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EDITORIAL.

A recent educational report from the commissioner of education a Washington relates some strange things concerning education in the island of Cuba. Boys are taught by men, girls are taught by women. There are no mixed schools. There are no public school houses. The teacher usually furnishes the house and lives in part of it. The course of study in most schools are limited to the catechism and the three Rs. Very simple and few methods of punishment are used, for the greater part seeming to spring from the quiet obedient nature of the children. Girls are taught needle work every Saturday. The children are decidedly quick and intelligent.

Court House News.

Circuit Court: New case—H Bryant agt T F Hickman to recover money wtih attachment. C C Bryant attorney.

License was issued for the marriage of Fred Elkins and Ella Bridge farmer of Halsey. J F Scott witness.

Probate: Final accounts filed in estates of John Bayant, Robt. Cary and W E Carroll.

One prisoner remains in the county jail, a man named Moores, who smashed a window in at Harrisburg.

Superintendent Jackson is home from a visit in the schools in and around Scio.

C W Pease and R J Munroe have filed claims to the North May Flower, Santiam district.—Democrat.

Real Estate Transfers.

Oregon to J A Bilyeu 73.99 acres 1,476.80

Dr A G Prill to J A Bilyeu 100x100 feet Scio 15

J R Pearl to J K Weber 31x105 feet Brownsville 74

J K Weatnerford to Edward Holloway 2 small pieces land 1

Peter Powell to Calvih Powell 55 acres 384

Peter Powell to J W Powell 4 acres; 1

Peter Powell to E C Powell et al 20 acres

Alice Dun to Chas Clayton, 1 lot Peoria 120

G W Wright to Anna C Prill tax deed Scio 3

First N Bank to X W Boom 5½ acres adjoining Albany 600

J K Riley to Malinda C Bilyeu 48 acres 1

E Poindexter to J A Dumond 1 lot bl 22 H's 2nd ad 1000
Mortgages for $400, 100, 1400
Satisfaction for $1400

Jos Leach to Jas Willoughby 5 lots Harrisburg 696

First National Bank to Mrs Sidney A Burnett lot bl 1 H's 2 ad lot bl 13 E A 2400

Ella F Hedrich to J F Capels 10 acres 100

Louis M Johnson to J J W Grimes 240 acres 716

L M Johnson to F E Grimes 180 acres 602
Mortgages for $100 and $700.

Dst Hugh Brown to Samuel White ¾ tracts land; $4630

Deeds recorded:

Mary Sargent to C W Hatton 10 acres 100

A W McDonald to H W Settlemier lot 1 bl 24 H's 2nd ad 1500

Richard L Malone to Peter Bither 241.42 acres 1400

Albert Hunt to Wm M Downing 160 acres 1100

V J Shores to Winston Young 25.83 acres 770

Alex Kirk to Samuel Baker 2 lots Bsownsville 525

A T McCully to Halsey I & B Co 6 lots Halsey 550

America One Hundred Years Ago.

There was not a public library in the United States.

An old copper mine in Connecticut was used as a prison.

There was only one hat factory and that made cocked hats.

Every gentleman wore a cue and powdered his hair.

Crockery plates were objected to because they dulled the knives.

Virginia contained a fifth of the population of the whole country.

A man who jeered at the preacher or criticised the sermon was fined.

A gentleman bowing to a lady always scraped his foot on the ground

Two stage coaches bore all the travel between New York and Boston.

A day laborer considered himself well paid with two shillings a day.

Buttons were scarse and expensive, and the trousers were fastened with pegs or laces.

A new arrival in jail was set upon by his fellow prisoners and robbed of every thing he had.

When a man had enough tea he placed his spoon across his cup indicate that he wanted no more.

Leather breeches, a checked shirt, a red flannel jacket and a cocked hat formed the dress of an artisian.

The church collection was taken in a bag at the end of a pole, with a bell attached to arouse sleepy contributors.—Ex.

The Telephone And The Farmer.

Have you ever thought how many hours out of every week can be saved for yourself, your family and your teams by the assistance of the telephone? Have you ever calculated the minutes that can be gained in case of sickness or business emergencies? Have you ever thought of the dollars that you might gain were you only in close touch with markets? Can you conceive to be derived from having in your home means of immediate communication with relatives, neigheors or friends, situated miles away?

The telephone will pay for itself by getting better market prices.

It will save several dollars every month by avoiding needless trips to town.

It will deliver and receive telegrams and important messages immediately and without expense.

It will keep you informed on weather predictions.

It will order repairs instantly when machines bteak down.

It will do the visiting and make social calls without the trouble of "dressing up" ane making a dusty, sultry or freezing ride.

It will get a doctor on a moment's notice, and maybe save a loved ones life.

It will get election returns as soon asthey are in.

It will keep the boys on the farm and also the daughters.

It will make home happier, brighter and better, and more delightful in a thousand different ways.

Proggressive farmers throughout the country are installing telephones in their homes, and in the near future every agriculturist will have direct communication with the outside world.—Chronicle.

Janitor and Judge Clash.

Just a little clothes brush which Circuit Judge George needed for the dusting of his wearing apparel, and which he did not get, came within an ace of costing Squire George Underwood, one of the oldest janitors in the county courthouse his office yesterday morning.

About a month ago Judge George discovered that his clothes brush was unfit for use, and through Underwood, who is the janitor of his department of the court, he filed a requisition for a new brush with the county commissioners. County Judge Webster was out or the city and other members of the county board voted Judge George's requisition and Underwood so reported. Another requisition brought a similar response. Judge George made a personal visit to County Judge Webster yesterday. What happened at the conference is known only to the two judges, but everybody around the courthouse is familiar with the subseqnent occurance.

Judge George, so the story runs said that Underwood had failed to make a correct report after the requtsition had been sent to the county, and did not know his business.

"I want men who know their business," exclaimed the indignant judge.

These words reached the ears of Underwood, and he made it his business to see the judge.

"I know my business as well as you do yours," he said, "and if you do not want me you can get another janitor."

With that the eloquy ended. Ungerwood is still on duty at the court house.—Portland Journal.

Three Chinamen's Fortune.

It is good fortune that has fallen to the portion of the three Chinamen who hold a lease on the S. N. Lilly hopyard. Two seasons of fine prices for hops have made them rich enough to live on the fat of the land should they return now to the Flowery Kingdom. In China, as well as in some other countries, the length of a man's purse is the mark of his importance, and thus measured, the Chinese hop kings in question, would be Lords among their lowly countrymen of the Orient.

It was three years ago that the Chinamen took a lease for five years on the Lilly yard. The yard comprises forty acres, and is perhaps as good a yard so far as soil conditions are concerned, as there is in Oregon The soil is strong and finely adopted to hop production, and the hop product is always of the finest quality and a sure winner of top prices.—Corvallis Times.

You Know What You Are Taking

When you are taking Grove's Tasteless Chill Tonic because the formula is plainly printed on every bottle showing that it is simply Iron

Holiday Games FREE

Inside each pound package of

Lion Coffee

will be found a **FREE** game. 60 different games. All new.

At Your Grocer's.

THE AZTEC CALENDAR.

Curious Relic in the City of Mexico That Was Carved Over Four Centuries Ago.

One of the curiosities of all ages is built in the wall of the cathedral in the City of Mexico. It is the Aztec calendar, carved in 1512. While being carted to its destination it broke down a bridge and fell to the bottom of the lake in which the city was built, killing priests and people. With great difficulty it was raised out of the water. With other objects of heathen worship it was afterward buried in the marsh, as the best way to get rid of it, and there it lay hidden for two centuries. In 1790 the Spanish viceroy allowed it to be built into the cathedral on condition that it should be preserved and exposed always in a public place. It is now, however, held as the property of the National museum, says the New York Press.

The Aztec calendar is a solid piece of stone, 12 feet in diameter. It divides time into cycles, years and days. Fifty-two years constitute a cycle; the year 365 days, with five intercalary days wholly devoted to human sacrifices. Each year had 18 months of 20 days each, and each month four weeks of five days each. The days had such names as Sea Animal, Small Bird, Monkey, Rain, etc., and each of the 20 days had a different name. The points of the compass were named Reed, House, Flint and Rabbit, instead of east, west, north and south. When an Aztec said: "I am going House on Sea Animal," he meant that he was starting west on Monday. The month of March was called Victims Flayed Alive, while July's title was Garlands of Corn on the necks of Idols.

HEAD DEADLY WEAPON.

So Declared by a West Virginia Judge in a Case of Assault and Battery.

According to a ruling in the circuit court at Welch, McDowell county, W. Va., a negro's head is considered "a dangerous and deadly weapon," says a report from that section. Frank Martin brought suit for $2,000 against James Knox, a prominent attorney at Welch, for damages sustained by being pounded with a pair of steel knucks. Martin is a colored man and has a head of abnormal proportions. The testimony in the case was that Martin became incensed at the attorney, while the latter was in his place of business, and that the negro bowed low and started to "butt" the attorney out of his shop.

The attorney swore on the stand that he regarded the negro's head as "a dangerous and deadly weapon," and that to defend himself and probably save his life he dealt him a few blows with steel knucks. Evidence was adduced which went to show that Martin had at different times "butted" people out of his shop. The judge gave a verdict in favor of the defendant, ruling that under the circumstances he regarded the negro's head as a "dangerous and deadly weapon," and that the attorney acted in self-defense.

KING EDWARD'S STRAY DOG.

An Irish Terrier That Has Become a Great Favorite with England's Ruler.

Dignity, pomp and etiquette are particularly strong points with Edward VII., says a London correspondent of the London Herald, and woe betide any light-minded subject who overlooks the smallest detail of dress or deportment in the royal presence—that is, woe betide all such subjects save one. The exception is Jack, a stray Irish terrier which strolled into Marlborough house not long ago, adopted the king without leave or ceremony, took charge of his majesty forthwith and has helped to run the empire ever since.

It can be said without exaggeration that no one item of the business of the king of England gets so much attention daily as the care of Jack. His food and exercise are personally supervised by his royal comrade and the general question of his health and conduct are a matter of personal concern to the king.

Geer Turns Editor.

Salem, Ore., Dec. 7.—It was announced today that ex-Governor T. T. Geer has aquired an interested in the Salem Statesman and will become manager editor tomorrow It is understood that R, J. Hendricks, the present manager. still holds a controlling interest in the paper.

Card of Thanks.

To all those kind friends and neighbors who assisted us in the sickness and at the death and burial of our beloved babe, we wish to express our heartfelt thanks.

MR. AND MRS. JOS. WARWICK.

Remember that it will be many, many years before the poultry industry will be overdone on the Pacific coast, if not the United States. Get into the chicken business as one of the industries on your farm, and get there quick. Theres always money (yes, plenty of money) in such "livestock."

This is a good time to draw dirt away from peach trees, and with a sharp, crook ed awl dig out the borers and bank up with dry, slacked lime. It is sure death to them; or give the trees a coat of whitewash, putting in a little carbolic acid and kerosene.

The demand for sheep is good and the prices are looking a little better. Good mixed lots, if fat and weighing from 90 to 105 pounds are selling around 3 cents; good fat lambs are bringing $3.25 per hundred, with very few offering; there is a very little demand for old shelly ewes or heavy sheep.

A large and fine display of Suropshire sheep is being planned for the universal exposition of 1904.

PROFIT

The matter of feed is of tremendous importance to the farmer. Wrong feeding is loss. Right feeding is profit.

The up-to-date farmer knows what to feed his cows to get the most milk, his pigs to get the most pork, his hens to get the most eggs. Science.

But how about the children? Are they fed according to science, a bone food if bones are soft and undeveloped, a flesh and muscle food if they are thin and weak and a blood food if there is anemia?

Scott's Emulsion is a mixed food; the Cod Liver Oil in it makes flesh, blood and muscle, the Lime and Soda make bone and brain. It is the standard scientific food for delicate children.

Send for free sample.

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.
50c. and $1; all druggists.

A Costly Mistake.

Blunders are sometimes very expensive, Occasionally life itself is the price of a mistake, but you'll never be wrong if you take Dr King's New Life Pills for Dyspepsia Dizziness, Headache, Liver or Bowel troubles. They are gentle yet thorough. 25c at E C Peery's drug tore.

I've stopped my paper, yes I hev,
I didn't like to do it.
But the editor he got too smart,
And I allow he'll rue it.
I am a man as pays his debts.
And won't be insulted.
So when an editor gets smart,
I want to be consulted.
I've took his paper 'leven years,
And helped him all I could, sir,
An' when it comes to dunnin' me,
I didn't think he would, sir.
But that he did and you can bet
It made me hot as thunder.
Says I, I'll stop the sheet. I will
If the cussed thing goes under!
I nunted up the measly whelp
An' for his cunning caper
I paid him 'leven years and quit!
Yes sir, I've stopped his paper."

Notice.

There come to my place about June 1st, three heifers, two red and one a white roan. One marked with under bit, other two not marked. Owner can have same by paying for pasturage and this notice.

H. C. MILLER.

EXECUTORS NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned has been duly appointed by the County Court of Linn County, Oregon, as the executors of the last will and testament of David Henry Johnston deceased. Any and all persons having claims against said estate are hereby notified to present the same to the undersigned at Scio, Linn County, Oregon, within six months from the date of this notice, duly verrified as required by law.

Dated this 27th day of Nov. A. D. 1903.

GEORGE CHRISTIE JOHNSTON
HENRY SIBBELD JOHNSTON
Executors.

Weatherford & Wyatt,
Attys for Exrs.

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Land Office Questions.

A reader of theata Union who has been through the "mill" with the land officials, has handed into this office for publication the following questions pronounced to him by the special agent. As they were reproduced from memory some of them may be a little out of the way, but we believe them to be fairly correct:

When and where were you born, and are you sorry it happened?

Were any of your ancestors ever hung and what for?

Are you taking up this land to defraud the government, and if so, why are you so wicked?

If you build a mill on this land will you sell the lumber or give it away?

What is your business and what do you save each month?

Do you know the difference between speculation and doctrine of infant damnation?

Were you ever married and if so how did you happen to be so careless

Who are the greatest smashers, Del Norte timber locator or Carrie Hatchetnantion?

What is your laundry mark and how often do you send your clothes to wash?

Is the land office larger than the supreme court, and if so, why not?

Do you use Force, and what is your opinion of sawdust as breakfast food?

What is home without an auto?

Are you in favor of expansion and what is your chest measurenent?

How far is it from here to there, and if not, why so?

Were you ever in jail, and who bailed you out?

Is it true that you stole the money from the little boy's bank to pay for this claim?

Tell all your private affairs which have taken place since childhood and not revealed by the above questions?

Are you a union man, or a scab?

Were you ever in love, and how long before you came to?

How many running feet of logs is there on your claim and how long will it take you to cut down all the trees, working 16 hours a day?

Who is the author of the famous saying, "Back to the Woods?"

Now will you be good?

Who hit Billy Patterson and what will be the outcome?—Lakeview Herald.

TheBest 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.

Mrs. Laura S. Webb,
Vice-President Woman's Democratic Clubs of Northern Ohio.

"I dreaded the change of life which was fast approaching. I noticed Wine of Cardui, and decided to try a bottle. I experienced some relief the first month, so I kept on taking it for three months and now I menstruate with no pain and I shall take it off and on now until I have passed the climax."

Female weakness, disordered menses, falling of the womb and ovarian troubles do not wear off. They follow a woman to the change of life. Do not wait but take Wine of Cardui now and avoid the trouble. Wine of Cardui never fails to benefit a suffering woman of any age. Wine of Cardui relieved Mrs. Webb when she was in danger. When you come to the change of life Mrs. Webb's letter will mean more to you than it does now. But you may now avoid the suffering she endured. Druggists sell $1 bottles of Wine of Cardui.

WINE OF CARDUI

Corvallis & Eastern R. R.

TIME CARD.

No. 2. For Yaquina:—
Train leaves Albany..... 12.45 P. M
" " Corvallis..... 2.00 "
" arrives Yaquina..... 6.20 "

No. 1, returning:
Leaves Yaquina..... 6.45 A. M
Leaves Corvallis..... 11.30 "
Arrives Albany..... 12.15 P. M

No. 3, For Detroit:—
Leaves Albany..... 7.00 A. M
Arrives Detroit..... 12.20 P. M

No. 4, from Detroit:—
Leaves Detroit..... 1.06 P. M.
Arrives Albany..... 5.55 P. M.

Train No. 1 arrives in Albany in time to connect with the S. P. south bound train, as well as giving two or three hours in Albany before departure of S. P. north bound train or Portland.

Train No. 2 connects with the S. P. West Side train at Corvallis Crossing for Independence McMinnville and all points north to Portland.

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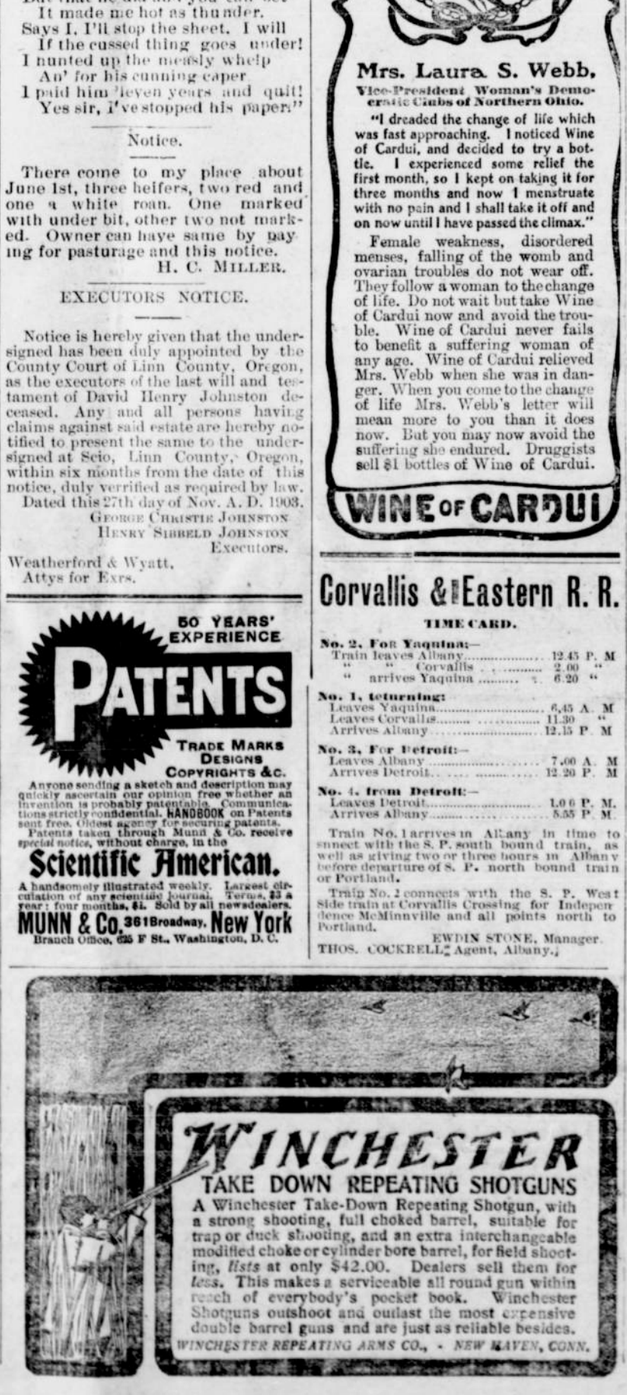
THOS. COCKRELL, Agent, Albany.



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A Winchester Take-Down Repeating Shotgun, with a strong shooting, full choked barrel, suitable for trap or duck shooting, and an extra interchangeable modified choke or cylinder bore barrel, for field shooting, *lists* at only $42.00. Dealers sell them for *less*. This makes a serviceable all round gun within reach of everybody's pocket book. Winchester Shotguns outshoot and outlast the most expensive double barrel guns and are just as reliable besides.

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CHRISTMAS

WILL SOON BE HERE.

And everybody will expect a present of some kind. Even though small, costing but a few pennies, it will not be forgotten.

She would appreciate a pair of Xmas Slippers.

Ladies Blue Nullifier Slippers, $1.50 value for 90c
Ladies warm sole slippers, $1.25 value for 90c
Ladies Fur Trimmed Up Slippers, 1.50 value for $1.
Ladies Oriental trimmed Slippers. 1.75 value for 1.00

An Xmas Present He Would Like.

Gentlemens wine opera Slippers, reg. $2.50 for 1.90

Gentlemens tan monkey skin Slippers 1.00

Gentlemens velvet embroidered Slipers 50c

Children's Xmas Slippers.

Red felt fur trimmed Slippers, 50c per pair

Large sizes. 75c and 90c

Did you ever think how appropriate a pair of Blankets would be for Xmas.
We have them from 45c to 1.00 pairs

Santa Never Makes Mistakes.

He has been known to make present of Rugs, Carpets and Tapestry Portiers

Black Dress Goods Was Never known to be wrong for Xmas

Can be had at 20c to $3.00 the yard. A nice line of Novelty Dress Goods in white and colors.

$10 Men's Suits for $7.58
$8 " " 6.00
$16 Men's Overcoats at 11.78

Xmas Suspenders in Fancy Boxes,
A suit of Clothing for the Boy

G. D. TROTTER,

STAYTON - OREGON.

DOLLS ChEAP

The town is flooded with dolls, for this reason we offer the following prices, with the same low price on all laege dolls:

14 inch Best Kid Body Dolls, Bisque Heads.....25c
17 " " " " " " " 58c
20 " " " " " " " 65c
Fancy Dressed Dolls.....25c

$10 DOLL FREE

See the beauty in our East Window and get narticulars in the DRY GOODS DEPARTMENT.

IMPORTED CHINA

Beautiful decorated patterns for Xmas Presents.

HANDKERCHIEFS

500 Handkerchiefs in plain hemstitched, embroidereds and Lace trimmed every one worth 15 to 25c. Our Xmas price

5c to 10c each

Sales on waistings

Your choice of all $2.75 beautiful Mercerized and Oxfords Waistings FOR ON LY $1.98 pattern,

SHOES

Makes good useful Xmas presents and during our Xmas Sale we will make big reductions on all our popular priced Shoes. 100 styles of our popular $2.50 and $3.00 Shoes for $2.25. Ten pair to one of any Shoe store in the valley.

USEFUL PRESENTS FOR THE MEN FOLKS

TIES, MUFFLERS, SWEATERS, SILK HANDKERCHIEFS, HATS, HOUSE SLIPPERS and for instance a nice Suit of Clothes

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Department Store,

Albany Oregon.

Sanders CASH STORE

WE SAVE YOU MONEY

If its here it is good
If its good it is hera

For Fall season of 1903 we are bigger and better—have occupied the room which P. Cohen vacated and added a line of Men's Clothing and Overcoots, Rubber Goods, Hats, etc, giving us the newest stock in the city, and to introduce the line we shall make tempting prices.

Men's Suits $5.00 and up. Men's Overcoats $4.50 and up.
Men's Pants 85c and up. Men,s Shirts 38c and up.

LADIES SKIRTS
New line just received.
Good Skirts $1.25. Others $1.50, $2.00, and up.

Ladies Jackets

Ladies new style coat $3.50 Ladies collarless coat $5.00
" Zibiline " $6.00 " kersy " $8.50

.....Shoes.....

Men's shoes, good grade $1.25. Box calf $2.00. Hercules waterproof
Full sine of ladies and childrens shoes and our prices can't be beat.

Plankets 50c to $8.00.

Men's heavy sanitary fleeced underwear.....50c
Wool underwear.....90c up
Childrens heavy fleeced underwear, all sizes.....25c

A line of dress goods that will please the most dressy dressers of Oregon at prices to please you. We are showing the newest goods of the season.

SANDERS CASH STORE,

ALBANY - OREGON

Grove's Tasteless Chill Tonic

has stood the test 25 years. Average Annual Sales over One and a Half Million bottles. Does this record of merit appeal to you? No Cure, No Pay. 50c.

Enclosed with every bottle is a Ten Cent package of Grove's Black Root, Liver Pills.