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Many letters similar to this have been published testifying to the merit of Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound. They are sincere expressions from women who describe as best they can their feelings before and after taking this well-known medicine.

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LOCAL DELEGATION OPPOSES BUILDING NEW HIGH SCHOOL

The local school board held its regular meeting in the high school building last night and after disposing with routine business heard a delegation composed of Messrs. W. E. Phipps, J. O. Gray, E. C. Gaddis, Volney Dixon, John White and Dr. J. M. Keene who with Mayor Gaddis, acting as spokesman, addressed the members of the board on general principles of tax reduction and "retrenchment." Mayor Gaddis explained that the community was bearing a heavy tax burden and said that as a representative of the city he had an interest in the action of any tax levying body and was there to suggest methods whereby economy could be enforced.

Mayor Gaddis informed the members of the board that they "had no right at this time to even think of the building of a new high school." He continued to show the weight of the debt on the people of Medford, adding the state, county, city, irrigation district and private debts together and showing that the community owed a debt equal to about three-fourths of its valuation. In doing this he estimated private debts at \$1500 per capita. He urged the expenditure of \$50,000 in enlarging the old high school building, instead of the building of a new high school.

Dr. J. M. Keene followed Mayor Gaddis and stated that the salary of the school officials from superintendent to teacher should be reduced about thirty per cent and made the statement that often better teachers could be secured when salaries were reduced. A board member took issue with him on the latter point and he agreed that when a better instructor was obtained for less money that it was the exception rather than the rule. Much more was heard from Messrs. Gaddis and Keene along the same line with variations and the two agreed that this was a period of "retrenchment."

Rev. F. R. Leach who happened in to request the school board for the use of the high school building for church services during the summer months this year, when the new Baptist church will be under construction, entered the field and stated that a new high school is at the present time the greatest need of the community and opposed the expenditure of \$50,000 on the old building which, he stated, is large enough at present for a junior high school. He pointed out that the added space would not be utilized when a new high school would be put into service and the old building used for a junior high. In reference to the salary cut he stated that people could not expect to get more than they paid for and that if salaries were cut the teaching staff would at once drop to an inferior standard. He stated that he for one was a tax payer and that he was in favor of building a new high school despite a rise in taxes. "The opponents of a new high school are not willing to give," said he. "That's the trouble, but money doesn't amount to everything. It's the kind of young men and young women that our community produces that really counts."

Messrs. Gaddis and Keene both spoke a second time and stated that they were there in the interest of the "poor laboring man who has no assurance of year-round employment and finds it hard to pay his taxes."

Mayor Gaddis explained that the old building with improvement and enlargement as already planned by C. H. Burgraf, the original architect, could be used for four or five years until the community is in a position to finance a new building.

A. H. Miller and Ralph Woodford appeared and registered a kick against buying of school supplies out of town before first securing prices from them.

New Sporting Goods Store to Open Here

The Medford Hardware and Sporting Goods store will introduce itself to the people of Medford and southern Oregon Saturday, the day set for the opening, and M. M. Herman, its proprietor, promises everybody a real up-to-the-minute addition to Medford's business establishments. The new firm is located at 327 East Main street in the building formerly occupied by the Truax store and C. A. Pruitt. The old location has been completely remodeled into a modern, attractive store room. Sporting goods, hardware, leather goods, paints and building materials will be handled by the Medford Hardware and Sporting Goods company and a very attractive stock will be displayed at the opening Saturday.

M. M. Herman, the proprietor of this new firm, is well known in this section, having owned a sporting goods store in this city eight years ago. Mr. Herman expects to feature high quality merchandise and special service which will insure the success of his undertaking. Al Piche, former manager of the Southern Oregon Hardware company, is assisting Mr. Herman in managing the Medford Hardware and Sporting Goods store. He is well known in this city and his presence will help to popularize this store.

SCORES OF SHIPS WRECKED
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report that the Tuscan Prince was aground near Estevan, B. C.

ASTORIA, Ore., Feb. 15.—The steamer Santa Rita was sinking on rocks off Tatoosh and a terrific south-east gale was blowing at 5:34 a. m. when the vessel sent out S. O. S. calls picked up by the Astoria radio station. The station here had received no further word from the Santa Rita up to 9:30.

The last received from the steamer Tuscan Prince was an S. O. S. at 4:20 a. m. saying she was ashore but giving no location.

Another Schooner Ashore
VICTORIA, B. C., Feb. 15.—A wireless report from the Estevan wireless station says an unknown three-masted schooner is ashore near Carmanah, on Vancouver Island. Men from Clo-Ose have left for the scene. It is not believed this vessel is the Tuscan Prince.

SEATTLE, Feb. 15.—A three-masted schooner is ashore five miles west of Carmanah light, on the Vancouver Island coast, said a wireless message from Vancouver, B. C., received by the Seattle harbor department radio station here at 10:25 a. m. The message said the information had been received by land telegraph wire.

Ship Total Loss

SEATTLE, Feb. 15.—The steamer Tuscan Prince, which went ashore a few miles south of Cape Flattery early today is undoubtedly a total loss. Harold Burchard, representative here for the Furness-Withy company, agents for the Prince Line, limited, of London, owners of the vessel, said at 8:10 this morning.

The Tuscan Prince was commanded by Captain J. Chivers and had a crew of 42 men aboard.

At that hour nothing was known of the fate of the crew of the vessel, and her position could not be determined. The Tuscan Prince was due in Port Townsend, Wash., this morning and from this it was taken she was nearing the entrance to the strait of Juan de Fuca when the accident occurred.

Italian Ship Sinking

NEW YORK, Feb. 15.—The Italian steamship Moncenisio, Norfolk, Va., for Marseilles was sinking today about 510 miles east of Cape Henry, Va., according to wireless reports picked up here.

The steamer Carplaka, New Orleans for Havre, picked up the Moncenisio's distress call when 77 miles from the sinking craft and shifted her course to go to the Moncenisio's assistance.

Boat Burns, Crew Saved

SEATTLE, Feb. 15.—The coast guard cutter Snohomish has taken all members of the crew from the steamer Nika which has burned to the water's edge.

This information was contained in a message from the commander of the Snohomish received at 8:03 a. m. No details were given and the position of the ship was not stated.

SEATTLE, Feb. 15.—With a heavy easterly gale blowing at full strength

off the Washington coast, meager radio messages filtered in to the different Puget Sound receiving stations told of four vessels in distress and imminent danger of destruction.

The steamer Nika, which last night reported herself rudderless in the vicinity of dangerous Umatilla reef early today was reported ashore. The steamer Tuscan Prince had gone ashore in an unknown position somewhere south of Cape Flattery and was reported "breaking up fast."

The steamer Santa Rita rushed to the aid of the Nika, struck a rock near the entrance to the Strait of Juan de Fuca and her captain reported she was "sinking fast," but that she would keep afloat until help arrived.

The motorship Cocleha, aground near Victoria, B. C., was in a dangerous position and it was said could not be salvaged.

Rescue Ships Rushed
Summoned by the wireless calls for help, at least three vessels were steaming at full speed to the rescue. The coast guard cutter Algonquin, off the mouth of the Columbia river, was searching for the Tuscan Prince, the coast guard cutter Snohomish was attempting to reach the Nika, and the steamer Kewanee was in sight of the Santa Rita at 6:30 a. m., and preparing to give every aid.

INCOME TAX PASSES HOUSE

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Without debate, the senate unanimously passed the bill which previously had passed the house.

A minority report of the senate judiciary committee recommending that the measure be not effective until January 1, 1924, was not accepted. The measure was advocated by the American Legion and opposed by the Portland chamber of commerce.

Governor Pierce today signed a companion measure requiring county assessors to list all Chinese and Japanese who own, lease or operate real property in Oregon.

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SALEM, Ore., Feb. 15.—The house today killed the bill introduced by the house committee on roads and highways providing for a reduction on license fees of automobiles that have paid licenses for four years to a flat rate of \$15.

After a fight the senate passed the house bill introduced by the committee on assessment and taxation providing that a tax supervising and conservation commission in every county of the state similar to one now functioning in Multnomah county. It provides for the appointment of each commission by the governor.

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Mr. James H. Allen of Rochester, N. Y., the discoverer of Allenhu, who for many years suffered the tortures of acute rheumatism, desires all sufferers to know that he does not want a cent of anyone's money unless Allenhu decisively conquers this worst of all diseases, and he has instructed druggists to guarantee it as above in every instance. All druggists can supply you. Adv.

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NEW DRESSES:—

Plain and fancy Crepe Dresses display an amazing penchant for variation in style and trimming. Sports dresses gaily ally themselves with Fru Fru and printed silks. Afternoon dresses of yielding crepes and chiffon adopt a host of beautiful colors. Priced \$18.50 to \$57.50.

NEW WRAPS:—

For street, sports, dress and automobile wear, new wraps have come from the fashion centers. There are new top coats—longer than those of former seasons, sheath-like wrap coats and frequently capes. Bands of embroidery and braid oftentimes bedeck these new spring models. A wonderful early showing of these new garments. Priced \$12.50 to \$75.



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