

# CAVES OF OREGON WILL BE EXPLORED

W. S. Mayberry of Milton, who is now principal of the public school at Astelope, Wasco county, expects to visit the caves of Crook county, Oregon, this summer, on an exploring trip. Mr. Mayberry spent two years in that portion of the state some years ago, and while there visited the lava beds and caves on the Des Chutes river and will return to more fully examine this wonderful region which has been explored but superficially.

At places in the lava formation on the Des Chutes, holes are found which lead to subterranean caverns of unknown depth and in many places water can be heard running underneath the floors of the caverns on a still lower chamber. The caves vary in height and width. In some places it is necessary to crawl through the small opening between the dark chambers, and in other places the caves widen out into spacious rooms, filled to overflowing with bats and reptiles.

It is said that one of these underground chambers has been explored for

dence of a termination of its wonderful suites of subterranean rooms. The formation is lava and the caves open into side chambers and smaller rooms innumerable. At places openings are found reaching out to the surface at varying depths and the entire country is underlain with a system of these lava caves.

The principal opening by which the caves are entered is at a place on the Des Chutes river, where a round hole has been formed in the surface of the ground, by a section of the earth's crust about 30 feet in diameter sinking to a depth of 30 feet forming a circular hole 30 feet across and 30 feet deep, from which the cave opens and by which exploring parties enter.

Mr. Mayberry will take a companion with him and make a complete exploration of the caves this spring, if possible. It is thought that a wonderful system of underground caverns may be discovered adding a new and thrilling attraction to Oregon's thousand wonders.

and in whites. Quills are in favor, too, and frequently two will be attached to the rolled edge of a hat brim by a knot of ribbon, or fastened by a cockade or buckle. Shaded effects are most popular. Breasts are a modish trimming on hats for ordinary wear, and when associated with the new soft and beautifully colored ribbons, they are most effective."

### MODISH SPRING MILLINERY.

"More interesting than that of any other season, is the millinery of spring," says The Delineator for April. "While some of the shapes are of the picture type, the preference is perhaps for the small toque or turban and the continental in its various modifications. Oval and square crowns are both in favor, and quite the newest idea is the oblong crown having a deep crease from the front to the back. The brim of this hat is rolled at the sides and is melon or oval shaped. This design is pleasingly carried out in the new pliable straws, while it is seen even in tulle and lace with a long plume sweeping around the crown and fastened near the front with an ornament or rosette.

"Smooth stray braids are extensively used in the smart spring hats, and chip and Milan braids are seen in dressy headgear, and they are adapted to the artistic shapes in vogue. Among the modish colors are blue, brown, butter ocre, champagne and green. Brown and green are associated in some of the most attractive examples of the milliner's art.

"Plumes of eog feathers are much used, and they are in all the fashionable colors, as well as in shaded effects

### One Grand Blossom.

(Silverton Appeal.)

The spring of 1905, from present appearances, will go down in history as one of the earliest on record. Peach trees have been in bloom for more than a week in different parts of the state, the wild flower has come and every outward appearance indicates that spring is upon us. Other early fruit trees are showing signs of blossom and if the warm weather continues for a few days longer as it has been for more than two weeks, Oregon will be one immense blossom.

Farmers, however, are beginning to complain about the early dry weather and fear serious results.

The country roads are dry and in excellent condition for travel and the general spring business in all parts of the valley has been resumed.

Vegetation has taken quite a start and stock on the ranges is said to be improving.

There is time, however, between now and the Fourth of July for a great change, and the country may get a thorough soaking before the wet season is over.

## 100 Doses For One Dollar

Economy in medicine must be measured by two things—cost and effect. It cannot be measured by either alone. It is greatest in that medicine that does the most for the money—that radically and permanently cures at the least expense. That medicine is

### Hood's Sarsaparilla

It purifies and enriches the blood, cures pimples, eczema and all eruptions, tired, languid feelings, loss of appetite and general debility.

"I have taken Hood's Sarsaparilla and found it reliable and giving perfect satisfaction. It takes away that tired feeling, gives energy and puts the blood in good condition." Miss Effie Colmore, 1233 10th Street, N. W., Washington, D. C.

Hood's Sarsaparilla promises to cure and keeps the promise.

### Petition Probate Court.

A petition has been filed in the Marion county court by Rachael A. Patton and Martha Bailey for the appointment of A. L. Patton as administrator of the estate of Matilda Butler, deceased. The estate consists of \$450 in personal property.

### Hot Basketball Game.

A hot game of basketball between the younger residents of North Salem and those of Englewood, Saturday, resulted in the Northerners meeting their Waterloo by a score of 11 to 7.

### Seed Wheat and Oats.

For sale by Tilson and Company. 3-11-1wk

# X-RAYS

To baseball players—don't bat your eyes—but the ball.

Missouri may have a vacant seat in the senate, and might do worse.

John Hay remains the American premier by sheer force of ability.

There is usually plenty of hot water at the cold domestic hearthstone.

The surgeon generally follows up his diagnosis with the knife, to see if it was correct.

A man reaches a conclusion through reasoning, and a woman thinks that's reason enough.

Man's natural disposition is to sneer at the personal achievements he could not himself accomplish.

It's the thing you do that will seem so awful foolish after awhile that you ought not to do now.

Portland continues to have many candidates, much newspaper advice, but no municipal program.

If the Japs win many more victories the royal families of Europe will rustle as hard for yellow marriages as they ever did to marry into Russian royalty.

The leadership of the Republican party at Portland has not given the Republican party clean men, or men who can conduct themselves above reproach in public office.

The humiliation of the proud Russian empire by a little yellow heathen nation like Japan will relatively reduce the prestige of England and Germany, and increase the standing of little nations like Switzerland and Greece.

T. Cader Powell, who was recently appointed federal marshal at Nome, is evidently a man who will not add any laurels to the state which produced him. It has just been discovered that he is a defaulter. He was a former county clerk of Multnomah county, and the books show that during his term of office he collected at least \$6400 in delinquent taxes, which found repose in his jeans.—Brownsville Times.

### A Pleasant Way to Travel.

The above is the usual verdict of the traveler using the Missouri Pacific railway between the Pacific coast and the east, and we believe that the service and accommodations given merit this statement. From Denver, Colorado Springs and Denver there are two through trains daily to Kansas City and St. Louis, carrying Pullman's latest standard electric-lighted sleeping cars, chair cars and up-to-date dining cars. The same excellent service is operated from Kansas City and St. Louis to Memphis, Little Rock and Hot Springs. If you are going east or south, write for particulars and full information.

W. C. M'BRIDE, Gen. Agt., 124 Third St., Portland, Ore.

### And They All Like 'Em.

Ho'smokes, you smoke and they all smoke La Coronas. They are the best 10c cigar made, and that's why every smoker likes them.

# SEWING MACHINE DEALER.

### What a Great Journal Says of a Salem Merchant.

The following sketch with a portrait appeared upon the front page of the Sewing Machine Times of New York, last week, and is a compliment to a Salem business man such as seldom comes voluntarily from a great trade journal. The subject of the sketch is probably known to more people in the Willamette valley than any other one business man in it. He has been a rustler from the start, and the Journal takes great pleasure in presenting this complimentary sketch:

George C. Will.

The subject of this sketch is a dealer of the pushing type. His methods have always shown force behind the accomplished end. He did no waiting for growth, and his success appears to stamp approval on those methods.

Mr. Will has been a great advertiser. Sewing Machine Times has criticised his ads—more adversely than complimentary. Perhaps he knew the people he was talking to better than the critic knew them; possibly he went on the theory that bad advertising was better than none, and that the main point was to keep his business before the public eye. At any rate his business has grown and continues to grow; advertising does not stop it.

Mr. Will is about 45 years old. He was born in the town of Bethel, in the state of Missouri. He laid a good foundation for his business by a term of two years as salesman in an Oregon town. He then opened up with his brother in Albany, Oregon. Two years later he moved to Salem, Oregon, started the business which he has continued to the present time.

His early trade was in Domestic, New Home and Wheeler and Wilson machines mostly. He has in later days varied his assortment, but as he has recently told our readers over his own signature, he pins his good faith to the good and popular makes whose reputation is a help to a dealer. He handles the cheap grades only when they are demanded. He added pianos and music at an early stage of his business.

### What Time Proves.

This thing of being sick and looking for a cure is a mighty serious business. People are not given to joking even at the first symptom of the approach of the Grim Destroyer. They do not want to be the subjects of experiment, but want medicine that has had the test of years behind it. A medicine that has been made and used for 20 years gives assurance of its worth, and can be taken with a faith that they have the very best cure the world affords. All this can be said about Dr. Gunn's Improved Liver Pills as a remedy for sick headache, dyspepsia and indigestion, it begins right at the source of the trouble and removes the cause. Sold by all druggists for 25c per box. One pill a dose.

For sale by Dr. S. C. Stone, druggist.

### Hop Contracts.

A hop contract has been filed with the recorder between H. J. Miller and Charles and Matilda Heas and M. J. Raymond for their crops amounting to 6000 pounds per year at 12c per pound for the years 1905, 1906 and 1907.

A chattel mortgage was also filed by Krebs Bros. from W. E. and Susan Smith for 12,000 pounds, to be grown during the year 1905.

## Hue Wing Sang Co

China and Japanese Fancy Goods and all kinds of Dry Goods, Silks, Embroidery Laces. Make up new line Gents' and Ladies' Furnishing Goods, Suits, Wrappers, Skirts, Waists—now at low prices. Sale cheap. By alley, Court street, Salem, Oregon. Phone Black 2155.

### Creeping Upwards

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### COFFEY'S RESTAURANT

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When asked by a stranger or any one what Salem has of distinction, tell them one of the best restaurants on the coast, the

### Cafe Imperial

H. E. SYMES, Prop. KINGER BLOCK.

### Sure Cure for Piles.

Itching piles produce moisture and cause itching, this form, as well as Bling, Bleeding or Protruding Piles are cured by Dr. Bo-san-ko's Pile Remedy Stops itching and bleeding. Absorbs tumors. 50c a jar at druggist, or sent by mail. Treaties free. Write me about your case. Dr. Bo-sanko, Phila., Pa.

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### Notice to Alter and Establish Street Grade.

Notice is hereby given that an ordinance to alter and establish the grade of Commercial street in the City of Salem, Oregon, from the south line of the donation land claim of William H. Willson and Chloe A. Willson, his wife, claim No. 44, to the south boundary line of said city, was introduced in the common council of said city and read the first and second times and referred to the committee on ordinances, on the 7th day of March, 1905, and all persons interested are required to appear and show cause why said ordinance should not be passed, on or before the next regular meeting of the common council, on the 21st day of March, 1905.

W. A. MOORES, City Recorder.

### Machines Below Cost.

Beginning Saturday morning the Singer Sewing Machine Company, No. 447 Court street, offer slightly marred machines at greatly reduced prices, including the vibrating and rotary shuttle, latest cabinet ware. Terms to suit. Sale positively lasts one week only.

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# Harritt & Lawrence



THIS ONLY WAS THE WITCHCRAFT SHE USED

You'll find the secret of her successful baking to lie in the fact that she uses Wild Rose flour. Makes tempting, toothsome, wholesome bread, cake, pastry. Goes farther and is cheaper—because much better than other brands. Always uniform in quality, reliable, economical. Best on the market for the money. A family flour that once tried becomes the household favorite.

Salem Flouring Mills

### Just In

Our new line of 1905 wall paper has just arrived. All latest patterns at reasonable prices. Call and see our stock and be convinced that our paper and prices are right. Remember the place.

### E. L. Lemmon

299 Liberty St. Phone 2475

### DEFY ANYONE TO COME NEAR IT

In purity, smoothness, mellowness or richness of flavor the distillers of the Cedar Brook whiskey will if we call on them. No one should be without a bottle of this choice whiskey in the house as a preventive of grip, pneumonia and other maladies coming from colds. A little Cedar Brook whiskey will warm the blood, stop or prevent chills and cure colds like a charm.

### E. Eckerlen WHOLESALE HOUSE

### Eppley's Perfection Baking Powder

HOWEVER HAS OTHER ADVANTAGES. IT IS PURE, AND AS A RESULT WILL GO FARTHER, COST LESS, AND IS PUT UP IN A USEFUL GLASS PACKAGE. SOLD BY ALL SALEM GROCERS.

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We have the best that money can buy ---also cheap ones. Let us show them to you.

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IF YOU HAVE MONEY TO SEND THROUGH THE MAIL

Come to the Salem State Bank and buy a draft. The cheapest, the safest and most convenient way of sending money.

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