

THE BUTTERFLY.

He is a Common Conversational Nuisance and Every One Has Met Him.

"I am so fond of riding the wheel," said the conversational butterfly. "When I put on my knickerbockers—a queer name that I wonder if the Dutch were the first to wear them? They were an odd people any way. Did you ever read Washington Irving's account of them?—oh, and speaking of Irving did you know that Henry Irving isn't his real name? He merely assumed it because it was more romantic sounding than his own, but all the same he can act. Some people say that they would rather see some American actor, but for me 'art is universal.' Isn't it? It's the same with painting. If a picture is done well, I don't care whether it was painted by Sargent or Raphael. Pretty things those cherubs of Raphael. Always 'Helen's Babies' somehow. Reminds me of a successful book? I've forgotten how many copies were sold, but I guess it was as many as 'The Bonnie Brier Bush.' Queer, what a vogue those Scotch writers have nowadays—Barrie and MacLaren and Crockett. I wonder if he is related to Davy Crockett? Poor Frank Mayo! What a run that play had! Almost equal to 'Uncle Tom's Cabin.' She was a wonderful woman—Harriet Beecher Stowe. Remarkable family all round, the Beechers. We've had several families like that. Take the Fields, for instance. There were Cyrus and David Dudley and Henry M. and Stephen—and I was going to say Eugene, but he was another lot—see the joke? Beautiful poem, that 'Little Boy Blue' of his. Reminds me of Riley—Riley and Nye. That was a great combination. Poor Bill Nye! But, after all, there's only one Mark Twain, just as there's only one New York. All the same, I don't think the New Yorkers are going to win the pennant—not this year. Queer what a hold baseball has upon Americans, but I don't think it equals wheeling—and that reminds me that I was going to say that when I put on my knickerbockers!—And so he goes on until you get dizzy watching him and long for a butterfly net.—Charles Bittel Loomis in New York Journal.

Poor Boy.



"I thar, Chollie, what an extroemely thoft looking individial that chappie is! No expression at all!"—Ally Sloper.

A Dumb Judge.

After hearing argument in a case a rural justice said:
"I'm sorry mixed on this here matter an I'll preserve my decision."
"About what time, judge," said the lawyer, "will you dish out them preserves?"
"That's no tellin'," replied his honor. "I've got a sight of plowin' fer an exhubent acres ter fence in. Just take the prize ter jail till fall!"—Atlanta Constitution.

Possible Mispronunciation.

Wallace—They say that if you pick up a hairpin on the sidewalk you will soon get a letter.

Ferry—I think there must be a mispronunciation somewhere. I picked one up and stuck it in my pocket, and my wife found it and I got a lecture.—Cincinnati Enquirer.

Laughter.

He dared laugh in her face.
"Ha, ha!" he laughed.
As for her, she dared do nothing of the kind. Had she ventured to laugh in her face she probably wouldn't have done a thing to the enamel.
But she could laugh in her sleeve.—Detroit Journal.

His Last Joke.

The judge looked solemn.
"You are to be hanged by the neck until you are dead. Have you anything to say?"
The former police reporter smiled gently.
"I will make a good noose item."—New York Journal.

Why He Was Saved.

Stearman (during exciting yacht race)—Man overboard! Shall we stop or let him drown?
Captain (promptly)—We must stop and pick him up. It's against the rules to drop any ballast during a race.—New York Weekly.

Tricks In All Trades.

"Do you think you are expert enough to take dictation for that author?" asked one typewriter of another.
"I guess so. If I find I am falling behind, I'll tell him it was because I got interested in his story."—Washington Star.

An Exchange.

Brokelegh—I say, old man, will you give me two tens for a \$20 bill?
Stakelegh—Certainly. Here they are.
Brokelegh—Thanks. Here's the \$20 bill. It's a bill for this suit of clothes I have on, you know.—New York Sunday World.

Those Clever Babies.

Spatz—What makes infants look so wise?
Socratoots—They are trying to make the women think they can understand the baby talk which the whole neighborhood springs on them.—Pittsburg News.

What It Means.

"Paw," asked little Oscar, "what does this paw mean by the lull before the storm?"
"Some poor fellow's honeymoon, I suppose."—New York Journal.

Hot Weather Song.

Oh, for a seat in an ocean cave,
Where the crabs and the lobsters play;
Where the sharks and the whales sit upon their tails
And snore and snore all day!
Oh, for a plunge in a polar sea,
For a slide down a bill of snow,
For an ice cream cone and a frozen boat
And a hat on a heaving float!
—New York Telegram.

ANNOUNCEMENT

Dr. Darrin the Eminent Specialist Will Visit Astoria.

Will Be in this City From August 18 to September 18.

There is a physician coming to Astoria not simply a medical practitioner, but a physician of very high order of merit, a scientist, one whose years of close study, close observation, close practical experience, has enabled him to draw not only testimonials, but the highest personal endorsements from the leading men of the country—congressmen, judges, etc.—and whose success in the medical field is today without a parallel. This refers to Dr. Darrin, late from Portland, who will have offices at the Occident hotel.

Dr. Darrin has an enviable rank in his profession as a wonderfully successful physician. He is essentially original in his methods of practice, and those who have been under his treatment are surprised at the newness and novelty of his system of practice by electricity. His honest and straightforward advice before taking a case has won for him the confidence of his patients as well as the general public. The doctor is a gentleman of genial, social nature, and his private practice is marked by the formation of a personal friendship with those with whom he comes in professional contact. He is without doubt one of the most thoroughly qualified physicians now before the public, as his wonderful cures can testify. Read his cures:

Geo. Smith, Astoria, deafness, cured. John Savenson, Farmington, Or., deafness, cured.

J. H. Wilson, Mist, Or., skin disease, cured.

A. Pool, Eagle Point, Or., heart and liver trouble, restored.

Isaac Thompson, LaCenter, Wash. deafness cured in five minutes.

Milt Jones, Perrydale, Or., cured of polyps of the nose.

Mrs. A. E. Patee, Albany, Or., ovarian and womb troubles, cured.

M. M. Post, Troutdale, Or., almost total deafness, cured.

J. T. George, Gleneden, Wash., chronic rheumatism five years, cured.

Mrs. Mary A. Johnson, McMinnville, Or., deafness many years, cured.

C. F. Mayhew, 14 Market street, Portland, rheumatism in its worst form, cured.

Harry VonHelms, Sandy, Or., cancer of the nose and catarrh, cured.

J. S. Jennings, Sellwood, Or., eczema, or skin disease, 15 years, cured.

Mrs. T. B. Hatfield's boy, 214 Eleven th, street, discharging ear and deafness cured.

John M. Simmons, Oakville, ash, catarrh, bronchitis and nervous debility restored.

Many other might be mentioned did not want of space forbid.

Dr. Darrin makes a liberal offer of treating the worthy poor free of charge daily (except medicines) between the hours of 9 and 10 a. m., in accordance with his time honored custom.

Dr. Darrin makes a specialty of all the diseases of the eye, ear, nose, throat, catarrh, deafness, bronchitis, la grippe, consumption, heart or liver diseases.

He permanently cures all diseases of the genito-urinary organs in either sex, such as syphilis, blood taints, scrofula, gleet, gonorrhea, stricture, seminal weakness, spermatorrhea, loss of manhood, and loss of desire or sexual power in man or woman.

All peculiar female troubles, displacements, etc., all confidently treated, as well as all acute, chronic, private and nervous diseases, of whatever nature, if curable. Consultation free.

Office hours are 10 a. m. to 8 p. m. daily. Charges low and reasonable according to circumstances and ability to pay.

Dr. Darrin will remain in Astoria at the Occident hotel from Aug. 18 to Sept. 18, and patients will do well to consult him at once, as many cases require a second and even third operation with electricity.

All business relations with Dr. Darrin are strictly confidential.

To Cure Constipation Forever. Take Cascarets Candy Cathartic. 10c or 25c. If C. C. C. fail to cure, druggists refund money.

Lost. A black cape, on South Prairie. Any one returning same to Mrs. A. G. Anderson will receive a reward.

No-To-Bac for Fifty Cents. Guaranteed tobacco habit cure makes weak men strong, blood pure. 50c, B. H. All druggists.

For Sale. Thirty-five acres of fine bottom land on Wilson river. Will grow any thing well situated. Terms easy to suit purchaser. Inquire at this office. Thos.

Pasturage Notice. All persons desiring to find good pasturage for horses and cattle, will do well to see me about it. Price as follows: For yearling 15c per month. 2 year old 20c. 3 year old 25c. Horses \$1.00 per month. The pasture is on the premises of C. E. Thayer, and is on tide land. I will not be responsible for any lost stock. Parties desiring to pasture stock on the above premises must make arrangements with me before putting on their stock.

C. A. Bailey.

A Thrilling Rescue.

A YOUNG LIFE SAVED IN A REMARKABLE MANNER.

Florence Sturdivant, of Grindstone Island, Saved from an Untimely Death—Her Dangerous Predicament.

From "On The St. Lawrence," Clayton, N. Y.

Among the Thousand Islands is one called Grindstone. It is seven miles long and three wide. The inhabitants of this island are a well-informed class of people who devote their energies to farming and quarrying for a livelihood. In the home of one of these islanders resides Florence J. Sturdivant, the four-year old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William H. Sturdivant. She had a remarkable experience recently.



FLORENCE J. STURDIVANT.

In an interview with a reporter Mr. Sturdivant said: "Florence was taken sick in February, 1897, with scarlet fever and we immediately called a physician. After two weeks the fever subsided but Florence was left with a very weak back. Severe pains were constantly in the back and stomach. The difficulty seemed to baffle the efforts of the physician."

"Finally at the end of four months of treatment, we found our patient completely

prostrated. At this time we called an eminent physician, who agreed with the diagnosis of our physician. He prescribed a course of treatment and we followed it faithfully for three months, but instead of improving, Florence failed."

"A brother of my wife, who resided in Canada, but was visiting us, advised us to use Dr. Williams' Pink Pills for Pale People, and I purchased a box of the pills and began to give them to Florence. This was in October, 1898. After using the pills a short time we could see an improvement. Her strength began to return and her appetite was restored. When she had taken one box the pains in her back and stomach ceased and her recovery seemed certain."

"We eagerly purchased a second box of pills and watched with delight the change for the better that was being wrought daily. Florence finally became strong enough to walk a little. She gained in flesh and strength rapidly. By the time she had used three boxes of the pills she was evidently well. We continued the treatment using another box, the fourth, to prevent the possibility of a recurrence of the difficulty."

"I cannot praise too highly the value of Dr. Williams' Pink Pills. I am positive that without their use our child would have been a confirmed invalid."

(Signed) WILLIAM H. STURDIVANT. Subscribed and sworn to before me this sixth day of April, 1897.

H. W. MORSE, Notary Public. Dr. Williams' Pink Pills for Pale People are sold by all dealers, or will be sent post paid on receipt of price, 50 cents a box, or six boxes for \$2.50 (they are never sold in bulk or by the 100) by addressing Dr. Williams' Medicine Co., Schenectady, N. Y.

Cheap Lumber.

Tillamook Lumber Co. have again reduced their prices, and are now selling rough lumber at \$6.00. Sized lumber 7.00, ship lap 7.00, pickets 1 x 3—4 feet long \$7.00 per thousand pickets.

For Sale.

220 acres, 6 miles east of this place, on Trask river, rich soil. Must be cash. S. C. Foster.

Do You Want to Sell?

Considerable money is on deposit in this city for the purchase of improved and unimproved property within four or five miles of town. Parties having such lands for sale, will do well to call at the HEADLIGHT office and leave descriptions of the land together with price and terms.

Town property in Tillamook, consisting of house, barn and 15 acres of land, for sale cheap \$3000 easy terms. Also 20 acres of Tide Land adjoining town \$1000 00 easy terms.

M. C. Trowbridge.

Do You Want Hogs?

If so please remember that J. E. Tuttle keeps an excellent supply of all kinds of cotton and rubber. Fine, and rubber hose wound with wire. Our prices are just right.

Information Wanted.

Information is wanted concerning the whereabouts of a man named William J. Stretch. He came to Tillamook from South Bend Washington about three years ago. He is about 40 years of age, and is a timber cruiser by trade. Persons sending information to this office will be rewarded for their trouble. Mr.

For Sale at a Bargain.

160 acres of land joining the town of Woods, \$300 in improvements on place, good house, barn, water power shop, right acres under wire fence, fruit trees and good roads. House 1/2 miles from school and P. O. Must be sold for cash at once. Price (\$500) five hundred dollars. Address P. O. Box No. 83 Nehalem Oregon.

Wanted.

10 cords of spruce timbers. Apply at this office.

A pony, should be iron gray in color, and weigh 850 or 900 pounds.

Apply at this office.

Get Your Piano Tuned.

F. C. Shanahan, piano tuner from the Wiley B. Allen Co. of Portland, is in town prepared to do any work in his line. Parties desiring their pianos tuned or any repairs made to them can see him at Mrs. Williams' boarding house or leave orders at the HEADLIGHT office. Terms: \$3.00. Repairing charged for according to amount of work done.

A Cure for Bilious Colic.

Resonance, Scriven Co., Ge.—I have been subject to attacks of bilious colic for several years. Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy is the only cure I find. It acts like a charm. One dose of it gives relief when all other remedies fail.—G. D. Sharp. For sale by S. J. Smegron.

NOTICE TO TAXPAYERS.

Notice is hereby given that on the first Monday in October, 1897, the County Board of Equalization will attend at the office of the County Clerk of Tillamook County, Oregon, in Tillamook, Oregon, and publicly examine the assessment rolls, and correct all errors in valuation, description, or quality of lands, lots or other property, and all persons interested in said assessment are hereby requested to appear at said time and place for the purpose of correcting any errors that may appear in their assessments, so as to correct after the sitting of said board.

J. S. Stephens, County Assessor.

Boat for Sale.

New skiff with 2 pairs of oars and our locks and sail, will carry 6 persons will sell or trade for a gold mine in Klondike or any thing else of value that I can use.

C. E. Reynolds.

ADMINISTRATORS NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given that by virtue of an order of the County Court of Tillamook County Oregon, in probate on the 10th day of July 1897, the undersigned was by said court duly appointed administrator of the estate of Bernard Bulback, deceased; and all persons having claims against said estate are hereby notified to present them to the undersigned with proper voucher at the office of W. J. May in Tillamook City Oregon, for settlement, within six months from this date.

Dated July 20th 1897. J. B. Delsman, Administrator. J. W. May atty. for Adm'r.

GUARDIAN'S SALE.

Notice is hereby given that by virtue of an order of the Hon. County Court of Tillamook County State of Oregon duly made on the 10th day of July 1897 authorizing me as Guardian of the estate of Ethel Johnson, a minor, to sell the real property of said minor herein after described. I will on and after the 4th day of September 1897 offer for sale to the highest and best bidder the land in Tillamook County Oregon belonging to the estate of the aforesaid minor and known and described as the S E 1/4 of the S W 1/4 and the S W 1/4 of the S E 1/4 of Sec 13 and the N E 1/4 of the N W 1/4 and the N W 1/4 of the S E 1/4 in T 2 S R 10 W of the Willamette Meridian containing 160 acres more or less. Terms of Sale Cash or one half credit. If desired, conveyances to be made at the expense of purchaser.

Alma S Johnson, Guardian.



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A paper containing all the county news, and in every way in touch with all the varied industries and interests of the county. Such a paper is that is the

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The Headlight is the oldest paper published in the county, and has done more to advertise the county and call attention to all its various resources and interest capital in its development than all other newspapers combined. It has never failed to do all in its power for the good of the county. In return, for this people of the county have bestowed upon it a most generous patronage. The Headlight has today

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The Headlight has every week nearly twice as much home news as any other paper published in the county.

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It has a fine staff of correspondents.

It covers the entire county.

It has a fine standing everywhere.

It belongs to no clique.

It is broad and progressive.

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County Official Paper

It was so designated last February by the County Commissioners, who at that time passed the following order:

In the matter of selecting a newspaper under the provisions of an act of the Legislature approved Feb. 21st 1897.

"On the 21st day of February, 1897, it being a day of the regular term of this court for January 1897, this cause continued to this time for filing of proofs by the newspapers contending herein, comes on to be heard and the publisher of the Tillamook Headlight having duly filed a certified list of its long side yearly subscribers living in this county, and no other publisher having so filed such list, and the Herald Publishing Co. having appeared by its attorney W. L. Brooks and expressly waived the filing of such list or further contest herein it is hereby ordered that the Tillamook Headlight be and hereby is selected as the newspaper published in Tillamook County, Oregon, having the largest circulation within said county and wherein shall be published the proceedings of the court as required by the provisions of an act of the Legislature of the State of Oregon, approved Feb. 21, 1897."

Any other paper claiming to be the County Official paper does so without shadow of truth or authority. No other publishes all the county official matter. The Headlight is also

The City Official Paper

and publishes all the proceedings of the City Council, all ordinances and all official notices. It may save you lots of trouble and expense to know what the ordinances are and to keep informed on official matters. The Headlight has the reputation of being one of the

Best Local Papers in Oregon

and it spares no pains nor expense to keep up its reputation. We have just put in a water motor to run our presses, and have now one of the most complete country offices in the state. The Headlight also has the

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office west of Portland. We have all the appliances needed and there is nothing in the line of job printing that we cannot do just as well as you can get it done in Portland. We have no competition in this county in job work as no other office is prepared to do good work.

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for itself. Come and see it and you will be convinced.

The Headlight.