

# Ayer's

**Hair Vigor.** Gives to gray hair all that soft, dark, rich color so natural to early life. Checks falling hair; keeps the hair soft and smooth, and prevents splitting at the ends.

## THE ISSUE AT THE SCHOOL ELECTION.

A correspondent discusses the issues involved in the coming school election, but omits important points that are entirely impersonal.

The question of maintaining a high school is not involved in the coming election. The people settled that by a decisive vote at the election last June. Candidates for directors should be nominated from the body of the whole people, and not by any boss or clique on the board.

No matter who is elected director the high school will go up and the high school will be carried on. The only question is electing a man who will transact public business for the public.

Another issue that should be settled is that if the district needs any money not provided for by taxation that it shall be obtained on the popular plan, instead of by favoring some one individual.

The old spoils idea that everything in the form of public business must be milked for private advantage still has a strong hold on this community, and good men frequently cannot resist the temptation to graft.

Whoever is elected director should be publicly pledged to borrow any funds needed on the popular loan plan, instead of allowing the whole loan to be hogged by some one money lender at a higher rate of interest.

The popular loan was employed three times in this city to reduce the graft of the monopolist who lends money to the public at higher rates of interest than the people would pay.

This school district will need perhaps twenty thousand dollars for a few years to pay for that building, and any man who runs for school director should go on record for the popular loan plan of obtaining money.

Let us not go back to the rut of the past, but let public business be transacted for the public and not for private graft. It might be a good plan to print that on the school election ticket.

## NAMING A TAX COMMISSION.

The state officials are going through the motions of naming a tax commission, the most important body that could possibly be named.

The people are taking no interest in who shall go on the state tax commission. They know there will be special interests protected by almost any of the politicians who will be named. They know that the very rich man, the large property interests, will look after these appointments. The millionaires and big corporations will care for their own and in return be cared for. Tax the little fellow. Wipe out the little \$300 exemption. Those who have shall pay less and those who have nothing shall pay more. The end of this farce of taxation will come some day. A state government that will turn its public lands over to private parties and not tax them, that will leave the millions of acres of railroad lands that were given those corporations where they cannot be taxed, and tax every improvement that labor and industry makes, has a whole lot to learn, and those who have maintained these conditions will be put in a position to perpetuate the graft.

## To Sell Property.

County Judge Scott yesterday issued an order setting aside to Mrs. S. G. Crabtree certain personal property belonging to the estate of her late husband, J. I. Crabtree. Mrs. Crabtree was also authorized, as administratrix, to sell at private sale the remainder of the personal property belonging to the estate. The property set aside to the widow is valued at \$137.50, and consists of live stock and farm machinery.

Salem's streets from the passenger depot to the business portion of the city should be sprinkled, and if the city council cannot do it the citizens should have it done by private subscriptions. The Journal will be glad to pay its share during the world's fair.

## CASTORIA.

Bears the Signature of *Charles H. P. H. H.*

## STATE NEWS

Astoria has nearly 13,000 population.

New potatoes made their appearance at Ashland the 27th of April.

According to the census just completed Albany has 3528 population.

Burglars entered a pawnshop at Pendleton and got away with \$50 worth of goods.

Some of the Lebanon merchants want an improvement club organized in that town.

Receipts of the postoffice at Eugene show an increase of 15 per cent over last year.

A \$300,000 mortgage was filed at Baker City, the recording fees of which was \$58.

High school students at Astoria presented the farce comedy, "The Uster," to a packed house.

A crazy carnival is to be held at Ashland the 5th, and all comers are invited to attend in crazy costume.

Officers are trying to round up a gang of five horse thieves who have been operating in the eastern part of the state.

Thirteen mills bid on an order of 2000 barrels of flour for China, and the Independence Flouring Mills got the order.

The Independence band boys have received their new uniforms, and some of the people there think the music sounds better now.

The city and county authorities at Astoria are going to get together and see what kind of a deal they can make to regulate gambling there.

So many merchants at Astoria are against the ordinance taxing dry goods, groceries and shoe stores that the council will not pass the measure.

Gambling will be closed at Pendleton, so have decided the police committee.

## STOP, WOMAN!

AND CONSIDER THE ALL-IMPORTANT FACT

That in addressing Mrs. Pinkham you are confiding your private life to a woman—a woman whose experience with women's diseases covers a great many years. You can talk freely to a woman when it is revolting to relate your private troubles to a man—besides a man does not understand—simply because he is a man. Many women suffer in silence and drift along from bad to worse, knowing full well that they ought to have immediate assistance, but a natural modesty impedes them to shrink from exposing themselves to the questions and probably examinations of even their family physician. It is unnecessary. Without money or price you can consult a woman whose knowledge from actual experience is great.

## Mrs. Pinkham's Standing Invitation.

Women suffering from any form of female weakness are invited to promptly communicate with Mrs. Pinkham, at Lynn, Mass. All letters are received, opened, read and answered by women only. A woman can freely talk of her private illness to a woman; thus has been established the eternal confidence between Mrs. Pinkham and the women of America which has never been broken. Out of the vast volume of experience which she has to draw from, it is more than possible that she has gained the very knowledge that will help your case. She asks nothing in return except your good-will, and her advice has relieved thousands. Surely any woman, rich or poor, is very foolish if she does not take advantage of this generous offer of assistance. If you are ill, don't hesitate to get a bottle of Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound at once, and write Mrs. Pinkham, Lynn, Mass., for special advice. When a medicine has been successful in restoring to health so many women, you cannot well say, without trying it, "I do not believe it will help me."

## 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.

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of the city council. A modified Sunday closing plan will also be inaugurated.

Many eastern Oregon people were bit by the Home Co-operative company of Denver, which company has been declared bogus by the federal authorities.

While blasting out stumps in a street at Troy recently a root weighing 25 pounds was hurled into the air 200 feet and came down through the roof of a lively stable.

Those who have seen the new road grader work that the county court of Benton county recently bought, are tickled half to death over the good work the machine does.

The largest oak tree in the Willamette Valley is said to be on the Wilson farm between Halsley and Shedd. A point two feet from the ground the tree measures 20 feet in circumference, giving it a diameter of nearly seven feet.

Instead of their hands of worthless, mangy horses, the Indians of the Umatilla reservation are to be encouraged to run cattle on their grazing land, thus doing away with the source of mange that has been so troublesome for many years in this section.

Mark Owens and Joe McCreary went to Grange City the first of the week to get a load of sand, and by accident noticed some papers sticking out beneath some stones. Taking them out it was found that they were notes and checks which were taken by the burglars who blew open the safe in Starbuck, which had a value of over \$1200. They were returned to their owners.—Dayton Courier-Press.

## Scrofula

It is commonly inherited. Few are entirely free from it. Pale, weak, puny children are afflicted with it in nine cases out of ten, and many adults suffer from it. Common indications are bunches in the neck, abscesses, cutaneous eruptions, inflamed eyelids, sore ears, rickets, catarrh, wasting, and general debility.

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## RED SEAL

Tri'l 2:06 Rec. 2:10

## SIRE OF JO SEAL, 2:11 1/4.

Sired by Red Heart 2:19 1/4, the sire of Chain Shot 2:06 1/4.

Red Seal 2:10, Etc.

Dam ALICE M. (trial) 2:25... by Mark Field (son of Geo. Wilkes).

Dam of Red Seal 2:10 Al-sire of Daisy Fields 2:08 1/4, Mamawood 2:19 1/4.

Second dam DAY BELL... by Advance, sire of Malraska 2:25, etc.

Dam of Veritas 2:10 1/4, Vindex 2:29 1/4.

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