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The right thing to do when you feel bilious is to take a dose of Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets. They will cleanse the stomach and regulate the liver and bowels. Try it. Price, 25 cents. Samples free at Mary A. Mee's drug store.

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Southbound, under this new arrangement, passengers holding proper transportation and Pullman accommodations may occupy these cars on the night leaving Portland until reaching Eugene at 12:32 a. m.

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Neglected Colds Threaten Life.

[From the Chicago Tribune.]
"Don't trifle with a cold," is a good advice for prudent men and women. It may be vital in the case of a child. Proper food, good ventilation, and dry, warm clothing are the proper safeguards against colds. If they are maintained through the changeable weather of autumn, winter and spring, the chances of a surprise from ordinary colds will be slight. But the ordinary light cold will become severe if neglected, and a well established ripe cold is to the germs of diphtheria what honey is to the bee. The greatest menace to child life at this season of the year is the neglected cold." Whether it is a child or adult, the cold slight or severe, the very best treatment that can be adopted is to give Chamberlain's Cough Remedy. It is safe and sure. The great popularity and immense sale of this preparation has been attained by its remarkable cures of this ailment. A cold never results in pneumonia when it is given. For sale by Mary A. Mee.

Ezra Meeker Back Home.

Seattle, Feb. 13.—Ezra Meeker, who is home from his long journey with an ox team across the continent, says he believes congress will pass the bill to appropriate \$50,000 to erect monuments on the old Oregon trail.

"The president is in favor of the bill," he said, "and before I left Washington I convinced a number of house members of the merit of the measure."

D. E. Davis, Dentist.

will be in his Central Point office on the following dates:
From Monday morning, March 16, to Saturday evening, March 21.
From Monday morning, April 13, to Saturday evening, April 18.
Watch for further announcements of later dates in these columns. 37tf

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The Pacific Monthly, published at Portland, is the leading magazine of the West. It is ably edited and beautifully illustrated. Its stories are clean, wholesome and interesting, all with more or less of a flavor of the West. Special articles on irrigation, stock-raising and similar industries are at once entertaining and instructive.

The Central Point Herald is a strictly local newspaper. The HERALD does its best to set forth the advantages of the Rogue River Valley, particularly that portion immediately adjacent and tributary to its town. It labors for the advancement and upbuilding of Central Point and vicinity and is entitled to the support of every citizen of this section of the Valley.

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The Men Who Speak Spanish.

Here in Argentina getting ready to celebrate the one hundredth anniversary of the beginning of her war for independence in 1910. She invites the Pan-American congress to meet that year in Buenos Ayres, her capital. The congress has met once in the United States, once in Mexico and once in Brazil. The ambition of Argentina to receive this honor is a reminder of the steady growth and future promise of the Spanish race in America. And the Spaniards in the old world are not declining. We quit knocking old Spain the moment our ships were done knocking holes in her navy, and we have never attributed our easy victory to inherent degeneracy of our foes. As a race the Spaniards have held their own in the world, although the mother country has not retained her once proud position among the world powers.

That the Spanish colonists in America did not cut loose from the mother country in order to have an easy time and "go to the dogs" on their own hook is shown by the progress that has been made in Latin-American countries in less than 100 years of free development. Not the least notable feature of this development is the persistence of the Spanish tongue in its purity, notwithstanding that the South American states have drawn from Europe thousands and thousands of immigrants speaking other tongues. To the Spanish speaking nations belongs today more than one-fourth of the surface of the globe. In that future alignment of races which it is often predicted the strife and competition of civilization will bring about, the Spaniards in point of numbers and distribution and also in the value and strategic importance of their holdings will find a leading place. The southern half of this hemisphere is a most favorable field for racial enlargement, and the Spanish element in occupation displays a vitality which gives hope of future greatness.

Swindling as a Fine Art.

Soon after Mrs. Chadwick was buried from her prison cell death exposed the career of another woman swindler, Mrs. Roberts, or Verneule, who lived in the millionaire district of New York city. Possibly both of the women had for a model the notorious Mme. Humbert of France. Mme. Humbert borrowed large sums from French capitalists on the strength of securities that were a myth. Mrs. Chadwick did the same, and the Verneule woman traded largely upon her supposed close connection with wealthy New Yorkers whose financial standing is as good as gold.

It is strange that men of business allow themselves to be tricked out of money by women who come to them with transactions which on their face appear to be of the ordinary type. Dealing with men, they are rarely caught. It is a bold man who attempts a wholesale raid on the coffers of another man who has had the sense to accumulate much money. This is a campaign calling for an adept. But when the tempter is a woman with good looks or volubility or attractive dress and manner the business man's caution capitulates in many cases. In an enormously wealthy period these episodes are to be expected. Woman's natural influence over the opposite sex does not wholly account for these vagaries. The craze for money paralyzes sense, and the subject of a dual hypnotism sees values where none exist. He takes the hook baited by a woman and is lost.

After the Concert.

"Why, how do you do, Eleanor?"
"Good morning, Penelope. Were you to the concert yesterday afternoon?"
"Yes, dear."
"What did you hear?"
"Oh, I heard Heille Keyser was engaged, and Ella's sister is going to marry Jack, and Nellie came near eloping with Paul, and Penryn and Charles have made up, and Elsie has broken off her engagement with that horrid count, and—"
"No, no, dear. I mean what pieces did you hear?"
"Now, would you believe I've clean forgotten? Come over this afternoon, dear, and I'll show you my programme."
Then they separated.

Considerate Judges.

The English Chief Justice Erle while trying a case at Northampton had, to his sorrow, to direct a jury against some poor people who had been scandalously but legally swindled. The result meant their being absolutely beggared. On the following morning an elderly gentleman on horseback made his appearance in the alley where the poor people resided. It was the judge. He had come to give them good advice and with it a sum of money that replaced them in their old position.

It was more timely aid than that extended by another judge who had wrongly directed a jury. He left in his will a sum of money to liquidate the debts of the man whom he had thus caused to lose his case.

The retirement of an army chaplain

for inability to take the horse-manship test will excite interested speculation as to the relation of religious instruction to physical prowess in the army. In the other arm of the service must a "sky pilot" be able to climb to the main-top?

PLANT FOODS.

Farmer's Opportunity to Save on the Fertilizer Bill.

By R. J. DAVIDSON, Virginia experiment station.

The elements necessary to the growth of plants may be divided into the following groups:
First.—Those that are furnished in abundance from air and water.
Second.—Those which are furnished in abundance from the soil.
Third.—Those which are not usually furnished in abundance in an available form from air, water or soil, as nitrogen, phosphorus and potassium.

Nitrogen is found in large quantities, chiefly in the uncombined or free state. It constitutes about four-fifths of our atmosphere. In this form it is only available to leguminous plants, such as peas, beans, clover, alfalfa, etc., through the influence of micro-organisms found in soils and living in nodules on the roots of plants of this family. In the case of all other plants the nitrogen is taken in only in combination with other elements. Combined with hydrogen it forms ammonia, which may be taken up in small quantities. With oxygen it forms nitric acid, and this combined with some elements in the soil forms nitrates. These are readily taken up by plants and form the principal source of the plant's nitrogen.

Expensive to Purchase.
Nitrogen is the most expensive element the farmer has to purchase. It costs at least three times as much as the phosphorus or potassium. It is also the element most likely to be deficient in the soil, as it is readily converted into soluble nitrates and in addition to being used up by plants is sometimes leached out of the soil. There is a large quantity of free nitrogen in the air. By growing leguminous crops we can obtain a portion of this nitrogen and store it up in the soil in fixed and available forms in the roots and stubble or in the whole crop turned under. We can thus repair in large measure the loss to the soil of this element without any cost and in addition obtain an excellent food for stock in the form of clover hay, alfalfa hay, etc. It will thus be seen how important it is for the farmer to grow one of more of these nitrogen gathering crops on his land as often as his system of rotation will permit and thus save purchasing this most expensive element of plant food. It is poor economy to buy what we can have for the taking, especially when the taking costs nothing.

SEEDLESS TOMATOES.

A Medium Small Variety With Flesh of Particularly Fine Flavor.

The production of any vegetable novelty always arouses interest among seed growers and gardeners. More or less of this work has been done by the experiment stations. For a number of years breeding experiments with vegetables have been carried on by Professor Halsted and his associates at the New Jersey experiment stations. Among the distinct and valuable productions secured in this work is a nearly seedless tomato. As is well known, each fruit of the ordinary tomato contains hundreds of seeds, while the form which Professor Halsted has developed seldom contains more than fifty seeds, and frequently there are not more than five or six and often none.

This variety has become pretty well established now and has been called Giant because of the very large size that the plant attains. It originated five or six years ago as a result of a cross of Golden Sunrise upon Dwarf Champion.

The flower clusters are small; flowers cup shaped, light lemon yellow, and the fruits few, medium small, light yellow and nearly seedless.

The flesh is particularly fine flavored. The plants flowered up to the killing frosts.

The type appears to be well fixed. Attempts to cross other sorts upon it have uniformly failed. Seedless fruits have also been produced by Professor Halsted on several varieties and crosses of tomatoes, due probably primarily to nonpollination with other conditions favorable to the stimulation of fruit production.

These crosses were quite uniformly dwarfed in size, many in a cluster being not larger than peas, but solid fleshed and often of good quality. In one instance the fruit had the flavor of the strawberry. Currant crossed upon Stone produced such fruit; likewise Crimson Cushion upon Sumatra. When Crimson Cushion was crossed upon Giant and Magnus many seedless fruits were produced, some of which were large enough for table use.

The work with seedless tomatoes is being continued and promises to result in the establishment of varieties with far less seeds than the sorts commonly grown.

Rotting of Potatoes.

The rotting of potatoes in storage is often a source of serious loss. The infection of the potatoes with the fungus occurs chiefly if not entirely in the field before digging. The infection is usually the result of diseased vines. The disease is transmitted in the majority of cases not directly through the vine, but indirectly through the soil. Potatoes may be infected directly in the field from spores introduced in the manure or from rotten potatoes spread upon or left in the land the preceding year.—C. D. Woods.

Productive Potatoes.

In a comparison of twenty-five varieties of potatoes Climax, Chenango White, Hammond Wonderful and Simon Model ranked first in productiveness, with yields in excess of 200 bushels of merchantable tubers per acre.—Massachusetts.

If You Love Her

Don't be afraid to tell her so. She will not hurt you. Brace up, be a brack and

"Pop the Question"

Don't make any mistake in the question; ask her sweetly and gently: "Dearest, will you join me in eating some of that delicious Candy at Sam Moore's Confectionery?"

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