

Almost Blind

Scrofula Affects the Eyes—Little Boy Treated by an Oculist With—Out Relief—But Now He is Well.

"When my little boy was three months old his eyes became very sore and he was almost blind. I took him to an oculist who treated him for six months, and left him as bad as he was at the beginning. Finally Hood's Sarsaparilla was recommended and I began giving it to him. In less than three weeks he was able to go into the sun without covering his eyes, and today his eyes are perfectly well, and his ears and nose, which were badly affected, are also well. Hood's Sarsaparilla has certainly done wonders for my boy." MRS. JAMES H. PAINTER, Amador, California.

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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	\$8.50
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SERVICES.
Sunday 11 a. m. and 8 p. m. Sunday school 10 a. m. Classes No. 1 and 2 at 12:30 p. m. Epworth League Devotional meeting at 7 p. m. Prayer meeting, Thursday, 8 p. m.
"The Striver and the Brute" say, Come."
The pastor may be found at the parsonage adjoining the church, where he will be glad to meet any who may desire to consult him on religious, social, civic, philosophic, educational, or any other subjects.
J. W. FLEISHER, Minister.

Here and There.

See Mitchell is up from Ione.
O. M. Lichtenthal for shoes.
Tom Scroggins and son are over from Long Creek.
Johnny Waddell was in from Butter creek yesterday.
Fresh candies and home-made taffy at the Orange Front.
E. L. Moses, representing Bradstreets, was here Friday last.
Ranons is still on the turf doing a little carpenter business.
Jerry Brosnan was over from Little Butter creek this week.
Mr. Starratt and wife were in from Long Creek this week.
Submit your plans to Ranons before giving out your contract.
E. D. Timms is up from Portland and may embark in business here.
Theo. Anderson and Frank Vaughan were in from Eight Mile Wednesday.
Statements for the Famous Simple Account File printed at the Gazette office.
The well known DeMoss Family will be here the 27th inst. Concert at opera house.
Mrs. Dan Hornor arrived home from Portland yesterday and is in a critical condition.
What on earth is there to hinder the streets being sprinkled? The dust is awfully thick.
P. Brenner, of the firm of Brenner & Co., arrived from Portland early this week. He will leave shortly for the interior.
Miss Eva Briens has departed for Canyon City where she will teach the primary department of the public school this year.
For sale—a splendid residence property, good location, very cheap. Call at Gazette office.
Any one desiring to build either a house or barn will make money by calling on the Gazette office.
Best accommodation and courteous treatment at the Imperial Hotel, Seventh and Wash. Sts., Portland, Oregon.
The DeMoss family have justly earned the title of "lyric bards of America." They will be here on the 28th inst.
Fresh lot of tomatoes, peaches and grapes just received at Mathews'. Finest that ever hit the town. Call on him.
George Hufford has some fine half-breed Cotswell bucks, out of Merino ewes which he wishes to sell at reasonable figures. He will be at E. L. Matlock's corral on about Sept. 20. Call on him.
To heal the broken and diseased tissues, to soothe the irritated surface, to instantly relieve and to permanently cure is the mission of DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve. For sale by Conser & Brook.
Frank McFarland has been appointed special agent of The Equitable Life Assurance Co. of New York, the strongest in the world. Cash surplus to policy holders of over 43 million dollars. Don't take insurance without seeing the new plans of the Equitable. Insure both sexes at same rate.

THE WILLOW CREEK MINES.

Much Excitement Exists Over the New District—New Finds Reported Daily.

John LaForge, who has been prospecting up in the Willow creek district, and who is the real discoverer of the new mines, is in town this week. A Gazette reporter had a long talk with him Wednesday, and while the scribe is not sufficiently acquainted with mines and mining to make any extensive report of this find yet any person could readily understand Mr. LaForge's explanation of the various characteristics of the quartz and other rock to be found in the new, unorganized district on Willow creek.

Mr. LaForge has traveled and prospected extensively this season, and while he has found some good rock in the Cascades and in other localities, yet he thinks that the Willow creek prospects are by far the best that he has seen. From outward appearances, Mr. LaForge has discovered a very large ledge of free milling ore, and if it is as good as it appears to be, it will pay its owners an immense amount of money. Many other locations have been made in that vicinity and if the LaForge prospect proves to be good this camp will rival the best in the country on a boom proposition, and with something behind it.

It is a well-known fact that placer ground exists where there is a ledge. Sometimes this is covered up by volcanic eruptions, but the placer is always in evidence somewhere if there is a ledge, and vice versa. It has always been understood that there is no placer ground in this vicinity, but this idea has been exploded by Mr. LaForge. The discovery of the big ledge up on Willow creek was made through placer deposits, which will give returns of \$3 per day to the man by the old plan of mining. If the hydraulic process could be used of course it would give much greater returns.

That there is mining ground in Morrow county is evident, but it will remain to be seen whether or not it will pay to work.

THE LAST LETTER.

It is written home by James H. Jackson From Lake Bennett.

From the E. O.
The letter published below is from James H. Jackson, of the Pendleton Klondike expedition. As the writer remarks, it will probably be the last they will be able to send back to civilization. This gives it added interest, although the information contained in the letter is brief:

Lake Bennett, August 28.—We expect to start down the river in the morning. Lathrop has just returned from a trip to look up his clothing. He started Sunday afternoon and has just come back to us. We thought he had probably got "done up" some place but he turned up all right.

Dr. Beattie and I have been living on the fat of the land. We went out and picked a quart of red raspberries yesterday and had them for supper last night. It is almost impossible to get over the divide now, Lathrop says. The Skagway trail is absolutely impassable and the trail we came over, the Dyea (or as it is incorrectly called in the states, Chilooot pass) is almost so. Packing over this pass or trail is now 40 cents per pound and packers hard to get at that.

Well, so long, as this will probably be the last time you will hear from us this winter.

Millinery.

Mrs. L. J. Estes has received her fall and winter stock of fashionable millinery which will be sold very cheap. 1-82

The DeMoss family use 41 musical instruments at each entertainment. See them at the opera house on the 28th inst. 1-82

Dr. A. L. Beattie, of Pendleton, will be at the Palace hotel for a few days, beginning Sunday, Sept. 26th. Those wishing dental work done should call. 1-82

D. A. Greenwood has leased Vinson's stable and feed yard. Wheat hay, per ear, 50 cents. Call on him. Handy to warehouses. Best of care taken of stock. 81-11

The DeMoss Family are composers of note. Their songs have been compiled in the "Songs of Jesus," and the "Columbian Souvenir songs." See them on the 26th inst. 1-82

Dr. J. E. Adkins, the dentist, will be here about Oct. 1. Those wishing anything in the line of dentistry should call on him as soon as he arrives, for his stay will be a brief one. 79-82

No man or woman can enjoy life or accomplish much in this world while suffering from a torpid liver. DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve. It soothes, strengthens and heals. It is the great pile cure. For sale by Conser & Brook.

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E. G. Sperry called at the office yesterday to get a few dozen deers. The Gazette is informed that Ione is booming and that Mr. Sperry is selling many lots there. This winter he will build a race track and next spring Ione will hold a meeting. Mr. Sperry is busy now putting in 400 acres of wheat.

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A surgical operation remarkable in itself and wonderful for its so far successful result, has been performed upon Adriaan Hebstorge, a veteran and skillful machinist of this city, reports The Dalles Chronicle.

Fifteen yards of silver wire, as large around as an ordinary hypodermic needle, have been introduced into and coiled within his aorta, the greater arterial channel leading directly from the heart. These 45 feet of wire have been in there for three months and they have saved his life. They were inserted at a time when death seemed certain because of complications resulting from a seriously injured aorta.

Technically the patient's trouble was aneurism or sacculated tumor of the arterial walls, and its development to a rupture of the aorta was only a question of time with certain and instant death as the result. The wire was introduced into the distended or abnormal sac formed in the aorta, in order partly to fill it and from there a clot that in time would contract and be absorbed, thereby restoring the channel to its normal formation.

If you eat what you like, and digest it, you will surely be strong and healthy.

But if you don't digest it, you might almost as well not eat, for what good can your food do you if it doesn't nourish you? If you find that you can't digest it, it is Shaker Digestive Cordial, made by the Shakers of Mount Lebanon. It has never failed to cure the worst case of indigestion. Strength and health come from the food you eat, after it has been digested and has gone into the blood.

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AN AMERICAN LUXURY.

One Shivers Aboard Because Coal is So Dear.

"The thing I especially enjoyed after a somewhat lengthy sojourn on the other side was a real genuine American grate fire," commented the traveler to the Detroit Free Press man. "In London I felt as if I was burning something very precious with the landlady charging sixpence a scuttle for coal. I remember sitting around a stove in an English hotel. The weather was cold and the coal in the stove bunched together. I took a poker and stirred it up.

"That makes it burn faster," commented the landlady, gravely.

"That's just what I want," I replied.

"A red-faced, hearty Englishman broke in: 'You Americans are deucedly thin-blooded, don't you know?'

"Then in Italy you shiver about all winter and in Germany those big, high crockery stoves never seem to thaw you out. So when I arrived in America in midwinter I had a jolly, big fire in the room at my hotel and I piled on the coal, knowing that it would not break my bank, in spite of the prices of the big, arguable coal trust. But after one has paid sixpence a scuttle for a mighty little scuttle of coal he does not feel disposed to criticize the trust. I felt like a lord, 'thin-blooded American,' though I might be, and was just in the mood to read and appreciate that agreeable little volume, 'The Reveries of a Bachelor.' These reveries would not seem half so pleasing when read before the smudge of a post-fire in Germany or before the little skimpy grate fire of a few pine cones in Italy—not the Italy of sunshine, but the Italy of the cold, disagreeable, wet days."

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WHAT TO DO.

There is comfort in the knowledge so often expressed, that Dr. Kilmer's Swamp-Root, the great kidney remedy, fulfills every wish in relieving pain in the back, kidneys, liver, bladder and every part of the urinary passages. It corrects inability to hold urine and scalding pain in passing it, or bad effects following use of liquor, wine or beer, and overcomes that unpleasant necessity of being compelled to get up many times during the night to urinate. The mild and the extraordinary effect of Swamp-Root is soon realized. It stands the highest for its wonderful cures of the most distressing cases. If you need a medicine you should have the best. Sold by druggists, price fifty cents and one dollar. You may have a sample bottle and pamphlet both sent free by mail. Mention the Heppner Gazette and send your address to Dr. Kilmer & Co., Binghamton, N. Y. The proprietors of this paper guarantee the genuineness of this offer.

GOING OUT OF BUSINESS.

R. C. Wills has decided to Close Out His Large Stock of Merchandise at Cost. The Gazette is informed that Mr. R. C. Wills, the merchant, has decided to go out of business at Heppner and now proposes to sell everything at cost for spot cash. This sale will continue till the whole stock is disposed of.

Wants to Sell.

I want to sell on long time my Eight Mile ranch—400 acres in fallow, 1200 acres good grass, water plenty in three sections, all fenced in one body with three wires; 2 camps, sheds, pens, water troughs outside for 2000 sheep. Title direct from government—no incumbrances. If not sold will lease on favorable terms. A few tons of hay on ranch. For particulars write me.

C. E. FELL, Pendleton, Or.

W. E. Kahler intends to leave for

Sumpter in the near future where he will embark in business. At the present Mrs. Kahler and little son are visiting friends at Heppner.

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