

Corsets 25 Cents.

Closed out a big line of corsets last week at half the original cost and placed them on sale at 25c and 50c, the 25c ones being regular 50c and 75c grades, and the 50c ones are "Warner's Rust Proof," which sells regularly at \$1.00. There are a few dozen left; better come early if you want a bargain. Harvest is approaching and men will want shirts, gloves, etc. I have a large supply of such goods as well as many other goods which are needed during harvest season, and I am selling all at lowest possible prices. Shirt waists and summer dress goods are still being sacrificed. F. J. Wirfs, who lives near Dayton, won the bicycle and his entire family are as happy as clams.

C. C. MURTON.

LOCAL NEWS.

Star 5 Star shoes at the Racket Store. Louie Nelson and Charley Matthews are spending the week at Newport.

The Reporter and Weekly Oregonian one year for \$2, strictly in advance.

Mrs. Kisinger and little son, from Iowa, are visiting the lady's sister, Mrs. J. T. Converse.

Rev. MacLean of Corvallis will preach at the Episcopal church in this city on Sunday evening next.

Full line of field and garden seeds at the produce market of C. F. Daniels, sold as cheap as they can be purchased anywhere in the valley.

A son was born to Mr. and Mrs. Nate Elliott at Salem July 15th. They were formerly Yamhill county people.

Lester Daniels is now in Walla Walla, and is doing well at barbering. He has also worked in The Dalles and Pendleton.

We will make it an object for you to order a new suit now. Step in and see us. We have probably got just what you would like. JOHNSON, Tailor.

Fletcher Building.

You get the best values in hats, shoes, corsets, hosiery, oil cloth, ribbons, lace and embroidery, tinware and notions, and big cut in rubbers at the Racket Store.

The semi-centennial observance of the Cumb. Presbyterian church last Friday, Saturday and Sunday was a very pleasant occasion. The program was carried out to the letter, and the attendance was good, considering that it was an event of midsummer.

Dr. Robert T. Burnett of Ashland, who to some extent grew up in this community and is well-known here, being a grandson of Jonathan Todd, was married last week to Miss Charlotte Grace Foster of Medford. They will reside in Ashland, where Dr. Burnett practices dentistry.

N. P. Peterson of Lyons, Nebraska, who recently made a tour through this section, writes to Odell & Wood concerning his impressions as follows: "On my 60 days travel by rail and team I found the Willamette valley the best country for climate and nice homes, and, considering its nearness and favorable markets, perhaps also the best paying farming country. I visited Montana, Idaho and Washington." Mr. Peterson is traveling auditor for the Peavey elevator company.

DOCTORS

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Strawberry and cherry boxes for sale at Jones and Adams'.

George W. Woollette has erected a neat barn on his tract south of the city.

Big lot of those famous Star 5 Star shoes just arrived at the Racket Store.

Tom White is distressed with quite a severe job's comforter on his face.

In the year just ended the A. O. U. W. of Oregon gained 1906 members of an average age of 29.02 years.

Ed Yocom, who has a farm near Ballston, has rented it for four years, and will go east of the mountains in search of health.

Remember that Wm. Lambert of the McMinnville steam laundry has the only carpet renovator and will cleanse your carpets on short notice.

Frank Rennie arrived from Tacoma this week and spent a few days at home before departing for Newport for a short vacation.

"Liquid Electricity" is becoming a wonderful remedy for internal or external pain, particularly rheumatism and neuralgia. Mrs. Nettie Hively is agent, and is making many sales.

The grand lodge of the A. O. U. W. convened Tuesday in Elk's hall of the Marquam building, Portland. Charley Lodge No. 7 of this city was represented by Henry Fletcher and J. P. Irvine.

Prof. A. M. Sanders left the 4th for Seattle, Wash., where he entered a law office. The professor has not fully decided whether he will permanently locate there or return to the valley.—Independence Enterprise.

The Hillsboro ball team proved too much for the home boys on Sunday, scoring 5 to 1. Everything seemed to come their way, while all the bad luck seemed to fall to the local team. There were about two carloads of people from down the road, one from Hillsboro and one from Corvallis.

Why not spend the vacation at Yaquina bay, where can be had excellent fare, good fishing, good boating, safe bathing, alluring rides and rambles. The courses and exercises at the summer school, of 1901, at Newport, will afford great variety of instructions, diversion and entertainment. No other resort offers equal attractions and advantages.

The citizens of Willamina are talking of getting a creamery and cheese factory started at that place. Last Friday evening while two small children of Dock Cox, who lives on Mr. Lafolette's farm a few miles from town, were out in the pasture looking for the cows, they ran to the house and notified their father, who at once secured his gun and went in pursuit of the bear. In a short time he found the bear and killed it.—Sheridan Sun.

The short wheat crop last year caused the rates charged by threshers to go up to 5c for oats and 7c for wheat. It follows that the good crop this year will bring them back to the old figures of 3 and 5c. Henry Fletcher says that a thresherman's hourly expense is about \$6, and he must therefore thresh over 100 bushels of wheat per hour to make anything. No inconsiderable item of expense is the bill for meat. The ordinary crew requires about 40 pounds of meat per day, which at last year's figures cost \$3.20 daily.

Hon. Clarence Butt left yesterday morning for a visit in the east, with the intention of first visiting Valparaiso, Indiana, where he attended college and was graduated in the law department. His family, which is visiting there for the present, will accompany him thence to his old home in eastern Pennsylvania, which he has not seen for nine years. While in the east Mr. Butt will doubtless attend the Buffalo exposition, as well as visit Philadelphia and other prominent eastern cities, and will rusticate on the beach where the proud Atlantic chafes her strand. Mr. Butt and family will return about September 1.

Springbrook is making itself known as a cherry producer this season. On the noon train Tuesday there were shipped altogether to Portland two hundred and forty-nine boxes of this rich fruit, aggregating over ten thousand pounds. Several carloads of cherries have also gone out from Newberg within the last few days.—Graphic.

Several silos have been put up in this vicinity this summer. T. P. Coughlin has built one, also Geo. H. Baxter and Nelson Flint. L. Wambegans, who was the first to go into this business, having built one over a year ago, is making a success of it, and would not be without one. Corn and clover can be utilized to good advantage in food product for cattle, by the use of a silo. There will be others built in this vicinity in the near future. No boats will be running to Dayton shortly if something is not done soon in the way of dredging the channel at the mouth of the Yamhill. The gravel has washed into the Yamhill from the Willamette, at the mouth, so that it is very difficult for boats to run into the Yamhill. Pikepole bend just below Dayton is another difficult place for boats to pass around. Can't something be done in this matter? It is certainly important to Dayton and McMinnville that some means be devised at once to remedy this by doing the work required to improve and make the river channel at the points above mentioned in such condition that boats can pass over them without difficulty. This should be done without the least delay.—Herald.

HOW TO STIMULATE BIBLE STUDY.

[A paper read by Mrs. C. J. Miller of this city, before the Baptist County Sunday School Convention held at Newberg, May 20th, 1901.]

It seems to me there are three essential points that we must bear in mind in order to promote successful bible study. First, the bible is not as other books. For as the heavens are higher than the earth so are my thoughts higher than your thoughts. It is true to its name "THE BOOK," of divine origin, inspired, or, as we might say, DICTATED from the mind of God.

I have read that when Sir Walter Scott was on his dying bed, he said: "Bring me the book." Some one thinking he meant one of his own numerous productions, asked "What book?" "Why!" said he, "there is but one book!" What to him at such an hour were the creations of his own brain? He wanted the book of books, "THE BOOK."

Second, it is a DISTINCTLY PERSONAL book, the WHOSEVER verses making it even more so than if our very names were written there, for, as some one has suggested, "If our names were written we would continually fear there was some one else bearing the same name, and it was they who were meant, but the blessed whoeever, that means me." Its promises and warnings, the record of the defeats and victories of its various characters, are for our personal helpfulness. It is not only distinctively but it is INTENSELY personal. It searches the heart and reveals our inmost thoughts until we realize that God sees not as man sees; that with him "THE PURSUIT" gives to the act its glory, the NOBLEST MOTIVE makes the grandest deed.

Third, the bible coming from God, who is a spirit, requires the aid of the Spirit to unfold it to us and disclose its hidden beauties. Therefore we could always go to it with the prayer, "Open thou mine eyes that I may behold wondrous things out of thy law."

The question before us is: How are we to get people to delight in study of this wonderful word of God? How are we to learn to love it ourselves as we should? Paul says of christians "Ye are living epistles known and read of all men." All christians then are reading matter issued in daily chapters. What a responsibility, what a power, rests with the christian. We are read day by day. It is generally easier and often more interesting and effective to read men than books. They are surely more certain to be read. If we want a child to acquire a taste for really good reading, we put wholesome elevating literature into his hands. There are three classes of reading—good, bad and indifferent; and we find these same three classes in the church. There are professed christians, who are not healthful reading, that is, their lives would never cause one to long for something better and higher; sometimes they are absolutely detrimental. Then there is the indifferent sort, not really bad, but far from being helpful and uplifting. But if we want people to acquire a taste for this blessed book, we must see to it that we are good, wholesome, interesting reading, that as they read our lives they may discern CHRIST as the motive power that governs our whole conduct, and may our lives be so beautiful that they may be led to desire a fuller knowledge of Him as set forth in the scriptures, even to the taking of him into their own hearts.

One very important stimulant to bible study is POSSESSION. Each person should possess a bible of his very own, and it should be a good one. Something really nice always gives a sense of pleasure in itself, and in this day of cheap bibles there is little excuse for not owning a desirable one. Of course it will be a reference bible and have a concordance. The importance of looking up the references should be deeply impressed. It reveals the wonderful linking of the different parts, and often we become deeply interested in a book from reading a verse here and there in it as referred to from some more familiar part. Also the connection of the references helps to fix the chronology in the mind, and often gives us something of the historical setting, which is sometimes so necessary for a clear understanding.

Topical study of the bible is very helpful. If we want to know what it says about any subject, with the aid of the concordance, follow it up, study it out. Take as an illustration covetousness, the exact meaning of which is said to be represented by the word "greediness." More, more, more, and the more we get the more we want. Do we want to know what the bible says about it? Well, it says it is sin, it says it is idolatry, and there are some forty warnings against it. It is well to look them up and see if it be wise to become too deeply engrossed in the things of this world. We are, however, told to "covet the best gifts." We cannot get too much of that which is good in God's sight.

Another stimulant to bible study is MARKING. I love a marked bible. Different people have various ways of marking, though some marks should be in all bibles. We should mark the beginning of each book with its key word, e. g.: Genesis, beginnings; Exodus, redemption; Leviticus, laws; Esther, hidden providence; Job, suffering; Psalms, experiences; Proverbs, wisdom; Jeremiah, backslidings, etc. Thus we have some idea of what each contains and can readily turn to what is our present need. In the same manner many chapters may be helpfully marked as "bread, charity, work, faith, victory, chapters," and Ephesians 3d, which is called the "bottomless chapter." Of course we all realize the helpfulness of marking the promises, that we may readily find and prove them, also the gold nugget verses that we have found so valuable. And there is another mark that is very desirable after some especially blessed verses. It is the word sometimes found in the Psalms—SELAH, stop, meditate. Meditation is the spiritual life is like digestion in the physical life. O how important to meditate, to let the words sink into our souls and become incorporated into our spiritual life.

Bringing our lives into accord with bible teachings is another stimulant. Show me a person who takes pleasure in reading such passages as 1st Peter 3: 3, 4; 1st Timothy 2: 9, 10; and James 1: 27 and I will show you a person who delights to read God's word generally; for if we are striving to do His will we will be anxious to know what He would have us do.

We should be stimulated to study this book from the fact that it is THOROUGHLY RELIABLE and a STANDARD for all time. It can never get out of date since Christianity is Christ in the heart; the christian life, living out the Christ

within us, and "Christ the same yesterday, today and forever." Thus it were better to suit our lives to the religion of the bible than try to warp and twist its teachings to sanction our manner of living.

Another stimulant to bible study is: There is not a question that can come up in our lives that it will not throw light upon and decide if we will but give it opportunity. One of "Fanny's" books, "Tip Lewis and His Lamp," beautifully illustrates this; his lamp being a bible given him by his pastor, with Psalms 119:105 marked, "Thy word shall be a lamp unto my feet and a light unto my path." The numerous times that Tip verified this promise produces the deepest impression that the bible contains help for every difficulty. Another beautiful thing about the bible is, a command is generally followed by a promise. We have the command "Train up a child in the way he should go," and right with it the blessed assurance that "when he is old he will not depart from it."

Lastly, stimulate bible study by conversation. And in this connection comes that grand trio of three-sixteens. Malachi 3:16 tells how those who love the Lord talk often together, John 3:16 gives the grandest and broadest of themes, the love of God, the world, the gift of His son, individual salvation, the possibility of being lost, and everlasting life. But do we say we cannot talk up on these subjects, we seem tongue-tied and stammer, our voices seem forced and unnatural? Then take Ephesians 3:16 And may God "who is the giver of every good and perfect gift" grant us this "spiritual strengthening of the inner man" until we shall be able to speak "out of the abundance of our hearts" and bible study become a greater delight and blessing.

The Deer Law.

The open season for deer commences July 15th and ends November 1st. It is unlawful for any person to take, capture, kill or destroy in any open season more than five deer. Any person who lawfully kills five deer can make an affidavit before any justice of the peace to that effect, and said justice shall thereupon deliver to affiant one leather tag, designed and issued by the state game warden, for the hide of each deer, not exceeding five in all. One of these tags shall be securely fastened with wire to each deer skin, and the owner is then entitled to offer such deer skin for sale or transportation to any point within the state. The punishment for violation of any of the provisions of the act is by a fine of not less than \$25 and not more than \$500, together with the costs of prosecution, or by imprisonment in the county jail for not less than 30 or more than 120 days, or by both such fine and imprisonment.

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Heartburn.

When the quantity of food taken is too large or the quality too rich, heartburn is likely to follow, and especially so if the digestion has been weakened by constipation. Eat slowly and not too freely of easily digested food. Masticate the food thoroughly. Let six hours elapse between meals and when you feel a fullness and weight in the region of the stomach after eating, indicating that you have eaten too much, take one of Chamberlain's stomach and liver tablets and the heartburn may be avoided. For sale by Howorth & Co.

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Advertised Letters.

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Rev. W. P. Elmore, Mr. Geo. E. Fish, Mr. Joe Fernberg, Mrs. Chas. Jacobs, Mr. L. W. Miller, F. M. Olds, Esq., Rev. C. S. Whitlesey.

JAMES MCCAIN, P. M.

During last May an infant child of our neighbor was suffering from cholera infantum. The doctors had given up all hopes of recovery. I took a bottle of Chamberlain's colic, cholera and diarrhoea remedy to the house, telling them I felt sure it would do good if used according to directions. In two days' time the child had completely recovered. The child is now vigorous and healthy. I have recommended this remedy frequently and have never known it to fail.—Mrs. Curtis Baker, Bookwalter, O. to. Sold by Howorth & Co.

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DEPUTY STOCK INSPECTORS.

Notice is hereby given that I have appointed the following deputy stock inspectors for Yamhill county: John Redmond, South McMinnville precinct; postoffice address McMinnville. Abe Blackburn, Cheeowan precinct; postoffice address North Yamhill. Chas. Mitchell, Amity precinct; postoffice address Amity.

M. W. POTTER, Stock inspector for Yamhill Co., Or.

Real Estate Transfers.

Week ending July 17:
Allen S Craven and wf to F K Jones s hf lots 13, 14, 15 and 16 blk 21, Edwards' add to Newberg.....\$212 50
A D Webber to Nancy Wiley lot 3 blk 3 Newberg.....50 00
L M Parker and wf to Samuel Gause, lots 7 and 8 blk C Hobson's add to Newberg.....35 00
Wm S Allan et ux to Lavina G Southmayd, lot 8 Chehalis Orchard Homes.....700 00
John Flynn estate by sheriff to P A Flynn 150 a secs 33-4 t 4 r 6. 4 85
W H Hurlburt to Wm Baker and wf 20 a t 3 r 4.....1350 00
Ruth E Haines to Frederick Lauer 6 a pt sec 22-2-3.....120 00
Mary J and L G Suiter to City of McMinnville, sewer right of way across lots 3 and 4 blk 3 Newberg's 3d add to McM.....50 00

\$43.00 to Buffalo.

This is what the established rate amounts to in each direction, making \$86.00 for the round trip, and by arranging with the Burlington route passengers are given the choice of seven trains on dates of sale. Call upon or write us for full particulars before making other arrangements. R. W. Foster, Ticket Agent, Burlington Route, Corner Third and Stark Streets, Portland, Oregon.

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NOTICE OF FINAL SETTLEMENT.

NOTICE is hereby given that J. H. Olds, administrator of the estate of Watson S. Bagley, deceased, has filed his final account as such administrator with the clerk of the county court for Yamhill county, state of Oregon, and that Monday, the 12th day of August, A. D. 1901, at ten o'clock in the forenoon of said day, in the court room of said county court, at McMinnville, Oregon, has been appointed by Hon. R. F. Bird, judge of said court, as the time and place for the hearing of objections to said final account and the settlement thereof.

SUMMONS.

In the circuit court of the state of Oregon, for the county of Yamhill, Department No. 2.
Mollie Rice, plaintiff,
vs.
Ralph L. Rice, defendant.

To Ralph L. Rice, the above-named defendant: You are hereby required to appear and answer the complaint filed against you in the above-entitled court and suit, on or before six weeks from the 14th day of July, 1901, which is the date of the first publication of this summons, and if you fail to so appear and answer, the plaintiff will apply to the court for the relief prayed for in the complaint filed herein, to-wit: For a decree dissolving the marriage contract now existing between yourself and plaintiff, for the care and custody of Harry Rice, a minor child, and for such other relief as may be equitable.

By order of Hon. R. F. Bird, judge of the county court for Yamhill county, state of Oregon, dated June 12th, A. D. 1901, this summons is served by publication thereof, once a week, for six consecutive weeks, in the Yamhill County Reporter, a newspaper of general circulation and published at McMinnville, in said county and state.

20-7 Attorney for Plaintiff.

NOTICE OF FINAL SETTLEMENT.

NOTICE is hereby given that the undersigned administrator of the estate of H. F. Mayer, deceased, has filed his final account as such administrator in the county court for Yamhill county, state of Oregon, and that said court has set Tuesday, the 6th day of August, A. D. 1901, at ten o'clock in the forenoon of said day, as the time to hear and pass upon the same. All persons interested are required to appear at said time and place, and show cause, if any, why said final account should not be allowed and approved by the court.

Dated this 13th day of June, A. D. 1901.

20-5 C. C. LINDEN, Administrator of the Estate of H. F. Mayer, deceased.

NOTICE OF FINAL SETTLEMENT.

NOTICE is hereby given that the undersigned executor of the estate of Sarah A. Palmer, deceased, has filed his final account as such executor in the county court for Yamhill county, state of Oregon, and that said court has set Tuesday, the 6th day of August, A. D. 1901, at ten o'clock in the forenoon of said day as the time, and the county court room at the county court house at McMinnville, Yamhill county, Oregon, as the place for the final hearing of said final account and of any and all objections thereto, if any there should be. Now, therefore, all persons are hereby notified and required to appear at said time and place and show cause, if any they have, why said final account should not be allowed and approved, and said estate forever released and discharged.

Dated this June 13th, A. D. 1901.

20-5 F. W. FENTON, WILLIAM P. PALMER, Att'y for said estate. JOHN D. PALMER, Executors of said Estate.

SUMMONS.

In the Circuit Court of the State of Oregon, for the county of Yamhill.
P. C. Thomassen, plaintiff,
vs.
C. E. Thomassen, defendant.

To C. E. Thomassen, the above-named defendant: You are hereby required to appear and answer the complaint filed against you in the above-entitled court and suit, on or before the 22nd day of September, 1901, which is the first day of the next regular term of said court, after the date of this service of summons upon you, and if you fail so to answer, for want thereof, the plaintiff will apply to the court for the relief prayed for in his complaint, which is for a decree of said court dissolving the marriage contract now existing between plaintiff and defendant and holding the same for naught, and for such other and further relief as to the court may seem meet with equity and good conscience.

This summons is published for six weeks in the Yamhill County Reporter, a weekly newspaper published at McMinnville, Oregon, by order of Hon. R. F. Bird, judge of said court, made in chambers at Salem, Oregon, on the 25th day of June, 1901. The first publication of this summons is on the 5th day of July, 1901.

20-7 J. E. MAGERS, Attorney for Plaintiff.