

THE ROSE IN ANCIENT TIMES.

Home and Flowers.

Just as in other things, the Romans followed the example set by the Greeks in the extravagant use of roses. We may truly say that about the middle of the first century Rome had a mania great for roses. The demand became so great at all seasons that the dealers resorted to greenhouse cultivation, with remarkable success, so much so that it was one of the marvels of that time. But florists could not furnish all the roses that were needed, and Egypt was called upon to supply the enormous trade. The warm climate of that country, not unlike that of Georgia, was just suited to bringing roses to perfection. Hundreds of vessels did nothing but carry shiploads of roses from Alexandria and other Egyptian points to southern Italy.

We can hardly imagine how extravagantly these flowers were used. Not being satisfied with merely seeing them, the rich reclined on couches covered with roses, and slept on beds lined with rose petals. Nero, on one state occasion, spent one hundred thousand dollars on roses alone. Cleopatra, in her lavish fancy, covered the floor of one of her halls to a depth of eighteen inches with costly roses, and then threw over them delicate netting. Can one imagine a more unique or costlier carpet?

NATIONAL "CHIVALRY" SCHOOL.

West Point "honor" is strenuous. One of the cadets on the witness stand yesterday regarding the disgraceful hazing of Cadet Boozie, was asked if after he had become an officer, "would you in violation of your oath accept or send a challenge to a duel, fictitious or otherwise?"

This representative of the West Point chivalry that is educated at public expense, and esteems it an honor to brutally beat an unsophisticated freshman cadet who is selected for punishment because he is physically unable to retaliate in kind, made this impudent answer: If the "provocation" occurred in well defined terms, I would not violate my oath, but would resign and send or accept a challenge, in the event that I could not meet and shoot my man on sight.

Who will say that West Point is not in need of reformation?

SUGGESTION TO THE COUNTY COURT.

The washing out of the drift-fender above the Eugene wagon bridge, with the consequent loss of a portion of the bridge approach, was due to faulty plans. When piling are driven in the gravel at places where they may be subjected to a strong current they should be protected by a brush mattress covered with rock.

A small extra outlay in the building of the fender would have saved considerable extra cost, besides the annoyance to the public through obstruction of travel. "An ounce of prevention is worth a pound of cure."

A walk along the county road north of the Eugene bridge discloses the defects of the thoroughfare. The road has been swept clean as a floor by the high water. Where occasional patches were made with crushed rock the road is in excellent condition even the smallest pieces of rock resisting the force of the current through the hold obtained on the roadbed through the impact of travel. The rough gravel road plainly show the traveler why he gets jolted when moving over them in a vehicle. The "rocky road to Dublin" could not be much more uneven.

"We have read thy manuscript," writes the gentle-souled Chinese editor in returning it to the disappointed author, "with delight." "By the bones of our ancestors we swear that never have we encountered such a masterpiece! Should we print it His Majesty, the Emperor, would order us to take it as a criterion and never again to print anything which was not equal to it. As that would not be possible before ten thousand years, all trembling we return thy manuscript and beg of thee ten thousand pardons."

Now here is Oom Paul Kruger, a president without a country, siding to President McKinley's troubles by allowing the statement to gain currency that he will visit the United States if assured of an official reception at the hands of our executive!



THE OUTLOOK

For a woman's happiness in the married state depends less, as a rule, upon the man she is to marry than upon her own health. The woman who enters upon marriage, suffering from womanly weakness, is "heaping up trouble against the day of trouble."

Weak woman are made strong and sick women are made well by the use of Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription. It is the one reliable regulator. It dries enfeebling drains, heals inflammation and ulceration and cures female weakness. It nourishes the nerves and invigorates the entire womanly organism. It makes the baby's advent practically painless, and gives strength to nursing mothers.

I suffered for twelve years with female trouble," writes Mrs. Milton Gorton, of Adair, Adair Co., Iowa, "which brought on other diseases—heart trouble, Bright's disease, nervousness and all times would be nearly paralyzed. Had neuritis of stomach. I can freely say your medicine (now bottles in all five of 'P. M. Dispensaries') four of 'Golden Medical Discovery' and two of Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription, have cured me. I can work with comfort now, but before I would be tired all the time and have a dizzy headache, and my nerves would be all unstrung so I could not sleep. Now I can sleep and do a big day's work, something I had not done for over sixteen years before."

Dr. Pierce's Common Sense Medical Adviser, in paper covers, sent free on receipt of 21 one-cent stamps to pay expense of mailing only. Address Dr. J. C. Pierce, Buffalo, N. Y.

General Stonewall Jackson was a great lover of home and wife. Some letters which he wrote to her have been published in his biography, and simply run over with affection. He addressed her as his "pet," his "darling," his "sunshine" and his "little somebody." He never writes our house, our garden, but "your" house, as though he had no possession in it. Even the pay he drew he called "your" salary.

Great Britain did not launch single battle-ship during the year 1900. Russia is credited with the greatest naval progress during the past year. The rapidity of Russian shipbuilding was one of the features of the year. The armored cruiser Gromobos, a formidable vessel of 12,000 tons which was only laid down at the Baltic works, St Petersburg, in May, 1898, is now enroute to China.

One trust is in trouble. Not content with monopolizing the linseed oil trade the National Linseed Oil Company cut its customers short with seven and one-half pounds to the gallon when it should have given seven and three-fourth pounds. A Chicago court holds that the oil trust is responsible for damages through selling short-weight packages. It will aggregate a large sum.

Kansas, the state of John Brown of Osawatomie, has burned a negro at the stake for the usual crime for which the negro suffers such a dreadful penalty. Ohio and Kansas having burned negroes at the stake so very recently the South will have a respite from the obloquy heaped upon her by mild-mannered northern philanthropists.

A New York City physician says one-sixth of the population of the metropolis has the grippe. A complication of the disease with pneumonia renders it very dangerous in numerous cases. Of course it will come west, but the wire edge will have been worn off by the time it reaches the Pacific.

COLDS

The quickest relief, for a cold, is by Scott's emulsion of cod-liver oil.

We all have colds, you can try it and see. You will find the edge taken off in a night; and, in three or four days, you'll be wondering whether that cold amounted to anything anyhow.

That's relief. If you tackle it quick, the relief is quick and complete, if you wait till the cold is in full possession of head and lung, why, of course, the relief is quick if it comes in a week.

A little emulsion won't clear and restore your whole breathing-machine in a minute; don't be looking for miracles.

We'll send you a bottle to try, if you like. SCOTT & BOWNE, 40 Park Street, New York.

OUR LAWMAKERS.

Corbett and McBride Forces Watching Each Other's Every Move.

REPRESENTATIVE McQUEEN ARREST.

Special Correspondence to Guard.
SALISBURY, Jan. 18.—The present session of Oregon's legislature promises to be a long-remembered one. The senatorial question, the assessment and taxatation measure, and the new road law, when acted upon, will be marking stones in the history of lawmaking in this state. While the economic fever tingles in the veins of the members, few clerks will be employed in the House. However it is a well known fact, that it will be only a matter of a few days, until some change in the line will be made, and more clerks will be employed.

The usual orders for stamps, codes, papers and other supplies have been sent in. The governor's message has been read, and the assembly is now ready for business. Overshadowing all other things, however, stands the senatorial problem. Corbett's friends are watching every move while the McBride forces are equally vigilant.

During the first week of the session a great portion of the members have been kept busy learning routine and preparing bills for introduction later on.

It might be said in passing that the organization of both houses was perfected very easily and quietly, many prophecies to the contrary notwithstanding, and the work of the state is progressing nicely.

Senator Daly, who had the misfortune to dislocate his shoulder, is recovering as rapidly as could be expected.

Representative McQueen, of Lane county, is still detained at home on account of ill health.

Local Market.

January 18, 1901.
Butter—35 to 50c per roll.
Wool—10c.
Poultry—\$3.50 to \$4.50 per dozen.
Dried prunes—3 to 5c.
Flour—75c per sack.
Oats—40c.
Potatoes—60c, cash per 100 lbs.
Eggs—25c.
Wheat—50c.
Hops—12 to 13c.

Strayed

From the old Mulkey place, southwest of Eugene, a black heifer. A little over a year old and in good condition. A suitable reward for information. Leave information at Harbaugh & Kissinger's law office, Eugene.
MRS. BELL GALLUP.

White Star Flour.

We beg to call attention to the fact that we are out of '99 (wet) wheat and are now making our celebrated White Star flour exclusively from the crop of 1900—valley and Rogue River wheat mixed, and are turning out a grade unsurpassed. When ordering ask your grocer for White Star.
WILLIAMS & SHELLEY.

Notice.

Notice is hereby given that I will not be responsible for any bills contracted by any one except myself.
Dated, Jasper, Oregon, Jan. 7, 1901.
ADDIE M. GIBSON.

Sulkey plow for \$30.
F. L. Chambers.

For Sale.

Span of 8-year-old horses. Weight 1400 pounds. Sound and true in every way. Cheap if sold soon. Address: No. 7, Wendling, Lane Co., Ore.

CASTORIA.
The Kind You Have Always Bought
Bears the Signature of Dr. J. C. Pierce.

The Pitt's Lever harrow is all right. They never lose a tooth. F. L. Chambers has them.

DEED.—At Waterville, Lane county, Oregon, Jan. 17, 1901, of messrs. Bertha Potter, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George Potter, aged 6 years and 10 months. Marital at Camp Creek cemetery, Jan. 18 at 10 a. m.

SALOON PURCHASED.—W. Waddle, this afternoon purchased from Ad Reams the Cobweb saloon and has taken possession. Mr. Waddle has leased the rooms from J. B. Coleman, and intends running a first-class house.

WASHED AWAY.—The Bushnell bridge, between Eugene and Coburg bridges was taken away by the flood. It was about a 60 foot foot span, uncovered. It will be replaced as soon as possible.

WANTED.—To trade, a small improved ranch, three miles from railroad station in Lane county, for property in Eugene. Inquire at GUARD office for particulars.

Sale on Organs.

To make room for our new instruments which will arrive direct from the factory early in January, we will sell our entire stock of organs at 10 per cent off until January 1, 1901.

Our organs are not marked at catalogue prices, but are marked in the reach of everyone, ranging from \$40 to \$100.

Any of our instruments sold on easy payments and are warranted by Kohler & Chase, the oldest and largest music house on the Pacific coast. Come in and examine them.

MORRIS & CRAW,
Ninth Street, Eugene, Ore.

A good lantern, 45 cents.
F. L. Chambers.

Stock Farm for Sale.

A first-class stock farm of 1440 acres for sale; 330 acres first-class timber, balance grazing and farming land all well fenced. Well stocked with cattle and goats. Good buildings and well equipped with everything necessary for stock raising and small farming. Land rolling and dry. Will sell the implements, stock, etc. with land if purchaser desires.

Seven miles from railroad and one mile from schoolhouse and postoffice. Address: J. B. Young,
Fall Creek, Lane Co., Or.

Piano Tuning.

As there are many tuners going through the country claiming to be authorized by different houses, we wish to state that M. O. Warner, of Eugene, and no one else, is our authorized tuner and we recommend him to the public.
Eugene, Ore. Dec. 14th, 1900.
MORRIS & CRAW.

Put a broad-cast seeder in the back end of your wagon, and do a good job, and also get rid of one hard job on the farm. F. L. Chambers has them.

Removal Notice.

We have removed our stock of goods from Ninth street to the building formerly occupied by the Eugene Loan & Savings Bank. Customers please take notice.
LOUGHMILLER & PETER.

For Sale.

80 acre tract of land 15 miles west of Eugene in Noti valley. Partly improved. Good spring water good soil and good timber. Near school. Price \$275 cash or \$325 on easy terms. Address: H. F. LANGENOUR, Kiowa Colorado.

500 Cords Fir Wood Wanted.

Bids for furnishing 500 cords body, red, or yellow fir, will be received until Feb. 15th.
Blank forms for bids furnished by Supt. Eugene Electric Light Co.

Wanted.

One team horses to weigh 1400 pounds each. Must be young and trusty. Apply at McMURRY & UHLIO's Blacksmith shop.

Oliver new sulkey plow is the latest invention on wheels. See them at F. L. Chambers.

SIGMA NU FRATERNITY.—Gamma Zeta Chapter of the Sigma Nu Fraternity at the University, has elected the following officers: Commander, Luke L. Goodrich, '01; lieutenant-commander, E. N. Blythe, '02; reporter, C. N. McArthur, '01; recorder, C. A. Redmond, '02; treasurer, C. C. McCormack, '01; sentinel, Fred Ziegler, '02; marshal, Clyde Payne, '03.

BORN.—Jan. 14, 1901, to Mr. and Mrs. N. E. Markley, a daughter.

44 styles of air tight heating stoves to select from.
F. L. Chambers.

FOR SALE.—One span horse, weight about 1200 pounds each, one set harness and two wagons; 5 acres to rent. Call on O. B. Martin, Cartwright place, one mile west of city, or address, Eugene, Oregon.

FOR SALE.—Some thoroughbred Cotswold bucks; also some thoroughbred Durham calves. A. J. Cruzan, Pleasant Hill, Oregon.

Cures Night Colds

How will your cough be tonight? Worse, probably. You can stop it any time. Then stop it tonight. You will cough less and sleep better, and by tomorrow at this time you will be greatly improved.

Ayer's Cherry Pectoral

cures night coughs, day coughs, all kinds of coughs. Help Nature a little and see what she will do for you.

Three sizes: 25c, 50c, \$1.00.

If your druggist cannot supply you, send us \$1.00 and we will express a large bottle to you, all charges prepaid. Be sure and give us your nearest express office.
J. C. AYER & CO., Lowell, Mass.

Special School Meeting.

Notice is hereby given to the legal voters of School District No. 4, of Lane county, state of Oregon, that a special meeting of the said district will be held at the courthouse in Eugene, Oregon, on the 28th day of January, 1901, at 7 o'clock in the afternoon, for the following objects: To levy a tax to pay off the indebtedness of the district and interest thereon to run the public schools for the ensuing year and to consider the matter of building a new school building.

Dated this 16th day of January, 1901.

J. H. McCLUNG,
Chairman Board of Directors.
Attest: GEO. F. CRAW,
District Clerk.

Daily Guard, January 17.

AT THE UNIVERSITY.—The Seminary of Political and Social Science held an interesting meeting in Laureau hall last evening. The principal address was delivered by Ansel Hemenway on the subject of "Trusts," which proved to be quite interesting.

The Laborer is Worthy of His Hire.

But a wage-earner can get more for his personal services if in strong and vigorous health. The blood is the life-giving and strength-making part of the system. If it is pure, all is well; if not, it should be purified with Hood's Sarsaparilla, which makes the weak strong.

Can Eat—"Was tired out, had no appetite until I took Hood's Sarsaparilla. It built me right up and I can eat heartily."
E. J. H. Hager, Athol, Mass.

Hood's Sarsaparilla
Never Disappoints

Hood's Pills cure liver ills, the non-irritating and only cathartic to take with Hood's Sarsaparilla.

A Monster Devil Fish.

Destroying its victim, is a type of constipation. The power of this deadly malady is felt on organs and nerves and muscles and brain. There is no health till its overmastering but Dr. King's New Life Pills are a sure and certain cure. Best in the world for Stomach, Liver, Kidneys and Bowels. Only 25c at W. L. DeLano drug store.

FOR SALE OR TRADE.—One double barrel shot gun, one 1885 Winchester repeating shot gun, both in fine order. Backet Store.

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For Infants and Children.
The Kind You Have Always Bought
Bears the Signature of J. C. Ayer & Co.

J. W. KAYS FURNITURE CO.
FURNISHERS and FUNERAL DIRECTORS

\$5,000 To Move out At Once

DRY GOODS AND SHOES....

For 30 Days Commencing January 17th, 1901.

We will have one of the

GRANDEST SALES

That has ever been on the Coast. Watch this Adv. daily.

Dress Goods Department.

No 1900 fine black crepon, worth \$10.00 pattern now \$7.40
No 1899 worth \$10.00 now 7.55
No 29 a beautiful black worth \$10.00 now 7.90
No 310 black crepon skirt length 4 yds worth \$8.00 now 6.30
No 450 skirt length, 4 yds worth \$14.00, silk and wool now 8.85
No 1596, 6 yds black crepon worth \$21.00, now 13.25

Colored Dress Goods.

A beautiful pattern worth \$10.00 now \$7.70
No 220 worth \$10.00 now 7.65
No 3304 worth \$10.00 now 7.65
We have many other dress goods at bargain that we could not advertise owing to lack of space, which please call for.

Warners Corsets.

H H H, worth \$2.00 now \$1.35
A A A, worth \$1.25 now .95
Style 71 worth \$1.25 now .90
Royal Worcester W C C corset style 210 worth \$1.00 now .70
525 worth \$1.50 now 1.10
475 worth \$1.25 now .95
525 worth \$1.50 now 1.10
We carry Thompson's Glove Fitting corset, also the finest fitting corset on earth is the Flexibone moulded straight front shaped back, which we carry.

Outing Flannels.

Vicuna wrapper goods worth 12 1/2c now .08
Teagel Down worth 12 1/2c now .10
A good outing flannel for 7 cents and a cheap one of 14 yds for \$1.00.

Table Linen.

\$2.00 per yard reduced to \$1.68
1.25 grade 74 in wide .93
1.00 grade 72 in wide .83
.90 grade now .76
.85 grade now .74
.75 grade now .67
.60 grade now .42

Curtains.

\$5.00 Grade now \$4.00
4.00 Grade now 3.15
3.50 Grade now 2.75
3.00 Grade now 2.45
2.50 Grade now 2.00
2.00 Grade now 1.65
1.50 Grade now 1.20
1.25 Grade now .95
These are all 2 1/2 yards in length.

Clothing.

A few suits left of broken sizes we will close out at 25 per cent discount or j. off.
10 per cent discount on Men's wool trousers, Boys' and Youths' suits.

Jackets and Capes.

Less than cost, From \$5.00 to \$17.00 we will give you bargains.
No 555 worth \$3.50 now \$2.47
No 816 worth \$3.00 now 9.00
No 8171 worth \$15.00 now 9.90
This garment is a beautiful serge trimmed with black braid. A bargain.
854 light tan worth \$12.00 now 7.90
We have many others to show you at these bargains.

Dress Skirts.

All silk worth \$10.00 now \$6.90
Satin skirts worth \$8.00 now 5.70
A nice black serge worth \$8.00 now 4.25
A beautiful black serge fancy trimmed with flounce worth \$12.00 now 7.10
A navy blue serge worth \$4.00 now 3.25
Black fancy worth \$3.00 now 2.25

Blankets.

10-4 cotton in white and color .54
Heavy 10-4 colored worth \$1.25 now .93
Wool blankets in all prices very low.
Nice silkline comforts filled with good cotton 1.80

Down Pillows.

20x20 worth \$1.25 now \$1.13
22x22 worth \$1.50 now 1.23

Floss Pillows.

22x22 worth 65c now .50
18x18 Floss Pillow worth 35c now 26

Furs and Collarets.

Big slaughter, they must go. prices from \$2.50 to \$13.50
Less than cost. We will give you in the store.

Ladies all silk hose supporters.

worth 40 cents
These hose supporter are velvet grip. We have all styles in stock. .25

Shoes

\$6.00 Reduced to \$4.50
5.00 reduced to 3.75
4.00 reduced to 3.10
3.50 reduced to 2.70
3.00 reduced to 2.45
2.50 reduced to 2.10
2.00 reduced to 1.60
This includes our celebrated E. P. Red Shoe.
15 Per Cent Discount on all Children's Shoes

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