

# A SPECIFIC FOR La Grippe, for Colds, Coughs, AND LUNG TROUBLES, AYER'S CHERRY PECTORAL

"Two years ago, I had the grippe, and it left me with a cough which gave me no rest night or day. My family physician prescribed for me, changing the medicine as often as he found the things I had taken were not helping



me, but, in spite of his attendance, I got no better. Finally, my husband,—reading one day of a gentleman who had had the grippe and was cured by taking Ayer's Cherry Pectoral,—procured, for me, a bottle of this medicine, and before I had taken half of it, I was cured. I have used the Pectoral for my children and in my family, whenever we have needed it, and have found it a specific for colds, coughs, and lung troubles."—EMILY WOOD, North St., Elkton, Md.

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### PERSONAL MENTION.

Mr. Thos. Harlan returned to Mosier today.  
Mr. W. H. H. Dufur is in the city from Dufur.  
Mr. Orville Hendershott went to Portland this morning.  
Miss Winne Williams was a passenger on the Regulator this morning for Portland.  
Mr. R. G. Davenport and wife went to Portland on the early morning train today, and will return this evening to Lewis James in "Othello."

### Kaffir Corn.

There are varied opinions among farmers in this section regarding Kaffir corn. Mr. Riddell, living near town, claims an unsatisfactory experience with it, and considers it not so good as the common varieties. Being new and untried, it might be well for farmers to plant sparingly of it until it is demonstrated to be a good thing. The following description of it appears in an agricultural journal:  
When rains are infrequent it continues to grow after many other plants have come to a standstill, and after a prolonged period of drought it promptly responds to the first fall of rain. The stalks grow from four to seven feet in height, and are well supplied with leaves. When grown only for forage the seed is sometimes sown broadcast, and the crop is fed green or is cut and cured like hay. It is much better, however, to plant in drills and cultivate like broom corn or Indian corn. From four to five pounds of seed will plant an acre of land. It does not germinate as quickly as some seeds, and at first its growth is rather slow, but it soon makes up for all lost time. The time of planting will vary with the locality, but the seed can safely be put in as soon as the ground is warm in the spring.

### Real Estate Transfers.

Theresa Aulanf and H. Aulanf to Jos. Kirchhoff, lots G, H and I, block 33, Ft. Dalles military reservation; \$700.  
T. J. and May G. Watson to P. B. Quinlan, lots 1, 2, 3, 4, 5 and 6, lots 1 to 9 inclusive and 14 to 26 inclusive, block 4, Waucoma; also sq nr qr, sec 31, tp 3 n, r 11 e; \$700.

The exposure to all sorts and conditions of weather that a lumberman is called upon to endure in the camps often produces severe colds, which, if not promptly checked, result in congestion or pneumonia. Mr. J. O. Davenport, ex manager of the Fort Bragg Redwood Co., an immense institution at Fort Bragg, Cal., says they sell large quantities of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy at the company's store and that he has himself used this remedy for a severe cold and obtained immediate relief. This medicine prevents any tendency of a cold toward pneumonia and insures a prompt recovery. For sale by Blakeley & Houghton, Druggist.

Just received at the Wasco Warehouse a carload of "Byers Best" Pendleton flour. This flour has no superior on the Pacific coast. Try it. d7-11

Spray pumps for rent at Mater & Benton's.

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### POST OFFICE SECRECY.

Ask a Letter Carrier the Address of Your Friend, and He Will Say: "Excuse Me." It is not generally known that Uncle Sam looks upon the address or whereabouts of one of his citizens as an inviolable secret. Such, however, is the case, says the New York World.

A New Yorker who had been out of the city for some time found upon his return, a few days ago, that one of his intimate friends had changed his residence without leaving his exact new address. All he could gather was that his friend now lived in a flat on the north side of a certain street.

When he arrived at the block in question he found to his dismay that every house in it was a flat house. He would have to go from door to door until he found his friend's name over one of the bells.

He had not proceeded far when he met a letter-carrier making his usual delivery. Here, he thought, was the man who could save him a lot of time and trouble.

"Yes, sir," replied the postman, in response to his inquiry, "I know the party very well. But I am sorry to say I cannot give you his number. It is against the rules."

The same secrecy is observed at the post office. The postal address of anybody will not be given by the federal authorities even to a state officer. This rule is in accordance with the general principle that a man's dealings with the government are of a confidential nature.

### JAVA'S NATURAL WONDER.

Home of the Hot Devils Possesses Great Interest to Travelers.

The greatest natural wonder in Java, if not in the entire world, is the justly celebrated "Gheko Kamdka Gumko," or "Home of the Hot Devils," known to the world as the "Island of Fire." This geological singularity is really a lake of boiling mud, situated at about the center of the plains of Grobogan, and it is called an island because the great emerald sea of vegetation which surrounds it gives it that appearance. The "island" is about two miles in circumference and is situated at a distance of almost exactly 50 miles from Solo. Near the center of this geological freak immense columns of soft, hot mud may be seen continually rising and falling like great timbers thrust through the boiling substratum by giant hands, and then again quickly withdrawn. Besides the phenomenon of the boiling mud columns there are scores of gigantic bubbles of hot slime that fill up like huge balloons and keep up a series of constant explosions varying with the size of the bubble. In times past, so the Javanese authorities say, there was a tall, spirelike column of baked mud on the west edge of the lake, which constantly belched a pure stream of cold water, but this has long been obliterated, and everything is now a seething mass of bubbling mud and slime, a marvel to the visitors, who come from great distances to see it.

### ELECTRICITY KILLS THE TREES.

Wires Attached to the Branches Destroy the Foliage.

In France great care is taken in locating the wires that carry high-tension electric currents, whether used for light or for power, but in America the thing is done more simply. No one bothers himself about what is to be found at the side of the wire, and it passes among the branches of the trees and across thickets, unconscious of the damage that it may do. Now in many towns, says the Cosmos, it has been observed that the trees in the current dwindle and die. It has also been observed that the death of the trees invariably follows the rainy season; the leaves being then soaked with moisture, become good conductors, and lead the current down into the tree from the wire. The wires, to be sure, have been insulated, but the protective layer has been quickly destroyed by the friction of the branches and the line becomes bare, producing thus results that it would have been well to avoid. And the electricity is the only thing that can be accused of this. It suffices, to convince oneself, to compare the condition of the trees traversed by wires with that of neighboring trees. It has often been noticed that in a storm all the trees through which wires pass die in a few hours, while the surrounding ones are not touched. This is a very serious source of complaint, and causes some lawsuits.

### Barometric Animals.

Cats or dogs in a house are, it is affirmed, trustworthy barometers to those who watch their movements carefully. If they are restless a change of weather, especially when rain is coming, may be anticipated. The cause of this is that their skins are extremely sensitive to atmospheric influence, so that any change in the condition of the air irritates and oppresses them, causing incessant restlessness.

### Interesting to Smokers.

A man, says a statistician, smoking a pipe of medium size blows out of his mouth for every time he fills the pipe 700 smoke clouds. If he smokes four pipes a day for 20 years he blows out 20,440,000 smoke clouds.

A. M. Williams & Co. have just opened an immense assortment of ladies calico wrappers. Any size to 44. Every garment made full.

Kaffir corn for sale at J. H. Cross'.

### Notice of Annual School Meeting.

Notice is hereby given to the legal voters of school district No. 12, of Wasco county, state of Oregon, that the annual school meeting for the said district will be held at the brick school house on Court street, in said district, to begin at the hour of 3:30 o'clock in the afternoon on the first Monday, being the 2d day of March, A. D., 1896.

This meeting is called for the purpose of the transaction of business usual at such meetings, and also determine what action the district will take, relative to the erection or rental of additional school buildings, and providing funds for expense of same.

Dated this 19th day of February, 1896.

S. B. ADAMS,  
Chairman Board of Directors.  
Attest, E. JACOBSEN,  
District Clerk.

### Notice of Special School Meeting.

Notice is hereby given to the legal voters of school district No. 12, of Wasco county, state of Oregon, that the annual school meeting for the said school district for the election of directors and clerk, will be held at the office of Wm. Michell, on Third street, in The Dalles, Oregon, to begin at the hour of 2 o'clock in the afternoon, and continue until 6 o'clock in the afternoon of the 9th day of March, 1896.

The meeting is called for the purpose of electing one director for said district for the term of three years, and one clerk for the term of one year. Said election to be by ballot and the polls will remain open from 2 o'clock p. m. until 6 p. m. of said 9th day of March, 1896, A. D.

Dated this 27th day of February, 1896.

S. B. ADAMS,  
Chairman Board of Directors.  
Attest: E. JACOBSEN,  
District Clerk. 128-d10t

### Lost.

One light red cow, branded ST on left hip, with red and white between horns and on flanks and one drooped horn. Also one white bull calf with black and yellow speck on neck, branded ST on right side or hip. Will pay \$5 reward. Address Stewart, Dutch Flat, The Dalles. daw1m\*

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Mrs. Phoebe Thomas, of Junction City Ill. was told by her doctors she had Consumption and that there was no hope for her, but two bottles of Dr. King's New Discovery completely cured her and she says it saved her life. Mr. Thos. Eggers, 139 Florida St. San Francisco, suffered from a dreadful cold, approaching Consumption, tried without result everything else then bought one bottle of Dr. King's New Discovery and in two weeks was cured. He is naturally thankful. It is such results, of which these are samples, that prove the wonderful efficacy of this medicine in Coughs and colds. Free trial bottles at Blakeley & Houghton's Drug Store. Regular size 50 cents and \$1 00.

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