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SECRET SOCIETIES.

RAWLINS POST, NO. 14. G. A. B. Meets at Lexington, Ore., the last Saturday of each month. All veterans are invited to join. G. W. Smith, C. G. Fights, Adonai, Commander.

Dr. P. B. McSwords, PHYSICIAN AND SURGEON. Office in the City Drug Store, near City Hotel.

D. J. McFaul, M. D. HEPPNER, OREGON. Office hours, 8 to 10 a. m., and 12 to 2 p. m., at residence, Mrs. H. W. Welch's property, and 10 to 12, a. m., to 2 to 5 p. m., at office in the rear of Borg's jewelry store.

National Bank of Heppner. W. M. PENLAND, ED. R. BISHOP, President, Cashier.

TRANSACTS A GENERAL BANKING BUSINESS COLLECTIONS Made on Favorable Terms.

EXCHANGE BOUGHT & SOLD HEPPNER OREGON First National Bank

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Transacts a General Banking Business. EXCHANGE Bought and Sold. Collections made on all points on reasonable Terms. Surplus and undivided Profits, \$35,000.00.

The Gazette does not question the honesty of any person, but it is compelled to insist upon the cash-in-advance plan of subscription, whether the subscriber be Cornelius Vanderbilt or the man who earns his bread by honest toil. We cannot run the paper on any other plan.

What is Hop Gold? Best beer on earth. See ad, elsewhere.

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WOOL COMMISSION Reasonable Advances Made on Clips of '97

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THE LANCASHIRE INSURANCE Co. OF MANCHESTER, ENGLAND OTIS PATTERSON, AGENT. One of the Best in the World

McClure's Magazine For 1897 SEVEN GREAT SERIALS

A New Life of Grant by HAMLIN GARLAND. The first authoritative and adequate Life of Grant ever published. (Begins in December.)

Rudyard Kipling's first American serial, "Captains Courageous." (Began in November.)

Robert Louis Stevenson's "St. Ives." The only novel of Stevenson's still unpublished. (Begins in May.)

Charles A. Dana. "Recollections of War Times." Mr. Dana was for three of the most critical years of the Civil War practically a member of Lincoln's Cabinet, and is probably better fitted than any other man living to give an authoritative history of this period from his recollections and correspondence.

Portraits of Great Americans. Many of them unpublished. In connection with this series of portraits it is intended to publish special biographical studies under the general title of MAKERS OF THE UNION from Washington to Lincoln.

Pictures of Palestine. Specially taken under the editor's direction.

Stories of Adventure. A serial by CONAN DOYLE, in which he will use his extraordinary talent for mystery and ingenuity which have, in the "Sherlock Holmes" stories, given him a place beside Poe and Gaboriau.

TEN FAMOUS WRITERS IAN MACLAREN. All the fiction that he will write during the coming year, with the exception of two contributions to another publication which were engaged from him long ago, will appear in McClure's Magazine.

JOEL CHANDLER HARRIS. A series of new animal stories in the same field as the "Brer Rabbit" and the "Little Mr. Tumblebees." The "Brer Rabbit" and the "Little Mr. Tumblebees" will all have stories in McClure's Magazine for 1897.

Octave Trauvenot is preparing for the MAGAZINE a series of short stories in which the same characters will appear, although each will be complete in itself.

Anthony Hope. Bret Harte. Robert Barr. Frank R. Stockton. Stanley Weyman. Clark Russell.

These are only a small fraction of the great and important features of McClure's Magazine for 1897. The subscription price of which is only

One Dollar a Year The S. S. McClure Co., New York.

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THE SOUTH A GOLCONDA Its Mountains Teem with Precious Stones and Metals.

Rich Veins of Gold Which Will Some Day Be Opened and Enrich the Country--All Kinds of Gems Known to Science.

One of the mineralogical experts of a large mining company recently returned to New York after an extended trip through the south in the interest of his organization, and, in speaking about the mineral resources of the southern states, he said:

"I have passed through nearly all the mining sections of the south to examine the mineral products of the interests of a number of capitalists, and, after a careful survey of the field, it is my honest belief that the future mining operations of this country will be in the south, instead of the west. I found the Appalachian range particularly rich in all the auriferous and argentiferous ores, not only in Virginia, but throughout the whole length into Alabama. In Georgia the rich deposits are well known, and companies are now rapidly organizing to mine the various ores. In South Carolina the deposits of monazite (crystals of a rare metal known as cerium, used only in chemistry, and worth \$100 an ounce) have been found so valuable that a big industry has been built up in the Piedmont section. It is estimated that this industry is now valued at several millions of dollars, although it is only a few years old. When I visited the fields everybody was looking for monazite, and the business will bring in at least \$100,000 to the people of the Piedmont section this year. Owners of apparently worthless land have let it out to contractors at the rate of \$200 an acre, and these miners make big profits besides. A few years ago the owners would have been glad to have received three or four dollars per acre for this land."

"There is more gold in the south than any man ever imagined. Traces of it crop up in the most unexpected places, and there must be some valuable veins hidden away in the mountains that will some day be discovered and startle the country. Cripple Creek will be nothing to the southern gold fields after they have once been located. It seems strange, but the fact is nevertheless true, that the south has never been thoroughly explored for mineral and gold products. Before the war everybody went west to find gold, and the south was given over to cotton, tobacco, sugar and rice. After the war closed nothing was done for a long time to develop the industries of the southern states, but now we are beginning to realize that a great, undeveloped field spreads out before us. There are scores of gold prospectors traveling through the mountains of the south, looking for the treasures that are sure to come to light some day. People speak about the future supply of gold being found in Africa. Why, more gold is buried in the Appalachian range of mountains than they will find in Africa in the next 100 years. But the mountains are so vast, and the region so little known, that it will take some time to locate the best mines even after the prospectors have been attracted to the place."

"Another thing about the southern mines is that many of the most precious stones have been picked up at various points, and where such jewels are found on the surface you can rest assured that there are others further down under the ground. For instance, at Corundum Hill some beautiful sapphires have been found. Here are some that I secured from a miner. They were not mining for sapphires, but happened to pick them up while mining for ores. Over 100 sapphires have been found at this place, and most of them are valued at \$50 to \$100 and upward. The fact is that we have a country capable of producing all the precious stones known to science, but so much attention has been given to the mining of iron, coal, oil, silver and gold that the more precious products of the rocks have been neglected. I remember distinctly in California, when the gold fever was at its height, miners threw up several fairly good specimens of diamonds, but in their craze for the yellow metal they paid no attention to the precious stones. They knew all about gold mining, but nothing about diamonds. Now that the gold fields have been exhausted, I guess many of them wish they had stopped and pocketed some of the precious stones they threw away. If we made as thorough preparation for diamond mining as they do in South Africa, we would find this country much richer in materials than any country another. A company has recently been organized to develop the mines of the southern states in the field making examinations. They will include in their work all of the precious stones, diamonds, emeralds, sapphires, beryls, garnets and every other gem of any value. They will be provided with the proper machinery, and not with coal and gold mining implements. It is all wrong to suppose that a coal or gold miner would unearth the precious stones if they happened to be in the mountains. The precious stones are not always found where the gold and coal fields are located. It needs distinct machinery and methods, and this is the only way that we can ever hope to develop the gem resources of this country. The company which I have been traveling for has already made negotiations for large tracts of mineral land along the Appalachian range, and it will make immediate efforts to develop the fields. I have no doubt but they will strike many unexpected fields of precious gems, and the country will get a new idea of the resources of the mines of the south."--Philadelphia Times.

The little island of Malta has a reputation of its own, derived from the Carthagenian and Arabian legends. The locality of the island is as follows:

There is Nothing so Good. There is nothing just as good as Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption, Coughs and Colds, so demand it and do not permit the dealer to sell you some substitute. He will not claim there is anything better, but in order to make more profit he may claim something else to be just as good. You want Dr. King's New Discovery because you know it to be safe and reliable, and guaranteed to do good or money refunded. For Coughs, Colds, Consumption and for all affections of Throat, Chest and Lungs, there is nothing so good as Dr. King's New Discovery. Trial bottle free at Conser & Brock's. Regular size 50 cents and \$1.00.

CHURCH ANNOUNCEMENTS. Rev. Potwine will be here next Wednesday, May 12th, at which time he will hold services in the M. E. church, at 7:30, p. m. All are cordially invited to attend.

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B. H. Langley, traveling agent of the Great Northern R. R., is in town.

What sort of is money-back? Schilling's Best at your grocer's.

For sale by J. A. Woolery, lone

Tetter, Salt-Rheum and Eczema. The intense itching and smarting incident to these diseases, is instantly allayed by applying Chamberlain's Eye and Skin Ointment. Many very bad cases have been permanently cured by it. It is equally efficient for itching piles and a favorite remedy for sore nipples, chapped hands, chilblains, frost bites and chronic sore eyes. 25 cts. per box.

Dr. Cady's Cough Cure. It is just what a horse needs when in bad condition. Tonic, blood purifier and vermifuge. They are not food but medicine and the best in use to put a horse in prime condition. Price 50 cents per package.

At Heppner's warehouse Phil Cobb will pay the highest price for fall wool pelts, hides, furs, etc. Phil sells direct to Eastern buyers. See his before you sell your pelts.

State of Ohio, City of Toledo, Lucas County. Frank J. Cheney makes oath that he is the senior partner of the firm of F. J. Cheney & Co., doing business in the City of Toledo, County and State aforesaid, and that said firm will pay the sum of one hundred dollars for each and every case of Catarrh that cannot be cured by Hall's Catarrh Cure. Frank J. Cheney, Sworn to before me and subscribed in my presence, this 6th day of December, A. D. 1886. A. W. Gleason, Notary Public.

Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally and acts directly on the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. Send for testimonials, free. F. J. Cheney & Co., Toledo, O. Sold by druggists, 75c.

C. C. Curtis was up on his ranches on lower Willow creek, on last Saturday.

F. M. Courter came in Saturday last and added his name to our subscription list. He says reports are looking fine.

Uhas, Miller, of Reba creek, was in Saturday. He says that the outlook is good for an abundant strawberry crop.

Any lady desiring to purchase a sewing machine should call on J. W. Vaughan and examine his latest improved White machines. A happy combination of a writing desk and machine combined. Light, rapid and easy running.

C. G. Fuqua and G. W. Smith were in to attend the meeting of the G. A. R. Saturday. The meeting was a good one and the Gazette is assured that every effort will be made to hold the next state encampment of the G. A. R. at this place.

"Ernie me" observed the man in spectacles "that I am a surgeon, and that is not where the liver is." Never you mind where the liver is," retorted the other. "If it was in his big toe, for his left ear, DeWitt's Little Early Bitters would reach it and shake it for him. On that you can bet your gig-lamps." Conser & Brock.

Frank and Lee Lucy are again in this section looking after sheep which they will ship to Kansas City next month and in July. The boys are excellent young men and all wish them success.

The old way of delivering messages by postboys compared with the modern telephone, illustrates the old tedious methods of "breaking" cords compared with their almost instantaneous cure by One Minute Cough Cure. Conser & Brock.

Two girls of the town, Alice Graves and Eliza Brown, left town suddenly on Friday but were brought back by Conductor Dunn, who had been appointed special deputy sheriff, on Saturday morning, charged with larceny by Eli Keeney. However, the charge failed to stick and the girls went on their way rejoicing.

To cure all old sores, to heal an indolent ulcer, or speedily cure piles, you need simply apply DeWitt's Witch-hazel according to directions. Its magic-like action will surprise you. Conser & Brock.

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THE LITTLE PEOPLE. Two Birthday Gatherings Celebrated in the Usual happy Manner.

The Gazette's juvenile reporter neglected to chronicle the birthday party, given by Miss Katie Blehm, at the residence of her parents in Heppner, on May 1st, the occasion of her 14th birthday. There were 17 of her young friends present and a very enjoyable time was had. The refreshments were elegant and the presents numerous.

On May 8th Miss Willa Minor gave a "peanut party" to a number of young friends who had assembled in order to assist her in celebrating her 11th birthday. An elegant luncheon was one of the important features of the occasion, while the presents were both numerous and elegant.

The following were present: Willa Minor, Elise Bartholomew, Mary McSwords, Fay Bartholomew, Edith Hager, Leola Campbell, Elta Rogers, Lottie Rasmus, Essie Lezer, Katie Blehm, Terese Lichtenhal, Bertha Prioste, Zoe Patterson, Honnie Abramschick, Forrest Brians, Harry Brians, Carol McFarland, Ralph Bishop, Elmer Wills, Freddie Elder, Alfred Ghanbitz, Leo Blackman, Orin Vaughan, Paul Marie, Ellis Minor, Nelson Bartholomew.

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