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PORTIA'S PAPA SAID NAY.

Napoleon Bonaparte Knight Cabled His Favorite Daughter not to Accept the Pauper Prince.

San Francisco Chronicle.]

There is at least one American papa whose head was not turned by the proposal of a foreign nobleman for the hand of his favorite daughter. The man who bears that distinction is Colonel Napoleon B. Knight, a prominent attorney of Baker City, Or., and father of Portia Knight, the American actress, whose suit against the Duke of Manchester for breach of promise has excited the interest of two continents.

When, early in the winter of 1900, Portia Knight cabled her father from London, "The Duke of Manchester has asked me to marry him; shall I accept?" the clear-brained lawyer promptly replied, "No; don't marry a penniless Duke; you'll have to support him." The glamors of titles and nobility failed to befog his judgement when against them were weighed mortgaged estates and crops of wild oats. Whether Portia Knight took her old fathers advice and refused the importunate aristocrat is a queston which only the English courts can decide.

Mrs. P. H. Dawson, an aunt of the actress and a resident of San Francisco for many years, spoke very freely yesterday regarding some of the things that had been published in regard to her niece since the suit against Papa Zimmerman's son-in-law had been instituted.

"We were all very much astonished when we saw in the papers that she had brought suit against the Duke of Manchester. She had often spoke of him in her letters to her grandmother, Mrs. John F. Miller, but we thought from the tone of them that she did not consider him. The first time she wrote of him was shortly after she arrived in London, which was in September of 1897. In a letter to her grandmother she said:

"Here is a bit of gossip that may interest you. The Duke of Manchester has fallen in love with me and all London is wondering what will be the result. I do not know myself.' It was not long afterward when she cabled her father about the matter and he advised her to refuse the Duke. In the letters succeeding this she never said positively whether she had either accepted or refused Manchester. In one letter she gave as an excuse for dallying with his lordship: 'I don't think I'm quite ready to marry yet—at least I have not made up my mind.' In still other letters Portia told her grandmother that the Duke was pressing his suit very hard and seemed terribly in love with her, but that she didn't care to burden herself with a penniless man."

On March 11th Mrs. Dawson received a letter from her sister in Salem, Or., in which her sister wrote: We received a letter from Portia a few days ago in which she said: 'Well I suppose you have read of Manchester's marriage. Yes, he's got a wife, but no money to support her. He'd have to have lots more money to marry me."

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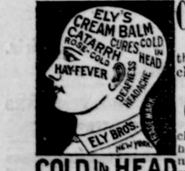

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LETTER FROM PELICAN BAY.

Several Interesting Bits of Winter News From the Famous Summer Resort.

Mrs. Phil. Loosely of Ft. Klamath has been very seriously afflicted for some time. Her friends seem now to have hopes of her recovery.

Mr. and Mrs. Spence of Rock Creek, have returned home after a long visit in Medford. Their lengthy stay was the result of the great snow storm here in January.

The ice in Klamath lake is now most all gone and Louis Dennis came down from Pelican bay, March 12th, with his steamboat, the "Oregon." The distance is about 25 miles by boat and he usually makes the run in about four hours. This makes his first trip since last fall.

W. T. Shive of Ft. Klamath has sold his share in the store there to Mr. Butler of Klamath Agency. From some date in March the business will be carried on under the name of Ryan & Butler. It is reported that Mr. Shive has made an offer to Mr. Kendall for his fine property at Pelican Bay Lodge. This place is a famous summer resort and a great deal of money has been spent in furnishing it for that purpose.

Sherman Brown and his sister, Miss Tena of Crystal, visited with Miss Mabel Dennis of Pelican bay, March 2d. Sherman brought his new Ray Folding camera with him, which he has just received from Chicago. Mabel seems an expert at the business and they are taking "snap shots" of various objects, both animate and inanimate, from the least to the greatest in size.

Daniel Brown and his son Gilbert of Crystal, attended the school election at Pelican bay, March 4th. Gilbert was re-elected district clerk, Charlie Silvers was elected director of district No. 18. Snow was deep enough here on that day for voters to go to election, from two to three miles on sleighs. The snow has been going away very slow this spring.

The suckers and rainbow trout are coming in now quite plentifully at the "Poplars" on Pelican bay. This place is rapidly coming to the front as a summer resort. It was visited by scores of people from different points in southern Oregon, also some from San Francisco and various places in the east, last year. It is a regular "haven of rest" for campers during summer. Rev. Scudder, Missionary physician from India and his brother, formerly of Alameda, Cal., have written for terms during the summer. They want to come on about May 1st. The medicinal properties of the Budd springs has already gained much notoriety. Louis Dennis is proprietor of this resort and has a large number of small boats for pleasure-seekers to use.

CHANGE IN TIME TABLE.

The Jenny Creek Logging Camp Placed on the Ashland-Klamath Falls Daily Stage and Express Line.

Beginning March 24th the Ashland-Klamath Falls stage time table will be as follows:

Eastbound, Leave Ashland at 3 p. m., arrive at Shake at 8:30 p. m., leave Shake at 8:30 following morning, arrive at Klamath Falls at 6:30 p. m. Westbound leave Klamath Falls daily at 9:30 a. m., arrive at Shake 7:50 p. m., leave Shake following morning at 5:30 and arrive at Ashland at 11 a. m.

The summer schedule to go into effect April 1st is as follows: Eastbound leave Ashland daily at 3 p. m., arrive at Shake 7:30 p. m., leave Shake following morning at 8:30, arrive at Klamath Falls at 4:40 p. m. Westbound, leave Klamath Falls at 12 o'clock, noon, arrive at Shake, 8:00 p. m., leave Shake following morning at 6:30, arrive at Ashland at 11 a. m.

The postoffice at Pokegama, Klamath county, heretofore served by route from Shovel Creek, will be served by Ashland-Klamath Falls contractor under the new schedule, and is made a part of the latter route.

Having a Run on Chamberlain's Cough Remedy

Between the hours of eleven o'clock a. m. and closing time at night on Jan. 25th, 1901, A. F. Clark, druggist, Glade Springs, Va., sold twelve bottles of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy. He says, "I never handled a medicine that sold better or gave better satisfaction to my customers." This Remedy has been in general use in Virginia for many years, and the people there are well acquainted with its excellent qualities. Many of them have testified of the remarkable cures which it has effected. When you need a good, reliable medicine for a cough or cold, or attack of the grip, use Chamberlain's Cough Remedy and you are certain to be more than pleased with the quick cure which it affords. For sale by all druggists.

M. F. Eggleston of Ashland, is here gathering mineral exhibits for the Oregon display at the Pan-American exposition at Buffalo, N. Y. Mr. Eggleston is anxious to have the exhibit ready for shipment by the 27th inst., if possible. The time for securing a comprehensive collection of meritorious samples is very short, yet he hopes to make a creditable showing for the mines of southern Oregon. The Review was favored by a pleasant call this afternoon.—Roseburg Review.

Sheriff Orme was up from Jacksonville Tuesday.

WANTED.—Capable, reliable person in every county to represent large company of solid financial reputation; $936 salary per year, payable weekly; $3 per day absolutely sure and all expenses; straight bona fide, definite salary, no commission; salary paid each Saturday and expense money advanced each week. STANDARD HOUSE, 334 DEARBORN ST., CHICAGO.

WILD MAN IN SISKIYOUS.

A Klamath River Correspondent Describes the Uncanny Giant, Who Was Seen by Waldo Miners.

The wild man is now the leading topic along the Klamath. Report from Waldo has it that the great and mysterious has once more come out of his den in the woods, and presented his gigantic form to the gaze of man. The parties to whose view this appearance presented itself, say that he was not less than nine feet high and that his track is eighteen inches long and that there are plainly visible the marks of seven toes on each foot. His leaps in the snow measured from ten to fifteen feet in snow three feet deep. The parties who saw him while out hunting, at first thought that it was an elk from the manner in which he broke the brush. But think of their amazement, when it reached a clearing, threw up its arms, stood and gazed around, and began vigorously pulling at its grizzled beard, when with a hideous yell, he fled and vanished. Authentic report has it that it was the hunters who fled with alarm, and we are prone to believe the latter. Such a story may seem absurd, but since we know the reputation for veracity of these hunters, we can vouch for its authenticity.

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SAMPSON.

[ntended for last week.]

We are having cold frosty mornings.

Miss Alice Grow has a severe case of the grippe.

J. M. Taylor is convalescent from a siege with measles.

Geo. Howard of Klamathon came up from Ashland.

Dan and John Snowgoose are working up at Buck Point.

Those in this community who had the measles are recovering.

Master Lloyd Judd came up from Keswick not long since to visit his grandparents at Steinman.

Stockmen are driving their cattle off to the range as the grass is growing nicely. Stock can live well.

Mrs. R. E. Nickerson has been offered a position on the Shoshone Reservation, Wyoming, on a salary of $720 per year.

A Printer's Great Surprise.

"I never was so much surprised in my life, as I was with the result of using Chamberlain's Pain Balm," says Henry T. Cook, pressman of the Asheville (N. C.) Gazette. "I contracted a severe case of rheumatism early last winter by getting my feet wet. I tried several things for it without benefit. One day while looking over the Gazette, I noticed that Pain Balm was positively guaranteed to cure rheumatism, so bought a bottle of it and before using two thirds of it my rheumatism had taken its flight and I have not had a rheumatic pain since. For sale by all druggists.

Rev. Father Doyle, pastor of the Catholic church at Grants Pass, will celebrate Mass at Holy Rosary Catholic church on 6th street in Ashland next Sunday at 10 o'clock. The public cordially invited.

DIED.

KING—At the family home, 3½ miles south of Ashland, March 16, 1901, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Rufus King, aged 6 years.

LAND—Near Medford, March 12, 1901, L. E. Land, aged about 40 years.

PHELPS—At the Palace hotel in Grants Pass, Wednesday night, March 13, 1901, J. B. Phelps of Woodville, aged 78 years.

RANDLES—At Lake Creek, March 12, 1901, Samuel Randles, aged 70 years.

McGEE—At Williams, Wednesday, March 13, 1901, J. O. McGee, aged 72 years.

EASTMAN—At Grants Pass, March 10, 1901, Rev. W. W. Eastman, father of Eastman Bros., aged 83 years.

COCKERLINE—In Murphy Precinct, March 8, 1901, M. B. Cockerline; aged about 70 years.

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PRESSED BRICKS.

A. Cavan was over from Coles Friday and Saturday.

Rev. I. G. Knotts arrived from Klamath Falls Monday.

H. Mattern returned Saturday from a business trip to Yreka.

Attorney O. S. Brown of Grants Pass spent Sunday in Ashland.

Miss Ola Shattuck of Grants Pass is employed at Hotel Oregon.

A. D. Burton went to Klamathon Monday to work in the mill.

B. Beach returned Friday from spending the winter in southern California.

J. R. Norton of Coos Bay was registered at the Ashland House Saturday.

James Hallisy of Siskiyou attended the funeral of the late H. J. Hicks Sunday.

Ex-Mayor W. T. Coburn was up from Grants Pass Sunday on a visit to his family.

Miss Myrtle Hurst returned to Medford Sunday from a visit with Ashland friends.

Call at D. B. Grant's hardware store and get Aitken to figure on your plumbing work.

J. Nunan returned to Jacksonville Monday from a business trip to San Francisco.

Mrs. W. B. Johnston went to Sams Valley Friday to visit her mother and relatives.

A. S. Hubbard, who has been engaged in taking views of Ashland and southern Oregon left for Sisson Monday.

Mrs. Byron Cole is visiting her two children at Oakland, Cal., where they are sojourning for their health.

Mrs. R. E. Nickerson, who came in from Klamath Agency recently, is canvassing for the Globe Publishing Co.

C. W. Tyrer and G. B. Goodell were over from the O. and C. mine on Klamath river Saturday on a business trip.

Remember the place to get your tinware, hardware and plumbing goods is W. N. Grubb & Co's.

Henry Schroeder and Walter Morrill, railroad men of Portland, have become residents of Ashland and are working out of this point.

Mort Abbey was on Sunday afternoon's train en route to Seattle from a trip to Chicago. He leaves soon on his return to Cape Nome.

Miss Ethel Chapman who has been stopping with her aunt, Mrs. W. E. Dean, at Grants Pass, returned to Ashland Saturday.

Councilman H. P. Holmes and his brother, W. B. Holmes, will open a new grocery in the place made vacant by the Ashland Grocery Co.

Next Monday to Wednesday March the 25th to 27th, three days. Dr. Lowe, the well known expert oculo-optician, will be at Hotel Oregon.

Mrs. Calkins, wife of Attorney F. M. Calkins, arrived Sunday evening from Chicago to join her husband and make thier future home in Ashland.

Speaker Reeder of the late house of representatives was on Monday's train en route home to Pendleton with his family from a visit in southern California.

Mrs. Walter Jones and her sister, Miss Daisy Smith, came over from Ft. Jones Saturday to visit their father, J. C. Smith, who is seriously ill at Medford.

Judge J. S. Orr visited his nephew, L. P. Orr, in Ashland Friday and Saturday, being enroute from a visit with his wife and new babe at Reno, Ney., to his home in Klamath Falls.

J. Percy Wells, principal of the Gold Hill public school, Miss Gertrude Sutton of the Medford school, and Misses Beebe and Gowland of Talent school spent Sunday with their folks in Ashland.

Mrs. E. F. Roberts, who has been spending the past two months visiting her folks, D. N. Davis and family, east of Ashland, and other friends, returned Monday to her home in Utah. She was formerly Miss Eunice Davis.

Mrs. J. G. Farnsworth of Los Angeles, Cal., arrived at Medford Monday on a visit to her parents, Hon. and Mrs. Nat Langell, after an absence of several years. Mr. F. has been in very poor health and has gone east to recuperate.

Dunn's Solid Spray for all fruit pests. Cheaper and better than any other. At D. B. Grant's

Mrs. Della Gilroy of Portland will soon be in Ashland to visit her brother, Geo. W. Pennebaker, being en route to Visalia, Cal., where her sister May, Mrs. S. J. Scott, lives. She will be employed there as book-keeper for a large firm.

White Yorkshire Pigs; pure bred stock; for sale by J. P. Gilmore, near the state normal school; Ashland.

J. A. Smith and wife, Mrs. Langley and daughter Bertha, Jacob Hugger and I. A. Palmer of Medford and Mrs. W. H. Breese of Talent were in Ashland Sunday attending the quarterly meeting of the First Spiritualist Society of Southern Oregon at the residence of L. E. Payne. There were some 50 members present.

Putnam Fadeless Dyes do not spot, streak or give your goods an unevenly dyed appearance. Sold by MCNAIR BROS.

A delegation from Talisman Lodge Knights of Pythias, composed of Chancellor Commander J. E. Enyart, Master of the Works W. H. Gowan, Past Chancellors Eugene Orr and W. W. Wood, R. K. and S. J. H. Butler, Master of Finance Fred Luy, C. L. Narregan, S. J. Richardson, W. J. Mahoney, Fred W. Weeks, F. M. Denton, and Alf. Weeks—came up from Medford Sunday to attend the funeral of the late H. J. Hicks.

MOKI TEA positively cures sick headache, indigestion and constipation. A delightful herb drink. Removes all eruptions of the skin, producing a perfect complexion, or money refunded. 25 cts. and 50 cts.—MCNAIR BROS.

Seaman R. W. Richardson of the battle ship "Oregon" was on Sunday's train for Medford to visit his father, J. W. Richardson, the carpenter of that place. The young man has been on that ship seven years and was very well acquainted with the late Lester High. Deston High had a talk with him at the train. The battle ship "Oregon" is now lying at Woo Sang on the Yangtse Kiang river in China.

W. S. Fitch, special government pension examiner for Oregon, was in Ashland Monday trying to locate some one who knew of the death of James M. Crooks, who was supposed to have died in Oregon along about 1872 presumably in a mining camp. His widow, Jane Crooks of 897 East Main street, Columbus, Ohio, wishes to secure a pension and the parties who knew of his death are now dead. He was a member of the Co. I, 51st Ohio volunteer infantry and B. Co., 16th Ohio infantry.

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THE ROAD TO PELICAN BAY.

A Natural Highway From Ashland to the Klamath Basin Country that Would Prove a Trade Puller if Properly Attended To.

This road has attracted some attention ever since the "Mazama Excursion" was the occasion for raising a little money to make it passable for tourists to Pelican bay and Crater Lake and the traffic and travel over it has been constantly in the increase. A summer mail service has been established which of itself has been a source of revenue to Ashland. It is the most direct outlet for the great Wood River Valley or Ft. Klamath Marsh Country (part of which, not being allotted to the Indians, is soon to be thrown open to settlement) it being possible to make a saving of some 25 or 30 miles in distance, as compared with any other route from these localities to the railroad which means two days less time for a freight team on the round trip. The Dead Indian road has only been a county road from Ashland to the Neil ranch and from Four Mile creek on through leaving a gap of some 30 miles to be looked after by any body who had interest enough in it to cut a log out in order to travel it and has been fenced and changed for the worst of late by property owners along it, for which reason it has been almost impassable for frieght teams and they have been forced to go to other railroad points than Ashland the past season. It is said of this road that it could be very greatly improved, and shortened some 5 or 6 miles at least, at comparatively slight expense by changing the grade up the mountain and making a new road from Lost Prairie to the north end of Lake of the Woods going on the west side of Lake of the Woods instead of the east side as at present. The new road law may effect this road some what and make of it a permanent road as it has been traveled some 20 or 30 years. There is a disposition on the part of settlers at Ft. Klamath and Pelican Bay to help fix up this road. The Indians at the Agency would also no doubt help some as they travel this road to some extent bad as it is at present and when we think of the immense amount of supplies required by one of the most thickly settled valleys of Klamath county and which from location is naturally tributary to Ashland it would seem that the business men of Ashland could well afford to investigate this road thoroughly and see if some arrangements cannot be made to make it a permanent road and so improve it that the cash paying settlers of the Ft. Klamath country can't afford to travel any other way to the railroad. Most of the settlers along up the mountains have offered to help in it. What will Ashland do?

Four Doctors Failed.

Medford Mail: Dr. Darrin has been so thoroughly heralded by the press of Southern Oregon that there are non who are not aware of his presence or conversant with the many hearty endorsements that come to him from every section of Oregon. Many of these are from well known and prominent persons—persons whose word is unquestioned by their friends and neighbors, whose veracity is recognized far beyond the community in which they live, and whose endorsement carries with it more than ordinary conviction; yet even testimony of those of more than local reputation fails to carry with it quite the degree of conviction that is borne by the testimony produced by a neighbor, relating to facts personally known to the reader. Mr. A. Pool, of Eagle Point, a well known resident of Jackson county of many years' standing, submits over his signature what he knows of Dr. Darrin's professional ability in a complicated case in which four doctors had previously failed and tells of a neighbor who is able to bear splendid evidence of the doctor's curative powers. He writes as follows:

Mr. Editor—I hold it to be my duty as well as pleasure to help to make known any means of relieving the suffering of humanity. Ten years ago I was taken with heart trouble and pains through my chest and body. I had then been under the care of four doctors who gave me up as incurable. I was so weak and run down that I could scarcely walk across the street. All my friends and neighbors thought my days on earth were nearly spent. I visited Dr. Darrin in Portland ten years ago, and was cured by him in two months. I have never been ill since and feel well and able to work.

My neighbor, Mr. G. B. Mathews, of Eagle Point, Or., visited Dr. Darrin the same year and was cured of lung trouble, called consumption, and a large tumor in his side. Refer to me at Eagle Point, Oregon, where I reside, and have for 20 years.

A. POOL.

Dr. Darrin will visit Ashland, Hotel Oregon, April 1st to 28th.

Quick delivery—The Weekly Oregonian.

George Jones, who has been in the Oakland county jail since 1885 awaiting trial on the charge of murder, has just entered upon his 91st year. He was arrested on the charge of murdering Lorenzo Dattill, a saloon-keeper, in Oakland. He was convicted of the crime of murder, but was granted a new trial by the supreme court. Shortly after he was stricken with paralysis and since then he has been unable to walk or leave his bed, physicians certifying that he is unable to be present at his trial.

A verdict of acquittal was returned in the case of Colonel Thomas F. O'Neil, who was tried by court martial at San Francisco on the charge of making a false report as to the number of men of the First regiment, N. G. C., attending Admission day parade.

Count Tolstoi was formally excommunicated by the holy synod of the Greek church.

Messages are now being transmitted by wireless telegraph between Honolulu and the principal islands forming the Hawaiian group.

Charles M. Schwab, president of the United Steel trust—the biggest trust in the world—has a salary from that concern of $1,000,000 a year. He began life as a common laborer, without education.

SKIPPED OUT FOR ALASKA.

E. B. Jennings, the Medford Livery Man, Accused of Embezzling $243.

About the first of the present month E. B. Jennings, one of the proprietors of the Union livery stable in Medford, boarded the northbound train saying he was going to Myrtle creek to look after some mining interests. It has since transpired that he had misappropriated the sum of $243, and that a warrant for his arrest on a charge of larceny by bailee is now in the hands of Sheriff Orme, who is endeavoring to locate his present whereabouts. The warrant was issued at the instigation of W. Cramer, for the purchase of some wheat. He shipped him one carload and a few days later notified him that he had another carload ready for shipment upon receipt of the money to pay for same. Mr. Cramer forwarded him the money, $243, which he claims Jennings appropriated to his own use. The last seen of Jennings was in Portland, where he is said to have stated that he was going to St. Paul on business connected with the Southern Pacific railroad. The information against him was wired to the Portland police but they have been unable to locate him. It is thought that he has gone to Alaska.—[Medford Mail.

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Dr. T. Chalmers Easton, pastor of the Eastern Presbyterian church of Washington, D. C., appealed to Andrew Carnegie for money to buy an organ for his church. When Chalmers obtained an interview with Carnegie the latter said: "I will not give a cent of money to any church that cannot meet its business obligations. I conduct my charitable affairs in a business way. A church which obligates itself to carry out enterprises, and then fails, can get no assistance from me, nor sympathy either. In fact, I think such practices in church institutions should be publicly denounced. I cannot, therefore, give you one cent of my money."

Dr. Miles' Anti-Pain Pills.

One relieves Headache, Backache, Stomachache, Neuralgia, Nervousness, Rheumatic Pains. 25 doses 25 cents. At all druggists.

W. St. John Brodrick, the British secretary of state for war, in introducing the army estimates, proposed sweeping reforms in the army, as the Boer war had brought to light many faults. Among other details the war office contemplates the ability to send abroad 120,000 men and at the same time to have a sufficient force for home defense. There would be no change to compulsory service, seeing that 140,000 men had offered themselves for the war in South Africa. He emphasized the determination of the war office to appoint to the command of army corps only those officers who were fit to command in time of war. The government, he said, had determined to carry the war in South Africa to a conclusion, and had not stinted the generals in any way.

A Gentle Hint.

In our style of climate, with its sudden changes of temperature,—rain, wind and sunshine often intermingled in a single day,—it is no wonder that our children, friends and relatives are so frequently taken from us by neglected colds, half the deaths resulting from this cause. A Bottle of Boschee's German Syrup kept about your home for immediate use will prevent serious sickness, a large doctor's bill, and perhaps death, by the use of three or four doses. For curing Consumption, Hemorrhages, Pneumonia, Severe Coughs, Croup, or any disease of the Throat or Lungs, its success is simply wonderful, as your druggist will tell you. Get a sample bottle free from T. K. BAXTON. Regular size, 75 cts. Get Green's Prize Almanac.

James Wheelock is in the county jail at Oroville accused of having murdered Mrs. Emily Martin, aged 67, an old resident of Coutolenie, Butte county, Cal. Neighbors, on entering the house, found Mrs. Martin dead in bed, and the finger prints and scratches on her neck showed that she had died of strangulation. During the coroner's inquest J. A. Campbell testified that just previous to the murder James Wheelock told him he was going to visit Mrs. Martin, and declared he would choke her to death. This led to Wheelock's arrest.

Your Face

Shows the state of your feelings and the state of your health as well. Impure blood makes itself apparent in a pale and sallow complexion, Pimples and Skin Eruptions. If you are feeling weak and worn out and do not have a healthy appearance, you should try Acker's Blood Elixir. It cures all blood diseases where cheap Sarsaparillas and so called purifiers fail; knowing this, we sell every bottle on a positive guarantee. MCNAIR BROS., druggists.

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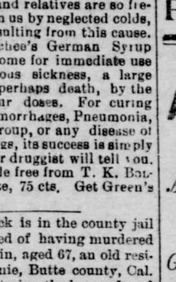

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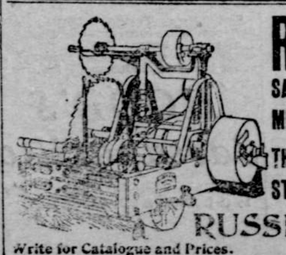

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