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Prevents the hair from falling out and stimulates the growth.
Price, - Fifty Cents
Manufactured by
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**The Gazette
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We Have for Men
Cuff Links for the Shirtwaist
Tie Clasps for the Four-in-hand
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Tie Pins, all Styles and Prices
In fact any of the little indispensables that a lady needs to complete her summer costume.

We Have for Ladies
Shirtwaist Sets, Collar Pins
'Beauty Pins,' Brooches
Bracelets,
Back Combs, Etc.

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Well, we are not in it,
And sell goods just
The same as before.

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You Take No Chances When You Buy Groceries At This Store

All our goods are guaranteed to
comply with the
Pure Food Law
We have the best and nothing but
the best.

**We Want Your Business
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Real Estate Transfers.

Denny Main to E. McLennan,
46 41 acres South of Corvallis
\$900.00.
A. J. Johnson to Benton
County National Bank, Lot 12
and part of Lot 11 Bl. 5,
Corvallis \$1.00.
Anna M. Osburn to O & Z.
Kessl, 61 lots in Bl. 28 Job's Add.
Corvallis \$1.00.
F. Berchold to J. A. Adams,
N 1/2 of Bl. "K", Avery's Add.,
Corvallis \$3000.00
J. F. Yates, administrator, to
S. C. Spencer, 1480 acres in
Benton County \$2950.00.
State of Oregon to F. Perkins,
160 acres in Alsos \$400.00.
T. W. B. Smith to School

District 31, Benton County,
Parcel of Land South of Corvallis
\$1.00
G. C. Winters et al to John
Yoder, 123.04 acres South of
Philomath \$3100.00.
Mr. McLennan to B. Martin,
Lot 6 Bl. 6, County Add., Cor-
vallis \$1.00.
M. H. Young to M. E. and
A. Tucker, Fractional Bl. "B",
Job's Add., Corvallis \$850.00.
David G. Dove to C. L. Fitch-
ard, undivided 3/4 of 522 acres
South of Philomath \$1.00
United States to R. L. Casteel,
160 acres S. W. of Philomath \$1.
B. Martin to O. A. Feglev, lot
12, Wells and McElroys Add.,
Corvallis \$2350.00.

ARRANGEMENTS COMPLETED. For Summer Services—Everyone Will be Interested.

At a meeting of the ministers
together with lay members from
the various churches of the city
Tuesday evening, at the M. E.
Church South, arrangements
were completed for the union
meetings to be held during the
months of July and August.
Rev. Gibbs was chosen chair-
man, W. C. Swann secretary, and
W. A. Buchanan treasurer.
J. W. Crawford was appointed
a committee of one, with power to
act, on securing the lumber on
the court house lawn. C. L.
Heckert was appointed committee
on lights.

Crawford and Swan were ap-
pointed to select place of meeting
should the weather, at any time,
prevent a session in the open air.
The Presbyterian church being
selected for July 14, if the
weather is not favorable for out-
door service. Revs. Darby and
Hurd are committee on arrang-
ing for preachers for the different
evenings. Ushers and collectors:
Heckert, Crawford, Hall and
Buchanan. Time of meeting
each evening set at eight sharp
and the meeting each evening to
be held only one hour.
All music was left in the hands
of the music committee.

PREACHING AS FOLLOWS:
July 14, Rev. Monosmith of the
Congregational church.
July 21, Rev. Gibbs of the
M. E. church South.
July 28, Rev. Bell of the
Presbyterian church.
August 4, Rev. Handsaker of the
Christian church.
August 11, Rev. Darby of the
Church of God.
August 18 Rev. Carstens of the
Baptist church.
August 25 Rev. Feese of the
M. E. church.

Died Tuesday in Corvallis.

That dreadful malady, appendi-
citis, claimed another victim in
Corvallis, Tuesday afternoon,
when Jesse Skaggs of Summit
succumbed to its power, after a
brief illness. The young man
was brought in from Summit
Sunday evening and was taken
to the home of Mr. and Tom
Bell where he was cared for and
received careful medical atten-
tion, but the case was serious
from the first and all that could
be done by human agency was
of no avail.

Deceased was a son of Joseph
and Mary Skaggs, and was born
at Summit 21 years ago the 2d of
next month. He was an honor-
able young man who had many
friends, and his early death has
caused deep grief in his boyhood
home. The immediate survivors
are the parents, six brothers
and three sisters.

The remains were taken to
Summit Wednesday afternoon
and services were held at Mc-
Farland cemetery where inter-
ment was made.

The family has the sympathy
of all in this great loss.

Wrangle Ended.

Many Corvallis women will be
interested in an item concerning
Mrs. Osman Royal, of Portland,
who has in the past been in
Corvallis where she participated
in a meeting of the W. H. M. S.
and was entertained by the
church ladies.

It seems that sometime ago,
contrary to rules and regulations,
Mrs. F. W. Brooks, then presi-
dent of the Portland society,
called a meeting and elected of-
ficers, against the authority of
Mrs. Royal, who insisted that
the action was illegal since the
meeting was not called at the time
named by the society. Re-
garding the outcome of the heat-
ed controversy that has followed,
the Journal Tuesday says: In a
letter recently received here from

Mrs. Delia L. Williams of
Delaware, Ohio, corresponding
secretary of the Woman's Home
Missionary society, the action of
Mrs. F. W. Brooks, ex-president
of the local society, calling a
meeting for June 26, at which a
new set of officers were elected,
is entirely repudiated and de-
clared to be contrary to the con-
stitution of the organization.
In the same letter the attitude
of Mrs. Royal is clearly sus-
tained.

The letter plainly states that
the meeting of June 26 was
illegal and that the officers elect-
ed at that time have no authority
to serve. The result of this is
that Mrs. Royal is the chief
executive officer of the state
organization and remains as such
until the annual election in the
fall.

SMITHSON WON.

Examiner Tells How OAC Athlete
"Showed" Them.

OAC was represented in the
big track and field meet held in
San Francisco the Fourth.
Forrest Smithson was there and
proved conclusively to the ath-
letes of the Golden State that
Oregon is not so slow as some
people would like to have her.

In regard to how Smithson,
the old OAC favorite, "showed"
the Californians, the San Fran-
cisco Examiner says:

"Interest centered principally
in the 220-yard high hurdle event
in which Smithson, who equaled
the world's record of 15 2-5
seconds a month ago in Chicago,
met Powell, holder of the record
of the Pacific coast, 15 3-5 sec-
onds, and Cheek, who holds the
220-yard hurdle record. The
men got off their marks together
while the crowd of 10,000 held
their breaths, and ran abreast un-
til within twenty yards of the
tape, when Smithson pulled away
with a stride that astonished the
onlookers by its length and he
seemed to draw Cheek with him.
Powell started to stretch out an
instant too late, and they passed
the judges in that order in a
blanket finish. From the start
it was plain that the wind was
holding them back and the clock
showed 16 2-5 seconds for the
race."

William Newman.

After an illness of considerable
length, William Newman, an
old and highly respected citizen
of Benton county died at the
family home 12 miles south of
Corvallis at 11:30 Tuesday fore-
noon. Those at the bed side,
and neighbors and friends were
prepared for the end, as Mr.
Newman had been failing rapidly
the last week or two.

Deceased was born in County
Mead, Ireland, and was 71
years of age. He came to the
United States when 18 years old
and in 1867 came to Oregon and
settled in Benton county where
he has since made his home. He
was an honorable, upright citizen
and a very large number of
friends will ever bear him in
affectionate remembrance.

The survivors are the widow,
two sons, Lee and Tom who are
at home, and another son, James,
who resides in Eastern Oregon.
The funeral occurred yesterday
at 10 o'clock from the family
residence, a large company of
friends and relatives being pres-
ent to pay a last tribute of respect.
The remains were brought to the
Catholic cemetery near this city
where interment was made.

Additional Local.

Found—On block between city hall
and court house, Corvallis package,
containing ladies' furnishing goods. Owner
call at Gazette office, prove property and
pay for this notice. 58-59
Sam Hancock, the genial pill mixer at
Graham & Wells, is spending his
vacation in Albany.

TERRIBLE CUTTING AFFAIR. Joshua Ballard Gashed With Scythe by Neighbor.

It is presumed that the Joshua
Ballard referred to in the follow-
ing article is the same person
who resided near Philomath in
this county for several years, as
the name is not a common one.
The cutting affair occurred in
Albany and the Herald says:
Weilding a sharp scythe with
terrible effect, David Young, a
well known painter of this city,
last night slashed and cut his
neighbor Joshua Ballard, inflict-
ing fearful injuries which may
prove fatal. Young as yet is not
arrested.

"Bad blood," which is said to
have existed between the two
men, is given as the reasons
leading up to the cutting affray.
According to the story of Mrs.
Ballard, she and her husband had
just left their house in the eastern
part of town, and were going af-
ter some hay. As they passed
Young's house, he is said to have
come out to the gate, which was
standing open barring passage
along the sidewalk, as if to close
the gate. Young is said to have
reached the gate just as Mr. and
Mrs. Ballard passed, and without
warning he reached out and
struck Ballard in the face, knock-
ing him down. Young then, ac-
cording to Mrs. Ballard, wrench-
ed the scythe away from her hus-
band's grasp and used it to attack
Ballard, who was lying prostrate
on the ground. Finally Young
desisted and Mrs. Ballard aided
her almost unconscious husband
to the house where he was at-
tended by Dr. Hill.

Ballard lost much blood. He
received a deep cut over the left
eye, and a slash which laid his
scalp open. The man's wrist
was badly cut, and the tendon in
the left arm severed.

At O. A. C.

Great changes will have been
wrought out at the Oregon Agri-
cultural College before another
year comes to a close. Besides
the new Woman's building now
in course of construction, which
is one of the finest of the sort to
be found in this section, and the
Y. M. C. A. home that is under
way, there will be new barns on
the college farm to cost \$15,000,
new machine and other shops to
cost \$40,000, and \$5000 is also
available for any other improve-
ments that are wanted. Plans
for the shops have been prepared
and the arrangements are under
way for the barn.

These facts mean progress,
and show the growth that O. A.
C. is making along these lines.
There are many who predict
that next year will see 1000 stu-
dents enrolled at OAC, and the
prediction, in view of last year's
record, seems likely to be fulfilled.

Hog vs. Dog.

A writer in an agricultural
paper says: "Kill your dog and
buy yourself a pig. The scraps
you feed to a dog would, if fed to
a pig, net you a neat little sum
every year."

Yes kill your dog—kill him,
you brute. And then, after you
have murdered the noblest and
best friend man ever had in all
the animal kingdom, buy your-
self a pig. It will be a more fit-
ting companion for a man of your
type. Then when you return at
night, worn out with the toil of
the day or harassed by the
worries of business cares, expect
your pig to come bounding out
to meet you, to leap and frisk
about you, to lick your hand in
welcome, while his whole body
quivers with the joy his poor
dumb soul feels at being in
your presence; and when you
lie down to sleep expect your
pig to guard your couch, a faith-
ful sentinel who would gladly
lay down his life before he would
suffer harm to you or yours; or

when misfortune overtakes you,
or some great sorrow comes upon
you and you feel that you have
been forsaken by heaven and
deserted by every human friend,
and you sit in silent grief and
misery in the solitude of your
room, expect your pig to steal
softly to your side and lay his
head in silent sympathy upon
your knee while his great, honest,
soulful eyes look up in your
own with a mute eloquence and
truth more potent than might be
portrayed by human language,
and that says: "No matter what
may be your sorrow, your mis-
fortune, or even your disgrace, I
will share it with you, I will
gladly stay by your side to the
end."

And then—then, you con-
temptible, miserable, misfit
caricature on the name of man
—if you find that your pig fails in
this, you can at least satisfy your
sordid, degraded and shriveled
soul with the knowledge that by
murdering your faithful dog
because your dastardly greed be-
grudged him the few scraps he
eats, you are able to sell your
pig for a pitiful pittance, that is
more precious to your avaricious
soul than would be the life
blood of your devoted dumb
friend and faithful protector.—
Ex.

Important Step Taken.

Some time this fall a committee
of college presidents chosen at
the recent session of the State
Teachers' association in Salem,
will meet and confer in regard to
fixing a schedule of uniform re-
quirements for students who enter
the colleges of Oregon. For a long
time this important subject has
been agitated throughout the
colleges, but nothing definite has
ever been done, and it is now be-
lieved that with the committee
appointed, some definite agree-
ment as to the entrance require-
ments, will be had. The com-
mittee appointed follows: Chair-
man, President H. M. Crooks, of
Albany college; President P. L.
Campbell of University of Ore-
gon; President W. J. Kerr of Ore-
gon Agricultural college; Presi-
dent W. N. Ferrin of Pacific
University, and President J. H.
Coleman of Willamette Univer-
sity.—Ex.

Agricultural Short Course.

Dr Kerr, OAC's new president,
proposes to give a short course
for teachers, along agricultural
lines, at the Corvallis college,
providing the board of regents
sanction the idea and of this there
is no doubt.

In his speech last week at
Salem before the state teacher's
association Dr. Kerr proposed
such a short course and the idea
was warmly received by the
teachers.

The idea of the new president
is to give to teachers every facility
for preparing themselves to use
the new text book on agriculture
that has been added to the com-
mon school course. It is reason-
able to suppose that a teacher
can not give instruction on a
subject of which he or she may
know little or nothing, and the
proposed plan will therefore prove
of great value. If the idea
materializes, Dr. Kerr will open
the laboratories at OAC and
place all other equipment at the
disposal of the teachers. It is
also planned to open the dormi-
tories and provide cheap board
and lodging for teachers in attend-
ance at the agricultural short
course.

The Smile

That won't come off appears on baby's
face after one bottle of White's Cream
Vermifuge, the great worm medicine.
Why not keep that smile on baby's face?
If you keep this medicine on hand, you
will never see anything else but smiles
on his face. Mrs. S. — Blackwell, Okla.,
writes:
"My baby was peevish and fretful,
would not eat and I feared he would die.
I used a bottle of White's Cream Vermi-
fuge and he has not had a sick day since."
Sold by Graham & Wortham.