

BABY'S SMOOTH, FAIR SKIN

A Grateful Mother Writes this Letter— Tells all about Her Troubles when Baby Broke out with Scrofula Sores. At the age of two months, my baby began to have sores break out on his right cheek. We used all the external applications that we could think of or hear of, to no avail. The sores spread all over one side of his face. We consulted a physician and tried his medicine, and in a week the sores were gone. But to my surprise in two weeks more another scrofulous looking sore appeared on baby's arm. It grew worse and worse, and when he was three months old, I began giving him Hood's Sarsaparilla. I also took Hood's Sarsaparilla, and before the first bottle was finished, the sores were well and have never returned. He is now four years old, but he has never had any sign of those scrofulous sores since he was cured by Hood's Sarsaparilla, for which I feel very grateful. My boy owes his good health and smooth, fair skin to this great medicine." MRS. E. S. WROZER, Farmington, Delaware. Get only Hood's.

Hood's Pills are prompt, efficient and easy to take. 25 cents.

METH. EPISC. CHURCH.

SERVICES. Sunday 11 a. m. and 7 p. m. Sunday school 10 a. m. Classes No. 1 and 2 at 12:10 p. m. Epworth League Devotional meeting at 7 p. m. Prayer meeting, Thursday, 7 p. m. "The Story and the Bible say, Come." The pastor will 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 subject. W. FLEISHER, Minister.

M. E. CHURCH, SOUTH.

SERVICES. Sunday, preaching 11 a. m., 7 p. m., class meeting following morning service. Sunday school, 3 p. m. Epworth League, Friday, 7 p. m. "Let us forsake not the assembling of ourselves together." Pastor's residence in parsonage, next door to church. C. R. HOWARD, Pastor.

CHRISTIAN CHURCH.

SERVICES. Sunday, preaching 11:00 o'clock a. m. and 7:30 p. m. Prayer meeting Thursday evening at 7:00. Choir practice Saturday evening at the church. R. L. SHELLEY, Pastor.

The Ladies' Guild of the Episcopal church will meet at 3 o'clock, P. M., on the first Wednesday of each month, at the home of Mrs. T. J. Matlock.

We sail away to Manila bay, the Dons we do not fear; And we'll leave behind the girls we love, cries the Oregon volunteer.

With Dewey bold to lead us, and Old Glory in the sky, But ere we pass we'll drain a glass, of Sperry's Hawaiian rye.

Sold only at the Belvedere Saloon, E. G. Sperry, proprietor.

Local Notes.

See M. Lichtenthal & Co. for shoes. A Ge. Wills is sojourning in Portland.

Bob Dexter is down from the reservation.

Jerry Brossman, of Lena precinct, was in town Saturday.

Ed Bartholomew and Chet Parcell have returned from Montana.

Guinness's famous old "Dublin Stout," imported, at Chris Berbers' if

Geo. C. Rome is fitting up a fruit and confectionery stand a few doors north of the postoffice.

Painless remedy for extracting teeth. If not as stated, no charges. Try Dr. Vaughan's new plan. 604-1f.

If you need something for your system call at the "Phone"—The Telephone saloon, City hotel building.

Miss Brown, daughter of Walter Brown, of Canyon City, has returned home much improved in health.

Best accommodation and courteous treatment at the Imperial Hotel, Seventh and Wash. Sts., Portland, Oregon.

Bring your hides, pelts and furs to Ben. Mathews, at the Liberty Meat Market. He pays highest market price. 610-1f.

Knowlton's Big Four is no more. In Lexington they met their "Waterloo." The majority of the company are stranded in our town.

Chas. Barnett, of Lexington, starts Monday morning for an extended trip throughout the county in the interest of his picture business.

E. G. Noble & Co. are restlers after business. The best saddles and harness to be found in Heppner. See their new ad in this issue.

Mr. and Mrs. F. Courter, of Eight Mile, made us a pleasant call Saturday afternoon. They express themselves as being thoroughly satisfied with Oregon as their home.

Clint Moore, an old-time friend and well known as a Salem hotel man, passed through town Saturday as business manager of the Somers Family Musical and Comedy company.

Dr. John W. Rasmus, of the "Red-light," ever on the alert for something new, can furnish you the finest cocktails in the land—Manhattan, Jersey, Vermont or Gin—made by an artist in the business. Drop in and take the taste out of your mouth. 1f

ASTORIA, Oregon, July 1, 1898.

Mr. Frank McFarland, Agent for the Equitable Life Insurance Co.

Dear Sir:— I take this method of expressing my sincere thanks to the Equitable Life Insurance Co., of New York, for its very prompt payment on policy No. 492648, amounting in full to \$2500, on the life of my late deceased husband, Harry M. Gray. The proof of death was forwarded from Arlington, Oregon, about June 12th and the draft returned by mail from New York dated June 21, 1898. Such promptness is commendable, and I recommend the Equitable Life as being a satisfactory company to deal with.

Yours respectfully, OLIVE CLAY.

PISO'S CURE FOR CONSUMPTION

Pres Thompson has regained his usual health.

Prof. A. Hodson has gone to the metropolis.

For a first-class Sunday dinner try the Cafe Royal.

The thermometer registered 100 deg. in the shade yesterday.

Ed. Hunt, of Clark's canyon, came to town with wool Sunday.

The little child of Mr. and Mrs. Snyder is reported as improving.

Lichtenthal & Co. for shoes. Excelsior shoe store. Handles the best. 831f

Harry Bartholomew, the Butter Creek sheepman, was on our streets Saturday.

Statements for the Famous Simple Account File printed at the Gazette office.

W. W. Perival, the Independence sheepherder, is still in this community buying sheep.

Emmet Cochran, of Monument, and W. O. Royal, of Harman, are registered at the Palace.

Dr. J. W. Vogel, specialist for refraction and defects of the eye, will be here every three months. 648-1yr

"Co'n juice" is all right but Low Tiltard has a brand of 14-year-old goods that is hard to beat. 603-1f.

Ralph Binge made final proof on his homestead Saturday before Clerk Crawford, with Eph Eskelson and Jacob Earnst as witnesses.

An Oregon boy on board the battleship Oregon writes home that the boys have named the vessel the "Irish battleship, the O'Bagan".

The Gazette carries a full stock of mourning note, correspondence style, with envelope to match. Those desiring such stationery can have their wants supplied at this office. 1f

James Hart can be reached by correspondence if addressed Dayton, Wash., where he will be detained several days on important business (?)

On Saturday, before Clerk Crawford, John Kilkenny made final proof on his homestead. Barney P. Doherty and Jerry Branson were his witnesses.

Cattle thieves are reported to be operating in vicinity of Douglas, in the northern part of the county. Messrs. Travadon and Robert Sayer lost several head.

George Thorpe has been making extensive preparation for a prolonged stay in the mountains in the vicinity of "the saddle." He leaves tomorrow night with his family.

Did you see the footrace between Geo. Swagart and Tom Davidson? Tom "took a tumble," a few jumps from the scratch. George "ran it out," settling a difference of opinion.

For Constipation take Karl's Clover Tea, the great Blood Purifier, cures headaches, Nervousness, Eruptions on the face, and makes the head as clear as a bell. Sold by Conser & Warren. x

S. P. Shutt, recent manager of the Condon Globe, and a brother of Editor E. M. Shutt, of the Times, has purchased the Smelter News. Mr. Shutt is a well-known newspaperman and we predict for him a prosperous future.

Gas Matlock and wife left on Saturday night's train for Pendleton, where they were summoned to the bedside of their son "D," who is seriously ill. The many friends of "D," anxiously await a favorable report of his condition.

The war bulletin issued from the Gazette office from day to day has been discontinued for the present, owing to lack of advertising patronage. The columns of the Gazette can be depended on for all important news of the war, up to the hour of going press.

If you want the latest war news, the freshest local happenings, city or country, get the Gazette, semi-weekly, Tuesday and Friday. Patronage helps make a paper. Compare it with those of other towns the size of Heppner and the Gazette will not suffer thereby. 1f

W. G. McCarty is having a painful experience with corns on the left eye. Dr. McSwords is treating the same, which he pronounces a serious affliction. The doctor informs us that he is also treating John Short, a recent arrival here, for the same affliction of both eyes.

At the Heppner Candy Factory is the place to get cool, refreshing summer drinks. Jas. Hart can furnish you milk shakes, soda, ice cream soda, orange wine, peach cider, etc. Ice cream bottles nicely fitted up. Come and boot the Dewey flavor—a new thing and very fine. 661-1f

Otis Patterson, grand chancellor of Knights of Pythias, together with Mr. McKibbin, editor of The Senator, are now making their official visits throughout the state. From Condon Mr. Patterson writes the Gazette that times are good there, and everybody anticipates excellent crops.

Mr. W. J. Shaner, of Spokane, brother of Eli Shaner, of Harman, with whom he has been visiting for two weeks, passed through town last Friday on his return home. A sister, who arrived from Denver, where she resides, has been with her brother during the recent illness of his wife at Harman, had not seen this brother for twenty-eight years.

Mr. D. T. French, formerly a citizen of our town, came up from The Dalles Saturday. His mission here is to make arrangements for an immediate removal of his household effects and family to Heppner. Mr. French will be detained in The Dalles until the first of the month, owing to some unfinished work. We welcome the return of Mr. French and his family to our town.

The United States civil service commission announces that examinations may be taken July 27th and 28th, for positions in the office of the surveyor-general, register and receiver, at various cities in various states. The cities named in Oregon are Astoria, LaGrande, Lakeview, Fortland and Roseburg, where examinations may be taken. Full particulars are given in the circular which is on file at this office.

Uncle Jack Morrow and Governor Rea started for McDuffly springs last night, where they will spend a few days. Connections are now made with the Utah stage, which enables you to reach the springs without delay. The stage line from here sells round-trip tickets to the springs for \$11.50.

The First National bank is the local depository for the distribution of the new documentary stamps. However, Mr. Conser informs us, it is an impossibility to keep an adequate supply on hand. The internal revenue office at Portland is so besieged with orders for stamps that they seem unable to find time for acknowledgment of orders. Mr. Conser has succeeded in obtaining a limited supply for accommodation of his customers.

Mrs. B. F. Swagart, formerly of Heppner, who now resides at Weston with her family, has partially finished a painting of the locally famous Willow Springs fight. The picture was exhibited in State's drug store window at Pendleton during the Fourth, and attracted the attention of many people, especially old settlers. Those who were in the fight say that it is a fairly accurate representation of this bitter struggle with the Indians. The historic corral in the canyon, surrounded on adjacent hill, by hundreds of redskins, is effectively pictured.

We have, at last, assurance of a first-class mail and passenger service on the Heppner-Canyon City stage line. Mr. B. F. Miller, the new proprietor, is an experienced and thorough stage-line man. He has already equipped the route with new covered coaches and good horses, insuring passengers a comfortable and quick trip to and from the railroad. A new time schedule, with distances and fares, has already been issued from the job printing department of the Gazette office. The trip between Canyon City and Heppner will be made in 24 hours, connecting with the trains.

AS SHE TELLS IT.

A Conversation That Was Overheard by the Reporter.

"Well, dear me, I'll tell you just exactly how it happened. We had, O, the loveliest day imaginable, and such a delightful camping spot, where we ate our dinner. Think of it! I cooked two of the largest chickens, and when we had finished their poor little skeletons were all that remained. Besides, sandwiches by the dozen were devoured. The—what do you call it—runaway, kikapu, or what? We had just started down a little knoll. Mr. C. was singing "Only One Girl in the Wide World for Me". We were all screaming—just having a jolly time, when that mean old horse kicked right up in our faces. I was so scared—how ridiculous. Mr. C. called Mr. P. to 'catch them', and, why, I thought he would be killed; he just caught them by the heads, and the mean things, they jumped right at him. Of course, I am so awkward, in trying to get out of the buggy what should I do but go sprawling right in the middle of the road. When those miserable horses saw us, sir, they came jumping right after us, but Mr. C. got between us, and I was sure he would be killed. However, he was not, and the horses got away. Then we began to realize that we were ten miles from home. Mr. — then began to tremble. We just laughed and began our weary homeward march. I had been over the route three times, and as the boys had paid no attention to the fences going out they declared they did not know which way to go. We finally reached two corners that looked just alike, one going up and the other going down. We took the one going down and kept going till we came to a house we never laid eyes on before, when we knew we were four miles on the wrong road. Dear me, that made us tired. We returned 'round, and by that time our laughing had ceased, and we just kept the dust flying till we came in sight of those electric lights. Mr. P. was too tired to say a word. Mr. C. remarked, when he heard the sidewalk, that somebody 'must have left those boards out over night'. I don't mind it a bit. Suppose we had not been able to get out of the carriage, and the horses had run away with us, perhaps we would have all been killed. Mama thought we had been careless enough to let the horses get away in the mountains. That's all."

ATTEMPT AT ARSON.

Desperate Work of a Vicious Convict at Bates.

At 2 o'clock Wednesday evening, July 6, the authorities at the Oregon state penitentiary were somewhat startled by an alarm of fire in the shops of the Northwest Foundry Company.

Investigation showed the shops to have been fired in three different places, but the incipient flames were extinguished instantly by the prompt response of the convict fire squad and the use of the prison apparatus.

There was not the slightest breach of discipline, and the whole affair was but the work of a very few moments.

Superintendent A. N. Gilbert and Warden B. H. Brophy knew pretty well who the incendiary convict is that started the dangerous expedient for getting out of work, but have no definite proof as yet, though steps have been taken to fasten the guilt exactly where it belongs.

This is one of the phases of prison life that come to the men in duration, and that no damage or serious results followed the reckless attempt, speaks plainly for the rigid system of watchfulness and readiness to meet such desperate emergencies, on the part of the prison officials. —Salem Statesman

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