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EDITORIAL.

Governor Chamberlain says he is surprised that the people of the East know so little about Oregon. I am surprised that the governor don't know that Oregon is well known.

A Missouri editor speaks of the weather: "It has been so hot and dry around here that the wagons go around here with their tongues out and ice has to be soaked all night before it will make lemonade."

While opening a box J C Mount of Three Mile Bay N Y ran a ten penny nail through the fleshy part of his hand I thought at once of all the pain and soreness this would cause me, he says and immediately applies Chamberlain's Pain Balm and occasionally afterwards. To my surprise it removed all pain and soreness and the injured parts were soon healed. For sale by All Dealers.

Wonderful Improvements.

The latest reports of the Harriman railway system shows some very interesting data which we deem exceedingly interesting to our readers, therefore we clip a number of excerpts which gives an idea of what this great railway system is doing.

"Evidently, President Harriman meant what he said when he told the merchants of San Francisco during his last visit that he proposed to make the Southern Pacific systems second to none in the world. He may not have said just those words but he gave that impression. Judging from recent reports taken from official records, this new moving power in western railway affairs does not propose by any means to distribute all his profits in dividends to the stockholders."

Into all these main lines as well as upon the branches, some of these millions of money have gone. All the expenditures being with the idea of establishing a railway system equal to any ever constructed. But the present plans of the directors will not stop here for the work now actually under way increase the figures above stated by several millions. The rapid development of a Pacific coast and western territory, and the remarkable awakening and increase of Pacific commerce, are the causes of these expenditures which put the railways on the footing demanded by the possibilities of the traffic, and the outlook, in the judgment of the far-seeing officials, warrants every confidence in the future.

Following is a report of produce in the Seio markets: Eggs, 30c doz. Chickens, 10c to 17c per lb. Geese, \$6.50 to \$7.50 per doz. Ducks, \$7 to \$8.50 per doz. Butter, 50c @ 60c per roll. Bacon, 14c lb. Hams, 15c lb. Lard, 15c lb. Potatoes, 30c per bu.

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Proverbs

"When the butter won't come put a penny in the churn," is an old time dairy proverb. It often seems to work though no one has ever told why.

When mothers are worried because the children do not gain strength and flesh we say give them Scott's Emulsion. It is like the penny in the milk because it works and because there is something astonishing about it.

Scott's Emulsion is simply a milk of pure cod liver oil with some hypophosphites especially prepared for delicate stomachs. Children take to it naturally because they like the taste and the remedy takes just as naturally to the children because it is so perfectly adapted to their wants.

For all weak and pale and thin children Scott's Emulsion is the most satisfactory treatment. He Learned a Great Truth. It is said of John Wesley that he once told to Mistress Wesley; Why do you tell that child the same thing over and over again "John Wesley, because once telling is not enough. It is for this same reason that you are told again and again that Chamberlain's Cough Remedy cures cold and grip that it counteracts any tendency of these diseases to result in pneumonia and that is pleasant and safe to take. For sale by All Dealers."

We will send you the penny, I. e., a sample free. Be sure that this picture in the form of a label is on the wrapper of every bottle of Emulsion you buy. SCOTT & BOWNE, Chemists, 409 Pearl St., N. Y. g. c. and \$1.00; all druggists.

COURT HOUSE NEWS.

License was issued for the marriage of Chas S. Davis and Martha Holverson.

The new assessment roll shows S E Young to be the heaviest individual tax payer in the county, paying on all interests approximately \$75,000.

Deeds recorded: J J Dolezal to J J Horsch and wife, 47.91 acres 2500. V J Shores to M J Mrachek, 7.91 acres 240. N M Newport to S E Young lot 1, 1/2 77M's ad Albany 1. J M Ralston to Andrew Skar 1 lot and 4 foot strip Letanona Mortgage for \$1000. 1960. Releases for \$1199 and \$1133.

Public Sale.

The undersigned will sell at public sale on his farm 5 1/2 miles south east of Stayton and 7 miles northeast of Seio, on Saturday, November 28, 1903, commencing at 10 o'clock a. m. the following property: 1 horse 4 years old, 1 mare 6 years old, 6 head of cows, 10 yearlings, 4 spring calves 50 head of sheep, 90 head of goats, 1 double disc plow, 2 common plows, 1 drill, 1 spring tooth harrow, 1 disc harrow, 1 large size cider mill, 1 wood sawing machine, 1 block and tackle grubbing outfit, some framing tools, and many other articles. J. L. CROSBANT, F. M. Shores, Auctioneer.

Do Good It Pays.

A Chicago man has observed that Good deeds are better than real estate deeds—some of the latter are worthless. Act kindly and gently show sympathy and lend a helping hand. You cannot possibly lose by it. Most men appreciate a word of encouragement more than substantial help. There are persons in this community who might truthfully say My good friend cheer up. A few doses of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy will rid you of your cold and their is no danger whatever from pneumonia when you use that medicine. It always cures. Sold by All Dealers.

Free Holiday Games Lion Coffee at your Grocer's. 60 different games—all new—one in each package.

ROMANCE OF A TOWN.

New Jersey Burg Reduced to Ruin by Extravagance.

Industrial Experiment That Came to Naught and Caused Wide-Spread Disaster—Flames Flash.

In the heart of a forest of stunted trees in Burlington county is an old blackened chimney, standing as headstone over the ashes of as many once happy homes, tell the story of the utter desolation of a prosperous village, says the Chicago Chronicle.

Batsto, existing now in name only, stood at the head of Little Egg harbor, on Mullica river. It clustered about a lake where once the Indians bathed, calling it Batsto, a bathing place. The Quakers settled around it and one of their number built in 1766 an iron furnace on the brink of its outlet. His name was Ball and the iron plate which was fastened in the stone wall recorded the building of this second iron furnace in the new country.

The region about Batsto was dotted with piles of wood covered with sand, and many men found employment burning charcoal for the furnaces. Under the Quakers the work of improvement went on vigorously. Mr. Ball was in charge of this work.

Working for Ball was a young Welshman, William Richards. At the Quaker's death Richards succeeded him and added vastly to the wealth of the little village. He paid the passage of immigrants and made them his retainers and on a knoll above the lake still stand the ruins of the stone mansion he built, with two-story wings. Under William Richards the foundry prospered. A town was laid out and the streets lined with alantithus and Buttonwood trees. A two-story brick store was built near the mansion. An office, warehouse, two large stone stables and many dwellings were erected. In 1812 William Richards died. He left six sons—Jesse, Samuel, Benjamin, George, William and Augustus.

Contentment reigned throughout the place. There were no walking delegates, labor unions, combinations of capital and Homestead riots in Batsto. The workmen loved Jesse Richards and no man was ever imposed upon. He looked well to their comfort and the happiness of their families.

In 1829 the foundry furnace was rebuilt and the date is inscribed on the old iron plate. By 1840 ten furnaces were busy in New Jersey, but the discovery of iron and coal in other states soon dealt them a heavy blow, and from this date Batsto began to trace its downfall. In 1848 the furnaces were so unprofitable that the fires were allowed to die out and they were never again relighted. Jesse Richards, in 1854, died, 72 years old, with three sons and three daughters

to enjoy his enormous fortune. As William had left to his sons a love of thrift and power, Jesse left to his a love of strong drink. Thomas, Samuel and Jesse were the executors of the estate and the will ordered the remaining factories to be run in their names. The broad acres and thriving village still returned a vast revenue.

They made Robert Stewart, who had been their father's secretary, their manager and they left Batsto for Philadelphia to lavish their wealth in every possible pleasure and dissipation. They demanded all the profits of the factories to supply them, and finding these inadequate in 1855 sold to Matlack & Allen, of Philadelphia, 30,000 acres of their land.

The workmen were left unpaid. Things went from bad to worse. At last they threw down their tools and the fires in the glass furnaces went out. The place busy for half a century was idle.

Thirty-five years ago the fires went out for the last time. A profitable market for the products of the entire county was dead. The farmers who left Mount Holly every week with great loads of pork and other necessities of life ceased to travel the beaten track to Batsto. No rent collector called upon the inhabitants of the dilapidated tenements and as one house became too old and rickety to live in they moved into another. Desolation hovered over everything. Not a member of the family remained there.

Of the sons who had so woefully mismanaged the grand estate, Thomas had died, Jesse occasionally visited the old place and Samuel resided in Philadelphia.

Mortgages had grown upon the village like moss upon the mill wheels and the court in Mount Holly gave Robert Stewart a judgment of \$20,000 against the estate and smaller ones to others. Joseph Wharton, of Philadelphia, bought up the mortgages and with the judgments the once prosperous village of Batsto and 6,000 acres satisfied a demand of about \$50,000. Mr. Wharton is known to-day as the greatest land proprietor in New Jersey.

On the night of February 23, 1874, a spark from the chimney of Robert Stewart's house burned his own dwelling and then the flames licked up the remaining tenement houses. Batsto was in ashes.

Turkeys Eaten on Thanksgiving. It is estimated that 6,000,000 turkeys are required to furnish the Thanksgiving dinner tables each year. That means over 50,000,000 pounds of meat, worth \$7,500,000. Of this sum the United States, Rhode Island, receives the largest share.

Plague Kills Huts. The plague scare has been responsible for the destruction of 167,000 rats in the London docks during the past 18 months.—N. Y. Sun.

COMMERCE GOES WESTWARD.

Saving of Time Turns Travel and Traffic Through the Western Hemisphere.

The European mails and passengers already go from London to eastern Asia by way of Canada, because it is shorter, and there is a saving of ten days in time. The limits imposed on cheap freight traffic from Europe to Asia are: The tolls through the Suez canal are an unlimited number of empty freight cars west bound. By building the largest ships in the world, even though they run under the more expensive American register, by filling the west-bound cars at a rate little more than cost of board and Mr. Hill knows that he can turn the export trade with western Asia from its 300-year-old way past India to the direct Pacific sea route past Alaska.

A Self-Protecting Envelope. An American has invented an envelope which records of itself any attempt to tamper with its contents. The flap is imbued with some chemical composition which, when operated upon by a dampening process or any other means of penetrating to its inclosure, records the transaction by causing the words "Attempt to open" to appear. It is thought that the inquisitive will think twice before pursuing their researches in face of such an invention.

Proceeds of a Pond.

There is a thrifty man in England who makes his living out of a pond. The water is about 13 acres in extent and close to a village street. For several years he has worked it for profit with good results, the crops being three in number—reeds, fish and water fowl. The fish are chiefly eels and pike, which are taken during the close season for duck. The latter are caught by means of traps and are sold to people. For these there seems to be a heavy demand at prices ranging from 2 a dozen for the female water hen to as much as \$15 for a pair of scamps or golden eye. From a list of the take it August it appears that the wife fowl taken are mallard teal, shovellers, tufted duck, gadwall, moor hen, water rail and dabchick.—Chicago Daily News.

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I was taken severely sick with kidney trouble I tried all sorts of medicines none of which relieved me. One day I saw an add of electric bitters and determined to try that. After taking a few doses felt relieved and soon thereafter was entirely cured and have not seen a sick day since neighbors of mine have been cured of rheumatism neuralgia liver and kidney troubles and general debility. This is what B. F. Bass of Fremont N. C. writes. Only one at E. C. Poery Druggist.

The Best Prescription for Malaria. Chills and fever is a bottle of Grove's Tasteless Chill Tonic. It is simply iron and quinine in a tasteless form. No cure—no pay. Price 50c.

THE FORD'S BLACK DRAUGHT THE GREAT FAMILY MEDICINE

Theford's Black-Draught has saved doctors' bills for more than sixty years. For the common family ailments, such as constipation, indigestion, hard colic, bowel complaints, chills and fever, biliousness, headaches and other like complaints no other medicine is necessary. It invigorates and regulates the liver, assists digestion, stimulates action of the kidney, purifies the blood, and purges the bowels of foul accumulations. It cures liver complaint, indigestion, sour stomach, dizziness, chills, rheumatic pains, headache, backache, kidney troubles, constipation, diarrhoea, biliousness, piles, hard colic and headache. Every druggist has Theford's Black-Draught in 25 cent packages and in mammoth size for \$1.00. Never accept a substitute. Insist on having the original made by the Chattanooga Medicine Company.

I believe Theford's Black-Draught is the best medicine on earth. It is good for any and everything. I have a family of twelve children, and for four years I have kept them on food and healthy with no doctor but Black-Draught. A. J. GREEN, Newark, La.

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At this season of the year our thoughts turn to heating stoves, and why not buy the best on the market? The SELLMORE Base Heater sold by us. HARDWARE, TINWARE, and a full line of stoves at bed rock prices For Cash.

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Special for Thanksgiving.

\$1. yd value 60 in bl'ch'd linen table clothing 85c. 1.25 yd val 60 in bl'ch'd linen table clothing 90c. 60c yd val 72 in bleach'd linen table clothing 50c. 50c yd val 60 in bleach'd linen table clothing 40c. 40c yd val 58 in Superior bleached damask 35c. 30c values table napkins 25c. 25c " " 20c. 1.25 " " 1.00. 1.75 " " 1.25. 2.25 " " 1.75. 3.00 " " 2.50.

4 25 val 67x69 in bl'ch'd table cloth with napkins to match 3.50. 6 50 val 68x87 in bl'ch'd table cloth with napkins to match 20x22 in 5 00.

Arm and Hammer Soda 5c. 10c can Pork and Beans 7c. 1 Pint bot. Swan's Liquid wash Amonia 7c. 1 Pint bot. Swan's Liquid wash Bluing 7c. 7 bars Silk Soap 25c. 3 pks Five Minute Mush 25c. 2 pks Arbuckle's Coffee 25c. 2 " Lion " 25c. 2 " Malta Ceres 25c. 1gc grade roasted Coffee 15c. 25c " " 20c. Star Tob., with tags, plug, 45c.

SPECIAL BEFORE THANKSGIVING \$3.00 Men's Stiff Hats, late block, black or brown, \$2.25. A very large line of Soft Hats to select from.

The season of the year is here when your feet should be kept dry. We have the rubbers for your feet, be you man, woman or child. Eggs, 36c per doz.

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WANTED—A trustworthy gentleman or lady in each county to manage business for an old established house of solid financial standing. A straight bona fide weekly salary of \$18.00 paid by check each Monday with all expenses direct from headquarters. Money advanced for expenses. Enclose self addressed envelope. Manager, 300 Carlton Bldg., Chicago. 1-4

No More Excursions On The C. & E. The popular Sunday Excursions to Newport have been discontinued and no more will be run to that point this season. Trains will run, however, every day except Sunday. EDWIN STONE, Manager.

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