Sheriff's Sale.

...ircuit Court of the State of Oregon for the County of Tillamook.

...Brant, executrix of the last will and testament of ... Brant, deceased, Plaintiff, vs. ...er Mills and ...tha Mills, his ... J. Lyle Wright, ...nnie I Wright, ... Clarence ... and Ella Jones, ...ook County ...corporation, ...angloff, and ... Daniel, Defendants. } Order, Judgment and Decree.

...E IS HEREBY GIVEN.—That in pursuance of a decree of foreclosure and order ... rendered in the Circuit Court of the ...Oregon for the County of Tillamook, ...19th day of May, 1909, in the above ...suit and of an execution issued out ...Court in said suit on the 11th day ...ember, 1909, and to me directed, I ...offer for sale and sell as the law ...at the Court House door of said ...in the City of Tillamook, State of ...on Friday, the 29th day of October, ...at the hour of ten o'clock a.m., ...property described in said decree and ...sale as follows, to-wit:

...on the findings of fact and conclusions of law heretofore made and entered ...is by the Court ordered, adjudged ...creed that the plaintiff have and recover of and from the defendants Samantha ...and Christopher Mills, her husband, ...of $1000.00, together with interest ...at the rate of 8 per cent per annum ...the 4th day of January, 1907, for ...the sum of $150.00 as attorney's ...his cost and disbursements, taxed ...

...the defendant A. C. Daniel have and ...of and from the defendants, Samantha ...and Christopher Mills, the sum of ...together with interest thereon at ...8 per cent per annum from the ...of April, 1907, the further sum of ...as attorney's fees, and his costs and ...ments, taxed at $8.35.

...the defendants, Clarence Jones and ...Jones have and recover of and from ...Mills and Christopher Mills, her ...the sum of $1200.00, together with ...thereon at the rate of 7 per cent per ...from the 4th day of January, 1907, ...of $100.00 as attorney's fees, and ...costs and disbursements, taxed at ...

...the defendant A. R. Gangloff have and ...of and from the defendants, J. Lyle ...and Annie I. Wright, his wife, the sum ...00, together with interest thereon at ...of 7 per cent per annum from the ...day of January, 1907, the sum of ...as an attorney's fee, and his costs ...disbursements, taxed at $8.35.

...the defendant Samantha Mills and ...guardian Clay Daniel, and the Tillamook ...County Bank have and recover of and from ...defendants, J. Lyle Wright and Annie I. ...the sum of $6,800.00, together with ...thereon at the rate of 7 per cent per ...from January 4th, 1907, the sum of ...as attorney's fee herein, and their ...disbursements, taxed at $8.35.

...judgments of the said defendants and ...defendant, A. R. Gangloff be binding ...said defendant J. Lyle Wright and ...Wright only to the extent of the pro...ceeds, or to be realized from the sale ...of property herein described, for the pur...pose of which property the notes and ...hereinbefore mentioned were ...

...the property described in the com...plaint and the various cross-complaints ...excepting, however, the property ...Tp. 1 S. R. 10 W., be sold and the ...thereof applied to the satisfaction ...various judgments herein as follows,

...there be sold for the purpose of satis...fying judgments herein recovered by the ...by the defendant A. C. Daniel, ...following described property, situate in ...County, Oregon, to-wit: ...North East quarter (¼) of the South...quarter (¼) of Section thirty (30), ...three (3) South of Range nine (9) ...Willamette Meridian (excepting a ...of land nine rods square, heretofore ...to the United Brethren Church, at ...Oregon; also all that part of the ...quarter (¼) of the Southeast ...Section thirty (30) in Township three ...of Range nine (9) West of Wil...lamette Meridian which lies on the North ...the Nestucca River, and a tract of land ...eight (8) acres, more or less, on ...side of the Nestucca River, com...mencing ...feet below the mouth of Beaver ...said Section thirty (30), and ...thence South across said Nestucca ...the Section line; thence East to the ...East corner of said Section thirty (30); ...North across said river, containing 28 ...more or less (excepting the rights ...granted to Beaver, Oregon, ...District in the tract of land now used ...district for school purposes, and ex...cepting about ten acres of said Southeast ...of the Southeast quarter of Section ...described in a mortgage made by ...and Samantha Mills, dated ...27th, 1903, and recorded in Book ...page 159 thereof, Records of Mort...gages of said County). Also the Southwest ...of the Southwest quarter of Section ...(29), in Township three (3) ...Range nine (9) West of the Willam...ette Meridian containing 40 acres more or ...excepting the tract of land nine rods ...heretofore deeded to the Free Metho...dist Church at Beaver, Oregon).

...is also excepted here from the land ...in the town of Beaver as shown by ...dedication dated April 11th, 1903, ...recorded in Deed Book "Z," page 532, ...of Tillamook County, Oregon, and ...lots and blocks in said town.

...there be sold for the purpose of satis...fying judgment rendered herein in favor ...defendant Clarence Jones and Ella ...the following described property, ...The North East quarter of the ...West quarter and Lot 1 of Section 31, ...4, of Section 30, in Township 3 ...Range 9 West, and the South East ...of the South East quarter of Section ...Township 3 South of Range 10 West ...Willamette Meridian, and that if there be ...realized from the sale of said property ...to satisfy the said judgment of said ...in full, there then be sold for ...purpose of satisfying the deficiency, if ...the following described real property, ...All that part of the South East ...of the South East quarter of Section ...Township 3 South of Range 9 West of ...Willamette Meridian, which is bounded on ...by Beaver Creek, and on the South ...Nestucca River, on the West by the ...(extended) of Joseph Bixby's pre...emption lot, or the store lot owned by the ...on August 27th, 1903, and on ...by the county road, being a tract ...ten acres of land.

...after the satisfaction of the judgments ...rendered in favor of the plaintiff and ...defendant A. C. Daniel, the remainder ...proceeds of the sale of the lands ...by plaintiff's mortgage be applied to ...satisfaction of the judgment recovered ...defendant A. R. Gangloff, and the ...if any, to the satisfaction of the ...recovered by Tillamook County ...and Samantha Mills and her guardian, ...Daniel, and if the judgments in favor of ...defendants Clarence Jones and Ella Jones ...realized from the proceeds of the pro...perty outside of the ten acres tract last des...cribed, with reference to lands to be sold to ...satisfy their judgment, then said ten acre ...be sold to satisfy any deficiency upon ...judgment of A. R. Gangloff, the Tilla...mook County Bank, Samantha Mills and her ...guardian; that there be paid to the Tilla...mook County Bank from the proceeds of said ...upon its judgment, the sum of ...together with interest thereon ...31st day of August, 1907, at the ...per cent per annum, and the excess ...payment of said amount and the ...judgment and the costs and dis...bursements of said parties to the said ...Mills by and through her Guar...dian Clay Daniel.

...the judgments of the said Gangloff, ...County Bank and defendant ...Mills through her guardian, be ...fully satisfied, that all of the ...of the lands described in the mort...gage recorded at page 212 of Book "R" of ...Records of Mortgages of Tillamook Co., ...and particularly described as fol...lows, to-wit: The South West quarter of the ...West quarter, and the North West ...of the South west quarter of Section ...North half of the North East ...and the South East quarter of the ...East quarter of Section 30, and the ...East quarter of the South East quar...ter of Section 19, in Township 3 South of ...Range 9 West of Willamette Meridian, also ...lots in the town of Beaver as hereinbefore ...excepting one block in the town ...deeded to A. Ginn, be sold for the ...purpose of satisfying the deficiency then ...if any.

...the judgment of the defendant Tilla...mook County Bank and of the defendant ...Samantha Mills to the extent of $2,800.00 ...costs and disbursements ...for to the payment of ...defendant Gangloff; that ...defendant Gangloff be ...tion of the judgments of said bank and defendant Samantha Mills to the extent of $2,800.00, with interest and costs, and then the amount still owing to defendant Samantha Mills be paid thereafter from the proceeds of the sales hereby ordered.

That the mortgages therein referred to, held by the plaintiff, by the defendant A. C. Daniel, by the defendants Clarence Jones and Ella Jones and by the defendants Tillamook County Bank and Samantha Mills and her guardian Clay Daniel, save and except the mortgage executed by defendants J. Lyle Wright and wife, covering Lots 1, 2, 3, 4 and 6 of Section 34, Township 1 South of Range 10 West of Willamette Meridian, of record at page 519 of Book "R" Records of Mortgages of Tillamook County, Oregon, be, and the same are hereby foreclosed, and the defendants, and each of them be, and they are hereby forever barred and foreclosed of all right, title, interest or estate in or to the lands covered thereby or any portion thereof, save and except their right of redemption as provided by law; that the purchasers of said lands at the sale hereby ordered be put into immediate possession thereof, and that the cross complaints of the defendant A. R. Gangloff, Tillamook County Bank, Samantha Mills and her guardian Clay Daniel, be and the same are hereby dismissed so far as they ask for the foreclosure of that mortgage recorded at page 519 of Book "R" of the records of mortgages of Tillamook County, Oregon, aforesaid, and the condition precedent for the foreclosure of said mortgage by the defendant Samantha Mills, not having been complied with, said mortgage as to said property be and the same hereby is declared to be null and void, and said property is released from the lien of said mortgage.

Said property will be sold at public auction to the highest bidder to satisfy the sums due upon said judgment and decree, and for costs and disbursements and accruing costs of said sale.

Dated at Tillamook City, Oregon, September 30, 1909.

H. CRENSHAW,
Sheriff of Tillamook County, Oregon.

Summons.

In the Circuit Court of the State of Oregon for Tillamook County.

Francis G. Bailey, Plaintiff, vs. Charles A. Bailey, Defendant.

To Charles A. Bailey, the above named defendant:

In the name of the State of Oregon,—You are hereby required to appear and answer the complaint filed against you in the above entitled court and cause on or before the 7th day of October, 1909, and if you fail to answer, for want thereof, the plaintiff will apply to the court for the relief prayed for in her complaint herein, to-wit:

That the bonds of matrimony existing between plaintiff and defendant be dissolved; that she have the care, control and custody of the minor children named in said complaint; that defendant be required to pay plaintiff the sum of $8 per month since the month of December, 1903, and so long as she remains unmarried, and the further sum of $5 per month for the support of each of said minor children from the month of Dec., 1903, until they shall have reached the age of majority, and for such other and further relief as to the court may seem equitable.

This summons is served upon you by publication in the Tillamook Headlight by order of the Hon. Wm. Galloway, Judge of the above named court, dated the 14th day of August, 1909. The first publication to be on the 19th day of August, 1909.

A. W. SEVERANCE,
Attorney for Plaintiff.

Order of Citation.

In the Circuit Court of the State of Oregon for Tillamook County.

State of Oregon, Plaintiff, vs. J. C. Gove, Defendant. } Order of Citation.

Based upon the application of the plaintiff herein, and it appearing to the Court that MALCOLM WYSTROM died intestate, without heirs, on or about the 25th day of June, 1907, at Tillamook City, in Tillamook County, Oregon, that said deceased at the time of his death was a resident of, and left real property in Tillamook County, Oregon, described as follows, to-wit:

A strip of land 50 feet wide off of the North end of and extending across from east to west of the following described tract of lands, to-wit: Beginning at a point 16 rods and 20 links North and 334 feet East of the Southwest corner of that tract of land deeded by G. W. Blackwell to H. M. Bush, situate in Tillamook County, State of Oregon, and thence running North to a point 514 feet north of the south line of the said Blackwell's Homestead Claim; thence West to the line of the County road; thence South along said county road to a point 16 rods and 20 links north of the south line of said Blackwell's land claim; thence East to the place of beginning.

That the estate of the said Malcolm Wystrom, deceased, has been duly administered upon and that the real property has not been disposed of during the administration of said estate; that there are no liens or incumbrances existing against the same, and that one J. C. Gove is now in the possession thereof and claim some interest in the said real property.

Now, therefore, any and all persons interested in the estate of the said Malcolm Wystrom, deceased, or the above described real property, are hereby required to appear in this Court on or before the 9th day of November, 1909, and then and there show cause, if any they have, why the said lands should not escheat to, and the title thereof vest absolutely in the State of Oregon.

Dated at Salem, Oregon, this 20th day of September, 1909.

GEO. H. BURNETT, Judge.

Notice of Final Settlement.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN.—That the undersigned has filed in the County Court of the State of Oregon, for Tillamook County, his final account as administrator of the Estate of DAVID REASONER, deceased, and that said Court has fixed Monday, November 1st, 1909, at the hour of 2 o'clock in the afternoon, as the time for the hearing of objections to said final account and the settlement thereof.

J. S. DIEHL, Administrator.
A. W. Severance, Attorney for Administrator.

First publication, September 16th, 1909.

Notice to Creditors.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN,—That the undersigned has been by the County Court of Tillamook County, Oregon, duly appointed administrator of the estate of RICHARD C. BURTON, deceased. All persons having claims against said estate are required to present the same to me, duly verified as required by law, at the office of H. T. Botts Attorney-at-Law, in Tillamook City, Oregon within six months from the date hereof.

Dated August 12th, 1909.

THOMAS M. BURTON,
Administrator Estate of Richard C. Burton, deceased.

Summons.

In the Circuit Court of the State of Oregon for Tillamook County.

Euna Erickson, Plaintiff vs. Charles Erickson, Defendant.

To Charles Erickson, the above named defendant:

In the name of the State of Oregon: You are hereby required to appear and answer the complaint filed against you in the above entitled court and cause on or before the 4th day of November, 1909, and if you fail to answer, for want thereof, the plaintiff will apply to the court for the relief prayed for in her complaint herein, to-wit: That the bonds of matrimony existing between plaintiff and defendant be dissolved, and for such other and further relief as to the court may seem equitable.

This summons is served upon you by publication in the Tillamook Headlight by order of the Hon. Wm. Galloway, Judge of the above named court, dated the 28th day of September, 1909. The first publication to be on the 30th day of September, 1909.

A. W. SEVERANCE,
Attorney for Plaintiff.

Notice of Final Settlement.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN,—That the undersigned, administrator of the estate of T. S. JEWELL, deceased, has filed in the County Court of Tillamook County, State of Oregon, his final account as such administrator of said estate, and that Tuesday, the second day of November, A.D. 1909, at the hour of Ten o'clock in the fore noon thereof, has been fixed by said Court as the time for hearing of objections to said report and the settlement thereof.

J. C. BEWLEY,
Administrator of the estate of T. S. Jewell, deceased.

Summons.

In the Circuit Court of the State of Oregon for the County of Tillamook.

Elisabeth Hasenbach, Anton Breckheimer, Josef Westenberger, Anna Mann, Josef Mann, Elisabetha Mark and Heinrich Mark, Plaintiffs, vs. Elisabetha Westenberger, Johann Josef Breckheimer and Georg Leisser, Defendants.

To Elisabetha Westenberger, Johann Josef Breckheimer and Georg Leisser, defendants:

In the Name of the State of Oregon: You are hereby required to appear and answer the complaint filed against you in the above entitled suit on or before the last day of the time prescribed in the order for the publication of this summons, to wit, on or before the 19th day of October, 1909, the said day being after the expiration of six weeks from the first publication of this summons, and if you fail so to appear and answer, for want thereof the plaintiffs will apply to the Court for the relief demanded in the complaint, to wit, for a decree determining the rights of the several parties plaintiffs as well as defendants in and to that certain real property situated in Tillamook County, State of Oregon, described as the East half (E ½) of the Southwest quarter (Sw ¼) of Section five (5) and the East half (E ½) of the Northwest quarter (Nw ¼) of Section eight (8) in Township six (6) South of Range ten (10) West of the Willamette Meridian, that the plaintiffs and defendants are the owners of the respective interests therein alleged in the complaint; that the said real property is so situated that partition cannot be made without great prejudice to the owners; that a sale thereof be ordered for the purpose of partition of the proceeds; that said real property be sold according to law and the proceeds be distributed according to law and according to the respective interests of the parties as found and determined by the Court; and for such other and further relief as in the premises may seem meet and proper.

This summons is published by order of the Honorable Earl C. Bronaugh, Judge presiding in the above entitled Court, made on the 30th day of August, 1909. By said order it was directed that this summons be published in the Tillamook Headlight once each week for six consecutive weeks and the date of the first publication thereof is September 2, 1909, the date named in said order for said first publication.

H. T. BOTTS,
VEAZIE & VEAZIE,
Attorneys for Plaintiffs.

Administrator's Notice.

In the matter of the estate of Rebecca J. Dean, Deceased.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN.—That the undersigned has been duly appointed by the County Court of the State of Oregon, for Tillamook County, administrator of the estate of REBECCA J. DEAN, deceased. All persons having claims against said estate are hereby required to present the same to me properly verified as by law required at my residence at Bay City, or at the office of W. H. Cooper, at Tillamook City, Oregon, within six months from the date hereof.

Dated this 9th day of September, 1909.

G. B. DAVIDSON,
Administrator of the estate of Rebecca J. Dean, deceased.

NOTICE OF SCHOOL INDEMNITY SELECTION

United States Land Office,
Portland, Oregon, Sept. 21, 1909.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN,—That the State of Oregon, on September 21, 1909, applied for the Sw ¼ of Sw ¼ of Section 11, T. 3 N, R. 9 W., Willamette Meridian, and filed in this office a list of School Indemnity Selections in which it selected said land; and that said list is open to the public for inspection.

Any and all persons claiming adversely the above described land or any legal subdivision thereof, or claiming the same under the mining laws, or desiring to show said land to be more valuable for mineral than for agricultural purposes, or to object to said selection for any legal reason, should file their claims or their affidavits of protest or contest in this office.

ALGERNON S. DRESSER,
Register.
GEO. W. BIBEE,
Receiver.

I hereby designate the Tillamook Headlight, a newspaper published at Tillamook, Oregon, as the paper in which the above notice is to be published.

ALGERNON S. DRESSER,
Register.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.
Department of the Interior,
U.S. Land Office, at Portland, Ore., April 23rd, 1909.

Notice is hereby given that FLORA M. PATZLAF, of Tillamook, Oregon, who, on April 23rd, 1909, made timber and stone application, No. 01927, for E ½ of Ne ¼ Sec. 10, tp. 1 south, Range 9 West, Willamette Meridian, has filed notice of intention to make final timber proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before W. H. Cooper, U.S. Commissioner, at Tillamook, Oregon, on the 10th day of December, 1909.

Claimant names as witnesses:
Carl Patzlaf, of Tillamook, Oregon; David Martiny, of Tillamook, Oregon; Jas. Woodward, of Tillamook, Oregon; Ed. Lindsey, of Tillamook, Oregon.

ALGERNON S. DRESSER, Register.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.
Department of the Interior,
U.S. Land Office, at Portland, Ore., April 1st, 1909.

Notice is hereby given that CARL A. PATZLAF, of Tillamook, Oregon, who, on April 1st, 1909, made timber and stone application, No 01769, for Ne ¼ of Sw ¼ and Nw ¼ of Se ¼ of section 24, township 1 south, range 9 West, Willamette Meridian, has filed notice of intention to make final timber proof, to establish claim to the land above described before W. H. Cooper, U.S. Commissioner, at Tillamook, Oregon, on the 10th day of December, 1909. Claimant names as witnesses:
David Martiny, of Tillamook, Oregon; Ed. Lindsey, of Tillamook, Oregon; Morris Leach, of Tillamook, Oregon; Frank Easter, of Tillamook, Oregon.

ALGERNON S. DRESSER, Register.

THE PACIFIC MONTHLY, of Portland, Oregon, is a beautifully illustrated monthly magazine. If you are interested in dairying, fruit raising, poultry raising, or want to know about irrigated lands, timber lands, or free government land open to homestead entry, The Pacific Monthly will give you full information. The price is $1.50 a year.

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Offer No. 3—Human Life, Ideal Homes and The Pacific Monthly will be sent for $2.00.

Order by number and send your order accompanied by postal money order for the amount to The Pacific Monthly, Portland, Oregon.

Board of Equalization.

Notice is hereby given that on Monday, October 18, 1909, the County Board of Equilization will meet at the Court House of Tillamook County, Oregon, and publicly examine the assessment rolls for said year, and correct all errors in valuations, descriptions of lands and other property. Said board will continue in session from day to day, until the examination, correction and equalization of the assessment rolls shall be completed.

Dated at Tillamook, Oregon, September, 22, 1909.

A. M. HARE,
County Assessor.

WAYS OF THE ORIENT.

Queer Ideas About Alleviating Bodily Suffering.

MAGIC CURES OF THE TURKS.

The Treatment to Which Crippled Children Are Subjected—Bunches of Garlic and Strings of Blue Beads as Panaceas Against All Kinds of Ills.

A stone strikes some part of the body of an oriental and inflicts a wound. The train of ideas that this accident would produce in his mind would run something like this: The stone is the cause of pain, the cause of the wound. It is the principal origin of the trouble. But the essence of every origin is hidden, secret and therefore sacred. The stone becomes an awe inspiring fetich. The wound is neglected. The fetich has to be propitiated. This simple illustration is borne out and supported by everyday experience which medical men encounter in the east.

Another instance may be derived from among the lower classes of the Greek population of Constantinople. A child falls and cuts his head. The first thought of the parent is to be sure not to wash and to bind up the wound, still less to call medical assistance, however grave the cut may turn out to be. This is always an afterthought, which very often comes so late that the help of a surgeon can prove of no use.

The first thing the father or mother of the injured child thinks of doing is to pour over the shoulder upon the place of the accident a libation of wine or sugared water and to whisper in performing this some mysterious formula supposed to possess supernatural efficacy against every form of evil.

The Moslems are addicted to the queerest practices for purposes of healing or alleviating bodily pain. A Turk, for instance, in distress or suffering from some disease, however severe, knows of no better remedy than to fix a piece of his dress, torn off with true oriental equanimity, to an iron bar of some saint's tomb or to drink water from a tumbler into which he has previously put a sheet of paper with writings from the Koran. Sometimes he will take a jar, the interior of which has been written all over with strange formulae and signs. He will then fill it with water, wait till these formulae and signs have been thoroughly dissolved and drink the singular solution with an absolute faith in its wonder working efficacy.

Sheltered by the somber cypresses of the great Mohammedan cemetery at Scutari (the ancient Chrysopolis on the Asiatic coast of the Bosporus) there stands in picturesque solitude the tomb of a horse. Every Friday afternoon Turkish mothers carry to that tomb their crippled children to be submitted by a select "khodja" (priest) to an extraordinary course of treatment. These children are dragged, with their diseased limbs dangling over the hillock, from one end of the tomb to the other and then back again in the same fashion. The occult influence emanating from this hillock is supposed to be an all efficient panacea.

It is not difficult to trace in this case the crude, imperfect association of ideas. The horse has long been considered an emblem of vigor, typifying, as Ruskin says, "the flow and force of life." Hence the belief of the oriental, inherited, no doubt, from the Greeks, in the all conquering virtue and influence of occult and mysterious effluvia which are supposed to emanate constantly from a horse's tomb.

The wearing of a necklace of blue beads or of garlic as a potent means of keeping away disease or of warding off the evil eye is quite a universal matter of sincere belief in the whole of Turkey. This superstition is shared, as is well known, by the lower classes of many a country in civilized eastern Europe. There, however, it is not so universal and flagrant as in the orient.

There is scarcely a house in the Moslem, Greek and Armenian districts of the population of Constantinople which has not hanging above its entrance door a collection of garlic and scarcely a beast of toll which has not attached to some part of it a string of blue beads. Among the uneducated it is impossible to find an individual who does not pin absolute faith to the all healing power of such charms, especially of blue beads, which are supposed to be an unfailing panacea against every possible ill.

Less general is the belief in the east in the baleful influence of the planets Saturn and Mars upon the constitution of the human body, upon its four cardinal humors—blood, phlegm, yellow bile and black bile. These planets are considered by some orientals, especially in the far south, as the unmistakable causes of all sorts of ailments. Woe unto him who begins any work when Saturn or Mars is in the ascendant.—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

If Only.

Miss Enpec (engaged to Tommy)—When you proposed to me you said that if I would only say the right word you would be the happiest man in the world.

Tommy—Ah! If you had only said it!—Illustrated Bits.

Perilous.

"Were you ever in a railroad disaster?"

"Yes—I once kissed the wrong girl while going through a tunnel."—Cleveland Leader.

It's the fellow who minds his p's and q's that sleeps on flowery beds of e's.—Philadelphia Record.

CIRCUSES.

The Old and the New and the Greatest Drawing Card.

Before the one ring days and going back a few centuries the circus was represented in the person of a mountebank, a thin visaged, clean shaven man who hitched his trapeze to the sturdy limb of a village oak and did feats to the ill concealed amazement of a people who respected God somewhat, but the devil and his black magic a great deal more.

A long and high jump this—from mountebank to modern hippodrome, from a man who lived under his hat to a tented city which houses as many as 25,000 people in one day and regularly furnishes food, shelter and transportation for 1,200 more, to say nothing of a hospital, a postoffice and a commissary where one can purchase almost anything from a postage stamp to a suit of overalls.

The big show today is as highly specialized and deviously organized as is our greatest business institution. Its maintenance costs a thousand dollars an hour. Yes, it's a long jump from the mountebank; but, after all, things haven't changed so much in some ways.

A man who was running a trick pony and dog show last year added a "thriller" to his program in the way of a dangerous flying trapeze act. To the delight of his pockets, but the intense disgust of his trainer's soul, the door receipts almost doubled. He had two men at the door one night who asked the outgoing crowds which part of the show they liked best—the trick animals or the acrobats. They answered as one, "The acrobats!"

Danger—danger to other human lives and limbs—that's the drawing card, after all, excepting only the children who are too young to be gory minded and who find most delight in the clowns. We grownups like the "thrillers"—the more deadly the better.—William Allen Johnston in Harper's Weekly.

WHAT HE WAS TELLING HIM.

An Incident That Ended the Conversation at the Barber's.

"You are very bald, sir," said the barber to little Binks as the latter took up his position in the chair.

"What's that you say?" asked Binks pleasantly.

"I say you are very bald, sir," repeated the barber.

"Who is?" asked Binks.

"You, sir," said the barber.

"What paper did you see that in? demanded Binks.

"What's that, sir?" asked the barber.

"What newspaper?" repeated Binks. "I read all the papers, but I didn't see any reference to this. Was it in one of the early editions of the evening papers?"

"Was what, sir?" queried the puzzled barber.

"This thing you were just telling me," said Binks.

"Why, I don't remember telling you"— began the barber.

"About my being bald, you know," said Binks. "You said I was very bald, didn't you?"

"Yes," said the barber, "but I didn't mention the newspapers, sir. Why should it be in the newspapers, sir?"

"Why, because it's news, isn't it?" said Binks.

"I shouldn't say that, sir," said the barber.

"Well, if it isn't news, what in thunder did you tell me about it for?" demanded Binks. "I supposed you had read about it in one of the papers and had reached the conclusion that I didn't know it. If you find a mole under my left ear while shaving me, break it to me gently, please, and you may omit all mention of the fact that my beard is getting gray. I am trying to stave off a realization of the"—

But just then the barber accidentally ran his lather brush over Bink's mouth, and the conversation ceased.—Lippincott's.

The Mechanical Choir.

"I hear that your church has installed a phonograph stuffed with sacred music?"

"Yes. Had to do it. Choir had struck."

"New scheme work all right?"

"It's beautiful. Never quarrels with itself, has no skirts to rustle, doesn't fret about the angle of its hat, refrains from giggling or powdering its nose, and if it gets out of order a mechanic can repair it."—Philadelphia Ledger.

The Day He Selected.

When Mr. Gladstone was alive he was once discussing with some friends at Hawarden castle the greatest day in the world's history. Each member of the group was asked to say on which day he, in the past or the future, would prefer to live, it being supposed that he should have his present knowledge, and afterward return to his present existence. Mr. Gladstone chose a day in Greece when Athens was at its highest glory.

Not Like Him.

The Vicar—I'm surprised at you, Miggs. Why, look at me. I can go into the town without coming back intoxicated. Miggs—Yesh, zur. But Oi be so popular.—London Telegraph.

Might Have Helped.

"We were traveling all day in the teeth of the gale."

"Pity you didn't have a dentist."

"What for?"

"To draw the teeth!"

That's Different.

"Here's a case where fear turned dark hair yellow."

"Fear turned the hair yellow! Bosh!"

"Fear of being out of style."—Exchange.

A LAKE THAT RAN AWAY.

It Changed the Face of a Part of Northern Vermont.

One hundred years ago the sites of Glover and Barton, in the northern part of Vermont, were mostly swamp land. A mill was located by a brook which was fed from one of the large ponds three or four miles from what is now the village of Glover. These mountain ponds or lakes, two or three miles square, are high up in the Green mountains and are among the most attractive spots in New England.

On June 6, 1810, three men went up the brook to see if a little more water could be let down to the mill. They removed some earth, when suddenly the quicksands gave way, and they saw that the whole lake was liable to be upon them.

Frantically they questioned, "Who will save the miller and his wife?"

Spencer Chamberlain, the fleetest of foot, ran as fast as possible through the tangle of thick woods to give warning, while the other men escaped to higher ground. He found the miller away and the miller's wife grinding at the mill. She became helpless with horror; but, breathless as her rescuer was from his flight, he succeeded in dragging and carrying her up the hill out of reach of the rushing water. The miller's horse was drowned and all of his hard earned property swept away in a twinkling.

The water rushed along, carrying everything before it, digging out ravines, filling up hollows and making a new surface to the land generally, some of it reaching Lake Memphremagog, more than a dozen miles away. It brought down so much sand that it filled the swamps and made them fit for habitation.

The site of the lake is now called Runaway pond or Dry pond and the road leading to it Runaway road. The ground which was once the bed of the lake is spongy and shakes when walked upon. Hay is grown there, but has to be cut by hand and carried off on pitchforks, as a horse would sink into the soggy mass.—Boston Globe.

TIDES OF PUGET SOUND.

The Swift and Turbulent Waters of the Narrows.

The waters of the narrows are treacherous. It is a place of terrible tides. Viewed from the precipitous shores, the surging waters are magnificent. The scene has been compared with the Hudson above New York city. The waters of that part of Puget sound which extends to Olympia, Mud bay, Shelton and Henderson bay, a vast inland sea within itself, all flow in and out of the narrows.

In the upper reaches of the sound some twenty-five or thirty miles from the narrows the tides attain a height of more than twenty feet. When the tides begin to fall all the accumulated water rushes out through the narrows like a great river at flood. In like manner when the tide sets in the direction of Olympia the narrows become a swift and turbulent stream. Frightful whirlpools are numerous. Streams running powerfully in contrary directions strike and the water boils.

Large steamboats struck by the contrary currents groan and creak and sway under the strain. This being so, it is no wonder that small craft often overturn in the narrows. A whirlpool has been known to seize a rowboat and twist it round and round until the rowers almost despaired of coming out alive. It is a marvelously beautiful water with all its terrors, and hundreds and thousands will continue to find pleasure there, notwithstanding its occasional tragedies. The rumble of the tides when running at full is like the distant rumble of the ocean. The terrors of the sea are an element of its charm, and so it is with the terrors of the narrows.—Tacoma Ledger.

Two Apologies For a Hat.

A Kansas City man who had lost his hat at a public function in that metropolis caused the following unique advertisement to be published in the local papers:

The undersigned will deem it a great favor if the gentleman who inadvertently took the undersigned's new silk hat on the occasion of the reception of the Lotos club, leaving an inferior headpiece instead, will have the goodness to return said silk hat. Not only will the gentleman receive the undersigned's warmest thanks for his kindness, but the apologies of the undersigned—the apology for the trouble the undersigned may have caused him and "the apology for a hat" which he has conferred upon the undersigned.

—St. Louis Republic.

All Affected.

Sprigg went to a noted physician to ask advice as to his health. In pompous tones he addressed the doctor:

"I—ah—have come to—ah—ask you—ah—what—what is—ah—the doosid mattaw with me—ah!"

"I find your heart is affected," said the physician gravely.

"Oh—ah—anything else—ah?"

"Yes; your lungs are affected too."

"Anything—ah—else—ah?"

"Yes; your manners are also affected."—London Answers.

Hypothetical Questions.

"What will your mother say to you when you get home?" said one boy.

"She'll start in by asking me some hypothetical questions," answered precocious Willie.

"What are they?"

"Questions that she thinks she knows the answers to before she starts to talk."—Washington Star.

Archness.

Sally Gay—What a cunning little fellow Mr. Callipers is! Dolly Swift—Cunning? Why, he's dreadfully bowlegged. Sally Gay—Yes, but that gives him such an arch look, you know.—Truth.