

**THE BEST FAMILY MEDICINE**  
She Has Ever Known. Words of Praise from a New York Lady for  
**AYER'S PILLS**

"I would like to add my testimony to that of others who have used Ayer's Pills, and to say that I have taken them for many years, and always derived the best results from their use. For stomach and liver troubles, and for the cure of headache caused by these derangements, Ayer's Pills cannot be equalled."



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 a gripe, 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."

**AYER'S PILLS**  
Highest Honors at World's Fair.  
Ayer's Sarsaparilla Cures all Blood Disorders.

**PERSONAL MENTION**

J. O. Mack is in Portland.  
Sheriff Driver went to Portland this afternoon.

Mrs. M. Long left today for Gervais to spend the Fourth among her relatives.  
Miss Bessie Cram went to Portland on this afternoon's train. She will soon leave that point for Port Townsend.

Hon. J. N. Brown of Heppner, re-elected to the Oregon legislature, was in the city today. He is a candidate for speaker of the house.

Deputy Sheriff Kelly returned from Kingsley Monday evening. He reports a large shower of hail, succeeded by rain, on the day he arrived there.

Mr. Geo. T. Prather of Hood River is in town today and secured a quantity of blanks used by justice of the peace. He qualified today before the county clerk.

N. J. Sinnott and Walter Klindt returned last night from a mining trip. They are somewhat reticent about results, but have brought back some good looking rock.

**Express Shipments.**

The following produce was received yesterday by the express company for shipment:

A. M. Kelsay, 4 sk beans; A. Y. Marsh, 12 sk beans, 17 bx cherries; Erskine, 2 bx cucumbers; Klindt, 2 bx 2 cases cucumbers, 2 cases beans; Field, 2 sk 8 cases beans; Sickler, 6 sk beans, 14 bx cherries; Anderson, 4 sk beans; Commission Co., 84 bx cherries.

**Fourth of July Rates.**

For the Fourth of July the O. R. & N. Co. will sell excursion tickets to any rail station within 300 miles of The Dalles at rate of one fare for the round trip. Tickets to be sold July 23, 24 and 25; good up to and including July 28th.  
E. E. LYTLE, Agent.

**A Household Treasure.**

D. W. Fuller, of Oansjoharie, N. Y., says that he always keeps Dr. King's New Discovery in the house and his family has always found the very best results follow its use; that he would not be without it, if procurable. G. A. Dykeman, Druggist, Catskill, N. Y., says that Dr. King's New Discovery is undoubtedly the best cough remedy; that he has used it in his family for eight years, and it has never failed to do all that is claimed for it. Why not try a remedy so long tried and tested. Trial bottles free at Blakeley & Houghton's Drug Store. Regular size 50c, and \$1.00.

**These Must Go at Once.**

A home with lot, worth \$900; \$750 takes it. Owner leaving city, and must sell. Three lots only five blocks from Court house. Lay in fair shape; \$150 for the three. One fine business lot in heart of city; \$800. Among a multitude of offerings, these three are the very best. Match them if you can.  
FRED D. HILL,  
Real Estate & Fire Insurance. Room 12, Chapman Block. may1-it

**Reduced Rates.**

Effective March 23d. The O. R. & N. Co. will reduce their round trip rates between Portland and The Dalles as follows: Two day rate, good going Saturday and returning Monday night, \$3. Ten day tickets \$3.50. Good on all trains.  
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**THE ELDER TREE.**

Some of the Traditions and Superstitions Attached to It.

The traditions attached to this tree are very numerous and widespread, from the days of Pliny downward, says Notes and Queries. The fancy or belief that Judas hung himself upon an elder tree, which will be found in Gerarde and many old herbalists and poets, Ben Johnson among them, of course, gave the name to the purplish-brown fungus which grows on its bark under the title of "Judas' ear," which Coles refers to as "Jewes Eare, called in Latin Fungus sambicunus and Auricula judae." The plant appears to have had in England the old cognomen of pipe tree or bun tree, and in Scotland bore tree, no doubt from the facility with which pipes or tubes for musical or other purposes have always been made by pushing out the pith from the younger branches. Wessem toget the name from the Dutch holder with the German hohlunder, sarrau with the French, in Holland vierboom, Italian sambuco, Russian busina, and Spanish sauco.

The spiced wine so almost universally made from the berries in country districts, and the medicinal virtues attributed—and not without reason—to very many preparations made from its bark, shoots, leaves and roots by country folk from time immemorial, and a proportion of which are found in the pharmacopoeia, have doubtless made it a popular plant, and gathered around it many of the superstitions, tales, and even enhanced the virtues it is said to possess. At all events, in nearly every county in England its praises can be heard, and wondrous tales in connection with it will be found to exist.

**A FROG HUNTER.**

New Jersey Girl is Accumulating a Large Batrachian Revenue.

Miss Mona Selden, of Friendship, N. J., is a hunter of renown. The game she bags is frogs. For seven years she has been supporting herself by her unique athletic exercise. Now she is one of the most prosperous citizens in the little town, and she is reputed to have a bank account which, if it keeps on growing, will eventually enable her to give up frog shooting.

Before she took to frog shooting Miss Selden taught school in the country regions for ten dollars a week. She did not particularly enjoy teaching, for her pupils were frequently boys about twice as big as herself, and they had that particular form of humor which shows itself in being obstreperous. Moreover, ten dollars a week did not satisfy Miss Selden's idea of proper compensation. Consequently, when she found that frogs were a costly luxury, she resolved to invest her savings in a frog farm. Friendship being rich in bogs and swamps, Miss Selden bought 20 acres of land, fenced it in, and began to raise frogs for the New York market, to the scornful delight of her neighbors. They thought she was a harmless and amusing lunatic when they saw her practicing shooting frogs. But when they learned that she cleared \$1,000 the first season, those who came to scoff remained to imitate, and frog-shooting became a popular occupation in Friendship. The other shooters sell their game to Miss Selden, who in turn sells it to the market.

**None But Ayer's at the World's Fair.**

Ayer's Sarsaparilla enjoys the extraordinary distinction of having been the only blood purifier allowed on exhibit at the world's fair, Chicago. Manufacturers of other sarsaparillas sought by every means to obtain a showing of their goods, but they were all turned away under the application of the rule forbidding the entry of patent medicines and nostrums. The decision of the world's fair authorities in favor of Ayer's Sarsaparilla was in effect as follows: "Ayer's Sarsaparilla is not a patent medicine. It does not belong to the list of nostrums. It is here on its merits."

**Did You Ever.**

Try Electric Bitters as a remedy for your troubles? If not, get a bottle now and get relief. This medicine has been found to be peculiarly adapted to the relief and cure of all Female Complaints, exerting a wonderful direct influence in giving strength and tone to the organs. If you have Loss of Appetite, Constipation, Headache, Fainting Spells, or are Nervous, Sleepless, Excitable, Melancholy or troubled with Dizzy Spells, Electric Bitters in the medicine you need. Health and Strength are guaranteed by its use. Large bottles only fifty cents and \$1.00 at Blakeley & Houghton, Druggist.

When you take Simmons Liver Regulator this spring for your blood and for malaria, be sure to note how well it works, and how quickly you find yourselves improved in health and spirit. "I was induced to try Simmons Liver Regulator, and its action was quick and thorough. It impaired a brisk and vigorous feeling. It is an excellent remedy."—J. R. Hilland, Monroe, Iowa.

**To Rent.**

A good six room house below the bluff. Enquire of A. S. Mac Allister, this office. jun29-tf

Lost—A dark Jersey cow, branded CL on left hip. Has been from home since Wednesday morning, June 24th. Finder will please communicate with this office. jun25-2w\*



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**Battle Ax PLUG**

Don't compare "Battle Ax" with low grade tobaccos—compare "Battle Ax" with the best on the market, and you will find you get for 10 cents almost twice as much "Battle Ax" as you do of other high grade brands.



This is the very best Smoking Tobacco made.

**Blackwell's Genuine BULL DURHAM**  
You will find one coupon inside each 2 ounce bag and two coupons inside each 4 ounce bag. Buy a bag, read the coupon and see how to get your share of \$250,000 in presents.

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WITH A BOTTLE OF  
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In your home you have a COMPANION FOR LIFE  
It stimulates the APPETITE  
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*8:30 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 Seilo, Brownsville, Springfield and Natron.	except Sundays.
*4:00 P. M.	Salem and way stations (Corvallis and way stations).	*10:00 A. M.
7:30 A. M.	McMinnville and way stations.	6:20 P. M.
4:45 P. M.	McMinnville and way stations.	8:25 P. M.

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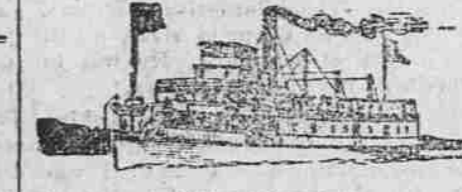
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YAMHILL DIVISION.  
Passenger Dept, foot of Jefferson street.

Leave for OSWEGO, week days, at 6:00, 7:20, 10:15 a. m., 12:15, 1:55, 5:15, 6:30 p. m., 8:00 p. m., and 11:30 p. m., on Saturday only.  
Arrive at Portland, 7:10, 8:30, 11:25 a. m., 1:30, 4:15, 6:20, 7:40, 9:05 p. m.

Leave for ASTORIA, week days, at 4:30 p. m. Arrive at Portland, 9:30 a. m.  
Leave for ASTORIA on Monday, Wednesday and Friday at 9:40 a. m. Arrive at Portland, Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday at 8:05 p. m.  
Sunday trains for OSWEGO leave at 7:30, 9:00, 11:30 a. m., 12:40, 2:00, 5:30, 6:30, 6:50 p. m. Arrive at Portland at 12:35, 8:40, 10:30 a. m., 12:15, 1:50, 3:15, 4:15, 6:30, 7:55 p. m.  
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Passenger Rates.  
One way.....\$2.00  
Round trip.....3.00

**Rates Greatly Reduced.**  
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**New Schedule.**  
Effective Tuesday, April 7th, the following will be the new schedule:

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.  
E. E. LYTLE, Agent.

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**Picture Moulding.**

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**NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.**  
LAND OFFICE at The Dalles, Or., May 4, 1895.  
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 register and receiver at The Dalles, Oregon, on June 20, 1895, viz:  
James F. Elliott,  
Hd. E No. 3269, for the NW 1/4, Sec. 22, Tp. 1 N., R. 15 E.  
He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon and cultivation of, said land, viz: J. W. Allen, U. J. Hurst, James Hurst, W. Bennett, all of The Dalles, Or.  
JAS. F. MOORE, Register  
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