

# PATENTS!

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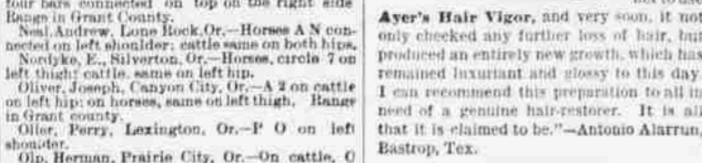
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Armstrong, J. C., Alopa, Or.-Horse with bar under it on left shoulder; cattle same on left hip.  
Aldrich, O. D., Eight Mile, Or.-Cattle brand, O on left hip, horse same brand on right shoulder, range in Morrow county.  
Adkins, J. J., Hesperia, Or.-Horse, 7A on neck and left flank; cattle same on right shoulder, range in Morrow county.  
Barringer, A. G., Alopa, Or.-Horse 7B on neck and left flank; cattle same on right shoulder, range in Morrow county.  
Bauer, J. W., Hardman, Or.-Cattle brand, O on left hip and right hip; split in each ear.  
Bryant, F. M., Lone, Or.-Horse 7 on right hip, under bit on right ear; cattle same on left hip and right hip, split in each ear.  
Cheney, M. H., Lone, Or.-On cattle, MAY connected on left hip, crop off left ear and under bit on right ear; range in Morrow county.  
Chiswick, J. W., Lone, Or.-Horse 7 on right hip, under bit on right ear; cattle same on left hip and right hip, split in each ear.  
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# A Gentleman

Who formerly resided in Connecticut, but who now resides in Honolulu, writes: "For 20 years past, my wife and I have used Ayer's Hair Vigor, and we attribute to it the dark hair which she and I now have, while hundreds of our acquaintances, but of a dozen years younger than we, are either gray-headed, bald, or thin. When asked how our hair has retained its color and fullness, we reply, 'By the use of Ayer's Hair Vigor—nothing else.'"



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H. W. WALKER.  
(I have not room for all his letters. He took the state. Here is one more of his letters.)

Rock Bridge, Ohio, Dec. 4th, 1893.  
Mrs. Thomas: Recipe came to hand and it's all right. Knew it was your own. What will you take for the state? Your truly,  
H. W. HARPER.

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Mrs. Thomas: I wrote a letter of enquiry. How much of the state is uncolored? I want balance of the state. Cholera Cholera Cure is just what it is. I expect \$100 will try the agency. Please send at once and advise. Very respectfully,  
Agent for seven counties.

Walbridge, Wm., Hesperia, Or.-Horse, U on left hip, under bit on right ear; cattle same on right hip, crop off right ear and under bit on right ear.  
Wilson, John D., Salton or Hesperia, Or.-Horse 7 on right hip, under bit on right ear; cattle same on left shoulder, range in Morrow county.  
Warner, W. L., Lone, Or.-Cattle W with quarter circle over it, on left side, split in right ear. Horse same brand on left shoulder. Range in Morrow county.  
Ward, Henry, Hesperia, Or.-Horse 7 on right hip, under bit on right ear; cattle same on left shoulder and left hip. Cattle brand same on left side and left hip.  
Wolfe, John, John Day City, Or.-On horse, three parallel bars on left shoulder; 1 on sheep, bit in both ears. Range in Grant and Malheur counties.

Woodward, John, Hesperia, Or.-Horse, U on right hip, under bit on right ear; cattle same on left shoulder.  
Wadkins, Lash, Hesperia, Or.-Horse 7 on right hip, under bit on right ear; cattle same on left shoulder.

Whittier, John, Hesperia, Or.-Horse, U on right hip, under bit on right ear; cattle same on left shoulder.  
Williams, Vasco, Hamilton, Or.-Quarter circle over three bars on left hip, both cattle and horse. Range in Morrow county.  
Williams, J. J., Lone, Or.-Horse, 7 on right hip, under bit on right ear; cattle same on left shoulder and left hip.

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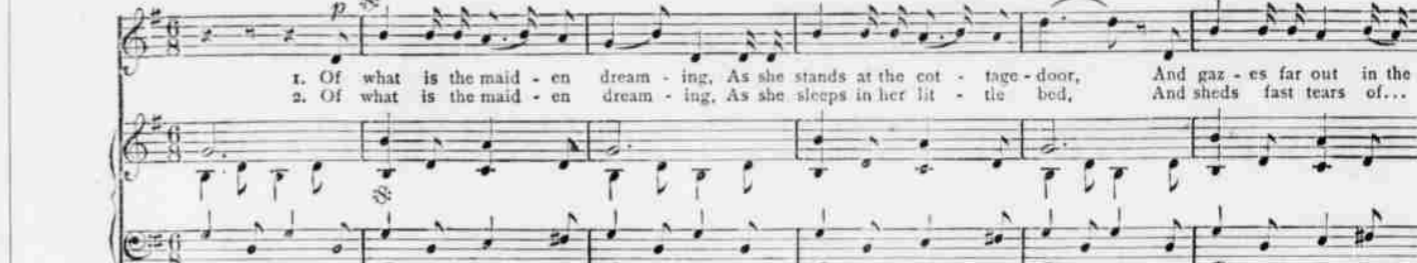
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# OF WHAT IS THE MAIDEN DREAMING?

Words by ELIZE MARIE DUDLEY. Music by MARIA STRINBERG-ELMORE.



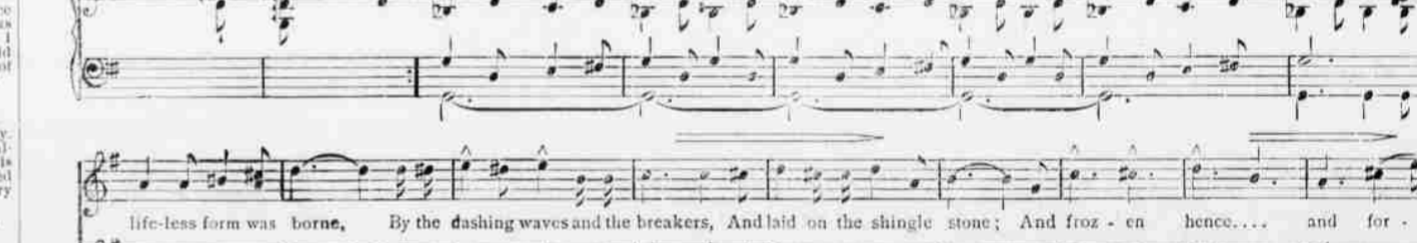
1. Of what is the maid - en dream - ing, As she stands at the cot - tage - door, And gaz - es far out in the  
2. Of what is the maid - en dream - ing, As she sleeps in her lit - tle bed, And sheds fast tears of...



dis - tance, O - ver the shing - ly shore? Of what is the maid - en dream - ing, As she walks on her way a - lone, With a  
sor - row, She thinks up-on the dead? She dreams of a man - ly fig - ure, With a face with dark eyes blue, How



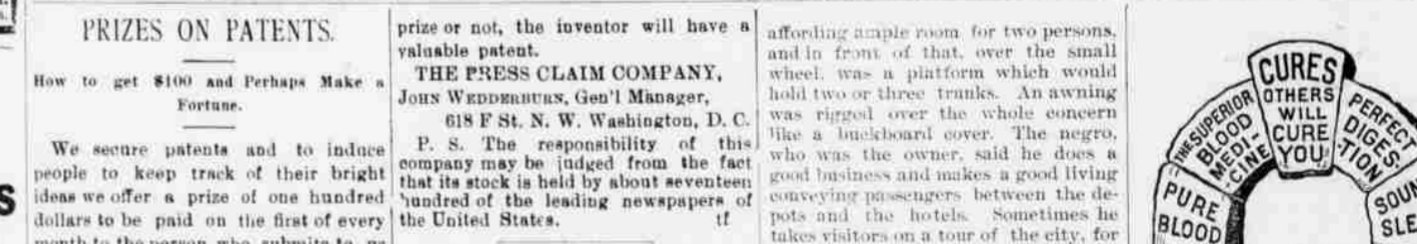
sad, sad, look in her blue eyes;... As she hears the salt sea's moan,  
lov - ing and ten - der his heart, None... but... this maid - en knew,



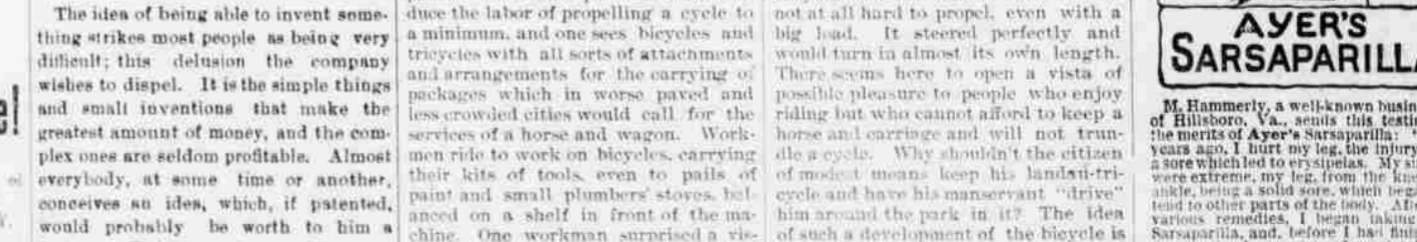
As she hears the salt sea's moan... None... but... this maid - en knew...



life - less form was borne, By the dashing waves and the breakers, And laid on the shingle stone; And froz - en hence... and for -



cy - er, The maid - en must be a - lone... The maid - en... must be a - lone...



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## TRICYCLE AS A HACK.

The Scheme of a Washington Negro for Carrying Freight and Passengers.  
Cycling for profit as well as for pleasure, is perhaps more practiced in Washington than in any other city in the country, and it has some odd developments that strike the visitor with both surprise and amusement, says the New York Sun. The smooth, asphalt-paved streets and parklike roads reduce the labor of propelling a bicycle to a minimum, and one sees bicycles and tricycles with all sorts of attachments and arrangements for the carrying of packages which in worse paved and less crowded cities would call for the services of a horse and wagon. Workmen ride to work on bicycles, carrying their kits of tools, even to pairs of paint and small plumbers' stoves, belanced on a shelf in front of the machine. One workman surprised a visitor recently and amused the resident by paddling along Pennsylvania avenue with a twelve-foot ladder slung fore and aft on his safety bicycle. Groceries and family supplies are delivered by bicycle. But the oddest thing in cycles that a recent visitor to the capital saw was a big tricycle with seats for passengers, protected by an awning, and a large platform for trunks, which was plying for hire at one of the railroad depots, in sharp competition with the hacks. The machine was strong, but lightly built, with two large wheels, one on either side, and a smaller wheel in front. It was propelled by a powerful negro, who sat between the big wheels. In front of him was a broad, wide seat,

## Affording ample room for two persons, and in front of that, over the small wheel, was a platform which would hold two or three trunks. An awning was rigged over the whole concern like a luncheon car. The negro, who was the owner, said he does a good business and makes a good living conveying passengers between the depots and the hotels. Sometimes he takes visitors on a tour of the city, for which purpose the machine seems particularly well adapted, as the passengers have an unobstructed view, while the "driver" delivers his descriptive oration about Washington, its celebrities and abodes easily into their ears from behind instead of leaning down and backward, at the risk of numerous collisions, as the carriage drivers do. The machine did not appear to be geared differently from an ordinary tricycle, and the "driver" said it was not at all hard to propel, even with a big load. It steered perfectly and would turn in almost its own length. There seems here to open a vista of possible pleasure to people who enjoy riding but who cannot afford to keep a horse and carriage and will not trundle a cycle. Why shouldn't the citizen of modest means keep his land-lantern-tricycle and have his manservant "drive" him around the park in it? The idea of such a development of the bicycle is not at all preposterous.

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Prepared by Dr. J. C. Ayer & Co., Lowell, Mass.

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