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The Kind You Have Always Bought Bears the Signature of Chas. H. Fletcher In Use For Over 30 Years.

Lee's Lice Killer The use of this preparation has become so universal, and results are so satisfactory, that most poultry-raslers would not know how to keep house without it.

SAVAGE & REID, Seedmen 322 and 324 Commercial Street, North of P. O. Reduced Prices On Woven Wire Field Fencing, Netting for Belgian hares, Poultry, etc.

WALTER MORLEY, Proprietor 59 State Street, Salem. THE GROCERY STORE RIDDLE. A general grocery store in a country village, as every one knows sells almost anything from a needle to a ton of coal.

SEARCHLIGHTS AT FIRES. By means of electric lights the interior of a burning building is made as plain as daylight, and firemen gain a great advantage from the window ledge whether their presence is needed inside.

TROUSSEAU THAT COST FORTY. The wardrobe that the Misses Morton, daughters of former Vice President Morton, have had made in Paris cost a fortune. No gown in the trousseau of Miss Edith costs under \$150 without duty and many of the gowns cost \$1000 each.

Curious Old Lady—How did you come to this, poor man? Curious—I was drove to it, lady. Curious Old Lady—Were you really? Curious—Yes, they bring me in the Black Maria, as usual.—Collier's Weekly.

ALL ABOUT FENCE POSTS. Editor Medford Mail:—So many farmer friends speak to me about the irritating decay of fence posts that I venture, through your columns, to tell you how it can be avoided. Coating with carbolineum avensarius, the German wood preserver, will absolutely arrest decay from soil, climate and vermin. It hardens the fence posts, hop poles, house supports or other wooden fixtures treated and adds many years to their usefulness.

Carbolineum Avenarius. Will not wear Cedar it is also a Radical Remedy Against Chicken Lice. Its application to the inside walls of poultry houses will permanently exterminate all LICE.

ST. VITUS' DANCE. Dr. W. M. FENNER, Friesland, N. Y. "We have sold many dozens of your St. Vitus' Dance Pills, and every case has been cured."—ALLEN-CLARK DRUG CO.

Wilkes' Stallion, "Jerome" No. 29631 Will stand for Mares the coming season at Corner of Ferry and Liberty streets. For Pedigree and particulars, call on Dr. W. Long Veterinary Surgeon, Salem Or.

Hotel Santiam At Detroit, Oregon. Now open for Summer Tourists. New House, newly furnished first-class accommodations, price from \$1.00 to \$1.50 per day.

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OREGON'S STATE FAIR THE PROSPECTS FOR THIS YEAR'S MEET ARE EXCELLENT. Eastern Oregon Counties Are Preparing Fine Exhibits—Minerals and Fruits Will Receive Great Attention.

All committees and the heads of different departments are actively engaged with preparations for the coming State Fair. Oregon seems never to have been so enthusiastic in the subject before. Many counties east of the mountains which have paid but little attention to the State Fair heretofore, have come to the front and are preparing exhibits of different kinds.

Portland will have no exposition this fall, but people in that part of the valley will give more attention to the exhibits here. It is stated on good authority that Portland is arranging for several special days, which will bring thousands of people here. The good citizens of Oregon are realizing these and more the general advantages to be derived from well managed and worthy exhibits of a State Fair.

Secretary Wisdom and Chairman Wehrung will make a thorough canvass of the state in the interest of exhibits, exhibitors and horsemen. The races promise to be better than for years. The board has a good premium list and successful competitors will be well paid for their trouble.

Mrs. Edythe Taylor Weatherford, of Portland, is superintendent of the art department, and will give it her personal attention. She will aim to bring forth some native talent that has never been before the public gaze.

Applications for space are numerous, and space in every department is rapidly being taken. The 1900 State Fair promises to be the banner one in the history of Oregon.

LINCOLN SCHOOL LIBRARY. Pupils Have Collected a Splendid Assortment of Standard Volumes.—Statement by the Principal.

Two years ago the students of Lincoln school established a library in connection with the school work. A number of standard books were contributed by the students, which formed a nucleus for the making of a very representative library.

Prof. W. J. Crawford, principal of the Lincoln school, who was instrumental in establishing the library in the school, yesterday said: "It is a pleasure to state that the library of this school has been in almost constant use for the two years during which I have had charge of it."

Several Minor Orders Made by Judge Burnett.—A Ligitant Enjoyed to Not Sell His Property.

The state circuit court for Marion county, department No. 1, was in session for a short time yesterday, and several cases were disposed of. After a session of several hours, during which several motions were dismissed by counsel in pending cases, and disposed of by the court, a recess was taken on Tuesday, July 10th.

Allen & Lewis, plaintiffs, vs. F. W. Durbin, defendant; action for money.

BEECHAM'S PILLS taken at night will make you feel right, act right and look right. They cure Constipation. 10 cents and 25 cents, at all drug stores.

MICHIGAN WHEAT CROP SHORT. Official Compilation of Reports to Lansing Indicates Bad Condition.

Secretary of State Searns of Michigan is responsible for the statement that the condition of wheat has declined to such an extent during the past month that that state now has one of the poorest crops it has ever known. This statement is based on reports just received from more than 600 special correspondents, representing every county in the state.

More than three-fourths of the entire crop of the state is grown in the southern four tiers of counties, and the condition of wheat there is but 40, there having been a decline of 9 per cent since May 1. The condition of the entire state is 49, a decline of 5 per cent. Twenty per cent of the wheat sowed last fall will be plowed up as winter killed.

MINING AND MANUFACTURING. Four New Corporations Filed Articles in the Department of State Yesterday.

In the department of Secretary of State F. L. Dunbar, at the Capitol, yesterday, four new companies filed articles and received authority to do business in Oregon, as follows:

The May Queen Mining Company will deal in and operate mines, smelters and reduction works in Oregon and elsewhere. The corporation operates with \$100,000, the capital stock being divided into shares valued at 10 cents each.

The Cusick Cemetery Association will conduct a cemetery near Kingston, Lin county. H. S. Wheeler, president and O. A. Wheeler, secretary, are the officers of the association.

Try Allen's Foot-Ease. A powder to be shaken into the shoes. Your feet feel swollen, nervous and hot, and get tired easily.

OUR MEXICAN POPULATION. Few Immigrants From the Southern Republic to the United States.

By the last census taken in 1895 the population of Mexico was 12,578,000. By the last census of Canada taken in 1891, its population was 5,125,000. There are thus more than twice as many inhabitants in Mexico as in Canada.

It has generally been supposed that a majority of the Canadians in the United States are residents of either the northern counties of New York or the manufacturing districts of New England into which there has been of recent years a very large immigration of French-Canadians, but it is a fact that the Canadian-born population of the United States is pretty evenly distributed.

The most frequent explanation given for the scarcity of Mexican residents in the United States is found in the differences of climate. But this explanation is not the true one as is shown by the figures in Mississippi, a state whose climatic more nearly, perhaps, than any other, with the exception of Texas, resembles that of Mexico.

The Republic of Mexico has not been increasing much in population through immigration in recent years and the number of American emigrants to Mexico has been continuously small. There were by the last enumeration 7,200 foreign residents in the capital city of Mexico, the total population of which was 345,000.

Vindictive Varley (savagely)—Dat new idea y' yours about bein' a broken-down ches-master ain't no good. Foxy Farquhar—Wot happened w'en you told de lady?

Vindictive Varley (diagnosedly)—She whistled fer de dorg, an' said it waz my move.—Judge.

To Mrs. Pinkham, Lynn, Mass. (LETTER TO MRS. PINKHAM NO. 41,207) "DEAR FRIEND—A year ago I was a great sufferer from female weakness."

"My food did me no good and I had a bad case of whites. I wrote to you and after taking Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound as directed, I can truly say that I feel like a new woman and cannot tell you how grateful I am to you."

Over eighty thousand such letters as this were received by Mrs. Pinkham during 1897. Surely this is strong proof of her ability to help suffering women.

TAXES PAID.—In State Treasurer Chas. S. Moore's office, yesterday, a remittance was received from the treasurer of Wallawa county, for \$325.32, being an account of the state taxes due from that county for the year 1898.

IS SERIOUSLY ILL.—Sam T. Shaw the popular reporter actor-manager, well known by all Corvallis theatre-goers, is very ill with nervous prostration and a terrible affliction of the eyes at his home in Iowa.

A NEW COMPANY.—The Glens Falls Insurance Company, of Glens Falls, N. Y., yesterday placed \$200,000 in securities in the State Treasury, and received authority from the Insurance Department to begin operations in Oregon.

THE DEVELOPMENT OF FARMING. Modern farming methods in the northwest challenge the admiration of the world. Steam and electricity are made to serve the farmer's purpose. He plows, reaps, thrashes by machinery. He telephones from his farm house to his granaries.

A MARKET FOR DEPRECIATED COIN. Paris is alive with penny, Chilean, Bolivian and Mexican coins which look enough like 5-franc pieces to be readily accepted as such by one who is unfamiliar with French money.

Mother—Tommy, you seem to love pa better than I do me. Tommy—Oh, ma, I don't mean to; but y' see, pa allows his pockets full o' nickels.—Indianapolis Journal.

Consumption In its incipient stage may be cured. HUDYAN has drawn thousands away from the clutches of the dreaded disease. Many people have been restored to perfect health by HUDYAN after their cases were pronounced hopeless by the best physicians.

Consumption HUDYAN now. If you will. Do not delay. Remember that delays are dangerous. They are especially so in cases of incipient consumption. Look at these symptoms. Study them carefully. Are they yours? Then you must be careful. You are within the grasp of consumption. HUDYAN will release you. Take HUDYAN now.

1. FLUSHING OF THE CHEEKS IN THE AFTERNOON AND EVENING—the first symptom of consumption. HUDYAN will cause it to disappear. HUDYAN will establish a perfect circulation of the blood and cause the cheeks to assume a normal rosy color.

2. TICKLING IN THE THROAT AND COUGH. At first the cough is a slight hack—HUDYAN will stop the tickling and the cough. HUDYAN will relieve it in a few days.

3. A SLIGHT FAINT IN ONE OR BOTH LIMBS, usually near the tops. This is an indication that the consumptive germ has invaded the lung tissue. HUDYAN will eradicate the germ. HUDYAN will restore the lung tissue to a healthy condition and prevent further destruction.

4. WEAKNESS AROUND THE HEART. The heart is becoming weak. HUDYAN will strengthen it and cause the weakness to disappear.

HUDYAN should be used at once. It will make the lung tissue strong and the germs of the disease will be rapidly drawn from the system. Then you will regain your health and strength. HUDYAN can be obtained of all druggists for 50c. per package, or 5 packages for \$2.50. If your druggist does not keep HUDYAN, send direct to the HUDYAN REMEDY COMPANY, San Francisco, Cal. A staff of physicians and surgeons may be consulted free if you will call. Yesterday call or write, as you desire. Consultation free. Advice in free letters.

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