

"You Can't Catch the Wind in a Net."

Neither can you cure catarrh by local applications. It is a constitutional disease, and is cured by Hood's Sarsaparilla because it is a constitutional remedy.



Enthusiasm Received a Check. An enterprising washing machine agent, who has been meeting with good success in Whitneyville, had his ardor suddenly damped the other day.

How it Worked. Mrs. Newlywed (reading)—Love is a balloon that lifts us up to heaven; marriage is the parachute that brings us back to earth again!

Are You Going East? If so, you should see that you take the Great Rock Island route, and you will get the best.

Improved Train Equipment. The O. R. & N. and Oregon Short Line have added a buffet, smoking and library car to their Portland-Chicago through train.

Scenery, altitude, sunshine and air, constitute the factors which are rapidly making Colorado the health and pleasure grounds of the world.

Here the sun shines 357 days of the average year, and it blends with the crisp, electric mountain air to produce a climate matches in the known world.

At Chippewa Falls, Wis., the telephone companies consolidated, and forthwith the rate was doubled.

United States possesses 22,705 merchant vessels.



An Excellent Combination.

The pleasant method and beneficial effects of the well known remedy, SYRUP OF FIGS, manufactured by the CALIFORNIA FIG SYRUP CO., illustrate the value of obtaining the liquid laxative principles of plants known to be medicinal.

In the process of manufacturing figs are used, as they are pleasant to the taste, but the medicinal qualities of the remedy are obtained from senna and other aromatic plants.

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BIG TIMBER.

Special Issue Telling Eastern People About the Resources of the Northwest.

The Northern Pacific Railway has issued a circular gotten out especially to exploit the resources of Western Washington in respect to its timber and lumber industries.

The figures contain some information calculated to startle even Puget Sound lumbermen, who are accustomed to looking upon these resources in a matter of fact way.

In referring to what is considered by Eastern lumbermen as abnormal features of Washington timber, the pamphlet says:

"The growth of Washington timber is remarkable in many ways. For one thing it has single trees of extraordinary size. A King county tree recently cut measured nine feet in diameter at the top, four feet eight inches at the base, was 186 feet long and scaled 4,000 feet of clear lumber, without knot or blemish."

Oregon Lumbering. The Booth-Kelly Lumber Company has stacked on the railroad platform at Saginaw over 1,000,000 feet of lumber ready for shipment to California and Eastern points.

The Necanicum Spruce Lumber Company, of Seaside, has purchased the boiler formerly used in the Knapperton cannery and will use it to increase the capacity of the company's box factory and dryhouses.

A New Road to Dawson. J. J. McArthur, who has been in charge of the construction of the Canadian government's new winter trail between Bennett and Dawson, has arrived in Skagway, having completed the trail.

Everett's Progress. Everett has made great progress in the past year. Its big paper mill employs 150 persons at a monthly wage of \$5,000, and the smelter, iron works, four sawmills, a saw-and-planer factory and eight shingle mills help to swell the payroll.

New Flouring Mill. Wenatchee is to have a new flouring mill at once. R. T. Mordock, from Chelan, Wash., is to be the proprietor and manager of the new enterprise.

Will Put in a Creamery. T. S. Townsend, of Portland, who has several creameries in the state, visited in Woodburn last week. He proposes to put in a creamery in Woodburn, provided he can be regularly supplied with milk from about 200 cows by the farmers.

Potato Shipments. Shipment of potatoes to San Francisco from Portland has already begun, something unprecedented so early in the season.

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BRADSTREET'S REVIEW.

Strength of Prices the Leading Features of the Trade Situation.

Bradstreet's says: Strength of prices, a natural outcome of the past and present active demand, is still the leading feature of the trade situation.

The strength of textile, both raw and manufactured, has been further accentuated during the week, increases being noted in raw cotton, wool and hemp.

Cereals appear to have reached a dead level, with prices showing little or no change. The dullness of wheat at domestic markets finds explanation in Bradstreet's statistics of world's stocks, which indicate a gain for the month of over 17,000,000 bushels.

Anxiety in lumber is a feature at many markets, and strength of prices is no less marked. Signs accumulate that shoe-manufacturers and jobbers are meeting with success in securing recently advanced prices.

In iron and steel there is rather more irregularity noted. Active demand on railroad account has induced an advance in iron and steel bars of \$5 per ton, but steel billets are lower.

PACIFIC COAST TRADE.

Seattle Markets. Onions, new, \$1.00 @ 1.25 per sack. Potatoes, new, \$16 @ 18. Beets, per sack, 55c.

Portland Market. Wheat—Walla Walla, 54c; Valley, 55c; Bluestem, 56c per bushel.

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Hay—Timothy, \$9 @ 11; clover, \$7 @ 8; Oregon wild hay, \$6 @ 7 per ton.

Poultry—Chickens, mixed, \$3.00 @ 4.00 per dozen; hens, \$4.50, springs, \$2.00 @ 3.50; geese, \$5.50 @ 6.00 for old; \$4.50 @ 6.50 for young; ducks, \$4.50 per dozen; turkeys, live, 13 @ 14c per pound.

San Francisco Market. Wool—Spring—Nevala, 12 @ 15c per pound; Eastern Oregon, 12 @ 16c; Valley, 15 @ 20c; Northern, 8 @ 10c.

Onions—Yellow, 75 @ 85c per sack. Butter—Fancy creamery, 26 @ 27c; do seconds, 27 @ 28c; fancy dairy, 25 @ 27c; do seconds, 23 @ 24c per pound.

Potatoes—Early Rose, 40 @ 50c; Oregon Burbanks, \$1.25 @ 1.50; river Burbanks, \$1.00 @ 1.10 per sack.

Citrus Fruit—Oranges, Valencia, \$2.75 @ 3.25; Mexican lemons, \$4.00 @ 5.00; California lemons 75c @ \$1.00; do choice \$1.75 @ 2.00 per box.

Tropical Fruits—Bananas, \$1.50 @ 2.50 per bunch; pineapples, nominal; Persian dates, 6 @ 6 1/2c per pound.

Millions Subsist on Rice.

Without question, the grain most extensively used as an article of food all the world over is rice. Hundreds of millions of people chiefly subsist on it, and its consumption is constantly increasing.

The principal grain distilled in Siam, Japan and China. Saki, or rice beer, is produced in Japan to the extent of 150,000,000 gallons annually.

SALT LAKE CITY.

An Important Factor in Transcontinental Travel. No one crossing the continent can afford to cut Salt Lake City from his route.

The Rio Grande Western Railway, connecting on the East with the Denver & Rio Grande and Colorado Midland Railways and on the West with the Southern Pacific (Central Route) and Oregon Short Line, is the only transcontinental line passing directly through Salt Lake City.

The famous cedars are on Mount Lebanon. In 1896 there were sixteen that measured over thirty feet in circumference.

FITS Permanently Cured. No other nervousness. After first day's use of Dr. Williams' Pink Pills for Pale People, 25c bottle and 50c bottle.

Tracing. Miss Walsingham—We can trace our ancestry back to the Norman conquest, can't we, mother?

The famous banyan tree is in Ceylon, on Mount Lavinia, seven miles from Colombo. There are two roads through the stems, and its shadow at noon covers four acres.

They Hardly Mean It.

Public men speak of their unworthiness, but very few of them would be willing to be taken at their publicly expressed estimation of themselves.

Victims of fate poisoning are becoming alarmingly prevalent. Women demand the life and variety of health, and instead of doing it naturally by building up their system they resort to tea.

A carload of dried canned potatoes contains 800 bushels, but would hold only 500 bushels in their natural state.

SHAKE INTO YOUR SHOES.

Allen's Foot-Powder, a powder for the feet, and instantly takes the sting out of corns and bunions. It's the greatest comfort discovery of the age.

A new law requiring corporations to pay wages at least monthly has been declared constitutional in California.

Mother's Milk. Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup the best remedy to use for their children during the teething period.

The greatest whiskey industry is in the United States, the output being more than 80,000,000 gallons a year.

I shall recommend Pilo's Cure for consumption far and wide.—Mrs. Mulligan, Plumstead, Kent, England, Nov. 8, 1895.

The Treaty Elm, under which William Penn signed the famous treaty with the Indians in 1683, was upon the banks of the Delaware. It died in 1829.

SWANSON'S RHEUMATIC CURE CO. 167 and 169 Dearborn St., Chicago.

The Burmese.

The Burmese will sacrifice any prospect of money-making to go to a feast. These are called pives, and often the entertainment is elaborate. I remember going to one in Upper Burma.

The walnut was originally called the gallnut in England, because it came from France (Gaul). Walnuts played an important part at the siege of Amiens, near the end of the sixteenth century, when a party of Spanish soldiers, dressed as French peasants, brought a cartload of nuts to sell and, as the gates opened for them to enter, the nuts were spilled upon the ground, and sentinels stooped to pick them up, when the Spanish soldiers pounced upon them, killed them and marched the gates while the Spanish army entered.

1100 HEWARD 8100. The readers of this paper will be pleased to learn that there is at least one dread disease that science has been able to cure in all its forms, and that is catarrh.

Anderson, Ind., needs hundreds of houses. The Pleasant, Most Powerful and Effective Nerve-Tonic Remedy for DROPSY, La Grippe, Catarrh, Rheumatism.

There is a difference between a man and an egg," said the casual remarker. "When a man gets old he is no longer fit for the scramble, and when an egg gets old that is all it is fit for."

We burn 90,000,000,000 matches annually.

CATARRH COLD, COUGHS, SORE-THROAT, GRIPPE, CROUP, HOARSENESS. PERUIN TONIC THE GREAT. HALF ACTUAL SIZE.

Insomnia. Did you ever have that feeling of oppression, like a weight on your chest, or a load of cobble-stones in your stomach, keeping you awake nights with a horrible sensation of anxiety, or tossing restlessly in terrible dreams, that make the cold perspiration break out all over you? That's insomnia, or sleeplessness, and some unfortunate suffer with it night after night, until their reason is in danger and they are on the edge of going mad.

Sales Agents Wanted! Man and Women make \$50 to \$200 every month selling our Gents and Ladies Waterproof Mackintoshes or Rain Coats.

WANTED—Active agents in every county for our Gas Lamp. Make its own gas. Better light than electricity or kerosene; cheaper than gas; cleaner than kerosene; retails 50c.

MACHINERY, ALL KINDS... TATUM & BOWEN... CARTER'S INK... Deep-Seated Diseases... Moore's Revealed Remedy... You Can't Make a Mistake by Taking the OREGON SHORT LINE RAILROAD.

Relief for Women... French Female Pills... DR. GUNN'S IMPROVED LIVER PILLS... ONE FOR A DOSE. Cure Sick Headache and Dizziness, Remove Pimples and Purify the Blood.

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