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When my friends ask me what is the best remedy for disorders of the stomach, liver, or bowels, my invariable answer is, Ayer's Pills. Taken in season, they will break up a cold, prevent the grippe, check fever, and regulate the digestive organs. They are easy to take, and are, indeed, the best all-round family medicine I have ever known."

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AYER'S PILLS
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PERSONAL MENTION

- Mr. E. Jacobsen returned from Portland today.
- Mrs. Sam Wilkerson went to Portland this morning.
- Mr. F. Faulkner and wife left for Portland this afternoon.
- Mr. Hans Lage of Hood River, is in town today on probate business.
- Mr. Chris Detman of Hood River will arrive on the Regulator this evening.
- Messrs Frank Davenport and Joseph Langille of Hood River are in the city.
- Mrs. Frank Hampton of Eugene is visiting Mrs. G. C. Blakeley of The Dalles.
- Mr. E. B. McFarland of Portland came in last night, and left this afternoon for home.
- Mr. and Mrs. Hinton, James and Lillie Hinton left on this afternoon's train for Portland.
- Mr. Amos Rost and son Elmer Rost, and Mr. Wallace Husbands were in the city today from Mosier.
- Messrs. A. M. Kelsey, C. L. Gilbert and C. L. Phillips, Republican candidates for county offices, left for the Locks this morning.
- Messrs. John Mitchell, B. S. Huntington and Fred W. Wilson returned yesterday from a campaigning tour in Sherman and Wasco counties. The prospects for success of the Republican ticket are very bright.

The Bible in the Schools.

City School Superintendent Pratt, of Multnomah county, says the Oregonian, has received a copy of a book entitled "Readings from the Bible; Selected for Schools, and to Be Read in Union." The book, which contains less than 200 pages, is published under the supervision of the Chicago Woman's Ecclesiastical Union, and the object of it is to place before the pupils in the public schools of the United States, in which the Bible is not allowed, some of the most beautiful passages from that book. The selections were made by an editorial committee, consisting of W. J. Onahan, J. H. Burrows and C. C. Bonney, one a Catholic, one a Hebrew and one a Protestant. The selections appear in no regular order, those from the Old and New Testament being mixed indiscriminately. As may be supposed, from the composition of the committee, there is nothing in the book which is objectionable to the religion or morals of any one. Such things as the story about Cain going east to the land of Nod and getting a wife, the story about Lot's wife being changed into a pillar of salt, the history of the witch of Endor, the drowning of Pharaoh's host in the Red sea, the account of the flood, the prophecies of Daniel, and the second chapter of Obadiah, in regard to the propriety and truthfulness of which the best and wisest of men have differed, are omitted from the book, which is composed of the most beautiful passages from the poetical, historical, and other books of the Scriptures.

The Virus Received.

Frank B. Clopton, of Pendleton, has received a box of the virus which has

been used in experimenting with ground squirrels in Chicago. The virus comes in glass tubes, and minute directions have also been received by Mr. Clopton. He has virus enough for operating on five acres, and he will at once commence experiments in the fields on his ranch below Pendleton. Considerable interest has been elicited, and Mr. Clopton's investigations will be watched by every one. The virus will be placed on dry bread, and the bread placed in the squirrel runs. It is expected that the squirrels will at once begin to eat it, and the disease spread from the first. The rapidity with which the disease spreads will determine the value of the virus as an exterminator of squirrels.

Independent Candidate for Sheriff.

I hereby announce myself an independent free silver candidate for the office of sheriff of Wasco county, Oregon, to be voted for at the general election to be held on June 1, 1896.

JOHN M. ROTH.

The Discovery saved His Life.

Mr. G. Cailloutte, Druggist, Bearersville, Ill. says: "To Dr. King's New Discovery I owe my life. Was taken with La Grippe and tried all the physicians for miles about, but of no avail and was given up and told I could not live. Having Dr. King's New Discovery in my store I sent for a bottle and began its use and from the first dose began to get better, and after using three bottles was up and about again. It is worth its weight in gold. We won't keep store or house without it." Get a free trial at Blakeley & Houghton's Drug Store. 2

In the fall of 1893 a son of Mr. T. A. McFarland, a prominent merchant of Live Oak, Sutter county, Calif., was taken with a very heavy cold. The pains in his chest were so severe that he had spasms and was threatened with pneumonia. His father gave him several large doses of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy, which broke up the cough and cured him. Mr. McFarland says whenever his children have croup he invariably gives them Chamberlain's Cough Remedy and it always cures them. He considers it the best cough remedy in the market. For sale by Blakeley & Houghton's Drug store.

Free Pills.

Send your address to H. E. Bucklen & Co., Chicago, and get a free sample box of Dr. King's New Life Pills. A trial will convince you of their merits. These pills are easy in action and are particularly effective in the cure of Constipation and Sick Headache. For Malaria and Liver troubles they have been proved invaluable. They are guaranteed to be perfectly free from every deleterious substance and to be purely vegetable. They do not weaken by their action, but by giving tone to stomach and bowels greatly invigorate the system. Regular size 25 cents per box. Sold by Blakeley & Houghton, Druggists. 4

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J. W. Pierce, Republic, Ia., says: "I have used One Minute Cough Cure in my family and for myself, with result so entirely satisfactory that I can hardly find words to express myself as to its merit. I will never fail to recommend it to others, on every occasion that presents itself." For sale by Snipes-Kinersley, Drug Co.

Bucklen's Arnica Salve.

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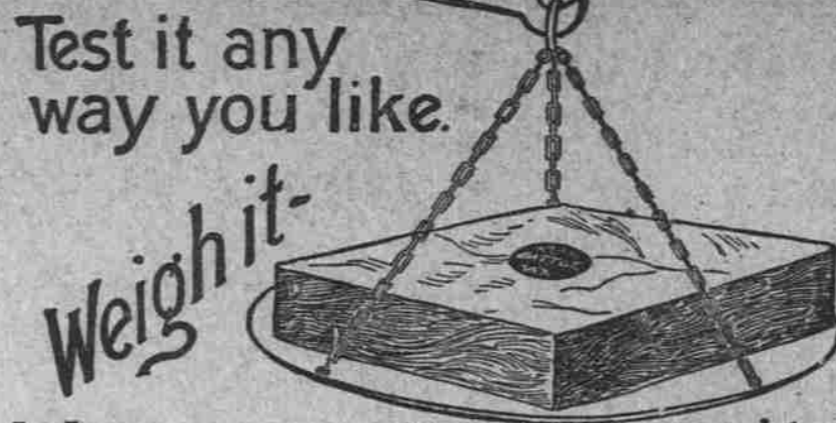
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Train No. 1 arrives at The Dalles 4:50 a. m., and leaves 4:55 a. m.
Train No. 2 arrives at The Dalles 10:40 p. m., and leaves 10:45 p. m.
Train No. 8 arrives at The Dalles 12:05 p. m., and west-bound train No. 7 leaves at 2:30 p. m.
Train 23 and 24 will carry passengers between The Dalles and Umatilla, leaving The Dalles at 1 p. m. daily and arriving at The Dalles 1 p. m. daily, connecting with train Nos. 8 and 7 from Portland.
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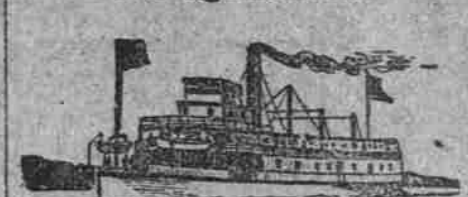
LEAVE	FROM JUNE 23, 1895.	ARRIVE.
*8:00 P. M.	OVERLAND EXPRESS, Salem, Roseburg, Ashland, Sacramento, Ogden, San Francisco, Mojave, Los Angeles, El Paso, New Orleans and East.	*8:10 A. M.
*8:30 A. M.	Roseburg and way stations.	*4:40 P. M.
Daily except Sundays.	Via Woodburn for Mt. Angel, Silverton, West Slo, Brownsville, Springfield and Natron.	except Sundays.
*4:00 P. M.	Salem and way stations.	*10:00 A. M.
*7:00 A. M.	Corvallis and way stations.	*6:20 P. M.
*4:45 P. M.	McMinnville and way stations.	*8:25 P. M.
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Leave for Sheridan, week days, at 4:30 p. m. Arrive at Portland, 9:30 a. m.		
Leave for AIRLIE on Monday, Wednesday and Friday at 9:40 a. m. Arrive at Portland, Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday at 5:35 p. m.		
Sunday trains for OSWEGO leave at 7:30, 9:00, 11:30 a. m., 12:40, 2:00, 3:30, 5:30, 6:50 p. m.		
Arrive at Portland at 12:35, 3:40, 10:30 a. m., 12:15, 1:30, 3:15, 4:45, 6:30, 7:55 p. m.		
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