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The usual symptoms of Scrofula are enlarged glands of the neck, sores and ulcers on the body, skin affections, catarrhal troubles, weak eyes, and general poor health. The inherited poison, transmitted through the blood, pollutes and weakens this fluid, and in place of its nutritive quality fills the circulation with scrofulous matter, which saps the vitality of the entire system. Thousands of children, born with a scrofulous taint, have spent their childhood in constant physical suffering, and grown to manhood or womanhood handicapped by ill health and stunted growth, and perhaps later some disease of the bones or joints developed. S. S. S., given in their early life, would have prevented this. It would have cleansed and assisted each to grow into strong, healthful manhood their systems, and assisted each to grow into strong, healthful manhood their systems, and assisted each to grow into strong, healthful manhood their systems.

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WORK BEGINS ON NEW CATHOLIC ACADEMY

The work of excavating for the basement of the new Catholic academy, mentioned in The Guard a few days ago, was begun this morning. The plans for the new building, a frame structure 50x50 feet in dimensions, two stories high with a full basement. It will occupy the site of the present academy building, which will be moved to the rear portion of the lot and will probably be used by the Sisters as a home at some future date. The new academy building will contain four large class rooms and will be modernly equipped.

A twelve-foot eam. at sidewalk in front of the academy grounds and in front of St. Mary's church will also be built.

ELMIRA ITEMS.

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The lagrippe has been visiting these parts lately and proves to be in respecter of persons.

The new butcher shop seems to be doing a good business.

Rev. Whipple of Carlton, has been called by the Christian church to be their pastor and will move here and take charge of the church here this Sunday in June.

Mr. and Mrs. Walters, of Bellfountain, Or., are visiting Mr. Fred Walters of this city.

Mr. Bradford is almost ready to begin burning his kiln of brick.

Martin Grimley has bought himself an automobile. Look out girls!

Doris Hale spent Sunday with his parents at Hale.

ALMA ITEMS.

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Alma, May 10.—Everyone is enjoying the Oregon mist.

Mrs. Kate Ross, of Elmira, paid Mrs. Luce a visit last week.

Bert Aliegar made a short call at the postoffice one day last week.

Everyone who attended the dance at Mound reports a good time.

Roy Bice passed through here a few days ago.

Mrs. Ethel Sallee and little son were visitors in Alma last Monday.

Miss Grace Luce is on the sick list.

Our mail carrier has the chicken pox, but is able to carry the mail.

Mr. Leopold is expecting the arrival of John Mohler, of Prineville, in a few days.

George Luce has been transferring some of his stock from his ranch on Emmond creek to Alma, with the assistance of "Major," the dog.

If any of the farmers have hopes to sell, call on Bert Aliegar of Alma, or if you have any oxen to break to ride, call on Jay Johnson, of Mound.

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CELEBRATION

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IN EUGENE

The Eugene merchants are going to duplicate the success of last year's Fourth of July celebration this year. If present plans are carried out, a meeting of the Merchants' Protective Association will be held next Monday night at which time the matter of a celebration will be taken up and preliminary arrangements made.

According to a plan discussed by a number of the members of the association, a race meet will be held at the new fair grounds on Saturday, July 3, and the celebration proper will be held on Monday, July 5. Open air religious services with sacred music by the band is talked of for Sunday, the 4th.

Such a celebration, properly gotten up, would be a good drawing card, and the proposition will meet with a hearty response by every business man in the city.

Salem Will Not Celebrate.

It looks now as though Salem would have no celebration July 4 on account of the cherry fair, which comes a week after that date and holds three days, says the Journal. This being true, Salem is ready to put on its best bib and tucker and go on a little flirtatious visit to the neighboring towns. Being a demure little maiden she of course cannot make any advances, but she is ready to put her fingers in her mouth, giggle and say "this is so sudden" should Eugene, Albany or some of the big thrifty boys down or up the valley give her an invitation. It is time, anyway, that the towns in the valley get together, get acquainted and travel hand in hand down the primrose path of prosperity that is awaiting their feet. Don't all speak at once, boys, but just remember that Salem is better than she looks, and just at present she looks like a good sized slice of the Garden of Eden that had jumped over the wall in order to get room to blossom in.

Several of the young people spent Sunday afternoon at Mr. and Mrs. Dan Holm's. They report a very pleasant time.

Misses Minnie Wooten and Goldie Jacobs spent the evening at Mr. Rankin's last Friday evening, but Uncle Dudley had gone to Springfield, where he is employed as pitcher in the baseball team.

A very interesting baseball game was played at Pleasant Hill Saturday between P. H. and Dexter. Uncle John Rankin pitched for Pleasant Hill. Of course his side won.

Martha Derring and Jewel Lord spent Wednesday night with their teacher, Miss Parks, of Cloverdale.

J. L. Beaver.

Miss Verna Swarzer spent the day with Miss Arzalar Wilhelm Sunday.

Mrs. Beaver, Mrs. Rankin, Nannie Wooten and Verna Swarzer were visitors at the P. H. High school last Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. P. M. Lord made a flying trip to Eugene and Springfield Saturday, returning Sunday.

Everyone was glad to see the rain, but we are afraid some will be complaining before long.

Mrs. Will James and family of Trent visited at Uncle Billie Wooten's Sunday.

Come one, come all! the great, the small, the fat, the lean, to the carnival given by the schools at Pleasant Hill Saturday, May 16 at 8 p. m.

After a quiet disappearance from Green Bay, regarded by his friends as an elopement to avoid undesired publicity, Charles Whitney, an uncle of President Taft, was married to Escanaba, Wis. yesterday.

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MEMORIAL DAY TO BE OBSERVED AT COTTAGE GROVE

Decorations Day falls on Sunday this year. The Grand Army has issued orders that Monday, the 31st be observed and this will be the mode of procedure throughout the United States. Sunday, May 30th, will be Memorial Sunday and the event will be approximately observed by Appomattox Post No. 34, G. A. R. and their friends in this city. Services will be held in the Presbyterian church at 11 o'clock, Rev. Seldon Adams preaching the memorial sermon. On Monday, Decoration Day services will be held at the cemetery and the following program will be observed. Procession will start from the corner of Fourth and Main streets at 9 o'clock a. m., returning at noon. The afternoon program will be given at the M. E. church at 2 o'clock, consisting of an oration by Rev. Nickle, followed by music and short speeches by others.

SKETCH OF LIFE OF TIMOTHY GOODRICH

Timothy Goodrich, a respected pioneer of Oregon, died at his home in this city Monday at 5:30 p. m., after a illness of several months. Mr. Goodrich was born in Athens county, Ohio, March 10, 1837. He was married in his native state in 1855, to Rosa Ann Knight, and in 1862, with his family crossed the plains to Oregon, settling in Marion county, eight miles north of Salem. In 1879 Mr. Goodrich moved to Yamhill county, where he acquired and owned at the time of his death one of the choicest farms. Last fall he came to Portland to live for the purpose of securing medical treatment. In the earlier years of his life, Mr. Goodrich took an active interest in politics, being identified with the Democratic party. Besides a widow he is survived by several children, I. C. and B. B. Goodrich, residing at Yamhill; Mrs. Mary Peedy, Mrs. Minnie Ireland and Morris M., residing in Portland, and Luke L. and Ray Goodrich, residing in Eugene. The remains will be taken to the old home in Yamhill this morning.—Oregonian.

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There was another advance of 25c in the price of lambs in the local yards, a sale of extra select A's being made at \$5.50, comparing with \$5.25 the previous high mark. The market for lambs of ordinary quality is showing no change, poor quality selling down to \$5, with ordinary stuff ranging up to \$5.25.

The sheep market in general is rather steady and while there is no real weakness noted in the yards for any quality, much the best demand and price is obtainable for properly fad stuff.

The following is the general range of values on stock running in the yards for late shipments:

Hogs—Best east of mountains, \$7.50; 7.75; good, 7.25 to 7.50; fancy, 7.50; mixed, \$6.75 to 7.25; \$5.50; stockers, \$6.75 to 7.

Cattle—Best steers, weighing 1200 pounds, \$5.56 to 5.75; medium steers, \$5.25 to 5.40; poor steers, \$5.25; best cows, \$4.50; medium cows, \$4.25; bulls, \$2.50 to 3.50.

Sheep, shorn—Best wethers, \$4.50; spring lambs, \$5 to 5.50; straight ewes, \$3.50 to 4; mixed lots, \$4 to 4.25.

Calves—Light, \$5.50; heavy, \$5.

Wm. Aiden Smith, United States senator from Michigan, is 50 years old today. He was raised on a farm, saved his money and studied law, and finally made a fortune building small railroads, which he afterward sold, in the Michigan timber belt.

CHILDREN WHO ARE SICKLY

Mothers who value their own comfort and the welfare of their children, should never be without a box of Mother Gray's Sweet Powders for Children, for use throughout the season. They Break up Colds, cure Feverishness, Constipation, Teething Disorders, Headache and Stomach Troubles. THESE POWDERS NEVER FAIL. Sold by all drug stores, 25c. Don't accept any substitute. A trial package will be sent FREE to any mother who will address Aileen S. Olmsted, Le Roy, N. Y.

CELEBRATE THE FOURTH OF JULY AT SPRINGFIELD

Everybody promises to help make the eagle scream at Springfield on July 4, and judging from those who have the big celebration in charge it will be the biggest day that we have ever known in the fast growing little city. The Commercial club and the auxiliary have taken the matter in charge and will work together to celebrate the day in the most approved and appropriate manner. The entertainment for the day has not been mapped out yet but committees will soon be appointed for the different lines of entertainment and also to provide for the necessary amount of money that will be needed to make the day a grand success.

Business Manager.

The grocery firm of Mersdorf, Wolfe & Co. has changed hands this week, the new proprietors being J. W. Carman and E. O. Knowles. The senior member of the firm comes from Florence where he has been engaged in business for some time. He formerly owned and ran a store in East Portland. Mr. Knowles is now engaged in business in Eugene and is well known throughout the county. Miss Alice Weatherston of Eugene will hold a position in the store as will also I. D. Larimer, who we understand, will be general manager.

ALVIE PRICHARD, FROM EUGENE WAS LOCKED IN LYON'S LODGING QUARTERS FOR A SHORT TIME SUNDAY EVENING, BUT SUCCEEDED IN MAKING HIS GETAWAY BY BREAKING DOWN THE DOOR. THE CONSTABLE MADE A TRIP TO EUGENE MONDAY MORNING, BUT HIS MAN WAS MISSING AND HAS NOT SINCE BEEN HEARD FROM.

A nice little flag will be taxed up against him, if he returns to Springfield. He will probably get the limit unless the recorder's heart falls him when he comes to give sentence.

Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Serfling were over from Eugene Sunday for a few hours visit. They are now residing at the county seat, where Mr. Serfling is in the employ of Uncle Sam as an assistant postmaster.

Perkins & Machen have purchased the retail meat market at Wendling and Pratt Holverson went up Monday to take charge.—News.

PATTEN RETURNS TO BULL WHEAT.

Trinidad, May 8.—Refreshed by two week's hunting and fishing on the low Mesa de las Animas, Patten, the Chicago wheat operator is now speeding today to Chicago over the Santa Fe railroad. What action he will take in the wheat market is not intimated in any of his conversation with newspapermen. Considerable excitement prevails in the board of trade circles, because of the belief that Patten will make some sharp moves in the speculation game.

12.—The movement of California grass cattle has started in this direction and a number of cars came in this morning for a local packer, but were loan