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Beauty, elegance, richness!

Ayer's Hair Vigor is a hair-food. It feeds the hair and the hair grows. That's all there is to it. And it is a splendid tonic to the hair, giving the hair follicles tone and strength. This is why it checks falling hair so promptly. As a dressing, it keeps the hair soft and smooth and prevents splitting at the ends.

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AYER'S CHERRY PECTORAL—For coughs. AYER'S PILLS—For constipation.  
AYER'S SARSAPARILLA—For the blood. AYER'S AGUE CURE—For malaria and ague.

### SOCIAL EVENTS

**Hilhee Club Entertains.**  
The members of the Hilhee Club will receive their lady friends on Thursday evening at the club room. A program will be rendered, and the event promises to be one of the leading social entertainments of the week.

This will be the last ladies' evening until the adjournment of the legislature, as during that time the rooms are crowded with members and visitors, and it is the popular resort of the city.

On Thursday evening Steelhammer's orchestra will furnish music, and there will be a number of other pleasant features on the program. Members and their ladies are invited to attend.

#### Social Evening.

H. H. Markel entertained the members of his Sunday School class of the First Methodist church Monday evening in a very pleasant manner. The young folks made merry with games, music and social frivolity of all kinds, and light refreshments were served toward the latter part of the entertainment.

#### STRANGER THAN FICTION.

**A Remedy Which Has Revolutionized the Treatment of Stomach Troubles.**

The remedy is not heralded as a wonderful discovery nor yet a secret patent medicine, neither is it claimed to cure anything except dyspepsia, indigestion and stomach troubles with which nine out of ten suffer.

The remedy is in the form of pleasant tasting tablets or lozenges, containing vegetable and fruit essences, pure aseptic pepsin (government test), golden seal and disease. The tablets are sold by druggists under the name of Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets. Many interesting experiments, to test the digestive power of Stuart's Tablets show that one grain of the active principle contained in them is sufficient to thoroughly digest 3000 grains of raw meat, eggs and other wholesome food.

Stuart's Tablets do not act upon the bowels like after-dinner pills and cheap cathartics, which simply irritate and inflame the intestines without having any effect whatever in digesting food or curing indigestion.

If the stomach can be rested and assisted in the work of digestion, it will very soon recover its normal vigor, as no organ is so much abused and overworked as the stomach.

This is the secret, if there is any secret, of the remarkable success of Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets, a remedy practically unknown a few years ago and now the most widely known of any treatment for stomach weakness.

This success has been secured entirely upon its merits as a digestive pure and simple because there can be no stomach trouble if the food is promptly digested.

Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets are entirely on the food eaten, digesting it completely, so that it can be assimilated into blood, nerve and tissue. They cure dyspepsia, water brash, sour stomach, gas and bloating after meals, because they furnish the digestive power which weak stomachs lack and unless that lack is supplied it is useless to attempt to cure by the use of "tonics," "pills" and cathartics which have absolutely no digestive power.

Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets can be found at all drug stores and the regular use of one or two of them after

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Your doctor says you must take cod liver oil. Probably he means Scott's Emulsion because you cannot take the clear oil; no one can take the clear oil who needs cod liver oil. The doctor understands that and doubtless means Scott's Emulsion of cod liver oil which everybody can take because it is emulsified and prepared so that it can be very easily digested by the most sensitive stomach. Most everybody likes it.

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meals will demonstrate their merit better than any other argument. 1-4-6

#### Industrial Importance of Forests.

Washington, Jan. 4.—There was a largely increased attendance at today's sessions of the American Forest congress. The subject of consideration at the morning session was the lumber industry in its relation to the forests. Prominent lumbermen, editors of trade journals, representatives of wood-working industries and those having experience in forestry presented papers. The discussions were confined to questions of practical and economic importance. This afternoon the congress discussed the importance of public forest lands to mining. The use of the forests in mining and the application and influence of present land laws were among the topics considered.

#### A Famous Remedy for Sickheadache.

The cause of this complaint is not in the head at all, it comes from the stomach. A stomach that has become clogged from over eating, drinking or abuse in any manner, will warn you by bringing on sick headache. Cure the pains and distress in the stomach, and the headache stops of itself. All bilious attacks, dyspepsia, belching, bad taste in the mouth, muddy complexion and yellow eyes, are cured by this remedy. It is called Dr. Gunn's Improved Liver Pills, one for a dose, and is sold by druggists all over the U. S. for 25c per box. For sale by Dr. S. C. Stone, druggist.



Physicians prescribe it for their most delicate patients.  
**OLD and PURE.**  
For Sale by  
**AUGUST SCHREIBER**

### Colorado Legislature Meets.

Denver, Jan. 4.—With the prospect that it may be called upon to decide whether James H. Peabody or Alva Adams is to be governor of Colorado during the ensuing two years the fifteenth general assembly met today and organized. Both parties have been worked up to a high pitch over the gubernatorial election dispute and it is not improbable that the legislative session begun today may be characterized by as exciting scenes as that of two years ago when it was found necessary to call upon the state troops to preserve order.

Governor Peabody's message to the legislature contained many recommendations of a radical nature. Among other things he recommended the abolishment of the board of arbitration and the military poll tax, new election laws, work for convicts, a big appropriation to fight the Kansas water suit, civil service rules in all state departments, the creation of an executive mansion, and enlargement of state charitable institutions.

#### New York Legislature.

Albany, N. Y., Jan. 4.—The state legislature convened today. The chief

In this package you get both liquid and powder. This is the Large Size.

### MARKET QUOTATIONS TODAY

"Make Salem a Good Home Market."

- Poultry—at Steiner's Market.**  
Eggs—Per dozen, 25c.  
Ducks—10c.  
Chickens—8c.  
Turkeys—14@15c.
- Harritt & Lawrence.**  
Eggs—Per dozen, 28c.
- Fruits, Vegetables, Etc.**  
Potatoes—90c.  
Potatoes, sweet—\$1.40.  
Onions—2 3/4c.  
Apples—75@81.00.
- Tropical Fruits.**  
Bananas—5 1/2c lb.  
Oranges—\$2.00@2.50.  
Lemons—\$2.75@3.50.  
Coconut, \$1.00 doz.
- Wood, Fence Posts, Etc.**  
Second-growth—\$4.50.  
Big fir—\$5.00.  
Ash—\$5.00.  
Oak posts—15c.  
Cedar posts—10c.
- Hides, Pelts and Furs.**  
Green Hides, No. 1—5c.  
Green Hides, No. 2—4c.  
Calf Skins—4@5c.  
Sheep—75c.  
Goat Skins—25c to \$1.00
- Grain, Hops and Flour.**  
Oats—Buying, \$1.40@1.50.  
Barley—\$23@23.50.  
Hops—27@31 1/2c.
- Salem Flouring Mills.**  
Flour—\$4.40.  
Wheat—80c.
- Live Stock Market.**  
Steers—2@2 1/2c.  
Cows—1@1 1/4c.  
Sheep—\$1.50@2.00.  
Dressed veal—4@5 1/2c.  
Fat hogs—5@5 1/2c.
- Hay, Feed, Etc.**  
Baled cheat—\$12.00.  
Baled clover—\$11@12.  
Bran—\$22.
- Eggs, Butter and Cream.**  
By Commercial Cream Co.  
Butter—27c.  
Butter fat—27 1/2c at station.
- PORTLAND MARKET.**  
Wheat—Walla Walls, 80@82c.  
Valley—87 1/2c.  
Flour—Valley, straights, \$4.65@4.85;  
graham, \$3.50@4.00.  
Oats—Choice white, \$1.30@1.32 1/2.  
Barley—Feed, \$22 per ton; rolled, \$24.50.  
Millstuff—Bran, \$19.00.  
Hay—Timothy, \$14.00@16.00.  
Potatoes—70@80c.  
Eggs—Oregon ranch.  
Poultry—Chickens, mixed 9@9 1/2c pound; turkeys, live, 14@15c, dressed, 16@17c.  
Fork—Dressed, 5 1/2@6c.  
Beef—Dressed, 4 1/2@6c.  
Veal—6@7c.  
Mutton—Dressed, 3 1/2@5c.  
Hops—1908 crop, 28@30c.  
Wool—Valley, 19@20c; Eastern, 10@17c; Mohair, 20@25c.  
Hides—dry, 16 pounds and up, 15@15 1/2c.  
Butter—Fancy creamery, 25@30c.

#### Sell at a Bargain.

We have bought a job lot of buggy wheels and buggy tops that we will sell at a bargain.

122-31-31 POHLE & BISHOP.

### General Debility

Day in and out there is that feeling of weakness that makes a burden of itself. Food does not strengthen. Sleep does not refresh. It is hard to do, hard to bear, what should be easy, —vitality is on the ebb, and the whole system suffers. For this condition take

### Hood's Sarsaparilla

It vitalizes the blood, gives vigor and tone to all the organs and functions, and is positively unequalled for all run-down or debilitated conditions.

HOOD'S PILLS cure constipation. 25 cents.

feature of the opening was the presentation of Governor Higgins' message, which dealt with numerous state issues of importance and was listened to with close attention by the legislators. January 17 is the date set for the election of a United States senator to succeed Chauncey M. Depew, whose term will expire in March.



### Good Service

We receive, subject to check, the accounts of firms, individuals and corporations. No interest is allowed on these accounts; but we give good service and extend such other accommodations as the account and standing of the depositor will justify.

### Salem State Bank

L. K. Page, . . . President  
E. W. Hazard, Cashier



### What Santa Says Goes

Santa Claus is the high muck-a-muck during the Christmas holidays and his mandate has gone forth, his edict has been promulgated—take your laundry work to the Salem Steam Laundry. Obey his behests, and you will not be disappointed. Hurry orders filled promptly, but please give us a reasonable time to get out your work. Some new machinery just in.

### The Salem Steam Laundry

### Full Weight....



is the rule in this mill—we care not what it is in others. But that is only one cardinal principle we claim—anybody can give full weight—we guarantee quality, as well, and that means a whole lot to those who know. First, good wheat; second, good milling; third, fair prices for the best to be had. We should have your orders for Wild Rose flour.

### Salem Flouring Mills

### NOTICE

Depositors in the Savings Bank Department of the Capital National Bank are requested to present their pass books for the purpose of having credited the semi-annual interest due January 1st.

JOS. H. ALBERT, Cashier.

### Missouri Legislature Meets.

Jefferson City, Mo., Jan. 4.—The Missouri state legislature which assembled today has a Republican majority for the first time in the political history of the state. It will consequently choose a United States senator from the Republican ranks to succeed Senator Cockrell, whose term expires in March. The balloting for senator will begin January 17. There are a number of aspirants for the toga, and with the assembling of the legislature the contest has increased in intensity. Indications continue to point to the selection of Col. Richard C. Kerens, Thos. K. Niedringhaus, or Congressman Richard Bartholdt.

### Washington Federation of Labor.

Everett, Wash., Jan. 4.—The Washington State Federation of Labor began its third annual convention here

today with President William Blackman presiding. The convention is the largest in the history of the federation and it promises to be of unusual interest and importance to the labor organizations of the state.

#### Montana Senatorship.

Helena, Mont., Jan. 4.—The Montana legislature having met and organized public attention now turns toward election of a United States senator to succeed Paris Gibson (Democrat). The legislature is Republican on joint ballot by a majority of eight. Chief among the candidates for the senatorship are former Senator Thomas H. Carter and Leo Mantle, with the first-named apparently a slight favorite. It is probable that one or two other names will be presented to the caucus, but it is admitted on all sides that the contest lies between Carter and Mantle.

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Are made in three sizes, and are warranted 14k solid gold with iridium point.  
THE HOLDER is made from the best quality hard rubber.  
THE FLEXIBLE BULB is made expressly for this pen of the very best pure gum, and will last several years. When necessary a new bulb can be attached to the pen section by any one at the small cost of 10c.  
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**Barr's Jewelry Store,**  
CORNER STATE AND LIBERTY STREETS.

Have You Ever Ordered Your Groceries from  
**Harritt & Lawrence**  
If not, you are away behind the times. However, they are always glad to see new patrons, and if you call on them, you will be more than pleased. You will find them at the corner of Commercial and Ferry streets.

### Haggard on English Agricultural Needs



RIDER HAGGARD.  
Rider Haggard, the author of "The Brethren," recently brought out by McClure-Phillips, is much interest in the development of the agricultural side of English life and has been very busy for a number of years with philanthropic schemes. Mr. Haggard is carrying on a propaganda for small farm holdings, for village banks and for an agricultural parcel post, things which in the opinion of a great many of the economists of England will go far towards saving the country. Mr. Haggard is working not only in the interest of the farmer, but also in the interest of the city people. He is passionately keen in his endeavor to counteract what he calls the town fever, and to persuade people to live in the country rather than in the city. One of his strongest arguments is based on the hardships which children in England have to suffer because of the over population of the cities. It appears that in Birmingham there are six thousand children who go to school breakfastless, and there were 39 proven cases of death by starvation in London last year. Mr. Haggard has thrown himself heart and soul into an endeavor to check the migrations into the cities, which are making of London and Birmingham great canyons that are slowly but surely devouring the life and blood and sinew of England. He has written two books bearing on the subject, "Rural England" and "A Farmer's Year." These facts throw an interesting light on the life and work of the great English romancer.