# The Weekly Enterprise.

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### Proceedings of the County Court of Clackamas County, at the January Term, 1870.

In the matter of the road between Oregon City and Canemah, and the suit against the Peoples' Transportation Company for damages thereto—the Court having examined the work and repairs done on said road, and the walls built for the protection of the same, by the said People's Transportation Company, and having found the same satisfactory, and in compliance with the order of this Court made at the August term thereof, A. D. 1869;

It is now ordered that when the said P. T. Co. shall pay to the County Treasurer of Clackamas county the costs and expenses to which said county has been subjected in the prosecution of said suit, amounting to the sum of $614.15 in U. S. gold coin, or in county orders due in their regular term, the Clerk of this Court is authorized to have the judgment which this county has against the said Company cancelled as fully satisfied and discharged.

Upon petition of citizens for a road leading from the west end of Eli Criswell's lane to a point near Milwaukie, on the road from Milwaukie to Philip Foster's place, the court ordered that the petitioners give bonds in the sum of $100, to cover the expense of a view, and that Wm. McCubbin, Andrew Sprouls and Wm Tucker were appointed viewers to view and report upon the necessity and practicability of such proposed road; and it was further ordered that said viewers meet at Z. C. Norton's place on Tuesday, the 18th day of the present month, for the purpose of discharging their said duty of viewing said proposed road.

The assessment of George W. Rice was reduced $1,600 for indebtedness not deducted by the county assessor.

The assessment of the Oregon Iron Works was reduced $35,000 for indebtedness not deducted by the county assessor.

S. P. Gilliland, James Chitwood and S. W. Embree, viewers appointed at the last December term of this Court to view a proposed road leading from a point on the line between Multnomah and Clackamas counties to Philip Foster's, reported in favor of establishing such road, and the Court declared said road established and ordered opened.

George Githens, George Currens and Samuel Raney, viewers appointed at the last December term of this Court to view a proposed road leading from John Pankey's to Philip Foster's place, reported in favor of establishing such road, and the Court declared said road established as a public highway and ordered it opened.

Joseph Johnson, R. H. Sconce and Jas. L. Struther, viewers appointed at the last December term of this Court to view a proposed road leading from Spring Creek, near Needy P. O., to Wilson's ford on Butte Creek, reported in favor of establishing the same as a public road, and the Court declared said road a public highway and ordered it opened.

On application of E. Ross and S. W. Eddy, it was ordered by the Court that a certain piece of land bought in by the county for taxes, be conveyed to them by a quit claim deed executed by the County Clerk of this county, upon the payment by the said Ross and Eddy of the taxes, costs of sale and accruing costs.

In the matter of the road leading from Glad Tidings to Wilhoit's Springs, the Court set aside its order made at the last December term thereof, by which the Court refused to establish said road, and assessed the cost of the survey and view thereof to John Wilhoit, one of the petitioners, and at this term the Court entered an order that H. L. Dibble, Asa Saunders and John Sawtelle, viewers of said road, be allowed to withdraw their report heretofore filed (in last December), and that they have leave to file another, or an amended report, at the next February term of this Court, and that the costs and expenses of said survey and view of said road heretofore taxed to John Wilhoit, be now taxed against Clackamas county, as follows:

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| H. L. Dibble, viewer..... | $6.00 |
| Asa Saunders, " ..... | 6.00 |
| John Sawtelle, " ..... | 6.00 |
| Ira Moody, chainmain.... | 6.00 |
| G. W. Covey, " .... | 6.00 |
| R. C. Ramsey, marker.... | 6.00 |
| S. L. Campbell, Surveyor.. | 17.50 |
| Total..... | $53.50 |

The assessment of Jesse Moreland was reduced $600.

Upon petitions by citizens it was ordered by the Court that the road leading from D. H. Deardorff's to Chase's Ferry, be vacated.

Ordered that the Clerk of this Court under the seal of the Court notify J.K. Wait, guardian of Caroline Walker, a County charge, to report to this court, at the next February term thereof, in regard to the health education, and progress of his said ward.

Ordered that the Clerk may, at any time in vacation, at his discretion, convey by quit claim any and all lands sold for taxes and deeded to the county by the Sheriff upon the parties formerly owning the same paying all taxes due and all costs of deeding the same to the county, costs of advertising, and deducting the same. And the Court hereby acknowledges the acts of the Clerk in the premises to be legal.

The following bills were audited and ordered paid, to wit:

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| John Myers, for services as Sheriff..... | $26.95 |
| John Myers, for attending county court, Dec. term. | 10.00 |
| T. J. McCarver, for attending county court, Dec. term. | 6.00 |
| J. M. Frazer, Co. Clerk, fees for services..... | 74.55 |
| John Zumwalt, for lumber for Black creek and Carroll creek bridges..... | 306.28 |
| John Myers, per centage on taxes collected..... | 339.20 |
| Joseph Ridings, lumber for bridge..... | 12.00 |
| H. Seites, lumber for bridge | 9.60 |
| J. H. Whitmore, board of A. Lambert..... | 12.00 |
| J. K. Wait, board of Caroline Walker..... | 10.00 |
| Expenses of Pankey Road Survey: | |
| George Githens, viewer .. | 4.80 |
| George Currens, " .. | 4.80 |
| S. Raney, " .. | 4.80 |
| " per diem and mileage for making report thereon..... | 4.80 |
| A. Van Curen, chainman.. | 4.80 |
| W. J. Howlett, " .. | 4.80 |
| S. L. Campbell, Surveyor. | 8.50 |
| Expenses of Cascade Road Survey: | |
| S. P. Gilliland, viewer... | 7.60 |
| Samuel Embree, " ... | 7.60 |
| Jas. T. Chitwood, " ... | 8.00 |
| " " for reporting. | 4.00 |
| S. L. Williams, chainman.. | 4.00 |
| W. H. H. Butler, " .. | 4.00 |
| James Brown, marker.... | 4.00 |
| S. L. Campbell, Surveyor.. | 12.50 |
| Expenses of Spring Creek and Butte Creek Road Survey: | |
| Joseph Johnson, viewer... | 4.00 |
| Robert Sconce, " ... | 4.00 |
| J. L. Struthers, " ... | 4.00 |
| Joseph Hinckle, marker.. | 4.00 |
| J. F. Purdien, chainman... | No charge |
| Wm. Keiser, " ... | No charge |
| S. L. Campbell, Surveyor.. | 14.50 |
| State of Oregon vs. Gow, alias Mai, a Chinaman: | |
| J. A. Smith, J. P. fees.... | 7.90 |
| F. O. McCown, Pros. Att'y.. | 5.00 |
| Ah Hoy, interpreter..... | 3.00 |
| J. W. Ryan, constable.... | 7.55 |
| MISCELLANEOUS. | |
| J. M. Drake, County Com.. | 10.40 |
| Wm. McCown, " " .. | 9.20 |
| Logus & Albright, for meat furnished Mrs. O'Reiley. | 9.67 |
| Barlow & Fuller, for groceries for Mrs. O'Reiley.... | 3.50 |
| Barlow & Fuller, " .... | 14.00 |

### The Public Debt Statement.

From the New York World.

Let us strip from Mr. Boutwell's October statement of the public debt the deceptive and bewildering nimbus which he throws around it, in the shape of additions for accrued interest and deductions for bonds issued to the Pacific railroads, and compare it with the last statement made by Secretary McCulloch, on the 1st of March. Here are the two statements made up upon the easily understood plan of Mr. McCulloch, giving the whole of the principal of the debt:

| | March 1. | November 1. |
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| Debt bearing coin interest..... | $2,107,824,050 | $2,107,936,800 |
| Debt bearing currency interest.. | 71,140,000 | 61,640,000 |
| Matured debt... | 6,422,492 | 4,389,986 |
| Debt bearing no interest..... | 421,578,180 | 421,885,221 |
| Bonds issued to Pacific R. Roads | 53,937,000 | 62,188,320 |
| | $2,660,901,693 | $2,658,000,327 |

Absolute decrease in eight months, $1,866,366.

That is all. The official statement of the Secretary of the Treasury, by the legerdemain of adding accrued interest on the bonds he has lying in the Treasury, and similar little games, figures up a nominal decrease of the debt amounting to $64,332,070 since March 1st; but the actual decrease is only $1,866,366. If he *paid off* six millions of the debt in any shape, his claim that he had reduced it to that extent would be a good one; but he has only juggled with it. He has changed the shape of some of the items, and is elaborately carrying on the ridiculous farce of making the Government pay interest to itself upon what he pomposly calls the "sinking fund" and "other coin interest bonds purchased." There are one hundred and twenty-four millions of money and sixty-four millions of bonds in the Treasury, it is true; but what of that? Fifty-four millions of it are due now for accrued interest; and it is easy to imagine a case in which a sudden emergency would require the expenditure of the whole of the balance. In such a case where would the boasted decrease of sixty-four millions since March 1st be found? Most probably the whole of forty-six millions "held to wait the pleasure of Congress" would be thrown on the market, and the country would find itself deeper in debt than it was a year ago. When the debt begins to be actually paid off, its reduction will have begun, and not before.

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No body but shoddyites now wear diamonds. Pearls are worn instead.

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Mrs. Arabella Mansfield, Esq. is the beauty of the Iowa Bar.

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The place to see model husbands and wives—In your dreams.

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Boston has sold for three years the right to collect its swill for $18,000.

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Wife-whipping has become so popular in Pittsburg that the husband who fails in this particular is tabooed by fashionable society.

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A marriage broker advertises: "All couples availing themselves of the agency of this office will have happiness guaranteed to them for one year."

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St. Louis has a divorce case in which the husband claims a seperation because the cat was allowed to eat supper, and the wife because her husband turned his back to her in bed.

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An old lady on a train not far from Lafayette, hearing the brakemen sing out "Eubank's Cut," sailed to the door and asked, "Is he hurt much?"

### Work.

For the Enterprise.

Work is the sweet of earth's sad life,
Work is a hymn of praise,
That wings its flight o'er land and strife,
To the Ancient one of Days.
—*J. G. Worth.*

There is true nobleness in work—even sacredness. A man may be thoughtless and careless, but if he works with activity and energy there is hope for him. For the idle and slothful there is nothing but dark despair. God created man to labor. When He placed our first parents in the garden of Eden, they were to dress and keep it. As they walked among its beautiful bowers and felt the gentle breezes of heaven kissing their cheeks in the rosy morn, they went forth to their work rejoicing. Ever as they sought the shade of some overhanging rock, or stood forth in the clear sunlight, moving in holy communion with God and the angels, were their hands busy in tending this garden, blest as it was by purity and love. But there was a change in the condition of things when they were expelled from Eden. Briars and thorns sprang up and work became an absolute necessity. By the sweat of the brow were the sweets of life to be obtained. By the sweat of the brow were the gelds to be cultivated, and all kinds of labor was to be performed by arduous toil. By the sweat of the brain were great achievements to be made in the world's progress. As the wheel of time has swept past and centuries have been buried in oblivion, the same law has operated in the whole universe of God. All nature obeys the law. Work is in unison with nature. From the depths of the mighty ocean up to the snow-capped mountains, there is one universal song of labor. The elements are at work; bursting forth in flame and smoke and fiery lava in one place—in another working mighty changes in the earthquake, or in that gradual change which goes on century by century almost unnoticed by man; and the stars rolling on in their orbits sing the same song. By the sweat of the brow have the steamship and the railroad been built. By the sweat of the brain Kepler's laws were discovered and Franklin sent up the kite that first kissed the lightning. There *is* a sacredness in work. God has implanted in the breast of every human being the heaven born influence which would lead them to labor truly and nobly.

Labor is life; it is a well-spring bursting forth in the desert of life, transforming the man into a living reality. Work is like a mighty river flowing through man's existence, draining the meadow of stagnant pools and foul malaria, causing it to bloom with the fairest flowers of earth. Hast thou slipped away from the shores of youth, that fairy land which the enthusiasm of youth creates, and over which bright images flit, and have not learned to labor? Then have the hours glided by without meaning to you. You have been treading the path that leads to crime, which finds its end in the damp dungeon or on the gallows. There is no sunlight to gladden your hearts, no bright visions of happiness stealing over your quiet moments and instilling hope and joy. The idler has no golden hours; his face is never lit up with the rosy tint of health. I think the most abject creature that moves on this fair earth, is the idler. His life is a burden to himself and a disgrace to humanity. God never made you to be idle. He gave you powers of mind and body to be exercised for the benefit of mankind. You are not fulfilling heaven's high mission. You are not standing forth in the great battle of life like a true man, with all your humanity upon you battling for right, and opposing error and wrong with giant strength if you are idle and inactive. Oh! then awake as one out of sleep; cast the dark shadows of indolence behind you; throw off the shackles of sloth and be a man.

We look abroad and see the world full of evil; drunkenness, and profanity are met with on every hand; wrong and oppression armed with the blood-dyed sword of injustice, warring against right and truth, and all that is pure and holy trampled upon by skepticism; and we say there is no room for the idler. Work that is true and noble has its summit in heaven. All doubt must be overcome by work. Are your minds shrouded in gloom, and are lowering clouds of doubt and error preventing clear views of the brightness and glory of Christ's humble followers? Then work in the mine of truth, dig deep among its treasures till you find pearls. Where wrong and oppression exists *there* is work, *work*. From the oppressed every where comes up a loud call for help. Cans't thou then sit idly down with folded hands and have no energy to be a worker in the world's great struggle for right? Is stupidity and ignorance around thee?—attack it—it is thy worst enemy. With all thy energy press forward against ignorance. Work while it is day, for the night cometh and then cans't not work. But the noblest work ever discovered under God's blue sky, is the work of rescuing lost and wretched souls. To reach out a helping hand to save the poor tempest tossed mariner, driven about by adverse winds, without a compass, without a guiding star, is the most sublime of all work. It is such work as the angels would rejoice to perform. All can work here. The storms never cease, the wild waves are never still, and all around thee upon the stormy sea of life are human souls sweeping on to the dark land of shadows; like wandering planets they have been swept from the path in which they were created to move. What a noble and blessed thing it is to work for their safety—to labor to bring them into the bright path which leads direct to the gate of heaven. In whatever sphere you work, work resolutely; it is noble even if it be ever so humble. Art thou sad and weary with toil? Do you complain that heaven is unkind? Oh! sorrowing one borne down by care and toil, look up and rejoice. In the sunlight of heaven's law, see the angels winging their flight around the throne. Labor on, weary one, till the sad night of toil is lost in the blissful rest of heaven. When the Spartan mother sent her son to fight the enemies of her country, she handed him his shield, saying: "*With it, my son, or upon it.*" The Spartans did not complain. So God is saying to us in the deep death kingdoms of the universe: "*With thy shield, my son, or upon it.*" Ah! there be many who have no shield, that are drones in this busy, stirring world, working neither for humanity or God. Let us all be workers, bearing before us the shield of truth; opposing wrong and injustice, oppression and cruelty, and battling gloriously against the power of ignorance and superstition.

"Let us then be up and doing,
With a heart for any fate:
Still achieving, still pursuing—
Learn to labor and to wait."

Profundus.

## Telegraphic Clippings.

### Liability of Steamboats as Carriers.

New York, Dec. 29.

Judge Daley decided yesterday that a steamboat company, as common carriers, are liable for the baggage of passengers left in staterooms, notwithstanding notice may have been put up that the baggage is not allowed in the cabins or staterooms, and that when placed there is at the risk of the owners.

### Republican Financiering.

New York, Jan. 4.

Rumors of a lock up of greenbacks are current. The various reports of bank defalcations, and the intentions of the Secretary of the Treasury in regard to sales of gold, have unsettled all the markets.

### The Alabama Question.

New York, Jan. 4.

The *World* learns by private advices from Washington that the adjustment of the *Alabama* claims will be made in Washington, and that the Duke of Argyle will be Embassador from England, clothed with authority to act upon such terms as may be agreed on. It is likewise said that the apology which Sumner insisted England should make for her course during the war will not be acceded to on the part of that government, but in lieu of this, the British Government proposes to transfer to the United States all that territory lying west of Lake Superior, including British Columbia, and all her possessions on the Pacific coast, in consideration of our paying a large sum of money therefor.

### Expenditure of the Public Funds.

A movement is started in Washington, to raise a considerable sum of money for the benefit of Stanton's family. The President headed the subscription with 1,000 dollars.

### Earthquake in Canada.

Montreal, Dec. 29.

A heavy shock of earthquake is reported at the city of St. Paul, forty miles below Quebec. It lasted one minute.

### Condition of George D. Prentice.

Cincinnati, Dec. 29.

George D. Prentice continues critically ill, in Louisville, of rheumatism of the heart.

### Railroad Accident.

A western freight train on the Memphis and Charleston railroad, ran off the track near Corinth yesterday, smashing several cars, killing a brakeman, and fatally injuring Tim Wright, conductor.

### Steamer Burned.

St. Louis, Dec. 29.

The steamer *Tempest* is reported burned on Trinity river—loss $15,000.

### Murder in Jail.

Memphis, Dec. 29.

On the 8th inst., a young man named Gifford, confined in jail on a charge of complicity in killing a young man some weeks ago, was shot through the window of the jail by a party of ruffians and killed.

### Civil Rights.

Chicago, Dec. 30.

The United States authorities arrested two white men in Louisville, Ky., yesterday, under the Civil Rights' Law. They were taken before the City Court, charged with killing a negro, and were acquitted, none but negro testimony being offered against them, which was refused.

### Preparing for an Emergency.

New York, Dec. 30.

Private orders were sent from Washington yesterday to all the navy yards, directing that the work of fitting out vessels of war for sea be vigorously prosecuted. The monitor *Miantonomah* is now refitting at the Brooklyn Navy Yard. She has been ordered to depart at once. Her destination is rumored to be Samana, as it is said the European powers are taking measures to prevent the cession of that portion of St. Domingo to the United States.

### Woman Suffrage Convention.

Concord, N. H., Dec. 30.

The Woman Suffrage Association is holding a session here. About 100 persons are present. Julia Ward Howe was very severe on Sumner's position on the Cuba question, and made a stirring appeal in behalf of the Cubans.

### Proper Punishment.

Richmond, Dec. 31.

Yesterday afternoon, in Wheeling, a young lady named Botham, who had been seduced by a man named McNash, visited him at a boarding house. Calling him out she demanded the fulfillment of his marriage promise. On a refusal she drew a revolver and shot him through the bowels and then surrendered herself to the authorities. McNash will not recover. He was to have been married to another lady in a few days.

### Terrible Tragedy.

Poughkeepsie, Jan. 1.

A terrible tragedy occurred in Sleepy Hollow, near Tarrytown, this afternoon. A man named N. W. Buckout, shot his wife, a merchant of Newark named Randall, and his son Charles Randall. Mrs. Buckout was shot through the temple. Alfred Randall through the heart, and Charles through the side. Mrs. Buckout and Alfred Randall are dead. Charles Randall lies in a dangerous condition. Buckout gave himself up immediately, and was lodged in jail. The cause of the tragedy is unknown. Some persons ascribe it to jealousy on the part of the husband, others believe he was insane.

### Ohio Legislature.

Columbus, Jan. 3.

The General Assembly of Ohio met this morning. The Senate organized, electing E. T. Hall (Republican) Clerk, and B. F. Churchill (Democrat) Sergeant-at-Arms. The House partially organized, electing A. J. Cunningham (Independent Republican) from Hamilton county, Speaker; Laymen (Democrat) Clerk. Three independent Republicans from Hamilton co., voted steadily with the Democrats, and Cunningham voted for himself.

### Indian Depredations Threatened.

St. Paul, Jan. 4.

A special states that private information from Pembina, on perfectly reliable authority, says the U. S. Government has been notified from a source it is bound to take notice of, that Canadian adherents in the Red River country have incited the Sioux to raid on Pembina and St. Joseph in retaliation, as is alleged, for aid and countenance given to the Red River rebellion by American citizens. The information came from a person in the Council of the Canadian Government, that the gentleman to whom it is given might provide for his own personal safety, and he was assured that before spring the settlements on the American side of the boundary would be wiped out by Sioux marauders.

### American Neutrality.

Washington, Jan. 4.

Last October, Secretary Fish, after a protracted interview with Gen. Grant, told Cuban gentlemen that there was no law to prevent the shipment of arms for the insurgents. A member of the Cuban Junta called upon Collector Grinnell to ascertain whether he had any scruples about clearing a vessel loaded with supplies of war, when it was known that they were to be used by Cubans in the war against Spain? Grinnell told him that he would give a clearance to a man-of-war loaded down with arms and munitions of war, provided the vessel carried no more men than the customary crew. The next thing was to purchase a schooner and place on board a small cargo of arms and a clearance was made; eleven men shipped as a crew; the papers were presented to the harbor marshal to-day, who declared them all right, and the schooner sailed this afternoon. The Government was duly informed of what was going on. The State Department telegraphed that if all was regular as represented, no hindrance could be placed in their way, and now the experiment has been made; 200,000 stand of arms and 24 rifled field pieces, with other supplies of war, will be shipped at an early day.

### Memorial for Annexation of Vancouver Island.

Washington, Dec. 30.

Vincent Collyer yesterday handed to the President a memorial, signed by a number of property holders and business men in Victoria, to be followed by another which will contain the names of all British merchants and others at Victoria, Nanaimo and other places, in favor of the transfer of British Columbia to the United States. The President to-day returned Collyer a verbal reply that he had received it with great interest, and had sent it to the Secretary of State. Collyer also showed the memorial to Senator Sumner, chairman of the Committee on Foreign Relations, who, after reading, said the movement was important and could have but one termination. Meanwhile the Government awaits the action of England, which is fast seeing the uselessness and impracticability of European Empire on this hemisphere. Both the President and Mr. Sumner desired their replies to be made known to the memorialists.

### Cuban Expedition.

New York, Jan. 1.

An expedition of a hundred men, in command of Col. Ashby, Mosby's Lieutenant during the rebellion, sailed for Cuba on Monday. They took twenty thousand small arms and some cannon and ammunition.

### A Singular Affair.

St. Louis, Jan. 1.

On Christmas evening Joseph H. Heidhampf, a well known German citizen, was poisoned. Since then he has been pronounced dead by physicians. The body shows no signs of decomposition, and the family refuse to have it buried. Yesterday a man and woman singularly attired, visited the corpse with the announcement that they would work a mirical by raising the dead. They proceeded to make varimanifestations, and handled the body quite roughly, when the relatives of the deceased gave the mirical-workers a severe beating.

### Croup.—By an Eminent Physician.

From Hearth and Home.

There is no sound more alarming to an inexperienced mother than the hoarse, barking cough of a child at night, indicative of an attack of croup. There is something in the sound itself of such a cough which is frightful. Those who hear it for the first time often start up alarmed as if a stranger had entered the room. But to the experienced mother or nurse, the croupy cough excites other and far more painful apprehensions. It indicates the onset of one of the most dangerous diseases of childhood. She knows full well that a relentless inflammation has laid its hand upon the throat of her child, and that all the skill of medicine and her tenderest care may not be able to relax its fatal grasp.

What is croup that it should be so dangerous? Simply a slight inflammation of the windpipe, just where the vocal-cords are drawn across the larynx. At that point, the air-passage is narrowed to a mere slit, and through this small aperture respiration is carried on. If, now, the soft tissues surrounding this aperture should swell, however slightly, the opening would be diminished in size, and respiration more or less impeded. This is precisely what occurs in croup: The inflammation involves the soft parts about the vocal-cords; they swell and gradually fill up this little slit-like opening; respiration becomes more and more difficult; and if the case proves fatal, the child dies of suffocation or exhaustion.

Croup is peculiarly a disease of early childhood, rarely occurring after the age of ten years. In a hundred deaths by this form of inflammation, it is estimated that 13 will occur in the first year of life, 25 in the second, 22 in the third, 16 in the fourth, 11 in the fifth, and 12.3 in the succeeding five years, while the remaining fraction, 0.7, will represent the proportion of deaths beyond ten years of age. Croup is most frequent at that season when there are the greatest fluctuations of temperature—as early in the spring, and late in the fall. It is more common among males than females. It is very fatal because the inflammation is so peculiarly situated: ten-fold the inflammation that here destroys life would scarcely excite an apprehension if located on the skin. It is often limited to a surface of the size of the thumb-nail, but it happens to be located at the very entrance of the breath of life to the lungs.

There are two kinds of croup—false and true, or spasmodic and membranous. The false or spasmodic is a harmless spasm of the muscles of the larynx, coming on suddenly, and as suddenly disappearing, without fever or other disturbance of the system. The true is attended with fever, often slight, and terminates with the formation of a membrane lining the cavity of the larynx, or limiting itself to the vocal-cords and the space between them.

The vital element in the treatment of croup is the confinement of the patient to a uniform temperature of about summer heat, or ranging from 72° to 75° Fahr. The air should also be saturated with moisture. The object sought by this treatment is to medicate the respired air with heat and moisture as to render it soothing to the irritated membrane of the air-passages, and thus relieve the congestion, when used early, or inflammation, when resorted to after this process has been established. To be successful, this treatment should be persevered in until all hoarseness disappears, and not intermitted for an hour, night or day. The greatest danger occurs at night, between midnight and five o'clock in the morning, when the external air is coldest, and the fire is allowed to go down or out, and the mother or nurse sleeps soundly. If the thermometer falls below 70°, all the symptoms immediately grow worse. To this treatment should be added rubbing the neck and chest with camphorated oil, and the application of several folds of flannel to the throat and neck, and oiled silk to the chest. Occasional doses of ipecac, when the cough is dry, are very useful. This treatment, persistently followed, will save the majority of cases of true croup.

### WALKING ERECTLY

Not only adds to manliness of appearance, but develops the chest and promotes the general health in a high degree, because the lungs, being relieved of the pressure made by having the head downward and bending the chest in, admit the air freely and fully down to their very bottom.

If an effort of the mind is made to throw the shoulders back, a feeling of tiredness and awkwardness is soon experienced, or it is forgotten. The use of braces to hold up the body is necessarily pernicious, for there can be no brace which does not press upon some part of the person more than is natural, hence it cannot fail to impede injuriously the circulation of that part. But were there none of these objections, the brace would adapt itself to the bodily position, like a hat or shoe, or new garment, and would cease to be a brace.

To seek to maintain an erect position, or to recover it when lost, in a manner which is at once natural, easy and efficient, it is only necessary to walk habitually with the eyes fixed on an object ahead, a little higher than your own—the eye of a house, the top of a man's hat, or simply keep your chin a little above a horizonal line, or, it will answer to walk with your hands behind you; if either of these things is done, the necessary, easy, and legitimate effect is to relieve the chest from pressure, the air gets in more easily, develops it more fully, and permeates the lungs more extensively, causing a more perfect purification of the blood, imparting higher health, more color to the cheek, and compelling a throwing out of the toes. To derive the highest benefit from walking, hold up the head, keep the mouth closed, and move briskly.—*Journal of Health.*

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Some of the strong minded women object to marriage because it gives woman a childish tendency.

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Full court dress in Africa consists of a blue ring in the nose and a pair of red shoe strings. If these particulars are neglected the offender is cooked next day for dinner.

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An old bachelor seeing the words "families supplied" over the door of a shop, stepped in and said he would take a wife and two children.

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An inveterate bachelor, who was asked by a romantic young lady "why he did not secure some fond one's company in his voyage on the ocean of life," replied: "I would if I were sure such an ocean would be pacific."


Asthma—Those of our readers who suffer from this distressing complaint are referred to the advertisement of *Jonas Whitcomb's Remedy* in another column.

If you wish the very best Cabinet Photographs, you must call on BRADLEY & RULOFSON, 439 Montgomery street, San Francisco.

## New Advertisements.

## Over 20,000 Persons

Testify to the Wonderful cures of

DR. J. W. MURRAY'S

**Balsam for the Liver and Blood.**

NATURE'S OWN REMEDY.

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Notice is hereby given that Arthur Warner, the Administrator of the estate of Frederick Charman, deceased, has rendered for settlement, and filed in said Court, his final account of his Administration of the undivided estate of said deceased; and that

*Monday, the Seventh (7th) day of February,* A. D. 1870, being a day of a regular term of said Court, to-wit: of the February term, A. D. 1870, has been duly appointed by the said Court, for the hearing of objections to such final account, and the settlement thereof.

By order of said Court. Attest:

J. M. FRAZER, County Clerk,
January 4th, 1870.—n9.5t.

### THE STOCKHOLDERS

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Oregon City, Jan. 8th, 1870.

N. W. RANDALL,
President O. F. H. Association.
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### DISSOLUTION.

The Co-partnership heretofore existing between J. W. Lewis and S. L. Pollock, in Oregon City, Oregon, under the firm name of LEWIS & POLLOCK, was mutually dissolved January 1, 1870. The undersigned will collect all debts due the late firm and pay all indebtedness of the same. I will also continue the business of manufacturing agricultural implements, etc., in Oregon City.

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