



TIRED AND WORN OUT.

Women Need

a constant supply of blood-making material or their systems will break down. The complicated female organism is so delicately adjusted as to be easily thrown out of balance. As a result, health and strength are affected by divers diseases. Motherhood, family, society all levy such drains upon her strength that most women break under the nervous tension. The demands upon her nervous strength are much greater than similar demands of the opposite sex. Hence she must be supplied in greater measure with the element—iron—that gives strength. The reason women feel tired and worn out and suffer from headaches, pains in the back and limbs, etc., is because they have used up their supply of iron. Menstruation trouble is largely caused by lack of iron.

Dr. Harter's Iron Tonic

applies this element. It enriches the blood and restores what strain has used up. August, Ark., May 10, 1901. "After having sold Dr. Harter's remedies for thirty years I can cheerfully recommend them. I might add that I hold in special favor Dr. Harter's Iron Tonic, and would recommend it as the very best preparation of iron I am acquainted with. To weak, worn-out women, and those troubled with nervousness, poor digestion, and pale, thin blood, I believe it to be a panacea. "J. B. WILKINSON, Druggist."

IF YOU ARE...

LOOKING

for useful and acceptable Christmas presents I will pay you to look at the SHOES and SLIPPERS we are showing.

YORAN'S Shoe Store

Pointers for Bargains

Good boys' wagons for good boys, all sizes at Chambers Hardware. Two good second hand sewing machines for sale at the Racket Store. Several snags in almost new bicycles at Chambers Hardware.

All stoves have advanced again but as long as the stock last it yours at the same old price at Chambers Hardware. Going fast—wall paper at Preston & Hales.

Your hens are moulted. Prussian Poultry Food will help them. Preston & Hales. 450 heating stoves to select from. We can fit anybody's place. Chambers Hardware.

Ask Preston & Hales about their waxed paints, \$1.10 per gallon. Get a cider mill and indulge in a good healthy cup. Chambers Hardware has the Buckeye. Four new drop head sewing machines, just received—prices are right Racket Store.

Card of Thanks.

We desire to extend our heartfelt thanks to the kind neighbors and friends who so kindly assisted us during the illness and death of our mother and sister, Mrs E. Cummins. (MRS C. F. HUBBERT, MRS R. F. BAKER.)

Ashland's labor unions have nominated a full city ticket. Dec 16 is city election day.

At Hillsboro the other day District Attorney E. B. Tongue called lawyer Bump a liar and thereupon lawyer Bump was about to thump Attorney Tongue when the sheriff interfered. The judge fined both lawyers \$10 for contempt of court.

Closing Out

As I expect to devote considerable time to Mining I have determined to close out our immense line of Holiday Goods this season and have marked the entire line very close.

Open Every Evening
AX BILLY Department Store...

NOTES FROM THE COURTHOUSE

REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS. Fred W. Bloomfield to Edwin Johnson 1st lot in 169 acres in tp 18 s r 8 w, \$375.

John L. Lagan to E. B. Martin lot 6 blk 3 Whitesaker's ad to Eugene, \$420. D. A. and Belle Payne to Cornelia A. B. Beck lot 5 blk 2 Edsworth's section ad to Eugene, \$1.

Land M. A. Nelson to Mrs. Emma Abbott lot 2 blk 1 D. G. McFarland's 2nd ad to Cottage Grove, \$765.

Trustees of Cottage Grove I. O. O. F. Lodge to Mrs. Susie E. Abbott 1/2 of lot 14 I. O. O. F. cemetery, \$5.

Jasper and C. A. Wilkins to C. M. Young land in lot 16 s r 4 w, \$2500. Manie D. and Mary Lucia Bissell to M. S. Barker 160 acres in tp 18 s r 1 e, \$400.

Irene C. Brownson to Clarence Thompson 160 acres in tp 16 s r 2 e, \$200.

J. N. and Nora Hixson to L. E. and E. C. Lehart land in Springfield Investment and Power Co's ad to Springfield, \$200.

Earl H. Church to Lee M. Travis 1/2 lot in 160 acres in tp 17 s r 3 e, \$600. Elizabeth N. Thompson to M. S. Barker land in Eugene, \$250.

U. S. to Irene Brownson 160 acres in tp 16 s r 2 e, patent. J. P. and W. C. Carrin to Henry O. Dutton 1/2 lot in lot 3 and 1/2 of lot 2 blk 1 Perkins' ad to Cottage Grove, \$75.

J. P. and Catherine A. Perkins, executors of the estate of J. H. Perkins deceased, 1/2 lot in lot 3 and 1/2 of lot 2 blk 1 Perkins' ad to Cottage Grove, \$75. Adah L. Nesbitt et al to Eugene Lumber Co 1/4 acres in Eugene, \$725.

PROBATE MATTERS. Estate of George Petty, deceased. Malinda F. Petty and Riley Petty appointed executrix and executor. Value of estate \$400.

Estate of O. W. Ewer, deceased, G. F. Skipworth administrator. Order final settlement.

Estate of R. J. Forbes, deceased, Adrien Piquet appointed administrator. Wm. Durree, Sol Evans and Richard Hileman appointed appraisers.

W. T. Bailey, admr estate of Patrick McEuros, to W. E. Brown 119.74 acres in tp 17 s r 9 w, \$700.

CIRCUIT COURT. Benjamin H. Parker vs Daniel B. Leathers, to recover money. E. O. Potter attorney for plaintiff.

PROOF OF LABOR. Wm. Law and Israel Meyer file proof of labor on Idaho claim in Blue River district.

Clarence Thompson files proof of labor on Yellow Rose claim in Blue River district.

C. M. Young files proof of labor on Yankee Girl claim in Blue River district.

W. W. Cochran files proof of labor on Andrew Jackson claim in Bohemia district.

MARRIAGE LICENSE. J. A. McCumber and Abby J. Taylor, S. B. Strawn, witness.

Letter List. Remaining in the postoffice at Eugene, Ore., Dec 10, 1902: Abel, Miss Mary.

Baker, Miss Annie. Bryant, Fred M. Bradley, J. T. Byers, Ed.

Borough, Mrs. Jerome. Cooper, Miss Manda. Cramer, R. M. Davis, Lawrence.

Daglan, Mrs. Mary. Engstrom, George. Fifield, M. Gange, Lottie.

Klugan, Wm. King, Wm. Leonard, Miss Jennie, (2) Lutz, Geo.

Lynes, Thos. A. Miller, Ethel M. Miller, H. S. March, L. B. Morris, Herbert.

Norton, L. R. Osborn, Andrew. O'Brien, Kimer. Plymate, Maurice E. Reese, Mr.

Romine, J. W. Thompson, Frank. West, Mrs. Mary L. Wiles, Elwood. Wyoll, P. J.

When calling for the above please state when advertised. One cent will be charged on each. H. F. MCCORMACK, P. M.

A NEW BUSINESS BUILDING

W. Sanders Will Conduct A General Produce House.

W. Sanders, the well known capitalist and wool and chittum bark buyer, will at once begin the erection of a new business building on the lot recently purchased from I. E. Stevens at West Eighth and Charleston streets. It will be a frame building, 30x50 feet in dimensions and one story high. Mr. Sanders will conduct a general produce business in the new structure. West Eighth street is rapidly forging to the front as a business center.

Barrett Turned Down.

WASHINGTON, Dec 11.—Japanese Minister Kogoro Takahira, diplomatically but firmly intimates that the appointment of John Barrett as minister to Japan would not be pleasing as that of some other man. No formal protest was filed against Barrett's appointment, but the statements of the Japanese minister were such as to leave no room for doubt as to the desirability of his home government. It is stated that the chief objection to him is on account of the lack of the dignity and poise of character which the punctilious Japanese attach to the representatives of foreign governments at home and abroad.

Newspaper at Springfield.

It is said that our neighboring city of Springfield is to have a newspaper in the near future. Fred M. Woods, the principal promoter of the enterprise, has been interviewing the business men of that place to see what encouragement is given him, and it is said he has been in Portland making arrangements to buy a plant. Aside from the liberal patronage that would be given by the Springfield people, the new paper no doubt will get a share of the timber land notices, which alone is the main support of many papers in Oregon.

Southern Oregon Tour.

Arthur Louis Frazier, the accomplished piano genius of the University School of Music, left this morning for Southern Oregon on his concert tour, the second of the kind he has attempted. He plays at Roseburg tonight and later at Medford, Grants Pass and Ashland. He is well known all over the southern part of the state, as he has always accompanied the Glee Club on their tours and aside from that he made an independent concert tour last winter. Mr. Frazier is an artist who is quite successful in his line and Eugene gladly claims him.

Profane Language.

St. Jones has again fallen into the toils of the law and has also extricated himself by jumping his bonds. He was arrested last night on a charge of violating the 95th city ordinance, a law against vulgar and profane language being used in a public place. He was put under bonds in the amount of \$1000 today before the recorder, but he failed to show up. The recorder has ordered that he be jailed upon his first re-appearance in the city. He has become a general nuisance with his vile words about town. He also has threatened to punch the faces of the entire guard force should anything more be printed about him. This marks a crusade in the police department against loud and indecent talk which on occasions is heard while passing along the streets—a commendable movement on the part of the officers.

Operation Performed.

The condition of Miss Claire Dunn, who was operated upon last evening for appendicitis by Drs. Payne & Kaykendell, continues without change. She is very low, but hopes are entertained of an early rally under careful treatment. The operation was attended with success from a medical standpoint and it is likely that the patient will rapidly improve. She is a popular student of the High School.

MILLION DOLLAR COMPANY

The Big Four Gold Mining Company Incorporated.

Will Operate in the Blue River District—Well Known Eugene People Are the Incorporators.

The Big Four Gold Mining Co. filed articles of incorporation with County Clerk E. U. Lee yesterday afternoon. The incorporators given in the articles are T. N. Segar, J. E. Segar and Charles A. Hardy, the latter being the company's attorney. The principal office and place of business is Eugene and the capital stock is given at \$1,000,000, divided into a million shares at \$1 per share. The shares are non-assessable. The business of the company is to own, acquire, hold, lease, work and operate mines of gold, silver, copper, lead and other valuable metals, and bodies of ore bearing such metals, and to mine, buy, sell, acquire and dispose of ore containing such metals, and to mill, reduce, smelt and convert such ores; to acquire, own, use and dispose of water rights, mill sites and mills necessary to the treatment of such ores and other containing such metals; to own, acquire, hold, work, operate, dispose of and develop mining locations and claims and to do all things incident to such business and occupation as above stated.

OWNS RICH PROPERTIES.

Mr. Hardy was asked about the new company by a GUARD reporter today. He said that the company now owns a group of four valuable claims known as the Yellow Jacket group in the Blue River district. The group is situated on Blue River and is near the Blue River falls which the company controls, thus having splendid water power for quartz mills which it is the intention of the company to build in the not far future. Enough development work has been done on the Yellow Jacket claims to show very rich ore. One of the owners of the famous Lucky Boy mine the other day told the GUARD that samples of ore he saw from these claims were some of the finest ever seen in the district. Mr. Hardy said that it was the intention of the company to push work good and strong in the properties next summer and in time erect mills. It is said the local people are backed by heavy capitalists who will spare no expense in converting the Yellow Jacket claims into paying properties.

CRESWELL NEWS.

Personal and General News From That Lively Town.

Guard Special Service. CRESWELL, Dec 10.—So little wheat has been raised in this section of country that the Creswell mill has been forced to ship in wheat from Eastern Oregon.

"Seniors" course has returned from Washington. It seems that he cannot remain long away from Creswell.

Grandpa Howe has been very seriously ill for several days. It is to be hoped that he will speedily recover his wonted health.

Bob McAllister is looking for a cook. Now, girls, here is a chance for some one of you to be taken in out of the weather.

Mr. Clark has been chosen school clerk by the board of directors in place of Mr. McDowell who will remove from Creswell shortly.

A Mr. McKay arrived Saturday with his family from Idaho. He expects to make his residence in Creswell.

Wm. Berk and Miss Ethel Forest, of Cottage Grove, called on friends in Creswell Sunday.

There will be a two weeks' vacation of the public school during the holidays.

Rev. J. C. Richardson, of Eugene, occupied the pulpit in the Baptist church Saturday evening and Sunday at 11 o'clock.

Both of Creswell's enterprising merchants, Mr. Hazleton and Mr. Weber, have quite a nice line of holiday goods which give their stores quite a metropolitan appearance.

Misses Adams and Ribbey visited at Eugene Saturday and Sunday.

Frank Swin, of Nebraska, who has been visiting relatives at this place since August, started for his home Sunday.

Dr. Scarborough has just completed packing something like a hundred hogs. They will make a fine lot of bacon which is much better than the average Eastern article.

Mr. Bennett has traded his town property for George Smith's place near Lynx Hollow. They have already exchanged residences.

MORE ELECTION OF LODGE OFFICERS.

Fraternal Order of Eagles and Native Daughters Elected Last Night.

Daily Guard Dec 11. Eugene Eagle No. 275, Fraternal Order of Eagles, elected new officers last night at their regular meeting as follows: L. M. Travis, president. O. L. Parsons, vice president. Jos. Pironi, secretary. J. J. Rude, treasurer. Clem. Hiss, chaplain. John Whitrow, conductor. Ray Littlefield, inside guardian. A. E. Bishop, outside guardian. J. L. Lombard, L. N. Roney and C. J. Barjile, trustees.

NATIVE DAUGHTERS.

Martha Mulligan Cabie, Native Daughters of Oregon, is the latest lodge to elect new officers. The meeting was last night and the new officers elected are as follows: Mrs. M. E. Preston, past president. Miss Anna Whiteker, president. Mrs. C. W. Lowe, 1st vice-president. Mrs. Kate Kelly, 2nd vice-president. Mrs. Ada Hammond, 3rd vice-president. Miss Fannie Milleson, recording secretary. Mrs. Hattie Spencer, financial secretary. Miss Fannie Hemenway, treasurer. Miss Grace Edmundson, marsh.

SOCIAL REALM.

Daily Guard Dec 11. Last evening Dean Mrs. and E. C. Sanderson entertained about seventy-five guests at their home, East Twelfth and Alder streets, a reception tendered in honor of the Divinity School students, officers of the Christian church and other friends. The usual diversions of conversation and other amusements constituted a very pleasant evening. Miss Lizzie Knox and Mrs. G. L. Lobdel sang vocal solos during the evening. The refreshments were daintily served by young ladies.

The second event for the winter season of the Pastime Club passed off last evening with the interest aroused at the beginning of the year unabated. The Armory club parlors, as usual, were the scene of the struggle for points in which Mrs. O. E. Roberts and Mrs. Geo. W. Smith took the prizes, big and little. The club entertained Dr. and Mrs. C. W. Lowe, Mrs. Joe Hoffman and F. L. Chambers.

Last evening was a red letter event for the local Independent Order of Odd Fellows. The visit of the Grand, Patriarch P. W. Stewart, of Portland and Past Grand Patriarch and a few other members from nearby lodges made the event worthy of the ceremonies gone through with. The banquet, prepared by the Dana Brothers of the Bonboniere, was the feature of the evening and was greatly enjoyed. A large number of candidates took the degree of admission to the Encampment.

The Thimble Club membership departed from the usual afternoon meetings last evening, yesterday being the occasion of the birthday of one of the most popular members, Mrs. Claire E. Willoughby, and surprised that lady with a friendly gathering at her home, corner of East Eighth and Pearl street. Every one was delighted with the evening passed.

Pleasant Hill News.

Guard Special Service. PLEASANT HILL, Dec 10.—Thanksgiving was observed here in the usual way. Services were held in the morning and in the evening the young people were royally entertained by Mr. and Mrs. Hurd at their home.

At the recent school election (special) P. L. Bristol and Wm. Ruth were elected directors to succeed Renwick and Callison, moved away.

Mrs. James Ebbert, of Springfield, visited friends and relatives here several days last week.

The Sunday school will have a Christmas tree this year, the first for several years.

The church choir is receiving many compliments lately. With a No. 1 organ and organist and a number of trained singers, our church music is far above the average.

Ellis Callison and family left Thursday for Portland where they will reside for a time.

Miss Clyde Parks is teaching in the Edenville district this week in the absence of the regular teacher.

Miss Ora Reed who has been at home the past two weeks has returned to her school in Eugene.

Miss Alice Swift is home from Klamath county where she has been teaching for several months. Misses Kate and Edith Wilson spent their Thanksgiving vacation with friends here.

The smallpox scare has reached this place but one case has so far developed. We hope it will soon pass.

Jefferson Review: A man who has been taking this paper for four years without paying for it, failed to get the last copy and notified us that "if it occurred again he would stop the infernal rag." That's nerve.

PRISONERS RELEASED

Castro Sets British and Germans Arrested at Liberty.

Survivors of Mid-Ocean Wreck Rescued—Mad Mullah Killed By a Spear Thrust.

ADEN, Arabia, Dec 11.—A dispatch from Somaliland states that reports have been received and are current there that Mad Mullah is dead through assassination.

The report goes that a follower killed him with a spear thrust as he was engaged in his prayers.

Allies Get Some Fighting. LONDON, Dec 11.—Private information which is considered entirely trustworthy has been received here that the English and German allies landed a force of blue-jackets and marines from the warships at La Guayra this morning.

The marines were fired upon as they marched through the streets and desultory street fighting resulted.

Charlemagne on Hand.

BERLIN, Dec 11.—Charlemagne Tower, transferred from St. Petersburg to Berlin as ambassador to Germany, arrived here this morning from his late Russian post to succeed Ambassador Andrew D. White.

Carnegie Back Home.

NEW YORK, Dec 11.—Andrew Carnegie and family were passengers on the steamship Oceanic which arrived here this morning. Mr. Carnegie had been absent for several months at his large landed estate in Scotland.

Shipwrecked Sailors Rescued.

NEW YORK, Dec 11.—The Atlantic liner steamer Oceanic arrived here this morning after an exceptionally rough and stormy passage. She had aboard the survivors of a sailing schooner whom she picked up in mid-ocean.

Castro Releases Anglo-Germans.

WASHINGTON, Dec 11.—The State department is in receipt of a cablegram this morning from Minister Bowen at Caracas, Venezuela, under date of yesterday, giving the information that President Castro had released the British and German citizens whom he had placed under arrest.

OREGON BOYS IN THE EAST

Equally Proficient in Books and Athletics—Webfooters Who Have Done Well.

It has been a well known and very gratifying fact that many of the Oregon boys who go East to college acquire themselves with credit in their school work and graduate at the head of their classes, says an Albany paper. Until recently they have not made much showing in the East as athletes or on the gridiron. This year several Oregon boys have been heard from on the football field. At least five Oregon boys have been heard from among Eastern colleges as football players.

Dick Smith, formerly of U. O., of Klamath Falls, is with Columbia University, New York, and is the crack half-back of the eleven of that great school, and is one of the best men on the team. Young Rockwell, of Portland, is quarter with the Yale team, and of grants Pass, plays half with the Ann Arbor, Mich. team, and is equal to many men on the team. Tom Hammond, of Medford, also formerly of U. O., is tackle on the army team at West Point, and did great work in the Army-Navy team in Philadelphia last week in the big annual game. Ralph Knapp, of Linn county, has played center and guard for Chicago University this year and has been a tower of strength. Knapp formerly lived in Albany, where he was engaged in newspaper work on the Silver Imprint. He is a large, muscular man, weighing more than 200 pounds. Oregon has made an excellent showing, even on the gridiron.

ANDERSON DISCHARGED.

Lack of Evidence for a Grand Jury Indictment.

H. H. Anderson who was arrested here Dec 2 on a charge of perjury in wearing to his next court claim by United States Marshal Jacob Probstel, was this afternoon discharged on account of a lack of evidence to justify being indicted by the grand jury. The trial came before U. S. Land Commissioner J. J. Walton who listened to the charge and the evidence. He had been held under \$500 bonds since his arrest. U. S. Attorney John Hall prosecuted the case and Anderson was defended by T. S. Potter, of Portland.

Funeral.

Daily Guard, Dec 11. The funeral of Mrs. E. Cummins took place this afternoon at 2:30 o'clock from the Christian church where a large number of friends of the family in Eugene and of Junction City gathered to pay their last respects to one whom they esteemed for all the qualities fine womanhood. Dean E. C. Sanderson, assisted by Rev. G. L. Lobdel officiated. The Degree of Honor was represented at the obsequies and many beautiful floral pieces were offered as tokens of the esteem with which the deceased was honored. Interment was made in I. O. O. F. cemetery.

Junction Boy in Trouble.

SALEM, Or., Dec 11.—C. W. Bennington, an 18-year-old boy, who says his home is at Junction City has been held to appear in the circuit court to answer a charge of burglarizing a store at Turner, Sunday.

Born.

At Yonah's this morning to Mr. and Mrs. Fred Applegate a 10-pound son.

CHAMBERS HARDWARE.

See Oliver's New Gang, and all sizes and shapes of Walking Plows.

The 40 Walking, The 40 Sulky, The Oliver Steel Plow,

are all known to be adapted to this soil. You can get Oliver extras when you need them. Also all other kinds.

Farm Implements. New Stock Furniture.