

# Impure Blood

**Rheumatism, Kidney Troubles and Sick Headache the Results—Doctored for Years Without Relief.**

"My blood was out of order, and I began taking Hood's Sarsaparilla. It has purified my blood and relieved me of rheumatism, kidney troubles and sick headaches. I have been afflicted with these difficulties for years. I am now able to do a good day's work. Rheumatism has troubled me since I was a child, but I am now entirely cured." Mrs. Patricia Bailey, Box 45, Pasadena, California.

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are purely vegetable, reliable, beneficial.

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## A GOOD CLUBBING LIST.

Now that the great political campaign is over and the winter season again with us, all will want an adequate supply of fresh and varied reading matter for the long evenings. Cognizant of this the Gazette has made clubbing arrangements with a number of periodicals and now offers the following to all new and renewal subscribers:

The GAZETTE \$2.50 and	Club Rate
Weekly Oregonian, \$1.50	\$3.50
" S. F. Examiner, \$1.00	3.75
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## Here and There.

Local matter on 4th page.

It's out today, first of the season. Hop Gold Beer. 38-41

E. W. Rhea & Co., pay the highest price for hives and bees.

Did you ever notice that the man who does the least for a newspaper expects the most from it?

As usual, always in the lead. Hop Gold Beer on sale today. See that you get it. 38-41

Lewis Kinney sold his interest in the Swaggett saloon stand today to Bob Beard. May Bob succeed.

A good bicycle, suitable for either lady or gentleman, in the repair, new pneumatic tires, for sale cheap at Gilliam & Bisbee's.

Dr. John W. Rasmus is keeping the best class of goods at the Redlight and he will treat you right. Call in and see him.

The length of life may be increased by lessening dangers. The majority of people die from lung troubles. These may be averted by promptly using One Minute Cough Cure. Conser & Brock

L. O'Connor was arrested yesterday for disorderly conduct while under the influence. O'Connor's a decent, honorable fellow when sober. As the Irish man said, "Whisky is the devil."

Sealy eruptions on the head, chapped hands and lips, cuts, bruises, eczema, burns are quickly cured by DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve. It is at present the article most used for piles, and it always cures them. Conser Brock.

An incipient fire out at Harry Jones', a week ago last Sunday, was observed in time to save the residence. The rafters upstairs were all ablaze when the fire was discovered. Harry at once organized an impromptu fire brigade and the blaze did not last long.

## SPORTING MATTERS.

**Our Old Reporter on Deck Again With a Few Pertinent Remarks—Sport Not Well.**

Old Sport must make an apology for long remaining out of the public sight. He has had many trials and tribulations since his last public appearance. Last fall he was as chipper as a ground squirrel; this spring his soul is loaded to the guards with grief and his heart is not in the reportorial work. He has a load of sad memories and bad digestion. His liver is wrong.

A gay widow is the cause of Old Sport's troubles. The latter was won, hands down, and just when he thought he was sold the g. w. goes down to Portland and weds a red-headed back driver. It was too much for one dose and hardly enough for two.

But Old Sport has not been idle all the time. Yesterday he went down to the Darktown stables and found "Honey" Bennett busy with some promising horses—Dutch, and a three-year-old filly, and last but not least, May M. E. J. Duffy is the trainer. "Hon" and Say Bennett are full partners—"Hon" does all the work and Say keeps full all the time. A red-headed kid named Roy Miller is the jock, and they say that he is a good one, too.

Gidd Hatt has a three-year-old named Gludde in training. It keeps Gid busy shaving and cutting hair to pay expenses, and when he gets on the race circuit it will probably require a whole barber shop, may be more—unless he gets tapped off lucky. A kid known as "Yak," but whose right name is K. C. Devoigne, a rather euphonious name for a jock, is doing the training. He is industrious and is making a good job of it. "Yak" has a horse of his own—Landy Bob. "Yak" says Bob is a "cracker-jack."

Bill McKinley, the Duran horse, was under training for a short time. He was too good a race horse at the wrong time and his name is now engrossed in the list of those who will outstep for the alfalfa stakes this summer.

Paul Jones is out of "kilter," having had to undergo an operation recently that most anybody would object to, and he is eating grass this summer. Coxy and Penland Buttes are also on the retired list.

Ben Swaggett sold his fine horse, the full brother of Sawback, to Ed. Bartlett of Sandon, B. C., on yesterday. The horse is a fine looker; so is the mining stock that Ben got for him.

Low Tillard's saddle horse, Sinner, is in good shape, out at the Matlock ranch. The feed bills are sent in regularly and the training in every other respect is most successful. He will run Sawback a match race on the first day of the Heppner meeting—May 29th.

Ben Swaggett backed a sheepshearer's horse against Sawback, on last Sunday. The shearer's all bet on this favorite and Sawback won. Swaggett said that he was well satisfied with the decision.

Gen. Alken is looking after Swamp and Holly, with Tom McKane as jock. He is an energetic horseman but has had awful poor luck. It may change and get worse, but Sport hopes not.

Fred Patton has Cora J. and Ollena. Some of the boys "jok" that about his horses having crooked legs, but he comes back by saying that they are just crooked enough to win.

Jim Jones is fixing up Lela Riggs and everybody knows that Jim will back his favorite. Like Sport, Jim most always backs the wrong horse.

The races the last of this month and the first of next promise to be good.

**"How to Cure all Skin Diseases."**  
Simply apply "Swayne's Ointment." No internal medicine required. Cures tetter, eczema, itch, all eruptions on the face, hands, nose, &c., leaving the skin clear, white and healthy. Its great healing and curative powers are possessed by no other remedy. Ask your druggist for Swayne's Ointment.

J. P. Hayden, the well known and popular traveling man, is in town today looking after his customers here.

The old lady was right when she said, the child might die if they waited for the doctor. She saved the little one's life with a few doses of One Minute Cough Cure. She had used it for croup before. Conser & Brock.

## TELEPHONE NEWS.

The line is being rapidly pushed to the interior—Will Probably Reach Monument by Sunday.

The Gazette was called up Wednesday by Frank Thomas, one of the construction crew on the telephone line, from Mahogany Ridge. Frank stated that a recent fall of snow had lowered the temperature considerably and that a big fire was necessary to keep from freezing, but that the weather would not interfere with the speedy construction of the line.

Phones are in at Rhea creek, Hardman, Toll Rock and it is thought that the line will be completed into Monument by Sunday. Long Creek will be reached at no distant day. Indeed the speedy construction of this line shows a spirit which the Gazette is pleased to say is worth the emulation of residents of towns much larger than Heppner, and who have been wont to consider us but little better than a large sheep-camp.

Heppner is getting to the front rapidly and will continue to reach out for the interior trade.

Here is a diamond, here a piece of charcoal. Both carbon; yet between them stands the mightiest of magicians—Nature. The food on your table, and your own body; elementally the same; yet between the two stands the digestion, the arbiter of growth or decline, life or death.

We cannot make a diamond; we cannot make flesh, blood and bone. No. But by means of the Shaker Digestive Cordial we can enable the stomach to digest the food which would otherwise ferment and poison the system. In all forms of dyspepsia and incipient consumption, with weakness, loss of flesh, thin blood, nervous prostration the Cordial is the successful remedy. Taken with food it relieves at once. It nourishes, and assists nature to nourish. A trial bottle—enough to show its merit—10 cents.

Laxol is the best medicine for children. Doctors recommend it in place of Castor Oil.

Young Lovgreen, who was taken below recently to be treated for appendicitis, was too far gone to be benefited by treatment. Word came up yesterday that he was dead.

**PENALTY OF CHARITABLENESS.**  
After All Her Labor She Was Subdued for Her Pains.

"Are you much interested in charitable work?" asked the girl with the eyeglasses.

"I was," returned the girl in the fur cape, "I'm afraid that hereafter my charity will begin at home and go no further than next door."

"Ah, you are wrong there," said the girl with the eyeglasses. "Of course, it does discourage one to have the wife in whom she is interested pick her pocket and the destitute widow for whom she has been persecuting her friends criticize her taste in millinery; still, the broad principles of humanity—"

"Look here," said the girl in the fur cape, fiercely, "it is all very well for you who are engaged to a young clergyman to talk about the broad principles of humanity—I'm surprised that you don't use capitals in speaking of them—but for my part I'd like to see a little less public charity in some people and a little more common humanity."

"Oh, if you mean in regard to pauperizing people by—"

"I mean nothing of the kind. Now, there is Harold—"

"I was wondering how soon Harold was coming into the conversation," said the girl with the eyeglasses, roflly.

"It wasn't Harold, exactly," said the girl in the fur cape; "it was his mother; she is interested in charity, you know."

"Of course, a woman with a nose like that couldn't be expected to keep it out of other people's affairs."

"I think she has a very nice nose myself," said the girl in the fur cape, stiffly.

"Harold is thought to look a great deal like her."

"Oh, I—that is, by the way, I heard that you bought a gold thimble the other day. Have you been doing much sewing?"

"N—never very much. Oh, Elsie, if you will never, never tell as long as you live, I'll tell you all about it. You see, Harold's mother has somehow gotten an idea that I am a frivolous person, and last week I—well, I decided that I'd show her how practical I am."

"Well, and did you?"

"It was this way—I was, of course, anxious for her good opinion."

"M—yes; I understand that she has a good deal of money in her own right."

"She wants Harold to marry a practical girl, so I gave up curling my hair, bought a pair of boots a mile too long for me and asked everybody to call me 'Margaret' instead of 'Daisy.'"

"Yes, and what was the result?"

"She told Harold that she hoped she was the one, not she, who was mistaken in my character, and casually mentioned the fact that she thought every young couple should own the house in which they set up housekeeping!"

"Oh, Dai—I mean Margaret, how perfectly lovely!"

"Wasn't it? Then I heard that she was interested in an orphan's home, so I decided to become interested in it, too. I told her that I would make a lot of garments for the orphans, and you should have seen her surprise and pleasure!"

"So you really made garments for the children? How did you go about it?"

"I made one. I bought a lot of stuff; the people at the shop seemed to think it rather unsuitable for the purpose, but it was so pretty that I couldn't resist it. I had expected mamma to help me, but she showed such a lack of interest in it that I just shut myself up alone and made a little dress all by myself!"

"You don't say so! How long did it—"

"Take me? A week. When it was finished I decided not to wait until the others were made, but take it at once to Harold's mother. When I got there I was so proud and so excited that I could hardly open the package and hold up the dress for inspection!"

"And wasn't she surprised?"

"She was. She—she held it in her hands a long time, turning it this way and that, then she asked me—"

"Where you wanted to live when you were married?"

"No; she—she asked me what on earth it was!"—Chicago Times-Herald.

## WELL WORTH HEARING.

A Noted Colored Lecturer and Evangelist to Appear at the M. E. Church, South.

The Rev. Wilbur Harwood, D. D., presiding elder of the African Methodist Episcopal church, of the Puget Sound conference, arrived here this morning and will deliver a series of lectures at the M. E. church, South, commencing Monday evening at 7:30 p. m., entitled "A Missionary Voyage Around the Globe, and America, the Oynosse of the Christian World." The mere fact that Dr. Harwood has traveled in Europe, Asia, Africa and the isles of the sea, and engaged in missionary work in Africa, the West Indies, the Fiji islands and the isthmus of Panama, will assure his audience a broad scope of evangelic and missionary experience. The doctor is on his way to the Transvaal Republic, South Africa. In addition to his lecture he will also render a large number of missionary songs, composed by himself. The lecture will begin at 7:30 sharp. Admission 10 cents. All are invited, as this lecture promises great results.

The difficulty of deciding whether the First National Bank, of Arlington, or The National Bank, of Heppner, had the first right to the sheep belonging to Beck Bros. caused the case to be taken to the federal courts, and yesterday examiner in chancery, Geo. A. Brodie, heard the testimony in Heppner. Receiver R. T. Cox of the Arlington First National Bank, Wirt Minor, of Portland and Messrs. Baley and Ballery were here on the case.

Since the change of time on the branch travel has improved very much. There were a number who could not find rooms last night and were compelled to sit up till morning, and yet Heppner has better hotel accommodations than any town in the country of its size. The hotels must be reaping a harvest.

The "apron social" or bazaar at the opera house last evening was well attended and thoroughly enjoyed. The receipts netted \$71.20, a pretty good sum for these hard times.

Rev. W. M. Jones, wife and child, who have been visiting here for the past ten days, left yesterday for Milton.

The best possible terms for anything new to you are: Get of your grocer a package of Schilling's Best tea. He pays you your money back if you don't like it.

A Schilling & Company San Francisco

## AT THE CHRISTIAN CHURCH.

Rev. Wilbur Harwood's Discourse as Told by The Dalles Paper.

From The Dalles Chronicle.

Yesterday at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. an unusually large congregation assembled at the First Christian church to hear the Rev. Dr. Harwood, whose masterly and well delivered discourse was an intellectual treat to his attentive and no less interested listeners.

In the evening every seat was crowded to the doors. After a song by the choir, the doctor, in a few well-chosen remarks, introduced himself. The doctor's father is a West Indian, and his mother an East Indian, a native of Bengal, India, both parents afterward moved to Carlon, where the doctor came into existence. After passing through the primary and normal schools of Ceylon and Calcutta, he was transferred to London, England, and completed his studies at King's college, Cambridge. He was subsequently ordained in the Anglican church and was sent as a missionary to the Niger river in Africa, where he served two years, thence to Barbadoes, West Indies, the Fiji islands, Trinidad, Panama, thence to the United States, where he connected himself with the Colored Methodist church, and was transferred to the Puget Sound conference as superintendent of missions.

The doctor is on his way to the East, en route for South Africa.

R. F. Hynd went to Portland Wednesday.

Dr. J. M. Wilson came up from The Dalles this morning.

Commissioner Beckett was over from Eight Mile Wednesday.

Mrs. T. W. Ayers accidentally fell on last Tuesday, bruising herself badly.

Jas. Raney, a cousin of the Binna brothers, arrived yesterday from Poplar, Grant county.

Subscribe for the Gazette. Don't be a moseback. Take the paper and advertise your business in it.

John Carter, Jas. Cochran and Chas. Bockler came in Wednesday for freight for Monument. They left yesterday.

The Gazette is in receipt of a letter from Newt Jones, now of Baker City. He seems to be prospering over there.

Tom Buckley and Chet Sargent became involved in a conflict Wednesday, Tom using a cane. The fun was worth \$10 to Tom, so Judge Richardson decided.

Condon Globe: W. O. Minor, a Heppner merchant, advertises in the Gazette that he is the father of 26 children and needs the trade of the public. Very few minors can boast of such a record.

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# RACES! RACES!



THE HEPPNER SPEED ASSOCIATION  
Have Decided to Hold a  
**Race Meeting**  
At HEPPNER, ORE.

ON FOUR DAYS AS FOLLOWS:

**Saturday, May 29,**

**Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday,**

**JUNE 1, 2 and 3.**

**\$700.00 IN PURSES! \$700.00**

PROGRAMME:

FIRST DAY—Saturday, May 29—Race 1. Quarter mile dash, matob race between Sinner, owned by Low Tillard, and Sawback, owned by Ben Swaggett, for \$100 a side. Race 2. Four and one-half furlongs, free for all. Purse, \$100. Race 3. Three-eighths mile dash, free for all. Purse, \$75.

SECOND DAY—Tuesday, June 1—Race 4. One-half mile dash, free for all. Purse, \$100. Race 5. Six hundred yard dash, free for all. Purse, \$75.

THIRD DAY—Wednesday June 2—Race 1. Quarter mile dash, free for all. Purse, \$50. Race 7. One thousand yards, free for all. Purse, \$100.

FOURTH DAY—Thursday, June 3—Race 8. One-half mile handicap, free for all. Purse, \$100. Race 9. One half mile, consolation race, for defeated horses. Purse, \$75. Race 10. Mile race from wire to wire, open to the world. Purse \$25.

CONDITIONS.—These races will be governed by the rules of the Pacific Blood Horse Association. Entrance fees in all races, not otherwise specified, 10 per cent of amount of purse, five or more to enter, three to start. In case that purses above given do not fill with five complete entries, the board has the power to reduce the amounts of the purses as in their judgment seem proper. The directors reserve the right to postpone any and all races on account of inclement weather. If above races do not fill, purses will be given for special races, to be substituted by the directors. Purses will be divided 70 per cent to the first horse, 30 per cent to second. All entries to close by 8 o'clock, p. m., on the evening preceding the race.

**ALL PURSES WILL BE PAID IN FULL.**

A. W. PATTERSON, Secretary. W. O. MINOR, President.  
E. L. FREELAND, Treasurer.  
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**Mrs. Julla Bradley, Prop**  
Guests will find the best of accommodations in every respect.



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At the old stand, have the usual  
spring outfit of  
**FARMING UTENSILS, HARDWARE  
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Besides the thousand odds and ends that are too numerous to mention.  
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Why do you tarry so long;  
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This season Shirt Waists will be very much in favor among the ladies. We have just what you want.  
We are also displaying our fine line of  
**STRAW HATS**  
And our present warm weather has no doubt suggested to you the need of more comfortable and appropriate headwear. This ad. suggests to you the place to find it.  
Our new stock of Spring and Summer dress goods will arrive in a few days.  
**E. W. RHEA & CO.,**  
The First National Bank Building.  
HEPPNER, OREGON.