pills, which retails at 50 cents.

Remember

Free Distribution One Day Only

WEDNESDAY, SEPT. 10

CHARLES ROGERS,

Druggist,

469 Commercial St., Odd Fellows Bldg.,

ASTORIA, ORE.

Cut this advertisement out and bring it with you.

Sole Agents for the United States, Foster-Milburn Co., Buffalo, N. Y.

LOSES HIS LIFE FOR A JAP.

SAN FRANCISCO, Sept. 9.—The captain of the schooner Premier, which has arrived from Naknek, Alaska, with 2000 barrels of salmon, reports that First Mate Danguard of the barkentine Reaper, was drowned at Nanket last month while attempting to save the life of a Japanese who had been knocked overboard by a swinging boom.

GENERAL BERTI BEATEN.

PANAMA, Sept. 9.—The surrender of the Colombian insurgents of the government of General Morales Berti and the troops of his command at Agua Dulce has now been confirmed. Conservatives of Panama are very much disappointed at the delay in the departure from Seattle of the new Colombian war vessel Bogota.

INCREASE IN LETTERS.

WASHINGTON, D. C., Sept. 9.—A net increase of nine per cent occurred in the receipts at 50 of the largest postoffices in the United States last month, as compared with August 1901. The largest increase was 26.6 per cent at Des Moines, Ia.

STIMSON NOMINATED.

DENVER, Col., Sept. 9.—Edward C. Stimson, of Cripple Creek, judge of the Fourth judicial district, was today nominated for governor by the Democratic state convention on the first ballot.

What has dropped? Politicians seem to be neither cussing nor discussing at present.

FISH WARDEN'S REPORT.

Shows Increase of 100,000 Cases—Interesting Statements.

Report of the Master Fish Warden for August, 1902, to the Honorable Board of Fish Commissioners, Salem, Ore.

The spring fishing season, which closed August 15, on the Columbia River, proved to be very flattering for the artificial work that has been done on the river, in that the product far exceeded in quantity, with the quality fully up to the average, of any pack that has been made on the river for several years past.

As a result of the pack on the Columbia River the past two seasons, all opposition to the advantages of artificial propagation has been overcome, and now a generally recognized fact, that the salmon product in our rivers can be limited only by the number of young fry planted.

This eliminates beyond any question of doubt the possibility of the industry ever becoming extinct, as long as we maintain proper rivers in which to liberate the young fry, and the Pacific Ocean remains at our doors ready to receive and feed and care for the young salmon until they reach maturity.

The pack of the present season has been about 100,000 cases more than last year's pack, which means an additional $500,000 to those directly interested in the product. This is not a bad showing when we stop to consider that it was due entirely to the result of artificial work, and that the artificial work carried on by the different departments during 1898, all told, did not amount to $25,000.

The price paid this season for the raw fish ranged from 6 cents to 2 cents per pound, and for a few very choice large fish, as high as 8 cents was paid. The average price was about 5 cents; which meant a sum of nearly $1,500,000, paid out to the fishermen and takers of fish for the raw product.

A conservative estimate places the season's pack at 426,000 cases, including what went into cold-storage.

The receipts of my office from account licenses issued during the month of August amounted to the sum of $595.40, which was in accordance with the following:

111 individual fishing licenses	$111 00
26 gill-net fishing licenses	65 00
40 set-net fishing licenses	40 00
1 seine license (720 feet long)	14 40
2 seine licenses (each 1200 feet long)	48 00
2 seine licenses (each 1500 feet long)	60 00
1 seine license for 3000 ft., additional web for seine No. 11	6 00
1 seine license for 300 ft., additional web for seine No. 14	6 00
8 fish dealers licenses (1st class)	80 00
2 fish dealers licenses (2d class)	30 00
Additional license fee for dealer No. 29	35 00
1 fish canner's license (1st class)	100 00
Total	$595 40

The report then details the work being done at the hatcheries on the Clackamas, Salmon, Mackenzie, Grand Ronde and at the coast hatchery stations on Wilson, Big Elk, Alsea, Siuslaw, Umpqua, South Coos and Coquelle Rivers, and reports the assignment of J. W. Robinson to take charge of the hatchery work on Alsea river, and Edward E. Magone for the Coquelle river.

Signed: H. G. VAN DUSEN.
Master Fish Warden.

GRUESOME DISCOVERY.

Two Bodies Found and Others Being Searched For in Well-Known Chicago Street.

CHICAGO, Sept. 9.—The discovery of three human bodies at 2709 and 2711 State street has started an investigation of the premises b the police, the coroner and the city health department. One of the bodies was that of an adult and the authorities are prepared to believe either that a murder was committed or that it is simply an evidence of an illegal burial. It was found at 2711 State street. The other two bodies were those of babies, they were found in a wooden box covered with sawdust in the undertaking place of Charles Johnson, 2709 State street.

On account of the suspicion which the finding of the bodies has aroused, a thorough examination of the premises will be made to discover by excavation whether other remains have been buried there. There are surface indications which lead the coroner and the health authorities to suspect that the back yards of the two places may be found to contain the graves of other persons.

A RAILROAD MOVE.

CHICAGO, Ill., Sept. 9.—The Denver gateway of the Union Pacific, which has been closed since 1896, has been thrown open to the Rock Island road, both for freight and passenger traffic, and to the Burlington for freight traffic. This radical departure in the policy of the Union Pacific road caused a great surprise.

An official of the Harriman lines stated that the Denver gateway was now wide open.

The greatest advantage is to the Rock Island in trffic destined for the North Pacific Coast points, which hitherto has been turned over to the Union Pacific at the Missouri River. Under the new arrangements the Rock Island will enjoy a long haul on all of its business.

CROKER CANNOT WIN.

NEW YORK, Sept. 9.—Richard Croker, who has just arrived in town, announces, cables the London correspondent of the Herald, that he has disposed of the greater part of the large stable he had in England because he found American horses have no chance in England, as the handicap is put upon them sa heavy that there is absolutely no possibility of their winning a race. Mr. Croker is proud of two yearlings, for which he is said to have paid Lord Clonmel $25,000 about six months ago. He declares he would not take double that sum for them now.

VENEZUELA TROUBLES SERIOUS.

NEW YORK, Sept. 9.—Francis B. Loomis, at present United States minister to Portugal, but who formerly represented this government in Venezuela, has arrived in London, cables the correspondent there of the Herald. Talking about the present revolution in Venezuela, he said it is far more serious than any of its predecessors.

THE FAIR CASKETS ARRIVE.

Funeral Will Be Held at San Francisco, Saturday.

CHICAGO, Sept. 9.—The remains of Mr. and Mrs. Charles L. Fair, who were recently the victims of an automobile accident in France, were received in Chicago last night and at once shipped to San Francisco on the overland limited train of the Northwestern road, which left at 11:30. The bodies will be buried on Saturday.

ITCHING PILES.

Any one who suffers from that terrible plague, Itching Piles, or from Eczema, will appreciate the immediate relief and permanent cure that comes through the use of Doan's Ointment. It never fails. Free samples at Chas. Rogers', Wednesday, September 10.

THE A B C OF IT.

A kidney education starts with: Backache means kidney ache, lame back means lame kidneys, weak back means weak kidneys, cure means Doan's Kidney Pills. Read about the free distribution in this paper, and call at Charles Rogers' Wednesday, September 10.

BUSINESS LOCALS.

Bicycle repairing with skill and promptness. Supplies in stock; work guaranteed. Reliance Electrical Works 421 Bond St.

Roslyn coal lasts longer, is cleaner and makes less trouble with stoves and chimney flues than any other coal on the market. George W. Sanborn, agent. Telephone 1311.

Plumbing, tinning, gas and steam fitting at lowest rates and in workman-like manner. Orders promptly executed. Shop, No. 425, Bond street. JOHN A. MONTGOMERY.

Some late designs in the ever popular Morris chairs just received from the manufacturers. Call early and make your choice while there are many to select from. Chas. Heilborn & Son.

SAVED AT GRAVE'S BRINK.

"I know I would long ago have been in my grave," writes Mrs. S. H. Newsom, of Decatur, Ala., "if it had not been for Electric Bitters. For three years I suffered untold agony from the worst forms of Indigestion, Waterbrash, Stomach and Bowel Dyspepsia. But this excellent medicine did me a world of good. Since using it I can eat heartily and have gained 35 pounds." For Indigestion, Loss of Appetite, Stomach, Liver and Kidney troubles, Electric Bitters are a positive, guaranteed cure. Only 50c at Chas. Rogers' drug store.

SUITS OUR CLIMATE.

The rapidly increasing use of shingles as covering for the walls of buildings, both to keep out the weather and for ornamental purposes, makes a great demand for a shingle stain which preserves the wood, prevents moss, and retains a fresh, handsome appearance. Particularly is such the case in damp climates. The need is well met in a perfect article made right here in Astoria. Cutbirth's Creosote Shingle Stains are penetrative, preservative, handsome and durable. They are put up in eight colors and every package guaranteed.

FOR THE PUBLIC GOOD.

In another part of this paper appears an advertisement worthy the reading, as it's for the public good. It tells of a free distribution of Doan's Kidney Pills, a remedy for Kidney Ills. Read it, and call at Chas. Rogers' Wednesday, September 10th.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.

United States Land Office, Oregon City, Oregon, Aug. 5, 1902.

Notice is hereby given that in compliance with the provisions of an act of congress of June 3, 1878, entitled "An act for the sale of timber lands in the states of California, Oregon, Nevada and Washington Territory," as extended to all public land states by act of August 4, 1892,

WILLIAM T. BUNNELL,

of Portland, County of Multnomah, State of Oregon, has this day filed in this office his sworn statement No. 5848, for the purchase of the west half of the northwest quarter of section 32, and the east half of the northeast quarter of section No. 31, in township No. 6 north, range No. 9 west, 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 his claim to the said land before the register and receiver at Oregon City, Oregon, on Monday, the 3d day of November, 1902.

He names as witnesses: William Kriesel, of Portland, Ore.; Byron J. Sanford, of Montavilla, Ore.; James T. Burke, of Seaside, Ore.; B. J. Burke, of Seaside, Ore.

Any and all persons claiming adversely the above described lands are requested to file their claims in this office on or before the said 3d day of November 1902.

CHAS. B. MOORES,
8-15-10-17 Register.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.

United States Land Office, at Oregon City, Oregon, Aug. 5, 1902:

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, Oregon, Nevada and Washington Territory," as extended to all the Public Land States by act of August 4, 1892,

WILLIAM SMOOT,

of Wallace, county of Shoshone, State of Idaho, has this day filed in this office his sworn statement No. 5844, for the purchase of the SW quarter of section No. 32, in township No. 6 N, No. 9 west, 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 his claim to said land before the register and receiver of this office at Oregon City, Oregon, on Monday, the 20th day of October, 1902.

He names as witnesses: James B. Short, of Mullen, Idaho; John A. McDonnell, of Mullen, Idaho; James T. Burke, of Seaside, Oregon; Millard Armstrong, of Mullen, Idaho.

Any and all persons claiming adversely the above-described lands are requested to file their claims in this office on or before said 20th day of October, 1902.

CHAS. B. MOORES,
8-8-10-10. Register.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.

United States Land Office, at Oregon City, Oregon, Aug. 1, 1902:

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, Oregon, Nevada and Washington Territory," as extended to all the Public Land States by act of August 4, 1892,

KATE A. CLARK,

of Seaside, County of Clatsop, State of Oregon, has this day filed her sworn statement No. 5837, for the purchase of the E half of NE quarter, NW quarter of northeast quarter, and northeast quarter of northwest quarter of section No. 3, in township No. 5 north, range No. 7 west, 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 before the clerk of Clatsop County, at Astoria, Oregon, on Friday, the 17th day of October, 1902.

She names as witnesses: Olaf Boren, of Astoria, Oregon; R. M. Gaston, of Astoria, Oregon; Timothy Corcoran, of Jewel, Oregon; D. M. Stuart, of Astoria, Oregon.

Any and all persons claiming adversely the above-described lands are requested to file their claims in this office on or before said 17th day of October, 1902.

CHAS. B. MOORES,
8-8-10-10. Register.

SUMMONS.

In the Circuit Court of the State of Oregon, for Clatsop County:

Ida Thomas, Plaintiff, vs. Charles H. Mitchell, Defendant:

To Charles H. Mitchell, the above-named defendant:

In the name of the State of Oregon, you are hereby required to appear and answer the complaint of the above named plaintiff filed against you in the above entitled cause in the above entitled court, within six weeks from the date of the first publication of this summons, namely, on or before Monday, the 8th day of September, A. D., 1902. If you fail to so appear and answer the plaintiff will apply to the court for the relief demanded in said complaint, namely, for a decree declaring void and annulling the marriage existing between the plaintiff and the defendant and entered into and solemnized at the town of Vancouver, in Clark county, State of Washington, on the 23d day of November, 1895.

The defendant will also take notice that this summons is published in the Weekly Astorian, pursuant to an order made by the Hon. C. J. Trenchard, County Judge of said Clatsop county, on the 22d day of July, 1902.

The date of the first publication of this summons is July 25th, 1902.

FULTON BROS.,
Attorneys for Plaintiff.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.

Land Office at Oregon City, Oregon, August 29, 1902:

Notice is hereby given that the following-named settler has filed notice of his intention to make final proof in support of his claim, and that said proof will be made before the County Clerk of Clatsop County, at Astoria, Oregon, on October 20, 1902, viz:

JONAS UNTINEN.

Homestead Entry No. 11140, for the lots 1 and 2, section 1, township 4 north, range 9 west, and southeast quarter of southwest quarter and lot 4, section 31, township 5 north, range 8 west.

He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon and cultivation of said land, viz: Andrew Mattson, Henry Hill, Albert Hill, Henry Takola, Herman Jackson Autio, all of Push, Oregon.

CHAS. B. MOORES,
9-5-10-10. Register.