

SHARK SWALLOWS A CHAIN.
If Lindubbers Snar at This Yarn the Captain Can Prove It.

Sharks are known to have tremendous appetites. They are said to have swallowed rubber boots, even when human legs were in them, gobbled up beer kegs, and orange boxes, and even tried to chew away the stone foundation of a pier.

But the record breaking shark was the one who paid an unceremonious visit to the steamship *Scottish Prince* while that vessel was bound to this port.

This particular shark lingered too long on the steamship, in order to have a meal on two fathoms of wrought iron chain, with a side dish in the shape of a couple of baying pins. Like little Willie, who was too fond of green apples, the shark's appetite meant his doom.

Instead of being buried beneath the cold, cold waves, he was cut up, and the chain and baying pins extracted from his interior, and his carcass used to feed three cats who acted as super-cargoes on the vessel. The tail of Mr. Shark now occupies the place of honor in the room of Capt. Dobson of the *Scottish Prince*, a mute evidence of the veracity of that skipper.

The *Scottish Prince* arrived here recently from Brazil ports. On the trip North the steamship encountered extremely rough and cold weather.

On Wednesday afternoon there was a particularly mad gale from the west and one large wave carried with it a shark, six feet six inches long.

The weight of the shark is not known, but he landed on the deck of the vessel like a ton of brick, and above the howling of the wind could be heard the racket he made in his efforts to get off the vessel.

Capt. Dobson, who was on the bridge was called by the crew. As he was not familiar with the kind of diet prescribed for sharks, and as the shark could not work his passage over the bow, he decided that the shark should die.

For two hours members of the crew of the steamship kept themselves warm by exercising on the shark with baying pins, caps, bars, and hammers. The shark would not die, but flopped about the deck with every lurch of the vessel, opening his huge mouth and snapping at the men who were trying to kill him.

Finally he got his chance. One great blast of wind carried away the foremast halyards, and to make necessary repairs the boatswain got out the pendant, to which was attached twelve feet of heavy iron chain.

As the pendant and the chain were placed beside the shark he opened his mouth, yanked at the boatswain, and swallowed the chain, snapping it off close to the pendant.

Whether it was due to his failure to digest the chain, or to the beating of the crew and the motion of the vessel, the shark died after he had swallowed a few square yards of canvas as a "chaser" for the chain.

At first the crew thought the shark ought to go overboard, but the captain vetoed the suggestion, for there was that good chain in his stomach. Accordingly the shark was cut open and the chain and baying pins extracted. The body was fed to Brassy, the captain's cat; Yankee, the fore-castle cat; and an unnamed Tom who was the pet of one of the firemen.

Capt. Dobson has read many tales of whales and sea serpents, and the yarn spun by Capt. Hebbel, formerly of the *Normania*, who, after nearly being in collision with an iceberg, told on reaching port how a polar bear stood on the berg and yelled, "Port your helm!"

So Capt. Dobson brought the tail of the shark to this port as evidence of his veracity.—New York Press.

THE HONELIEST MAN IN SALEM

As well as the handsomest, and others are invited to call on any druggist and get free a trial bottle of Kemp's Balsam for the Throat and Lungs, a remedy that is guaranteed to cure and relieve all Chronic and Acute Coughs, Asthma, Bronchitis and Consumption. Price 25c and 50c.

AGREEABLY DISAPPOINTED.

Sidney had been dining out with his parents and had eaten as heartily as anyone of 5 years well could, says the New York Commercial Advertiser. While the adults were sipping their after-dinner coffee, Sidney straightened up in his chair and emitted a deep sigh.

"What is the matter, Sidney? Haven't you had a good dinner?" inquired the hostess.

"Oh, yes; a great deal better dinner than I expected," said Sidney.

Deafness Cannot be Cured

by local applications, as they cannot reach the diseased portion of the ear. There is only one way to cure Deafness, and that is by constitutional remedies. Deafness is caused by an inflammation of the mucous lining of the Eustachian Tube. When this tube gets inflamed, it causes the drum to be pulled out of its normal position, and when it is entirely closed Deafness is the result, and unless the inflammation can be taken out and this tube restored to its normal condition, hearing will be destroyed forever. Nine cases out of ten are caused by catarrh, which is nothing but an inflamed condition of the mucous lining.

We will give One Hundred Dollars for any case of Deafness (caused by catarrh) that cannot be cured by Hall's Catarrh Cure. Send for circulars, free. J. C. HENNEY & CO., Toledo, O. Sold by Druggists, etc.

FINAL ACCOUNT.

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned did on April 4, 1899, file in the office of the county clerk of Marion county, Oregon, his final account as administrator of the estate of George O. Ashby, deceased. By an order of the county court of said county made and entered April 4, 1899, it was ordered that May 8, 1899, at 10 o'clock a. m., in the court room of said county court in Salem, Oregon, be appointed the time and place for hearing objections to said final account and the settlement thereof.

ORIN SAYAGE, Administrator.
Salem, Oregon, April 6, 1899.—4-7-Stw.

NOTICE OF APPOINTMENT OF ADMINISTRATOR.

Notice is hereby given that on the sixteenth day of March, 1899, the county court of Marion County, Oregon, duly appointed Jefferson Myers administrator de bonis non of the estate of A. D. Risdon, deceased, and the said administrator having qualified, as required by law, notifies all persons having claims against the estate of said A. D. Risdon, deceased, to present them duly verified as by law required, to the said administrator at his office in the Tioga block, Salem, Marion county, Oregon, within six months from the first publication of this notice.

Dated this seventeenth day of March 1899.

JEFFERSON MYERS, Administrator de bonis non of the Estate of A. D. Risdon deceased.
Brown, Wrightman & Myers, Attorneys.
3-4-5-t w.

ASSIGNEE'S NOTICE OF FINAL ACCOUNT.

Notice is hereby given that C. E. Updegraff, as assignee of the estate of F. W. Miller, an insolvent debtor, has filed his final account as such assignee, in Department No. 2, of the circuit court of the State of Oregon for Marion county, and that said final account will be heard and passed upon by said court at the court house in said Marion county upon the 20th day of April, 1899, at 2 o'clock p. m., of said day.

C. E. UPDEGRAFF, Assignee of said F. W. Miller, an insolvent debtor.
Salem, Ore., March 23, 1899.
3-24-Stw.

ASSIGNEE'S FINAL SETTLEMENT.

In the circuit court of the state of Oregon, for Marion county, department No. 2:—

In the matter of the assignment of B. F. Drake, an insolvent debtor.

Notice is hereby given to all whom it may concern: That the undersigned assignee of said estate has filed his final account thereof in said court, and that the same will be presented to the said court for allowance and confirmation, on Saturday, the fifteenth day of April, at 1 o'clock p. m., of said day, at the said circuit court room in the county court house at the city of Salem, in Marion county, Oregon; and that the said final account and any objections thereto, will be heard and passed upon by the said court at said time and place, or as soon thereafter as the court may be able to hear the same.

Dated at Salem, Oregon, this the thirteenth day of March, A. D. 1899.

F. E. RIZER, Assignee of the estate of B. F. Drake, an insolvent debtor.
3-17-St-wkly.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS.

Notice is hereby given that the county court of the state of Oregon for Marion county, did duly appoint John A. McIntire as executor of the last will and testament of Leonard B. Judson, deceased, and all persons having or claiming to have any claim, account or demand against the estate of the said testator, Leonard B. Judson, are hereby required to present the same to the said executor, duly verified, as required by law, at his residence at Warrenton, Clatsop county, Oregon, within six months from the date of the first publication of this notice.

Dated at Salem, Oregon, this 24th day of February, 1899.

JOHN A. MCINTIRE, Executor.
Warrenton, Oregon.
John A. Carson, attorney for executor, Salem Oregon.
3-25-Stw.

NOTICE OF APPOINTMENT OF EXECUTOR.

Notice is hereby given that on the eleventh day of March, 1899, the county court of Marion county, Oregon, duly appointed Jacob Leidenger executor of the last will and testament of Nancy Beatty, deceased, and having qualified as required by law, all persons having claims against the estate of said Nancy Beatty, deceased, are hereby notified to present them, duly verified as by law required, to the said executor, at his home in Salem, Oregon, or at the office of Brown, Wrightman & Myers, his attorneys, Tioga block, Salem, Marion county, Oregon, within six months from the first publication of this notice.

Dated this eleventh day of March, 1899.

JACOB LEIDENGER, Executor estate of Nancy Beatty, deceased.
Brown, Wrightman & Myers, attorneys for executor.
3-17-wb.

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned, Charles B. Worden, was on the 1st day of March, 1899, duly appointed by the county court, of Marion county, state of Oregon, administrator of the estate of John B. Worden, deceased, late of said Marion county. All persons having claims against said estate are hereby required to present the same to said administrator or G. S. Downing, at Salem, Oregon, properly verified to as by law required, within six months from the date hereof and all persons indebted to said estate will please make immediate payment of the same to either said administrator or G. S. Downing, at the place above mentioned.

This eleventh day of March, 1899.

CHARLES B. WORDEN, Administrator.
G. S. Downing, attorney for estate.
3-17-Stw.

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned by an order of the county court of Marion county, Oregon, has been appointed as administrator of the estate of James Whelan, deceased. All persons having claims against such estate are required to present them within six months from the date of this notice, with the proper vouchers, to the undersigned, at the office of Geo. G. Bingham, Salem, Oregon.

Dated this fourteenth day of March, 1899.

D. D. GORSLINE, Administrator.
3-17-Stw.

A DECEASED PIONEER.

Biographical Sketch of the Late Wm. Porter, an Aged Citizen.

William Porter, who died at his residence near Aumsville on March 30, 1899, at the age of 86 years, 3 months and 15 days, was born in Lincoln county, Missouri, on the fourteenth day of December, 1812. When a small boy he spent considerable of his time in Fort Kennedy on account of Indian troubles; he remembered having spent one night lying in the cornfield with the rest of the family hiding from the Indians, and his father feeding some of the children on gunpowder to keep them from coughing, which would, perhaps, have revealed their hiding place. At the age of 19 years he went to Jacksonville, Illinois, where he attended the Illinois college four years, being a classmate of Richard Yates, one of Illinois' brightest governors. In 1836 he permanently located in Pike county, Illinois, where he taught school continuously for ten years; Hon. Ben Hayden, of Polk county, and other pioneers of the West having been his students. In 1840 he was married to Miss Sarah Coffey. In 1848 he removed to Oregon and settled on the farm where he continually resided until his death. His wife died immediately after reaching Oregon, of what was then called mountain fever, and was the first person buried at what is now the Aumsville cemetery. In 1849 he was married to Miss Martha Coffey, who now survives him at the age of nearly 85 years.

He was chief clerk of the first territorial legislative assembly that met at Oregon City on July 16, 1849. He served Marion county as assessor, commissioner and representative. He employed all persons in the county subject to military duty, under the supervision of Provost-Marshal Captain Keeler, who will be remembered by the older residents of Salem.

He was a republican in politics, but very much opposed to "rings," "set-ups" and ill-considered campaign funds. When he received the nomination for representative he was at home working on the farm, and had no idea of his name going to be brought before the convention.

He was a member of the Christian church and believed in practical religion. Many times helping the poor and needy and often to his own detriment, financially.

He was sick but very little during his life and in his diary which he has continually kept since January 1, 1881, he wrote the following on December 14, 1892: "This is my birthday and I am now 80 years of age. I have enjoyed good health during the past year and am now able to do a good day's work without fatigue. I feel truly thankful to my God for this and all the blessings I enjoy at his hands. Praise the Lord."

Besides his aged companion, he leaves three sons: J. H., S. R. and H. C.—and two daughters—Mrs. C. K. Read and Mrs. H. C. Von Behren—all of Marion county; one son William G., and one daughter, Sarah L., having died a number of years ago.

He has one sister living in Oregon—Mrs. Nancy Holmes, mother of Hon. W. H. Holmes, of Salem.

The funeral services, conducted by Elder J. E. Roberts, were largely attended. James P. Davis and S. T. Darby, of Stayton, S. J. Condit of Ale, Henry Gibson of Turner, Abner Lewis of Shaw, and William H. Smith of Sublimity—all pioneers—were the pallbearers. His body was laid to rest in the Aumsville cemetery beside that of his first wife, who was buried there over fifty years ago.

NEW CLERK INSTALLED.

Joseph Baumgartner furnishes a \$20,000 Bond—Work of School Board.

The first regular meeting of the board of directors for school district No. 24, for the month of April, was held in the office of ex-Clerk M. E. Pogue last evening. Directors Bruce Johnson, Davidson, and Chamberlain, being present.

Clerk-elect Joseph Baumgartner presented his bond for \$20,000, with Asahel Bush and A. N. Bush as sureties, and the same was approved by the board. Mr. Baumgartner was then sworn in and assumed his duties at once.

City Superintendent G. A. Peebles, ex-Clerk M. E. Pogue and Clerk Jos.

Baumgartner were constituted a committee to report the books of ex-Clerk M. E. Pogue, for the month that has elapsed since they were last reported. Ex-Clerk Pogue was allowed an additional month's salary for his services as clerk for the past month, pending the election and qualification of his successor.

Director Chamberlain was named as a committee of one to dispose of the block of ground in South Salem, owned by the district. He was instructed by the board, not to consummate any deal relative to the disposition of the property, unless the district shall realize \$500 therefor. The same gentleman was constituted a committee of one to investigate the matter of delinquent taxes, relative to enforcing their collection, that the district might realize something therefrom.

City Superintendent Peebles submitted his monthly report relative to the attendance and general statistical information concerning the schools. The total number of pupils in the schools at the date of the report, March 24th, was 1305, apportioned among the schools as follows: East 510, North 251, Lincoln 115, Park 209, Centrals 123, Polytechnic 31.

Superintendent Peebles also submitted an estimate of the number of cords of wood that would be needed at the several schools for the ensuing year. The estimate is as follows:

School	Fire	Oak
East.....	180	20
Park.....	55	12
North.....	65	10
Lincoln.....	60	5
Centrals.....	15	15

Total.....375 62
The probable cost of the wood is: Fire \$4375, oak \$186. The committee on supplies held a meeting after adjournment of the board last night, consulted the estimate made by Superintendent Peebles and will soon advertise for the amount of wood needed.

Heretofore the board has been taken advantage of by parties from whom it contracted wood. Frequently when the price of wood advanced subsequent to the time the contracts were let, the contractor failed to furnish the full amount he had agreed to. Not having entered into a written contract or required a check to be deposited on the part of the wood dealer, the board was powerless to enforce the further delivery of wood from such parties, and as a consequence, was obliged to purchase other wood to supply the shortage, at a considerable advance in price over that for which the wood was contracted. This year the board proposes to require a cash deposit of about \$35 of each bidder who is awarded a contract for fifty cords or more.

For the next year, at least, the board will meet in the president's office in the Bush bank building, Clerk Baumgartner having arranged an office in those apartments.

A RAILROAD SUE.—In department No. 1, of the Marion county circuit court, L. H. McMahon, yesterday instituted an action for money against the Canadian Pacific railroad company. Judgment is demanded for \$552.35 with 8 per cent interest from May 1, 1894, together with the costs and disbursements of the action. In the complaint Mr. McMahon alleges that the company failed to deliver to him, on November 7, 1891 and March 1, 1893 the "Woodburn Independent," a weekly paper of Woodburn, rendered advertising services for the defendant corporation, to the value of \$218.30 upon which a payment of \$77.70 had been made, leaving a balance of \$140.60.

The plaintiff further alleges that between March 10, 1893 and April 15, 1894, there was printed and published by the Independent Publishing Company, in the "Daily Independent" and the "Oregon Independent" local and writ-ups of the reasonable value of \$411.75, none of which it is claimed was paid. The claims were subsequently assigned by the interested parties to Mr. McMahon, who is represented in the suit by S. T. Richardson, the attorney.

IN PROBATE COURT.—The sale by F. W. Steusloff, administrator of the estate of Chas. M. Day, deceased, of five acres for \$280 was declared null and void yesterday by the county court, another party subsequent to the sale having offered \$500 for the same property. The final account of Nancy A. Perkins, executrix of the estate of Hiram Geren, deceased, was approved and the executrix was discharged. The petition of John Murray and G. A. Cone, Jr., executors of the estate of G. A. Cone, deceased, to sell certain personal property of the estate, was granted. Melinda E. Chambers, administratrix of the estate of E. J. Chambers, deceased, yesterday turned over to County Clerk W. W. Hall, \$537 to be distributed among the heirs of Wm. J. Chambers, deceased. She was discharged from her trust and her bondsmen were released.

ANOTHER OPERATION.—Miss Margaret Mudge, aged about 25 years, who resides with her parents near the Indian training school, was brought to this city Sunday evening, suffering from an attack of appendicitis. Yesterday Drs. C. H. Robertson, F. M. Brooks and D. F. Lane, performed a very successful operation upon the young lady at the hospital, by which the appendix was afflicted with the ailment last Wednesday, but notwithstanding the lateness of the hour that the operation was performed, it is probable she will recover.

LARGE SALE OF EGGS.—George D. Goodhue, the well-known poultry dealer, sold 1200 Barred Plymouth Rock eggs yesterday to residents of Marion county who are making preparations to become raisers of this breed of the poultry family. He also disposed of an incubator of large capacity. Very the farming class of this section of the central Willamette valley are vying up to the fact that there is "money in chickens."

FAME'S PATHWAY.

The only artisan buried in Westminster Abbey is George Graham, the instrument maker, who invented an improved clockwork in the year 1700.

SHOEMAKER AND TAILOR APPOINTED YESTERDAY.

Salaries Reduced and Force of Officers Cut Down—The Post of Physician Abolished.

(From Daily April 4th.)

The state educational board was in session yesterday afternoon, for the purpose of auditing the accounts of the deaf-mute school and blind school, and to consider matters pertaining to the management of the reform school. Some important changes were made at the latter institution the principal one being the abolishment of the office of physician at the school, and the appointment of the two following named officers:

F. W. Pearson, of Eugene, shoemaker, to succeed T. M. Martin.
G. Lovelee, of Lebanon, tailor, to succeed T. J. Sullivan.

Supt. Kickers has recommended the reduction of the force at the school from nineteen to fifteen officers and employees, and a reduction of the salaries, and the board has decided to adopt this recommendation, which contemplates reducing the force so as to consist of the following: Superintendent, matron, engineer, farmer, laundress, carpenter, shoemaker, tailor, dairy and dining room lady, family manager, teacher primary grade, housekeeper and nurse, watchman, cook, 15. By this reduction in the force, and a further reduction in salaries of the officers remaining, a saving of \$115 per month will be effected, aside from the fees heretofore paid the physician, which position is now abolished.

State Treasurer Chas. S. Moore yesterday received a remittance from Treasurer J. F. Taylor, of Josephine county, in full payment of that county's state tax for 1898, amounting to \$6,538.77. Josephine is the third county to make a full settlement, the other two being Benton and Columbia. Several others have made partial payments during the past three weeks.

State Senator A. W. Reed, of Gardner, Douglas county, arrived in Salem from San Francisco yesterday, on his way home, having spent the time, since the adjournment of the legislature, in California. Mr. Reed informed Gov. Geer that he could not possibly serve on the state fair board, for the reason that his time, at the season of the year when the most work must be done to insure the success of the fair, is fully occupied with his own business. He, therefore, declines his position, and although his resignation has not been accepted yet, it probably will be, and a successor will be named soon.

ANOTHER ORGANIZATION.

The "U. S. Grant" Circle, Ladies of the Grand Army of the Republic, Established in This City.

The invitation extended to the veteran and his family to meet at the W. C. T. U. rooms Saturday afternoon, was most heartily responded to, the object of the meeting being to organize an order known as the Ladies of the Grand Army of the Republic.

The meeting was called to order at 2 p. m. The state organizer of the G. A. R., Mrs. Amy Livingston, was then introduced to the audience. In a very ladylike manner she told the audience the aims and objects of the order and proceeded to organize with a muster of over thirty charter members. Several of the comrades were obligated.

The election of officers resulted as follows: President, Mrs. F. C. Perrine; senior vice, Mrs. James Harrington; junior vice, Mrs. S. B. Ormsby; chaplain, Mrs. C. E. Sherwood; treasurer, Mrs. H. S. Jory; conductor, Mrs. George Davis; guard, Miss Clara McDermid; secretary, Mrs. Gertrude West. Delegates to the department convention were named as follows: Mrs. L. P. Adams and Mrs. John James; alternates, Mrs. Sarah L. Fisher and Mrs. Harriett Patterson.

The aims and objects of the order are: to unite with loyalty, love to each other; to practice the precepts of true fraternity of true feeling toward all sisters of their order, thus emulating the spirit which unites our fathers, husbands, sons and brothers; to honor the memory of those fallen, and to perpetuate and keep forever Memorial Day; to assist the G. A. R. in its high and holy mission, and to encourage and sympathize with them in this noble work of charity; to extend needful aid to members in sickness and distress; to do all in our power to alleviate suffering; to look after our soldiers, orphans' homes; to see that the children obtain proper situations when they leave homes; to watch the schools and see to it that the children obtain education in the history of our country, and in patriotism; to look after soldier's homes; also to keep from slums houses the mothers, wives and widows of disabled soldiers.

None but the relatives of the old soldiers, sailors or marines, who served honorably during the late rebellion, and army nurses of good moral character, are eligible to membership in the circle.

Any circle may admit to honorary membership any member of the G. A. R., or any soldier, sailor or marine who fought for the nation in the war of the rebellion. Comrades are admitted to honorary membership and are not subject to initiation fees or dues; they are entitled to speak on all subjects before the meeting, but have no vote.

Taking it all in all, the prospects appear very flattering for the new order. It will be known as the "U. S. Grant Circle No. 5, Ladies of the G. A. R., Salem, Oregon."

The most pleasure feature of the occasion was the introduction of "Mother Lucas," an old army nurse. She was immediately adopted as the "Mother of the Circle" of the circle. The state organizer removed the badge of honor from her breast and placed it on that of Mother Lucas. After the exercises were over the company separated.

HOW BALLOONS ARE MADE.

The balloons are manufactured of goldbeater's skin, which, though small toy ones had been made of it, could not be produced in sufficient quantities for the large balloons until Colonel Temple invented and perfected the process, which is briefly as follows:

The goldbeater's skin is made up of quantities of a certain thin animal membrane (50,000 of these are required for a balloon of 10,000 cubic feet capacity), which is first freed from all fatty substances and then soaked in a solution of glycerine and water. They are then applied to boards cut in the form and to the size of the goos of the balloon required. Others are then superposed, until a thickness of four layers has been reached, great care being taken that no air bubbles remain between the skins. After this fourth layer a method of strengthening is resorted to, in the shape of a net manufactured of skin. After this net two or three more layers of membranes are applied. The whole is then allowed to dry, and a solution of boiled linseed oil is used as a varnish. The fabric is then quite indissoluble, and the membranes cannot by any possible means be separated from one another, but sometimes, to render this homogeneity the more perfect, a solution of bichromate of potash is sponged over the fabric.—Pall Mall Magazine.

"A word to the wise is sufficient" and a word from the wise should be sufficient. But you ask, who are the wise? Those who know. The oft repeated experience of trustworthy persons may be taken for knowledge. Cough Remedy gives better satisfaction than any other in the market. He has been in the drug business at Elkton, Ky., for twelve years; has sold hundreds of bottles of this remedy and nearly all other cough medicines manufactured, which shows conclusively that Chamberlain's is the most satisfactory to the people, and is the best. For sale by J. H. Lum, druggist.

THE PRACTICAL WORKING OF IT

I have recently heard of a fond mother who reproved her son for asserting his dislike of a certain rough playmate, says a writer in the New York Herald.

"When he wants to fight don't you fight him," she said, "but remember the proverb about 'loafs of fire.' The next time he becomes disagreeable offer to share with him something that you have. It will be much better in every way."

And Harold said he would. The next day he invested 10c in a baker's pie, and just as he had purchased it he met the odious "Jerry."

"Hello, kid!" shouted the latter; "I guess I'll have ter lick yer agin." For answer Harold broke the pie in twain and gave the larger half to the warlike youth, who gulped it down with grunts of amazement and satisfaction.

"Say, kid," he mumbled, "that was fine. What made yer gimme it?"

"Because you hit me yesterday," was the gentle answer.

"Jerry" drew off and planted a thumping blow on Harold's chest that nearly knocked him over.

"Now, go git another pie," he said.

Volcanic Eruptions

Are grand, but Skin Eruption rob life of joy. Bucklen's Arnica Salve cures them, also Old Running and Fever Sores, Itch, Eczema, Felons, Corns, Wart, Cuts, Bruises, Burns, Scalds, Chapped Hands, Chilblains, Best Pile cure on earth. Drives out Pains and Aches. Only 25 cents a box. Cures guaranteed. Sold by Dr. Stone, Druggist.

A BUSINESS CHANGE.—The business partnership of the H. M. Branson grocery company was dissolved on first of the current month. O. J. Shirley, who has been a partner since the departure of Fred Geib, selling his interests to Mr. Branson and H. H. Ragan, the remaining partners. They will in the future, as in the past, conduct the business for the interests of their extensive patronage.

When Traveling

Whether on pleasure bent or business, take on every trip a bottle of Syrup of Figs, as it acts most pleasantly and effectually on the kidneys, liver, and bowels, preventing fevers, headache, and other forms of sickness. For sale in 50 cent bottles by all leading druggists. Manufactured by the California Fig Syrup Co. only.

A LONG JOURNEY.—E. M. Croisan, ex-superintendent of the state reform school, yesterday started Oscar Byers or a long journey. The little fellow was formerly an inmate of the reform school, having been received there from Douglas county three years ago. While at the reformatory he served in the school hospital. Byers' relatives subsequently removed to Chicago, for which point the lad left yesterday on the afternoon local.

A Frightful Blunder.

Will often cause a horrible Burn, Scald, Cut or Bruise Bucklen's Arnica Salve, the best in the world, will kill the pain and promptly heal it. Cures Old Sores, Fever Sores, Ulcers, Boils, Felons, Corns, all Skin Eruptions, Best Pile cure on earth. Only 25 cents a box. Cures guaranteed. Sold by Dr. Stone, Druggist.

A WILD GUESS.

The teacher was questioning her class before the superintendent, who had called on a visit, and they knew great things were expected of them, says the Cleveland Plain Dealer. All things went well until the following question was asked:

Teacher.—Where was Queen Liliuokalani born?
Small boy, in back of room.—Dunno, ma'am, but I guess she was bred in old Kentucky!

SCOTT'S EMULSION

OF COD-LIVER OIL WITH HYPOPHOSPHITES

should always be kept in the house