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That's It!

Cough yourself into a fit of spasms and then wonder why you don't get well. If you will only try a bottle of Ballard's Horehound Syrup your cough will be a thing of the past. It is a positive cure for Coughs, Influenza, Bronchitis and all Pulmonary diseases. One bottle will convince you—at your druggist, 25c, 50c and \$1. Sold by Chas. N. Clarke.

Father Klein left on the local Saturday for a trip up the road. Jas. Wallace came to Hood River to spend the holidays Saturday. Jas. Stranahan went to Portland Thursday for a few days visit. Mr. and Mrs. Sherman Frank went to The Dalles Saturday for a visit. Mr. and Mrs. Long were passengers to Portland on the local Saturday. J. A. Byrne, of White Salmon, was a visitor at Hood River last week. Mr. and Mrs. Chas. T. Early and son went to the metropolis Monday. Mrs. Howard Isenberg, of Cascade Locks, came up to Hood River for a visit Saturday. Mr. and Mrs. E. Young, of Albany, spent the holidays at the residence of Rev. Sprecher. Miss Adele Goff, who is attending school at Eugene, came home for the holidays Saturday. Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Jayne and family went to Portland on the local Monday to spend Christmas. C. R. Bone went to Portland Saturday to stay over Christmas. He will be joined there by Mrs. Bone. Mrs. Adelia Moe left Sunday night for Dayton, Wash., to visit her son, H. G. Moe, for a few weeks. A. H. Jewett was called to San Francisco Saturday by the critical illness of his sister who resides there. Miss Pearl Eccles, who is well known here, was married recently at Ogden and is now residing at Salt Lake. L. J. Fritz, of The Dalles, came to Hood River for a visit Saturday in connection with his duties. Miss F. Cooper who is spending the winter in Portland where she is studying music, returned home Friday for the holidays. Miss Mabel Paulson, stenographer in the office of S. F. Fouts, went to her home at Oregon City Saturday to spend Christmas. R. S. Smith succeeded to the position of night operator at the O. R. & N. station. Mr. Smith came here from Pendleton. John Grove, of St. Paul, and H. W. Thompson, of the Wind River Lumber Co. were at Hood River last week on a business trip. John S. Finney, who is connected with the American Type Foundry Co., and is located at Seattle, was at Hood River for several days last week. E. H. Shepard left town Saturday for Portland where he will spend Christmas with Mrs. Shepard who is staying there for a few weeks. Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Eccles and Mrs. Nettie Eccles left Thursday night for Ogden to spend Christmas. W. E. Eccles and wife left Wednesday for the same place. Virgil Winchell took his little daughter, Margaret, to Portland Thursday, where she was placed in the North Pacific Sanitarium, suffering with pneumonia. She is reported doing as well as could be expected. During the flood which took place last week the boom of the Menominee company at the mouth of the White Salmon river broke and several hundred thousand feet of logs are reported to have been lost. An effort was made by a crew of men on a tug to capture some of them but the current in the river was so swift that little was accomplished in the work of saving them.

Clay Brook, who is attending school at Corvallis, is home for the holidays. G. J. Gessling and family left Saturday to spend Christmas with relatives at Tacoma. Mr. and Mrs. John Hodgkins left Tuesday morning for Albany where they expect to spend the holidays. Louis Henderson, who is attending college at Eugene, came home for the holidays Monday evening. A marriage license was issued Monday to Chas. H. Coovort, of Clatskanie, and Dora F. Fitzgibbon, of Hood River. Wm. Frazier, of Trout Lake, 72 years old, was brought to this city Monday suffering with a fractured leg and placed in the Cottage hospital. Miss Amy Walton, of Portland and Mrs. K. S. Watton, who have been staying for some time in that city spent Christmas at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Murray Kay. "The Score of Our Days" will be the subject at the Unitarian church next Sunday morning; for evening, "The New Man." All persons of the liberal faith are especially invited. Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Wallace went to Portland Sunday to spend Christmas and New Year with their daughter, Margaret, who is taking a course at St. Helen's Hall. Coming up from Hood River, says the Chronicle, last evening William W. Post gave up his seat in the car to some ladies and upon returning to get his seat after the crowd had left the car, found it had been carried away through mistake. Mrs. Sharp came up from Hood River today. Her sisters, Miss Carrie Brown, who teaches in Hood River valley, and Miss Gertrude, who attends the business college in Portland, are also at home for the holidays.—Chronicle. Mr. U. S. Loughary, of Dallas, Ore., is spending the holidays with his sister, Mrs. J. L. Herchner, and family. He is accompanied by his three daughters, Misses Gladys, Helen and Lucile. Mr. Loughary is state senator from Polk county. Miss Clara Blythe went to The Dalles Wednesday evening on the Spokane train for a visit of several days. She was accompanied by her sister, Mrs. Leslie, who had been visiting at the Blythe homestead and who was on her way to her home at Spokane. Invitations are out announcing the coming marriage of Marie Agnes Lofley to Seaman Henry Cox, on January 10th. The event will take place at the home of Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Rand, 316 East Taylor street, Portland, who are intimate friends of Miss Lofley. S. F. Fouts, who has maintained a law office here for about a year, has decided to seek a wider field of operation and will on the first of January go to Portland, where he will resume his connection with the law firm of Long & Sweek, 600 Chamber of Commerce building. Wm. T. Merrill, the efficient manager of the Pacific States Telephone Co., in this city, will leave Hood River the first of the year to take a position with that company in Portland. Mr. Merrill will be succeeded by Harry Bailey, who has been connected with the company in this city for some time. Miss Nettie Buck who has been superintendent of the office here will also leave the employ of the company the first of January.

Shot His Playmate. A special to the Oregonian of yesterday tells of a sad accident in which Myron Eardley, the 13-year-old son of J. W. Eardley, an employe of the Oregon Lumber company at Baker City, was shot and killed Wednesday afternoon while hunting, about six miles south of town by the accidental discharge of a 4 caliber rifle in the hands of his playmate, Harry Bell, who is nearly crazed by the affair, and who for hours was left alone with the corpse by careless passersby. The coroner's jury returned a verdict of accidental shooting. Christmas at Hood River. Christmas day at Hood River was a quiet one and it was evident that most people spent it at home. The unpleasant day and rain made visiting or outdoor pastimes uncomfortable. Many went to Portland to spend the day, going down the day before Christmas. A good many also came up from that city to be with their families or relatives and went to various places in town or in the valley. Saturday and Monday were the biggest days for merchants and their stores were crowded with shoppers from early morning until late at night and many Christmas gifts were not purchased until Tuesday morning. The Christmas trade is said to have been better than ever before and a greater supply of holiday goods disposed of.

C. P. Ross and family spent Christmas in Portland at the home of relatives. They returned Wednesday. Fred Bell and Wm. Baker, who are attending school at Hill's Military Academy in Portland, are home for the holidays. Chas. Cochran, of Brownville, is visiting his father, D. R. Cochran, who is employed by the O. R. & N. in this city. Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Rand, of Portland, came to Hood River for Christmas with Mrs. Rand's parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Smith. John T. Hoye, representing the International Conservatory of Music, has been at Hood River for several days in the interest of that concern. The dance of the Tuesday evening series club has been postponed this week on account of Christmas and will be held on a date to be announced later. George T. Prather, who is agent for the Troy laundry here, is distributing some very handsome calendars which that company has placed at his disposal. R. P. Orr, accompanied by his son-in-law, Mr. Dunbar, of Portland, returned to that city Wednesday, after having spent Christmas at the Orr home here. E. H. Davidson, of St. Paul, who is related to P. S. Davidson, of this city, has been at Hood River for several days visiting with the latter and taking in the valley. The joint installation of the newly elected officers of the Masons and Eastern Stars will take place this evening and will be followed by a chicken pie supper. Miss Josephine Jenkins, of Portland, visited at the home of her brother, Dr. Jenkins, in this city Sunday. Miss Jenkins went from here to The Dalles Sunday evening to visit friends. Frank Chandler, who went to Portland Saturday to be with his family for Christmas, returned Monday accompanied by his son, William, who will remain here for a few days before resuming his musical studies. J. J. Jordan and family left for McMinnville Wednesday morning, where they will reside in the future. Mr. Jordan has purchased a farm quite near that place on which he expects to go into general farming. A. M. Kelley, of the firm of Kelley & Wisbart, returned from Dale, Ore., last week where he proved up on a homestead. He was accompanied by his parents, who will reside with him in the new home which he recently built at Mount Hood. C. S. Park, member of the State Board of Horticultural, and Paul Wallace, of Salem, were visitors at Hood River Wednesday. They were here looking over the town and returned on the local. John Cochran stopped off between trains Sunday to visit at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Hall. Mr. Cochran was formerly from Oregon City, the home of Mrs. Hall, and represented the Oregonian and Telegram there. He is now in Portland on the Telegram staff and went to that city Sunday evening. E. F. Orr, who has been here from Portland, will spend Christmas with his family had the misfortune to lose a watch chain that he valued quite highly Monday night. The chain is one representing the Odd Fellows insignia and was given him just a year ago by his daughters as a Christmas present. He will be very much pleased to have the finder return it to this office.

Blown to Pieces by Dynamite Explosion. Robert Dunsmore, an old and respected citizen of Mosier, was found near his home there Friday almost blown to pieces by what is thought to have been a premature explosion of dynamite. Mr. Dunsmore was working about a mile and a half from his home and was engaged in building a private road to his ranch. Friday morning he was blasting out some big rocks that were in the path of the new road and it was while doing this that he was killed. His mangled body was discovered by his two sons who were on their way to town and was more than 100 feet from where it was evident he had been working. The upper part of the body was literally blown to pieces and parts of it are said to have been scattered over an acre of ground. The accident is considered a strange one as Mr. Dunsmore was an old miner and familiar with the use of powder and other explosives and had handled them for years. Mr. Dunsmore was one of the pioneer residents of Mosier, and came to Oregon more than 30 years ago. He was highly respected by all who knew him and on the 11th was road supervisor in his district. The deceased was about 50 years of age and leaves a wife and five children several of whom are married. Former Wasco Sheriff Strikes It Rich. Friends of George A. Herbert, says the Chronicle, who was brought up in The Dalles and served a term as sheriff of Wasco county, will be more than pleased to hear of the rich stake he has made in the Cornucopia mines, east of Baker City, where he has been mining for some years. The news is contained in the following from the Baker City Democrat: "A special phone message from the Cornucopia mining camp sixty miles east of Baker City in the Eagle mountains, to the Democrat, states the entire camp is in a state of great excitement over the discovery on Ender creek, two miles from Cornucopia, by Herbert, Underwood and Blair of placer gold that rivets the days of '49 in California. "While drifting on their claims they struck gravel every 100 feet of

President Spends Quiet Christmas. The president and his family enjoyed a Christmas tree at Captain Cowles' home Christmas eve, and spent the day at the White House. Their Christmas dinner was served in the evening. All were present including the Longworths. Captured by Officer Wood. Last Monday a man by the name of George W. Polk held up and robbed Henry Johnson at Hilgard, Wash., securing a watch, a time check for \$16 and some change. A message was sent to the sheriff's office at The Dalles, with a description of Polk. Deputy Sheriff Wood has been looking for him and Friday morning arrested him on Third street. Polk at first was inclined to deny the charge, but finally confessed and said he would plead guilty.

KEITH'S KONQUEROR SHOES FOR MEN. A review of points that make Keith's Konquerors popular: Linings moulded to lasts—no wrinkles. Lasts built to distribute body weight evenly—no tired, aching feet. All leathers selected. Prices, \$5.00, \$4.00, and \$3.50, within reach of all. PRESTON B. KEITH SHOE CO., Makers, Brockton, Mass. Sold by FRANK A. CRAM, HOOD RIVER, ORE. which goes better than five dollars and men from the big quartz mines near by are flocking to the scene to look at the yellow nuggets and stake out claims near the holdings of the lucky miners. Presentation to Rev. W. C. G. In ore. A Christmas tree was given at the Congregational church Monday evening. A program had been arranged consisting of music and recitations, after which there was a distribution of gifts. During the evening a very pleasant feature was the presentation to the pastor of the church, Rev. W. C. Gilmore, with a gold watch, chain and charm. The presentation speech was made by E. E. Goff, superintendent of the Sunday school, and was responded to by the surprised recipient of the timepiece. On one side of the charm attached to the watch chain is a large old English "G" artistically engraved by Laraway, and on the other side the words "From your Friends." It is said to have been difficult to tell who was the most pleased by the gift the friends who gave it to Mr. Gilmore or the hard-working and popular pastor. Born. To Mr. and Mrs. Sam Blowers, on December 21, a girl. To Mr. and Mrs. Ray Woodworth, on December 21, a boy.

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