The Truth

about women's ills can be frankly told by one woman to another.

Remember that Mrs. Pinkham is a woman. Remember that her advice and medicine have cured a million women of weaknesses peculiar to their sex.

Remember that no man ever sees a letter written to Mrs. Pinkham for advice, that the letter is opened, read and answered by women, and no testimonial ever published without special permission.

Remember that Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound is the recognized safeguard of woman's health.

Remember these things when some other remedy is suggested, and remember them when you want advice. Mrs. Pinkham's address is Lynn, Mass.

"If Any Man Will Do His Will."

These are days of intense intellectual activity. To be accepted a proposition must be backed by incontestable scientific proof. Because of this many earnest souls seem to find themselves hindered in that spiritual growth and fellowship for which they long and strive. It is well to remember that logic cannot decide everything; that the truths to be gained by faith are still the transforming truths; and that only those who live in the spirit can talk of proving or disproving the things of the spirit. We must seek to find. We must seek to know.

Try Allen's Foot Ease,

A powder to be shaken into the shoes. At this season your feet feel swollen, nervous and hot, and get tired easily. If you have smarting feet or tight shoes, try Allen's Foot-Ease. It cools the feet and makes walking easy. Cures ingrowing nails, swollen and sweating feet, blisters and callous spots. Relieves corns and bunions of all pain and gives rest and comfort. We have 30,000 testimonials. Try it today. Sold by all druggists and shoe dealers for 25c. Trial package FREE. Address Allen S. Olmstead, LeRoy, N. Y.

The mayor of Philadelphia says that hundreds if not thousands of women in that good old Quaker city, women of position and respectability, are addicted to the opium habit. "To this end," says Mayor Ashbridge, "our laws need to be radically amended."

Did You Ever Run Across

an old letter—ink all faded out? Couldn't have been Carter's Ink for it doesn't fade.

Put a tobacco victim into a hot bath, says Metha Lander, and let him remain there until he prespires freely; then drop a fly into the water, and instant death will ensue.

The supreme court of Michigan has rendered a unanimous decision to the effect that villages have the right to prohibit the sale of intoxicating liquors in every form if they choose.

There was an increase of 185 in the commitments to jail for drunkenness in the province of Ontario during 1899. The increase amounted to over 150 per cent.

HEALTHY WOMEN.

Mary J. Kennedy, manager of Armour & Co.'s exhibit at the Trans-Mississippi Exposition, at Omaha, Neb., writes the following of Peruna, as a cure for that common phase of summer catarrh, known as indigestion. Miss Kennedy says:

"I found the continual change of diet incidental to eight years' traveling completely upset my digestive system. In consulting several physicians they decided I suffered with catarrh of the stomach.

"Their prescriptions did not seem to help me any, so, reading of the remarkable cures effected by the use of Peruna I decided to try it and soon found myself well repaid.

"I have now used Peruna for about three months and feel completely rejuvenated. I believe I am permanently cured, and do not hesitate to give unstinted praise to your great remedy, Peruna."

The causes of summer catarrh are first, chronic catarrh; second, derangements of the stomach and liver; third, impure blood.

Such being the case anyone who knows anything whatever about the operations of Peruna can understand why this remedy is a permanent cure for summer catarrh. It eradicates chronic catarrh from the system, invigorates the stomach and liver, cleanses the blood of all impurities, and therefore permanently cures by removing the cause—a host of maladies peculiar to hot weather. The cause being removed the symptoms disappear of themselves. "Summer Catarrh" sent free to any address by the Peruna Medicine Co., Columbus, Ohio.

MINES AND MINING.

Men With New Ideas Needed to Prospect Eastern Oregon Mineral Fields.

James Duckworth, one of the original locaters of the E. and E. mine, in Cracker creek district, near Sumpter, Oregon, and one of the best informed men in the camp, says that what this country needs is a thorough prospecting by men with new ideas. The old timers always look for a certain kind of float, and are particular about the formation. Now hardly a week passes without some find being made on hillsides that have been run over for years by the old timers and pronounced worthless.

Mr. Duckworth visited a property at the foot of the mountain on the Sumpter-Granite wagon road, and found Ben Yeager and his partner, Montana mining men, working on a 200-foot ledge that he has been over many times and considered worthless. Development shows that the ledge is filled with strata of quartz of a bluish appearance, and all of it pans gold. A number of assays have been made, giving $3 to $13. The ledge can be traced for over two miles, from one side of the mountain to the other, and it prospects throughout. At present a 25-foot shaft is being sunk, from which a cross cut will be run to determine if the values go down. If favorable results shall be obtained, machinery will be secured and a shaft sunk 300 to 400 feet. There is such a large body of ore that, with present values, $3 to $4 per ton, the property is another Treadwell. Facilities for mining and milling are excellent. At the head of Bull Run creek, running alongside of this ledge, in early days there was placer mining.

There was little wash gravel in the creek bed, and the diggings frequently dipped to the hillside, where no gravel was found, but rich dirt. At that time it was wondered where the gold came from, and no one ever thought the big dike was guilty, but this recent discovery is almost proof positive that the placer gold came from the dike.

A MOUNTAIN OF QUARTZ.

Remarkable Formation in the Blue River District.

The Blue river, Oregon, district is rapidly forging to the front, and is now enjoying an era of activity but little dreamed of a year or two ago. Extensive develpment work is being done, aand lmost without exception claims are proving valuable. The stability of the district has been conclusively proved, and as a result prospectors have flocked in here this spring by the hundreds. Mining capital has been attracted, and one mill is in successful operation and several more are in course of construction. New discoveries are being made in almost every direction; most notable among which are the discoveries on the Calapooia and McKenzie rivers, which show extremely rich ore, and the immense mountain of quartz four miles up Blue river. This mountain of quartz is a remarkable formation, and is probably unparalleled in mining discoveries. The mountain is 1,270 feet high, and appears to be nearly all quartz. At the top several cliffs of solid quartz project for a hundred feet or more above the surface, while veins of ore crop out in all directions. The ore assays from $3.50 to $12 per ton.

The Lucky Boy mine has been compelled to shut down five stamps, owing to shortage of water, since the dry season set in. The remaining five stamps are kept going day and night. The company has the machinery for a sawmill on the ground, and, as soon as it can be set up, lumber will be sawed and a flume constructed which will furnish plenty of water for operating all of the stamps.

Jones & Co. have the foundation laid for a sawmill at the Blue river bridge, and already have a number of logs ready to saw. The machinery for the mill is expected to arrive in a short time. The mill will be situated at the new Blue River city townsite, and is intended to supply the local market. It will be operated by steam power, and will have a capacity of 10,000 feet per day.

Stampede to Stewart River.

The steamer Danube, which recently arrived at Victoria, B. C., brings news of a rich strike on the headwaters of Stewart river, 400 miles from Dawson. A stampede is on, boats going up in a continuous string. At White Horse a whisky famine prevails. Saloons are licensed, but cannot get permits to bring in liquor. The police are watching the boundary for smugglers, and have made many seizures.

Northwest Notes.

A cold storage warehouse is in course of construction at Troy, Idaho.

A hay warehouse, 32x70 feet, 16 feet high is being built at Palouse, Wash.

King county is said to furnish one-fourth the inmates of the Walla Walla penitentiary.

Walla Walla boasts of shipping 50 carloads of fruit and vegetables the past two weeks.

Apple scab is reported among the trees in the vicinity of Moscow, Idaho, especially in the American Ridge district.

Deer are reported to be plentiful in Coos county this season. They are frequently seen in bands of seven or eight.

Washington railroads are following a rule that no packages weighing more than 250 pounds will be accepted or checked as baggage.

Deposits in Walla Walla's banks reach $1,400,000; in the Spokane banks $5,000,000. Other Eastern Washington centers are similarly well supplied with money.

The new wool scouring mill at The Dalles, Or., reports a rush of work.

A firm at Eugene, Or., recently engaged in the business of curing meats. The manager says he will soon begin to buy all pork products that may be offered, and will sell direct to retailers.

W. O. Owen, a government inspector, is in Wallowa county, Or., to examine some recent surveys. He is accompanied by men from Wyoming and South Dakota. At Elgin they bought a wagon, four horse team and pack outfit, and employed a cook for their trip.

THE MIDSUMMER TRADE.

Improvement of Tone, Rather Than of Demand.

Bradstreet's says: While trade is still only of mid-summer volume, the beginnings of improvement in demands are apparantly becoming visible. The improvement is still one of tone, rather than of demand, but with a yield of 540,000,000 bushels of wheat, a next to record breaking yield of corn, and a very large proportion of oats, the Western crop situation contains many encouraging features. The Southern cotton crop has undoubtedly suffered, and conditions are unprecedentedly low for this season of the year, but the acreage planted was a large one, and prices are so much higher that a satisfactory financial return is confidently looked for.

The effort of the big iron and steel concerns to control prices, if really made, has proven abortive, and another wholesale slashing of quotations is to be reported this week.

The industrial situation is rather better as a result of agreements upon wages by a number of iron and steel manufacturing concerns and their employes.

Lower prices for lumber are apparently inducing more activity in building, though how much is due to this or how much to the settlement of labor disturbances is hard to measure.

Wheat, including flour, shipments for the week aggregate 2,839,910 bushels, against 3,018,832 bushels last week.

Business failures in the United States number 221 as compared with 146 last week.

Business failures in the Dominion of Canada number 22 as compared with 25 last week.

Ninety persons were made seriously ill at Rheine, Westphalia, Germany, owing to the eating of diseased horseflesh.

PACIFIC COAST TRADE.

Seattle Markets.

Onions, new, 1½c.
Lettuce, hot house, $1 per crate.
Potatoes, new, 1c.
Beets, per sack, 85c@$1.
Turnips, per sack, 75c.
Carrots, per sack, $1.00
Parsnips, per sack, 50@75c.
Cauliflower, native, 75c.
Cucumbers—50@60c.
Cabbage, native and California, $1.00@1.25 per 100 pounds.
Tomatoes—$1.25.
Butter—Creamery, 23c; Eastern 22c; dairy, 17@22c; ranch, 15@17c pound.
Eggs—24c.
Cheese—12c.
Poultry—14c; dressed, 14@15c; spring, $3.50.
Hay—Puget Sound timothy, $11.00@12.00; choice Eastern Washington timothy, $19.00.
Corn—Whole, $23.00; cracked, $23; feed meal, $23.
Barley—Rolled or ground, per ton, $20.
Flour—Patent, per barrel, $3.50; blended straights, $3.25; California, $3.25; buckwheat flour, $6.00; graham, per barrel, $3.00; whole wheat flour, $3.00; rye flour, $3.80@4.00.
Millstuffs—Bran, per ton, $18.00; shorts, per ton, $14.00.
Feed—Chopped feed, $19.00 per ton; middlings, per ton, $20; oil cake meal, per ton, $30.00.
Fresh Meats—Choice dressed beef steers, price 7½c; cows, 7c; mutton 8c; pork, 8c; trimmed, 9c; veal, 9@11c.
Hams—Large, 13c; small, 13¼; breakfast bacon, 12½c; dry salt sides, 8c.

Portland Market.

Wheat—Walla Walla, 55@56c; Valley, 56c; Bluestem, 59c per bushel.
Flour—Best grades, $3.20; graham, $2.70; superfine, $2.10 per barrel.
Oats—Choice white, 35c; choice gray, 33c per bushel.
Barley—Feed barley, $14.00@15.00; brewing, $16.00 per ton.
Millstuffs—Bran, $12.50 ton; middlings, $19; shorts, $13; chop, $14 per ton.
Hay—Timothy, $10@11; clover, $7@7.50; Oregon wild hay, $6@7 per ton.
Butter—Fancy creamery, 35@40c; store, 25c.
Eggs—17½c per dozen.
Cheese—Oregon full cream, 13c; Young America, 14c; new cheese 10c per pound.
Poultry—Chickens, mixed, $3.00@3.50 per dozen; hens, $4.50; springs, $2.00@3.50; geese, $4.00@5.00 for old; $4.50@6.50; ducks, $3.00@4.00 per dozen; turkeys, live, 14@15c per pound.
Potatoes—40@50c per sack; sweets, 2@2¼c per pound.
Vegetables—Beets, $1; turnips, 75c; per sack; garlic, 7c per pound; cabbage, 1½c per pound; parsnips, $1; onions, 1¼c per pound; carrots, $1.
Hops—2@8c per pound.
Wool—Valley, 15@16c per pound; Eastern Oregon, 10@15c; mohair, 25 per pound.
Mutton—Gross, best sheep, wethers and ewes, 3¾c; dressed mutton, 7@7½c per pound; lambs, 5½c.
Hogs—Gross, choice heavy, $5.00; light and feeders, $4.50; dressed, $5.00@6.50 per 100 pounds.
Beef—Gross, top steers, $4.00@4.50; cows, $3.50@4.00; dressed beef, 6½@7¾c per pound.
Veal—Large, 6½@7½c; small, 8@8½c per pound.

San Francisco Market.

Wool—Spring—Nevada, 13@15c per pound; Eastern Oregon, 10@15c; Valley, 18@20c; Northern, 10@12c.
Hops—1899 crop, 11@18c per pound.
Butter—Fancy creamery 18@19c; do seconds, 18½c; fancy dairy, 17c; do seconds, 15@16½c per pound.
Eggs—Store, 15c; fancy ranch, 18½c.
Millstuffs — Middlings, $17.00@20.00; bran, $12.50@13.50.
Hay—Wheat $6.50@10; wheat and oat $6.00@9.50; best barley $5.00@7.00; alfalfa, $5.00@6.00 per ton; straw, 25@40c per bale.
Potatoes—Early Rose, 60@65c; Oregon Burbanks, 80c@90; river Burbanks, 85@65c; new, 70c@$1.25.
Citrus Fruit—Oranges, Valencia, $2.75@3.25; Mexican limes, $4.00@5.00; California lemons 75c@$1.50; do choice $1.75@2.00 per box.
Tropical Fruits—Bananas, $1.50@2.50 per bunch; pineapples, nominal; Persian dates, 6@6½c per pound.

BITS FOR BOOKWORMS

"A Manifest Destiny," by Julia Magruder, will appeal especially to girls of about 16, as the heroine, Bettina Mowbray, is of the old-fashioned type.

"The Seekers," by Stanley Waterloo, points out the "recrudescence of superstition in the United States," as exemplified in faith cures and similar fads.

"Old Madame, and Other Tragedies," by Harriet Prescott Spofford, is a collection of five stories, all intensifying human agony and replete with dramatic effects.

Within the last year, three of J. M. Barrie's books, "The Little Minister," "A Window in Thrums," and "Margaret Ogilvy" have been translated and published in Germany.

Alan McAulay, a Scottish writer comparatively unknown in this country, has written a romance of Edinburgh and Scotch rural life, called "The Rhymer," having Robert Burns for the central figure.

James A. Wickersham, a professor of modern languages, who lives in Terre Haute, Ind., has published "Enoch Willoughby: A Novel of the Middle West," dealing with characters of a generation ago.

One million, six hundred and ten thousand copies of the novels of Linn Boyd Porter—"Albert Ross"—have already been sold. He is at work on his twenty-third, the title of which will be "A Sugar Princess."

"Geber: A Tale of the Reign of Harun al Raschid," by Mrs. Kate A. Benton, is said to be a remarkable book—the author's first prose work. It is pronounced worthy to be a companion volume to "The Arabian Nights."

A historical romance, by Mary E. Wilkins, called "The Heart's Highway," has its scene laid in Virginia, in the seventeenth century, though the writer keeps to the realistic style so well known in her New England stories.

A favorite subject of Kipling's was the possibilities of what might happen to a man in a London fog. The idea also struck Robert Barr forcibly, and when I was lunching with him one day he got so carried away by it as to plan a story in which a highly respectable man who hated another highly respectable man was to walk up behind No. 1 in the fog and percolate him with a bowie knife. Then the ghost of the murdered man was to dog the other in the fog and make him 'unkind to himself.' I don't know whether the story was ever written. Barr probably forgot all about it.

LAW AS INTERPRETED.

Publication of charges against a candidate for judge is held, in State vs. Hoskins (Iowa), 47 L. R. A. 223, not to be privileged when they are published outside of the judicial district for which the judge is to be elected.

Right to a mechanic's lien for the improvement of grounds by enrichment of the soil, planting flowers, shrubs, trees, etc., without making any structure thereon, except a rustic bridge of slight importance, is denied in Nana vs. Cumberland Gap Park Company (Tenn.), 47 L. R. A. 273, where the statutes clearly contemplate such liens shall be created only by the erection of some building.

Authority to set apart a portion of a public highway for a bicycle path is held, in State vs. Bradford (Minn.), 47 L. R. A. 144, to be granted by implication when a statute makes it unlawful to drive animals on such bicycle path, but it is held that this act must be restricted to bicycle paths which are public, and that it would be invalid as to those constructed on private grounds for private use.

Judgment against a solvent garnishee which the plaintiff fails to collect, without any excuse, is held, in Bowen vs. Port Huron E. and T. Co. (Iowa), 47 L. R. A. 131, to constitute a satisfaction of the claim against the original debtor for the amount of such judgment. With this case there is a note collating the other authorities on the effect of a judgment against a garnishee to merge or satisfy the liability of the principal debtor.

Ejection of a trespasser from the footboard of a locomotive, though his presence there does not interfere with the manipulation of the machinery by the engineer, whose position is inside the cab, is held, in Galveston H. & S. A. R. Co. vs. Zantzinger (Texas), 47 L. R. A. 282, to be within the authority of the engineer, when he has possession and control of the engine, so that the railroad company is liable for the wrongful exercise of his authority.

A provision of an insurance policy to the effect that none of its terms can be modified, nor any forfeiture under it waived, save by agreement in writing signed by the president or secretary, is held, in Cole vs. Union Central Life Insurance Company (Wash.), 47 L. R. A. 201, to be inoperative on a person who made a contract for insurance with the general agent and manager of a foreign company and who did not assent or have any knowledge of such a provision or any information that it would be contained in the policy to be issued.

Full and Explicit Directions.

Two bicyclists passing through a small town on the Long Island shore decided to take the train from there home. Being unfamiliar with the place they stopped to inquire of a colored woman the way to the railway station.

"We are strangers," they said; "would you kindly direct us to the station?"

"Certainly, suh," she replied; "Keep a goin' right on till yo' comes to de corner wha de ole postoffice used ter be, den tu'n to yo' lef' an' you'll go right to de station."

As they rode off she beamed with pride, they with amusement; and although they found the station they have yet to discover the "corner wha de ole postoffice used ter be."—New York Sun.

Many a man's shattered fortune is due to his negligence in mending his ways.

INSOMNIA

"I have been using CASCARETS for Insomnia, with which I have been afflicted for over twenty years, and I can say that Cascarets have given me more relief than any other remedy I have ever tried. I shall certainly recommend them to my friends as being all they are represented." THOS. GILLARD, Elgin, Ill.

CANDY CATHARTIC
Cascarets
TRADE MARK REGISTERED
REGULATE THE LIVER

Pleasant, Palatable, Potent. Taste Good. Do Good. Never Sicken, Weaken, or Gripe. 10c. 25c. 50c.
... CURE CONSTIPATION. ...
Sterling Remedy Company, Chicago, Montreal, New York. 316

NO-TO-BAC Sold and guaranteed by all druggists to CURE Tobacco Habit.

Phases of Hunger.

The kinds of hunger are described, we are told, by Drs. Mathieu and Beauchant, and have been named "painful hunger" and "agonizing hunger." The need of taking food generally produces secretion of the gastric juice, and with some persons the excess of acid in this fluid causes pain, which may be allayed by taking an alkali to neutralize it. The variety of hunger referred to above as "agonizing hunger" is characterized by painful anxiety of mind. Those who suffer from it fear that some terrible accident is about to happen to them; they break out into presperation, tremble, and sometimes lose their reason. If food is taken, all these symptoms disappear.

HOITT'S SCHOOL.

Menlo Park, San Mateo County, Cal., with its new buildings, newly furnished and complete laboratories, beautiful surroundings and home influences, is one of the best equipped schools for the training of boys and young men on the coast. It is in charge of Dr. Ira G. Hoitt and is accredited at the universities. Send for catalog. Tenth year begins August 6, 1900.

The ordinary string bean, the pods of which are eaten, is a good crop to grow for seed, provided the seed is ground and used for stock. It produces but little vine, but the seed can be broadcasted and when the beans are dry the vines should be pulled up and thrown on the barn floor to be beaten out, which work may be postponed until winter if preferred.

Beware of Ointments for Catarrh That Contain Mercury,

As mercury will surely destroy the sense of smell and completely derange the whole system when entering it through the mucous surfaces. Such articles should never be used except on prescriptions from reputable physicians, as the damage they will do is ten fold to the good you can possibly derive from them. Hall's Catarrh Cure, manufactured by F. J. Cheney & Co., Toledo, O., contains no mercury, and is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. In buying Hall's Catarrh Cure be sure you get the genuine. It is taken internally, and made in Toledo, Ohio, by F. J. Cheney & Co. Testimonials free.

Sold by Druggists, price 75c. per bottle.
Hall's Family Pills are the best.

Every time a rain comes the crab grass will get a start. When very young it can be easily destroyed with a rake or weeder, but give it two or three days' start after a rain, with the weather very warm, and considerable labor will be required to get rid of it. It is not difficult to conquer it if taken in time, but the work must not be postponed.

Mothers will find Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup the best remedy to use for their children during the teething period.

Sensitiveness of Fish.

Most fishes are very sensitive to external touch and some possess special organs for this sense. The seat of greatest sensitiveness is about the snout, but this sensitiveness in fish does not appear to go to the limit by causing it to feel pain from a wound.

Pure Blood Means Perfect Health.

The blood carries all material for repairing the system. Bad blood means bad repairs. Cascarets mean pure, wholesome blood. Druggists, 10c, 25c, 50c.

Mexico's Prosperity.

Mexico in the past nine years has doubled its revenues, doubled its exports, doubled the number of its factories and multiplied by three its banking capital—and the continuance of this great prosperity is now quite as pronounced a ever during the decade.

I do not believe Piso's Cure for Consumption has an equal for coughs and colds.—JOHN F. BOYER, Trinity Springs, Ind., Feb. 15, 1900.

A Sure Thing.

"Time will tell," said Mr. Wiseman, in oracular tones.

Mr. Sourdrop sniffed and observed: "If Time doesn't, some woman will."

It is hardly consistent to say that interest in the Bible is declining while 2,500,000 copies of it are being printed every year.

Horace Greeley once said: "Show me a drunkard who does not use tobacco, and I will show you a white blackbird."

ABSOLUTE SECURITY.

Genuine
Carter's
Little Liver Pills.

Must Bear Signature of
Brent Good

See Fac-Simile Wrapper Below.

Very small and as easy to take as sugar.

CARTER'S LITTLE LIVER PILLS.
FOR HEADACHE.
FOR DIZZINESS.
FOR BILIOUSNESS.
FOR TORPID LIVER.
FOR CONSTIPATION.
FOR SALLOW SKIN.
FOR THE COMPLEXION
GENUINE MUST HAVE SIGNATURE.
Price 25 Cents. Purely Vegetable.

CURE SICK HEADACHE.

Reality of Sin and Suffering.

If there is no sin, sorrow and pain in the world—if it is all an illusion—why did Jesus weep? If there were no pain in His death on the cross, why did He pray: "Father, if it be possible, let this cup pass from Me." If there was no atonement needed, why did He die? He was a man of sorrows and acquainted with grief—how could He sorrow over imaginary afflictions and be acquainted with griefs which had no reality?

Beets may be planted as late as July for a successive table crop. Ground that has been well limed suits well. For stock the sugar beet is considered one of the best. Mangel worzels grow to large size, but contain more woody fiber and are coarser than sugar beets, though they give larger yields.

Millions for Baseball.

A million of dollars are spent every year for baseball, but large as this is, it cannot equal the amount spent in search of health. We urge those who have spent much and lost hope to try Hostetter's Stomach Bitters. It strengthens the stomach, makes digestion easy, and cures dyspepsia, constipation, biliousness and weak kidneys.

Qualified.

"Do you know anything about drilling?" asked the sargeant.

"Faith, I kow all about it," replied the raw recruit. "I worked in a quarry for monny years before I j'ined th' army."

Tired, Weak

This is the condition when the blood loses its vitality. Appetite fails because food cannot be assimilated. Then the strength rapidly declines. Hood's Sarsaparilla corrects matters at once—enriches and vitalizes the blood, creates an appetite and restores health and vigor. Get a bottle of Hood's today and let it do you the same good it is doing others.

Hood's Sarsaparilla

Is America's Greatest Medicine. Price $1.

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

Sweet corn may be forced at the start by using a little nitrate of soda around each hill after the plants are up, but plenty of manure should be used before the seed is planted. It is not difficult to have sweet corn until late in the season if plantings are made once a month, even as late as the first of August, with the dwarf varities. Stowell's Evergreen is still one of the favorites for a standard crop.

Duty.

Every good deed will find recognition from God, if not from man. God knows when to do it and how to do it. Let us do our duty, and, if the reward does not come, let us not be discouraged. The essence of duty is richer than any reward, and it is vastly better to win it than any reward.

CASTORIA

The Kind You Have Always Bought has borne the signature of Chas. H. Fletcher, and has been made under his personal supervision for over 30 years. Allow no one to deceive you in this. Counterfeits, Imitations and "Just-as-good" are but Experiments, and endanger the health of Children—Experience against Experiment.

What is CASTORIA

Castoria is a harmless substitute for Castor Oil, Paregoric, Drops and Soothing Syrups. It is Pleasant. It contains neither Opium, Morphine nor other Narcotic substance. Its age is its guarantee. It destroys Worms and allays Feverishness. It cures Diarrhœa and Wind Colic. It relieves Teething Troubles, cures Constipation and Flatulency. It assimilates the Food, regulates the Stomach and Bowels, giving healthy and natural sleep. The Children's Panacea—The Mother's Friend.

The Kind You Have Always Bought
Bears the Signature of
Chas. H. Fletcher.
In Use For Over 30 Years.
THE CENTAUR COMPANY, 77 MURRAY STREET, NEW YORK CITY.

(*The Famous German Wood Preserver*)

..AVENARIUS CARBOLINEUM..

WHICH PERMANENTLY DESTROYS

..CHICKEN LICE AND VERMIN..

One application is all that is required. It lasts for years. If your dealer cannot supply you, write for circulars and information to the following distributing agents: Perfection Pile Preserving Co., Seattle, Wash.; Fisher, Thorsen & Co., Portland, Oregon.; Whittier, Coburn & Co., San Francisco, Cal.

Mitchell Wagons

Are the best that can be made. Nothing is or can be superior to a Mitchell Wagon, because it is made of the best material—by experienced workmen—which, coupled with 65 years' experience in building wagons, during which time the manufacturers have had but one aim, and that to produce the best possible to build, is a guarantee of quality. If you buy a Mitchell Wagon, you get the best that can be made. AGENTS EVERYWHERE.—If none in your vicinity, we will sell to you direct. Send for circular.

MITCHELL, LEWIS & STAVER CO.
PORTLAND, OREGON.
Branches at Spokane, Seattle Salem, McMinnville, Medford and La Grande.
Mention this paper.

DON'T LET YOUR HARVEST SEASON FIND YOU WITHOUT A STUDEBAKER WAGON.

Made of the Best Materials, thoroughly seasoned, by competent workmen. It stands without an equal. Call on our Agent, or address
STUDEBAKER BROS. MANUFACTURING CO.,
320-338 East Morrison Street, Portland, Oregon.

Here's a Proposition

Isn't it reasonable to suppose that a firm of 30 years experience could tell you the best way to get good value for your money? If you are making improvements in your house, or building a new house, no matter how small or large the sum you wish to spend in electrical or gas fixtures, fireplaces, mantel furniture, etc., you will save money and be well suited if you consult THE JOHN BARRETT CO., 91 First Street, Portland, Oregon.

Dayton's Fly Killer

Used a few minutes evenings, will rid your house of Flies and Mosquitoes. No mark or stain left on the ceilings or walls. Works like magic. Price 25 cents. Write for booklet. Dayton Hardware Co., Portland, Oregon.

IF CLAIMANTS FOR PENSION Write to NA HAN BICKFORD, Washington, D. C., they will receive quick replies. 8 5th N. H. Vols. Staff 20th Corps. Prosecuting claims since 1878.

HARD WORKING WOMEN

Can find quick and permanent relief for serious and strength destroying troubles in

Moore's Revealed Remedy

Thousands have used it and thousands now praise it. It cures permanently. $1 per bottle at your druggist's.

SURE CURE FOR PILES

ITCHING Piles produce moisture and cause itching. This form, as well as Blind, Bleeding or Protruding Piles are cured by Dr. Bosanko's Pile Remedy. Stops Itching and bleeding. Absorbs tumors. 50c a Jar at druggists or sent by mail. Treatise free. Write me about your case. DR. BOSANKO, Philada., Pa.

JOHN POOLE, PORTLAND, OREGON, can give you the best bargains in general machinery, engines, boilers, tanks, pumps, plows, belts and windmills. The new steel 1 X L windmill, sold by him, is unequalled.

WHEN writing to advertisers please mention this paper.