

IS IT RIGHT
For An Editor To Recommend Pat-
ent Medicines?

From Sylvan Valley News, Brevard, N. C.: It may be a question whether the editor of a newspaper has the right to publicly recommend any of the various proprietary medicines which flood the market, yet as a preventive of suffering we feel it a duty to say a good word for Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy. We have known and used this medicine in our family for twenty years and always found it reliable. In many cases a dose of this remedy would save hours of suffering while a physician is awaited. We do not believe in depending implicitly on any medicine for a cure, but we do believe that if a bottle of Chamberlain's Diarrhoea Remedy were kept on hand and administered at the inception of an attack much suffering might be avoided and in very many cases the presence of a physician would not be required. At least this has been our experience during the past twenty years. For sale by A. K. Wilson.

Golden Wedding Celebrated.

Calborne Walker came from Missouri in 1845, and in 1850 on French prairie was married to Miss Louisa Purvine by Elder H. M. Walter. They settled near Zena, in Spring Valley, and have been there since. They first lived in a log cabin, then built a better house which was in 1876 supplemented by their present commodious home. Her nephew, Charlie Purvine, has lived with them from infancy. For a long time Mr. Walker was a prominent stock raiser, but has for some years been devoting his attention mostly to fruit. On the Fourth of July over fifty kindred and friends met to celebrate their fiftieth marriage day.

BUSINESS IN CALLAS.

Many think Mr. Lynch the best blacksmith in all this region. You can go to Salem, stay over night and come back on the stage all for \$1.50. Some folks wonder why Brown's store gets so much trade. That is easy to account for. Everybody knows that they keep a large stock of up-to-date general merchandise and sell it at lower figures than can be afforded by other stores. Try their groceries and dry goods.

We wear Gaynor's shoes because they look well, fit well and wear well. The price always agrees with the quality. Those four points ought to be enough to satisfy anybody.

Have you tried those delicious fresh California fruits at the Williams confectionery. Lemonade, ice cream and candies and other good things.

Let Mr. Risser fit you out to go in quest of any kind of game or sport with the funny tribe. Your broken sunshade he can make almost good as new at little cost.

They say that Morrison's livery outfits are the cleanest and neatest that leave town. The reason is because he and his hostlers take a pride in their work.

Smith, the iron worker does every job so well that no customer feels inclined to go elsewhere.

Fault, the hardware man, is always ready to promptly supply whatever the public need in his line. His material is so good and his prices so reasonable that it will not pay anybody to go elsewhere. Nearly all hands already know that and strangers are fast finding it out. Machine oils of all kinds and of best grades.

COUNCIL MEETING.

The city dads met in regular session last Monday evening with Councilmen Woods and Hayter absent. As the mayor was also absent, Pike was on motion of Howe made president pro tem. There bills were ordered paid: J. J. Williams, extra police on July 4th, \$2.50; C. S. Heady, same, \$2.50; B. S. Harris, same, \$2.50; D. Riley, \$95. An ordinance granting a franchise to the Oregon Telephone and Telegraph company was read first time. An ordinance to prevent persons getting on and off trains without the consent of the company was passed. The marshal was instructed to have the fire department keep their apparatus in good condition and to see that swimming was not indulged in near the city park.

Was it a Miracle?

The marvelous cure of Mrs. Rena J. Stout of consumption has created intense excitement in Cammack, Ind. writes Marion Sturat, a leading druggist of Muncie, Ind. She only weighed 90 pounds when her doctor in York town said she must soon die. Then she began to use Dr. King's New Discovery and gained thirty-seven pounds in weight and was completely cured. It has cured thousands of hopeless cases, and is positively guaranteed to cure all throat, chest and lung diseases. 50 cents a bottle. Trial bottles, free, at M. D. Ellis' drug store.

Sunday School Rally.

At Oak Grove on Sunday, August 5th, the schools of that and surrounding districts will have a grand all day gathering. Beginning at 10 o'clock there will be exercises by pupils from the district schools. Then a basket dinner will be served and the afternoon will be taken up in discussing general Sunday school interesting effort to be made soon to add new features to the Sunday school work in this county and the plans may be outlined at that gathering. The occasion is apt to draw a large crowd and it is hoped that general good will result.

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Deafness Cannot Be Cured.

By local applications as they cannot reach the diseased portion of the ear. There is only one way to cure deafness, and that is by constitutional remedies. Deafness is caused by an inflamed condition of the mucous lining of the Eustachian tube. When this tube is inflamed you have a rumbling sound or imperfect hearing and when it is entirely closed, deafness is the result, and unless the inflammation can be taken out and this tube restored to its normal condition hearing will be destroyed forever, nine cases out of ten are caused by catarrh, which is nothing but an inflamed condition of the mucous surface. We offer \$100 for any case of deafness (caused by catarrh) that cannot be cured by Hall's Catarrh Cure. Send for circulars, free. F. J. CHENEY & Co., Toledo, O. Sold by druggists, 75 cents. Hall's Family Pills are the best.

Dallas Race Track.

Talk about the enjoyment in connection with the state fair races. The boys around Dallas who appreciate swift horse flesh met last Saturday evening at Dr. Young's half mile track on the southern edge of town to witness the speed of half a dozen animals that high toned sports would call scrubs. For a solid hour there was more genuine fun than the state fair could get up in a whole day. Ralph Williams seemed to be the boss of the track with Frank Zumwalt for starter. While the four legged critters were getting warmed up, a dozen bicyclers whizzed around the track at almost lightning speed and then dropped out in the crowd to take part in the jolly. Young Macomber with his spotted pony was ready to tackle any of them and Willie McDonald with his chunky bay flyer was ready for any hunter. Charlie Bostdon, Ed Jackson and Ed Bolam, each considered his steed as quick as the best of them, hence there was no reluctance in accepting running proposals. Some rode bareback and some threw away their hats and in nearly every race it was up and tuck, the horses coming out almost neck and neck. The bystanders took sides vigorously and shouted lustily and will all be there again tomorrow evening and so will the running stock. The steady buy of R. E. Williams and the promising sorrel of Henry Bus were in harness and are high steppers. Several ladies appeared on their bicycles and a number of buggies were standing around. Even a Jersey called to a neighboring fence gave evident signs of delight over the big races.

It Saved His Leg.

P. A. Danforth, of La Grange, Ga., suffered for six months with a frightful running sore on his leg; but writes that Bucklen's Arnica Salve wholly cured it in five days. For wounds, ulcers, piles, it's the best salve in the world. Cure guaranteed. Sold by M. D. Ellis, druggist.

STATE CAPITAL HINTS.

Most credit stores fail while the enterprising ones that stick to a small cash profit generally succeed. The New York Backet store people credit no one and always have money to discount their bills. Their profits are small but numerous and sure.

Dr. Keeler, the veterinary surgeon,

at the steel bridge feed yard has saved the life of many a Polk county animal by knowing its ailments and how to treat them.

It does not pay to go hungry while you can get such a good dinner at Hellenbrand's for 20 cents.

Brown, the hazyman, at the old postoffice stand will feed and care for your stock in good shape, or hire you a rig that will give perfect satisfaction. Just try him once.

We personally know that the coupon drawing of G. W. Johnson & Co. was fairly done for we received the second prize of a \$5 silk umbrella. Whatever that firm promises to do will always be done. What they say about a suit will prove absolutely so, and their profits are never big. Then it will surely pay to trade at Johnson's.

The Yokohama Tea company would like to engage a dozen bright and energetic Polk county boys and girls to canvass for their goods. See or write to them for particulars.

Every Saturday the Dallas stage brings nicely laundered packages for families all along the way, the work having been done at the best of all places, the steam laundry. They will please you.

The finest ice cream in the city is made by Ellis & Zinn, the popular state street confectioners. Their premises have been greatly improved and their parlors are cool and inviting.

MARKET REPORT.

(Corrected weekly by Brown & Son.)
Wheat, per bushel, 40 cts.
Bran, per ton \$12.
Shorts, per ton, \$14.
Oats, per bushel, 30 cts.
Flour, per 10 barrels, \$2 65.
Flour, per sack, 75c.
Buckwheat flour, \$2.50 per cwt.
German, \$1 50 per cwt.
Corn meal, \$2 50 per cwt.

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Potatoes, per bushel, 45 cts.
Butter, per pound, 12 cts.
Lard, per pound, 9@10 cts.
Bacon, sides, per pound, 9@10 cts.
Hams, per pound, 12@15 cts.
Shoulders, per pound, 8@10 cts.
Eggs, per dozen, 14 cts.
Chickens, per dozen, \$3@4
Dressed fruits, per pound, 12 cts.
Beets, per pound, 1 cent.
Turnips, per pound, 1 cts.
Cabbage, per pound, 2 cts.
Onions, per pound, 2 cts.
Beans, per pound, 4@5 cts.
Corn meal, per pound, 2 1/2 cts.
Hay, per ton, \$6@9.

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LOCAL AND GENERAL.

WHAT WE HAVE LEARNED DURING THE WEEK FROM ALL AROUND.

Abie Sources Dished up for Our Numerous Family of Readers in Abbreviated Paragraphs.

Baled hay and mill feed at Osfield's Spectacles and glasses at Pfennig's.

A. Shepard and wife have a new boy.

Henry Hill at Independence has a horse 33 years old.

M. N. Prather and family, of Buena Vista, have gone to Fish Lake.

Tracy Staats is up in Washington canvassing for school supplies.

W. C. Griswold, a pioneer Salem merchant, died there last week.

Miss Daisy Perkins, of Portland, has been visiting Miss Blanc & Noel.

B. F. Smith, near Lewisville, put up 125 tons of first class clover hay.

R. S. Connor has gone to eastern Oregon to run a threshing machine.

Henry Ledy, near Williamsina, recently cut his leg severely with an ax.

Rev. C. G. LeMasters and wife are taking a month's vacation at Amity.

Mrs. Gertrude Sebring, of Dillard, is visiting her parents, A. Shultz and wife.

Roswell Shelley's daughter, Fay, died in Portland last week aged 14 years.

The music studio of Mrs. Leitch is now located over Chapman's furniture store.

Merit Fillery, of Amity, has been hit and will soon move to a farm near Independence.

Claud Dunn, of Dallas, was last week married to Miss Nellie Bradley, of Woodburn.

Improvement of the court house yard will lead to many other yards being beautified.

Last week there were about forty camps at Ocean Park and others coming every day.

Nat Newbill has sold to L. M. Wallace on the Yamhill river 194 acres of land for \$1,400.

Ed. Portland is canvassing for the Portland Telegram in the southern part of the state.

During the absence of Mrs. Levens over on the coast Wm. Kimball will take care of her place.

Fred. Plumbeck, of Perrydale, died at the Salem hospital last week from cancer of the stomach.

Wes Craven and Charlie Campbell are making as much headway as almost anybody else at Cape Nome.

Grandma Harris is here helping to take care of a bouncing boy baby at the home of her daughter, Mrs. A. R. Shepard.

When you need medicine you should get the best that money can buy, and experience proves this to be Hood's Sarsaparilla.

After several months travel in California and Washington Frank Scheyler has gone back to Peelee contented to remain there.

Miss Mary Boese, who is attending a commercial school in Portland, has been up on a visit to her parents, who live near the Guthrie school house.

Peter Reddekop, of Polk station has shipped to Portland a wagon load of swamp flags used in making beer legs. They grow near the bridge in the Guthrie lane.

When you get ready to go to Ocean Park, Woods or Tillamook City be sure to take the Big Nestucca route, it being the shortest and best. Go by the way of Dolph.

The officers of Buell's chapel Sunday school are: superintendent, Miss Lottie Stewart; secretary, Miss Ella Oviatt; teachers, Mrs. Coad and Mr. and Mrs. Ingersmann.

Mrs. E. S. Levens has gone to spend some time with her daughter, Mrs. Frank Rowell on the Little Nestucca. Mr. Rowell and wife have rented their farm just west of Dallas to Allen Hunter.

A camp of Modern Woodmen has been organized at Falls City with W. B. McKown, M. G. Flynn, Wm. Ellis, E. J. Reynolds, L. Murphy, Wm. Lee, Jas. Hayes, Chas. Pugh, Chas. Illinois and Willard Gilbert as officers.

School Superintendent R. F. Robinson, of Multnomah county, has sold his residence property south of the depot in Dallas to Charley Farley, who will move to town this fall to give his children better educational advantages.

The Dallas woolen mill has within 18 months made 68 miles of cloth and blankets of an average width of five feet. If made into a tent it would cover forty acres and the warp and filling would have made a string long enough to encircle the globe a dozen times.

Notice elsewhere the new ad of the Monmouth normal school. The past year has been quite successful and the prospects for the next session are encouraging. Many teachers take the normal course for the sake of required professional training and as the best means of preparation for state papers.

We give no rewards. An offer of this kind is the meanness of deception. Test the curative powers of Ely's Cream Balm for the cure of catarrh, hay fever and cold in the head and you are sure to continue the treatment. Relief is immediate and a cure follows. If it is not drying, does not produce sneezing. It soothes and heals the membrane. Price 50 cents at druggists or by mail, E. Y. Brothers, 56 Warren street, New York.

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G. L. Hawkins, the Independence marble cutter, is winning an enviable reputation and gets most of the work in that line in this county.

Whoever wants to buy or sell anything always reads the offerings under our heading New To-day. Advertising there brings quick results.

The revival meetings at Amity continue with a large attendance and great interest. Prof. and Mrs. Webb will give a sacred concert this evening.

The harnessmaker at Perrydale has spent his life at that work and has no superior. Examine his stock and work before you buy anything in that line.

O. A. B. Grosser, who lived in such grand style near Williamsina, is now at Boston. He likes our climate, but the people did not put on style enough for him.

At the closing exercises of Mt. Angel college Floyd Daly received the degree of bachelor of arts. He will go east to study law at Georgetown university.

Mrs. M. E. Smith, the Mill street millinery, will have a reduction sale throughout the summer to make room for a big stock of new goods in September.

Superintendent J. D. Lee reports only 297 convicts now in the penitentiary, the usual number being considerably above that. There are over 1,000 patients in the insane asylum.

"We have sold many different cough remedies, but none has given better satisfaction than Chamberlain's," says Charles Holtsinger, druggist, Newark, N. J. "It is perfectly safe and can be relied upon in all cases of coughs, colds or hoarseness. Sold by A. K. Wilson.

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Care must be taken to avoid baking powders made from alum. Such powders are sold cheap, because they cost but a few cents per pound. Not only will they spoil the cake, but alum is a corrosive acid, which taken in food means injury to health.

ROYAL BAKING POWDER CO., 100 WILLIAM ST., NEW YORK.

Miss Genevieve Aldrich celebrated her 16th birthday this week.

Mrs. C. G. Fisher, of Monmouth, has been stricken with paralysis.

Walter, Lena and Beulah Bruce, of Salem, have been visiting Genia Phillips.

Miss Edna Gilmore, of Independence, has become the bride of R. L. Carey.

Conductor Dornis of the motor is taking a two weeks' vacation at Foley hot springs.

Ex-sheriff Arthur Andrews and wife, of Heppner, are visiting Mrs. M. E. Hallock and family.

Stage Driver Fuller and wife and his brother and wife have been enjoying a week at the seaside.

Mrs. Mary Lightfoot, from Minnesota, is visiting her Richardson kindred at Independence.

Prof. W. J. Crawford, of Zena, is to be principal of the Silverton school instead of that at Turner.

Mrs. H. G. Campbell, holding coupon 671, drew the Rambler bicycle at the drawing of Bryan & Son.

R. L. Conner and family, of McMinnville, have been here on a visit to the family of his brother, Robert.

The college dormitory shows up quite well in its coat of paint and the interior work is progressing rapidly.

Putnam's Fadeless dye orange produces beautiful burnt orange shades that are extremely fast to light and washing. 10c per package. Sold by A. K. Wilson.

Wm. Fugus, of Parker, is back from Cape Nome, a much wiser if somewhat poorer man. Before long the same can be said of many others who went from this region.

The two new five room cottages of W. C. Brown will be occupied next week, that next to J. M. Grant by Mr. Farrington, and the one adjoining Robert Gaynor by Deputy Sheriff Ford.

In many a home all over this county may many elegant useful and ornamental articles be seen that were purchased of Jeweler Morris in Dallas. Drop in and see his numerous pretty things.

Ernest Harris, of Oak Grove, is spraying his hops, J. W. Lewis and Frank Fawk, of that vicinity, have each housed about twenty tons of hay and Davis Allen is putting up quite an amount.

Presiding Elder Shangle will hold his fourth conference here, for this and the Dixie charge tomorrow and Sunday. The quarterly conference will convene immediately after the 11 o'clock service tomorrow. Pastor McClelland will preach Sunday morning and the presiding elder in the evening.

Have your tires set by machine. We have a new machine with which we set wagon and buggy tires the same as all tire setting is done in all wagon and carriage factories. We set the tire on the wheel with any dish desired. All work guaranteed first class. We also set tires the old way, by heating, when so desired. Tires set on short notice. Stop in and see the machine. WAGONS BROS.

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Aunt Mary Walling is dangerously ill at Amity.

The news from Cape Nome becomes less favorable as the days go by.

Lucien Frazer is sick at the home of his son, Uol, in Independence.

Rev. H. A. Deck and wife have gone to visit his parents in Pennsylvania.

Miss Etta Hubbard, who is a nurse in the Salem hospital, is at home for a month's vacation.

Rev. T. A. Yost will preach at Bridgeport next Sunday morning and at Falls City in the afternoon.

If you want to buy goats or your hay baled you will find something of interest under our heading of New To-day.

Presiding Elder Poling preached to 80 assembled neighbors at the home of Lou Rittner in Kings Valley Tuesday evening.

As many from this valley have gone east of the mountains to work during harvest there is likely to be a shortage of help on this side.

A few years ago many homes in this region were without woodsheds, but now almost every family has a dry storage place for their winter fuel.

A Mr. Smith, who had lived with George Cutler for several years, died there Tuesday, aged 70 years. The funeral was preached at the Advent church by Elder Cole, of Portland.

Lieutenant E. J. Bryan, of the mercantile firm of Bryan & Son in Dallas, was married in Portland to Miss Maud Monk. They are now making a tour of British Columbia and will soon come to the new home which is being furnished for them.

J. M. Powell, who had been professor of mathematics in the normal school for many years, died in Monmouth Wednesday and was buried by the Odd Fellows yesterday. E. Hayter, Judge Sibley, H. B. Cosper and