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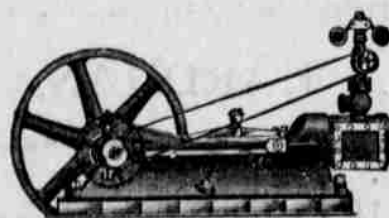
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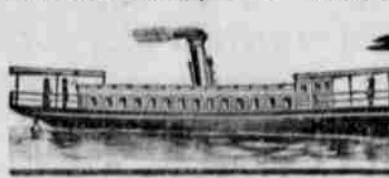


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BE CAREFUL HOW YOU VOTE.

New Law Requires that Choice Must be Indicated by Cross.

At the last session of the legislature of the state of Oregon the election laws of the state were remodelled in several particulars. The most significant of the changes requires that the voter shall mark in indelible ink to the left hand of the name of his choice, instead of crossing out or erasing all names but the one it is desired to vote for.

Sec. 59. On receipt of his white ballot as aforesaid, the elector shall forthwith and without leaving the enclosed space, retire alone to one of the compartments or places provided, and shall there prepare his ballot by marking in indelible ink to the left of the name of the candidate of his choice for each office to be filled, or by writing in the name of the person he wishes to vote for; and in case of a constitutional amendment, shall thereupon submit to the vote of the people, by marking to the left of the answer he desires to make, which shall be done with an indelible copying pencil or with pen and ink. Before leaving the compartment, or place provided, the elector shall fold his ballot so that the face thereof will be concealed, without displaying the ballot or informing any person how he has prepared it; and he shall fold the ballot so that the remaining stub may be readily torn off without exposing the contents of the ballot or the marks or crosses thereon. He shall then deliver the ballot to the chairman, and state his name and residence.

Mr. D. P. Davis, a prominent liveryman and merchant of Goshen, Va., has this to say on the subject of rheumatism: "I take pleasure in recommending Chamberlain's Pain Balm for rheumatism, as I know from personal experience that it will do all that is claimed for it. A year ago this spring my brother was laid up in bed with inflammatory rheumatism and suffered intensely. The first application of Chamberlain's Pain Balm eased the pain and the use of one bottle completely cured him." For sale by Conser & Brock, druggists.

Through trains on the O. R. & N. will run via Umatilla, Walla Walla and Pendleton. Through sleepers, first and second-class, will run in connection with the Union Pacific, the same as heretofore. A through first-class sleeper Portland to Spokane, connecting with the first-class sleeper to St. Paul, and a through tourist sleeper Portland to St. Paul, will run in connection with the Great Northern railway.

S. C. Smith and Bro. have located in the building opposite P. O. Thompson Co., and are prepared to do cabinet work, picture framing, undertaking, etc., at prices to suit. See ad elsewhere.

Fits Cured. Advertisement for a medical treatment, mentioning 'Ferry's Seeds' and 'Spalding's Athletic Figures'.

FERRY'S SEEDS. Advertisement for seeds, mentioning 'Ask for them' and 'get them, plant them'.

SPALDING'S ATHLETIC FIGURES. Advertisement for athletic equipment, mentioning 'A Complete Set, consisting of five athletic figures'.

MILWAUKEE & ST. PAUL RY. Advertisement for the railway line, mentioning 'Through Pullman Palace Sleepers'.

Glance at this Map. Advertisement for a map, mentioning 'Of the Chicago, Milwaukee and St. Paul Railway'.

WANTED AN IDEA. Advertisement for an idea, mentioning 'Who can think of an idea'.

PARODY ON "SWEET MERINO."

Come to me-no, Sweet Merino. Sweet Merino, come to me-no. Not because your fleece is fair sheep to see. But every cattlemen in the dell Would like to see the sheep in h—, But twinkle your little bell, Sweet Merino.

There's a spot not far away poor Merino, Where there's lots of old baled hay that I've seen O, And when I'm with you old age, In a trice you'll engage, You'll be blotted from life's page Poor Merino.

Come to me-no, Sweet Merino, Sweet Merino, come to me-no. You're a knob-head and a sand-bank I can see; As I hear you, you will think That you're held by hinky-dink, But your hide I will not plink, Tough Merino.

Every democrat that shears, poor Merino, Is shedding briny tears, poor Merino; For he voted like a clown and courted fortune's frown. So he'll shear you upside down, poor Merino.

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 this 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.

F. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, O. Sold by druggists, 75c.

EIGHT MILE NOTES. I should think the several candidates would be glad when election is over, they have so much to contend with.

When Elth Washburne was United States minister to France there was a court dinner given at the palace of the Tuilleries one night by the emperor. Napoleon III. says the Cincinnati Times-Star. It was the custom at these dinners when the empress arose to retire with the ladies for the gentlemen to rise from their seats and step back, so that the ladies should pass down the line between them and the table.

WASHBURN'S PREDICAMENT. Had to Stand in His Stocking Feet at a French Court Dinner.

DESPISED BY CATS. The Magpie is a Feared by the Felines. The pets of the house were three very large, black cats, great favorites, immensely spoiled, and very dignified and lazy.

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THE ROCKING CHAIR.

Said to Be Beneficial in Cases of Dyspepsia.

"Critics of America," said a well-known physician, "have poked fun at us for being a nation of rockers. Americans have been pictured as sixty millions of persons seated in sixty millions of rocking chairs—some of them cradles of course. But now comes Dr. Laine, a French West India physician, who says it is good for us. He has been talking of what he calls 'the good effects that the lullaby chair exercises on subjects affected with atony of the stomach.' Atony is want of tone.

"Laine says that a course of rocking being quiet and regular, 'stimulates gastro-intestinal peristalsis,' and that dyspepsia should take notice. The chair ought to be light, so that rocking requires no effort, and sufficiently inclined backward that the person may lie rather than sit in it. Physicians will agree that Dr. Laine has done Americans a real service. It has always been rather difficult to explain the medicinal passion for the rocking chair, but now it is only too easy. Americans are the worst sufferers from indigestion and dyspepsia in the world, but it now appears that we have instinctively rushed to what is now proved to be the best system of relief.

"The man who lurches on pie and then balances himself in a rocking chair is unconsciously doing his best to stimulate his gastro-intestinal peristalsis; he is practically singing a lullaby to his outraged and injured stomach, which is kept from crying aloud only by this method of soothing it. Behold in America a nation of invalids vainly endeavoring to rock themselves to sleep. Dr. Laine's theory is too good not to be true."

PHONOGRAPH DESCRIBED IN 1860. The Frenchman Who Did It Was Considered Crazy.

A few months ago while amusing myself with Cyrano de Bergerac's Histoire Comique des Etats et Empires de la Lune et du Soleil (Paris, 1660), I was amazed, says a writer in Popular Science Monthly, to come across the matter quoted below, which surely foreshadows the phonograph as closely as do Bacon's words the steamship and railway. The author, De Bergerac, is on a voyage over the moon. Left alone a little while by his guide the latter gives him, to help him while away the hour, some books to read. The books, however, are different from any seen on earth. They are, in fact, little boxes, which Cyrano thus describes:

"On opening one of these boxes I found I know not what kind of metal (apparatus) similar to our clockwork, composed of I know not how many little devices and imperceptible machinery. It was a book, certainly, but a most marvelous one, which has neither leaves nor characters; a book to understand which the eyes are useless—one needs only to use his ears. When he wishes to read this book he connects it by a sort of little nerve to his ears. Then he turns a needle to the chapter he wishes to hear, and immediately there emerges from the instrument, as from the mouth of man, or from a musical instrument, all the words and sounds which serve the Grands Lunaires for language."

I will say, further, that Cyrano anticipated many of the inventions and conceptions of modern aeronauts. No wonder that he was considered by his contemporaries as "somewhat off."

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CAPTAIN BOND.

Japan, Egypt, Persia, the West Indies and other parts of the world, but the disease had such a hold upon my system that it was impossible to get relief. After trying all remedies I could get in different countries, and nearly every blood remedy in this country, without the slightest benefit, some one recommended S. S. S. This remedy promptly cured the disease, and has driven it entirely out of my system. I certainly pronounce S. S. S. a blessing to humanity, and heartily recommend it to all suffering from that dreadful disease, malaria. I have frequently been at the point of death, with a temperature of 106, and when I began the use of S. S. S. I was so reduced in health, that my condition seemed hopeless. Now I am enjoying the best of health."

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MARLIN REPEATING RIFLES. Advertisement for Marlin repeating rifles, mentioning 'Sweat, Strongest, Solid, Receiver'.

Cummings & Fall, PROPRIETORS. Advertisement for Cummings & Fall, mentioning 'The Magpie is a Feared by the Felines'.

Gault House, CHICAGO, ILL. Advertisement for Gault House, mentioning 'Half block west of the Union Depot'.

Charley Jones, the well-known "old timer" in the tonorial line, has again located in Heppner, having purchased Green Mathews' shop. Advertisement for Charley Jones, mentioning 'Minor building opposite the city hotel'.

J. W. Kerns, the city painter, is prepared to do all kinds of painting and paper hanging and will do house cleaning and take up and put down carpets. Advertisement for J. W. Kerns, mentioning 'Office on Main street, opposite City hotel'.

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