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Florence, Oregon, April 12, 1901.

There is a chance for Bryan to show the sincerity of his friendly consideration for Aguinaldo by making a place for him on the staff of the Commander.

It is not generally known that Brigadier-General Funston was once a candidate for a West Point cadetship and failed in the examination.

The Junction City Times eulogizes Hon. L. T. Harris, one of Lane county's representatives in the last legislature, and says the party will make a grievous mistake if it fails to return him two years hence.

Much has been accomplished this winter in opening a trail from Florence to Mapleton. The work has been placed on a nice even grade and is nearly open for the entire distance.

HERMANN WILL STAY.

It is now known that many of the published reports as to the uncertainty of Commissioner Hermann's official tenure were exaggerated.

THE BEST BLOOD PURIFIER.

The blood is being constantly purified by the lungs, liver and kidneys. Keep these organs in a healthy condition and the bowels regular and you will have no need of a blood purifier.

How Are Your Kidneys?

Dr. Hobbs' Sarsaparilla Pills cure all kidney ills. Sample free. Add: Sterling Remedial Co., Chicago or N. Y.

WASHINGTON LETTER.

(FROM OUR REGULAR CORRESPONDENT.)

WASHINGTON, April 11, 1901.

Fred Funston is now a brigadier general in the regular army, thanks to the action of the President.

The President promptly appointed Funston a brigadier general of the opposition of army officers and their friends.

There Are 2400

Disorders incident to the human frame, of which a majority are caused or promoted by impure blood.

The remedy is simple. Take Hood's Sarsaparilla. That this medicine radically and effectively purifies the blood is known to every druggist.

The worst cases of scrofula, the most agonizing sufferings from salt rheum and other virulent blood diseases, are conquered by it.

Hood's Sarsaparilla

Will do you good. Begin to take it today.

may be said to be in Adjutant General Corbin's office, at the war department, although he is not a West Pointer himself.

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HOW'S THIS?

We offer one hundred dollars reward for any case of catarrh that can not be cured by Hall's Catarrh Cure.

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tively weak and unable by itself to cope with problems very likely to arise both as to its foreign policy and domestic conditions.

FROM CALIFORNIA.

Mrs. Carol Prouty Writes Interestingly to Florence Friends.

SACRAMENTO, April 5, 1901. To the Editor of the West—SIR: A few days ago I was in Galt and called at the P. O. for mail of friends on a ranch where I intended going.

After years of litigation battling for my husband's rights, I have at last fully recovered some lots in Florence of which Mr. Prouty was dishonestly deprived.

California has had a warm, wet winter, and presents the best crop prospects for three years. The grain stands now about 15 inches high and barley will soon head out.

We also have a new bit of slang whose origin is unknown in this neck of the woods—"Now, not a word to Grandma."

The disgruntled, harping, small politicians, who "told you so," and were so elated at the exaggerated and unwarranted reports concerning Commissioner Hermann's being "relieved," will now have something to reflect on.

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ALPHA CLIPPINGS.

BY EVEN CHANGE.

April 8, 1901.

Frank Potter wants to purchase a horse.

Miss Chloee Pope and Miss Ella Lamb visited at Alpha Sunday.

Mr. McVey is selling off his stock and land and intends going east in the near future to live.

The U. S. weather signal station at Alpha records the rainfall for this month at 5.84 inches.

Mr. L. Berkshire caught a very large cougar a short time ago in a trap which he set by the side of a carcass.

We hear that Fred Rowe will purchase a phonograph, camera and magic lantern soon and will do the towns this summer.

Miss Elinor Hale and Mr. Leonard Taylor returned from Hale some time ago, where Miss Elinor has been visiting relatives.

Fred Austin was giving friends goodbye today, and says he is on his way to Brownsville, and will go east of the Rockies in June.

Our Deadwood lawsuit between Mr. Kilgore and Fred Austin was compromised by Mr. Kilgore paying a portion of the bill, we understand.

Mr. Berkshire, our road supervisor, has completed blasting the rocky point at the Wm. Johnston place, which makes a good road above high water mark.

TO THE DEAF.

A rich lady cured of her Deafness and Noises in the Head by Dr. Nicholson's Artificial Ear Drums, gave \$10,000 to his Institute, so that deaf people unable to procure the Ear Drums may have them free.

FURS WANTED.

The highest cash price paid for all kinds of furs and hides.

G. C. CUMPTON, At Saffley's Meat Market, Florence, Or.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.

Land Office, at Roseburg, Oregon, March 23, 1901.

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 C. H. Holden, U. S. Commissioner, at Florence, Oregon, on May 15th, 1901, viz: Geo. F. Allen, on his H. E. No. 795, for the sec. 21, T. 18 S., R. 10 W.

He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon and cultivation of said land, viz: David A. Bradley, R. M. Allen, H. J. Minor and Charles Anderson, all of Point Terrace, Oregon.

J. T. BRIDGES, Register.

ADMINISTRATOR'S SALE OF REAL PROPERTY.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, THAT BY virtue of an order of the County Court of Lane County, Oregon, duly made and entered of record on the 19th day of February, 1901, in the matter of the estate of Anna Mathilde Funke, deceased, the undersigned, administrator of said estate will on and after Saturday, the 4th day of May, 1901, at the hour of 1 o'clock p. m., offer for sale and sell at private sale, to the highest bidder for cash the following described real property belonging to said estate, to-wit: Lot No. 2, in Block No. 2, in Cox's addition to Florence, and Lots Nos. 2 and 3 of Section 23, in T. 17 S., R. 10 W., containing 28.40 acres, all in Lane County, Oregon.

February 26, 1901. A. O. FUNKE, Administrator of the estate of Anna Mathilde Funke, deceased.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.

United States Land Office, Roseburg, Oregon, March 16, 1901.

Notice is hereby given that in compliance with the provisions of the act of Congress of June 8, 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, James E. Gibbons, of Portland, county of Multnomah, State of Oregon, has this day filed in this office his sworn statement No. 1496, for the purchase of the sec. 11, of Section No. 11, in Township No. 18 S., Range No. 9 W., 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 Roseburg, Oregon, on Wednesday, the 29th day of May, 1901.

He names as witnesses: Burt Warren, J. H. Urban, W. M. Vanit and John W. Sherman, all of Portland, Oregon.

Any and all persons claiming adversely the above-described lands are requested to file their claims in this office on or before said 29th day of May, 1901.

J. T. BRIDGES, Register.

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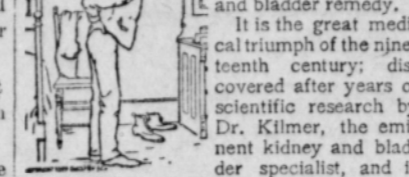
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DO YOU GET UP WITH A LAME BACK?

Kidney Trouble Makes You Miserable.

Almost everybody who reads the newspapers is sure to know of the wonderful cures made by Dr. Kilmer's Swamp-Root, the great kidney, liver and bladder remedy.



It is the great medical triumph of the nineteenth century; discovered after years of scientific research by Dr. Kilmer, the eminent kidney and bladder specialist, and is wonderfully successful in promptly curing lame back, kidney, bladder, uric acid troubles and Bright's Disease, which is the worst form of kidney trouble.

Dr. Kilmer's Swamp-Root is not recommended for everything but if you have kidney, liver or bladder trouble it will be found just the remedy you need. It has been tested in so many ways, in hospital work, in private practice, among the helpless too poor to purchase relief and has proved so successful in every case that a special arrangement has been made by which all readers of this paper who have not already tried it, may have a sample bottle sent free by mail, also a book telling more about Swamp-Root and how to find out if you have kidney or bladder trouble.

When writing mention reading this generous offer in this paper and send your address to Dr. Kilmer & Co., Bing Hamton, N. Y. The regular fifty cent and Home of Swamp-Root, dollar sizes are sold by all good druggists.

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