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SPENCER'S

**Hair Invigorator** 

**And Dandruff Eradicator** 

## AN IMPROPER PRACTICE.

Much Importance Thereto.

It is questionable if political "managers" ought to induce men to go on the ticket, "just to fill up." If a man like Telt Burnett is already in the field for office, it is nonsensical to talk a stranger into an acceptance of a nomination against him. Everybody knows that Telt Burnett ought to be re-elected. It would be a crime to turn down a man who has given Benton county taxpaywhen there is not another county thing is apparent. in the state that does not on such occasions employ from 5 to 28 deputies, is enough for the taxpayers to insist upon his retention in his position. It is money in the taxpayer's pocket, it is money in everybody's pocket, as well as a source of pride to everybody to have a sheriff like Telt Burnett, and what utter folly to put up as a candidate against him a young man who has hardly been in the county long enough to know the way to the county

The above was printed in the Corvallis Times, May 15, and led show, as is proved by the follow- crat, Napoleon Davis, remarked very successfully for a number of us to make the following com-

"Does the Times think that republicans ought to support Telt Burnett for the Times' sake? Do the republicans of this county owe the Times anything? How much money is contributed to the Times office in a year through the show a collection of the finest to which emergency clauses years has been school clerk of sheriff's office? The Times may horses of all breeds throughout were attached, if the emergencies the district in which he now know and this is the "improper | the country and handsome prizes | did not in fact exist. This | lives. practice" he has referred to in his article of May 15-perhaps."

In view of our stand Mr. Burnett handed us the following affidavit which he desired us to publish:

State of Oregon, | SS County of Benton.

duly sworn depose and say on thing for a team of draft horses shall not go into effect tor 90 days fourth. my oath as follows: I am and to sell for \$500 to \$600 and after the adjournment of the legishave been for twelve months thoroughbreds from \$250 to \$500 lature, unless necessary for the last past sheriff of Benton County, Oregon.

That during said time there has been paid to the Corvailis Times on account of printing passing through my office \$30.10 and no more, and that all printing done by said paper during said period of time is included in said \$30.10; that during same period of time the Corvallis Gazette has received for printing passing through my office the sum of \$72.08.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 19th day of May, 1906.

E. R. BRYSON, Notary Public for Oregon.

As regards the above figures, they stand only for a period of one year out of six that Mr. Burnett has been sheriff. About one-half the sum paid us was on the publication of the delinquent tax list sale, which was let by judice to plaintiffs to make bid. Had the Times been the successful bidder the figures would have been about as much

the other way. It might be well to remark here that if we were able to outbid our competitor and thus save the county money on this occasion, could we not have saved the taxpayers of Benton something on other things had we been offered an opportunity to

What we should have said in our article is "How much money is contributed to the Times' office in a year through the sheriff's office and other county offices?" In order to make plain the particular source of the Times' interest we shall produce the figures from all offices for the twelve months

Mr. Burnett has selected, showing the patronage of the Gazette Attached and Times in comparison, as fol-

TO W.S.				
DATE.		TIMES	GA	ZETTE
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Times \$360 35 Gazette \$94 08 These figures are taken from ers such peerless service as Telt | the court journal and we presume | democrats would stand for it, Burnett has given. His one act them to be correct. The anxiety and the vigorous expressions of islature, the republicans are willof collecting taxes without an aid of the Times to continue a good

> Come and drink with "Rebecca at the Well" at the Carnival. She uses " Distilled Water."

## The Horse Show.

a mighty fine horse show in Cor- public officer. The purpose was this county, having been born on vallis. Horses of all breeds to brand Withycombe as a recip- the old homestead five miles and every description will be ient of public favor, but this southwest of Corvallis. here from all surrounding coun. line of attack was abruptly abanties as well as from all Benton, andoned when it was shown that tion at the old school house All lovers of horseflesh should the democratic nominee, George known as the Newton school. plan to attend. The show is E. Chamberlain, had drawn over After completing the course of evidently destined to be a draw- \$40,000 from the state treasury study there he entered the OAC. there is knowledge of our horse office seeker that a leading demoing which appeared in an Oregon- that the democrats of Oregon had years. in of recent date:

Portland Commercial Club have The latest move, as absurd he began mixed farming the purbeen extended an invitation to as others, is a claim that siit of which he is still followheld at Corvallis June 1-2. Oregon by notifying the legisla- a great interest in educational There will be exhibited at the ture that he would veto bills matters and tor the past four will be a warded. The show will claim seems well founded at first be held under the auspices of the glance, but an investigation views, is posted on the topics of

fine horses raised in Benton spirators. county in the last five years each.

morrow night.

City Won Suit.

The City of Corvallis won out in the suit brought to enjoin the city from taking water from Rock Creek, said case having been argued in Eugene more than a week ago. Attorney E. R. Bryson appeared in behalt of supreme court, in which it was the city. The snit was brought argued that the legislature was by Dr. G. R. Farra, who owns the sole judge of when an emera water power sawmill on Rock Creek and declares his claim to water rights.

The suit was brought before for temporary injunction and the petition was refused. The motion was dismissed "without preanother application for a preliminary order of injunction in case the defendants should fail diligently to proceed with legal proceeding to acquire whatever of the referendum. Whether he rights the plaintiffs may have in had repented of the wrongs he the waters of Rock Creek, sought had been a party to in the session to be condemned and appropriat- of 1903 or could see the possied by the City of Corvallis for its water system.

purchased the J. M. Porter corner just jection to the emergency clauses. north of the Occidedtal hotel.

tablishment, returned home Saturday he approved charter bills confor a visit of a few weeks with relatives and friends.

Yesterday the annual city election was held in Corvallis. We went to press too forcement of the local option early; to get the final count. The last we liquor law, by giving the City fail to hear Rev. Babcock, one of

The Oregonian of Friday Talks on The Governor,

effort yesterday, as rutile as the others. Their first exhibition of folly was their denunciation of Dr. James Withycombe, the republican nominee for governor, because he was born in England. from various sources caused a hasty sidestepping and backing sible out of his record. and filling that made the managers appear ridiculous. The next break was an attack upon Withycombe because he has drawn \$12,000 from the treasury On June 1 and 2 there is to be United States for services as a ing card. Even in Portland and had been such a presistent graduating with honors in 1896. been supporting him for office Officers and members of the almost continuously for 20 years.

attend the Benton county an- Chamberlain saved the initiative ing. nual horse show, which will be and referendum to the people of Mr. Newton has always taken Benton county Citizens' League. shows that if the legislature the day. Above all things he is Corvallis has developed into "conspired" to defeat the refer- a staunch advocate of republicanquite a center for fine horses and endum, as alleged, Chamberlain ism. it is said there have been more himself was one of the arch-con-

preservation of the public health, peace and safety. This section A "Belated Introduction," to- of the constitution was in effect in 1903, when the legislative session of that year passed innumerable acts with emergency clauses attached, even upon the most trival matters, and Chamberlain never vetoed one of them for that reason. More than that, Chamberlain was one of the attorneys of record upon the brief in the trial of the Kadderly case in the gency existed, and that if the legislature declared an emergency the court could not investigate the question whether an Judge Harris in the circuit court emergency existed in fact. The point was carried upon the arguments thus produced, and with Chamberlain's help and approval, abuse of the emergency clause was made possible.

1905 that the Governor suddenly nomination. became alarmed for the welfare bilities of a grandstand play as a votegetter in 1906 may always be a question. But it was not It is reported that A. J. Johnson has until then that he raised the ob-

And even then he was not con-Victor Spencer, who has been holding sistent, for the records of that sesposition as druggist in a Port'and es- sion of the legislature show that taining emergency clauses when the only purpose of the bills was to prevent, if possible, the ensale of liquor. He approved nival of Roses," May 31st.

CHAMBERLAIN'S HISTORY. other measures containing emergency clauses when no emergencies existed, as, for example, in the case of the bill to fix the salary of the district attorney in Klamath and Lake counties at While floundering around \$2,000 instead of \$1,500. He under the stunning blows of two was willing to concede that this roorbacks which they unwisely raise of \$500 a year in salary was sprung, the democratic cam- necessary for the preservation of paign managers made one more the public peace, health and satety, and the act could not wait ninety days to take effect.

In view of the fact that Chamberlain was one of the "conspirators' in 1903 and helped defeat won't hurt you, if you intend to buy, and the purpose of the emergency This attack was so utterly un- clause before the Supreme Court, American that not even the and was not consistent after he had sent his message to the legof disapproval which were heard ing that Governor Chamberlain pins just received. I have them "fruity," shall get all potitical capital pos-

## For Recorder.

Emery J. Newton is one of the successful teachers and farmers of of the state and \$16, 000 from the Benton county and a most respected citizen. Is a native of

He received his early educa-After graduating he taught school

In 1901 he was married to Minnie E. Cooper, at which time

He is a man of progressive

Mr. Newton is perfectly qualified to fill the office he is now The initiative and referendum seeking and the republicans of than in any other county in the section of the constitution pro- the county will not make a mis-I, M. P. Burnett, being first state. It is not an uncommon vides that act of the legislature take to vote for him on June

## An Excellent Lecture.

The Congregational church was not large enough to accommodate the crowd that desired to hear the lecture of Dr. Anna Shaw, Thursday night, and while the church was packed, the crowd would have been larger had there been seating capacity. Miss Shaw spoke on the question of woman's suffrage, and she richly deserves the reputation she enjoys as one of the best woman orators in the United States today.

Throughout her address, Miss Shaw's fund of wit kept the audience in excellent humor. She was heartily applauded at various times and those disagreeing with her sentiments could not fail to enjoy the address, which was beyond the ordinary.

Miss Shaw was given a reception Thursday afternoon from 2 to 4 at the Congregational It was not until the session of church, by the ladies of that de-

## Passed the Senate.

Put on its ifinal passage in the senate the railway rate bill was passed late last Finday.

All the republicans voted for it except Foraker of Ohio. The democrats sullenly voted for i except Morgan and Pettus.

The bill will now go to the House for concurrence in the senate's amendment. This will be promptly given, the president will sign it and it will become

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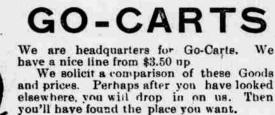
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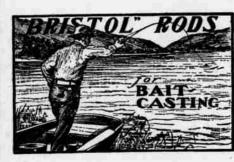
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