

Ayer's

Hair Vigor. To be sure, gray hair is better than no hair. But why have it gray, and thus tell everybody you are getting old? Keep it dark and rich; make it long and heavy.

THE LETTER NEVER CAME

Breeze Gibson is never anything unless true to name. He went to Portland a few days ago, and, of course, got busy. He also got lonesome. He thought of the green hills of Polk; of his bachelor home, where, under his vine and fig tree, he could look down over the broad plains of Marion—and he wept. He wanted to write home, but, not having anyone to write to, he was up against it, but he wrote anyway. Maybe to the hired man, maybe to the hired girl, we don't presume to say, but he wrote. Then, of course, he had to mail his letter. He had invested in a two-cent stamp, and it had to go. With a friend he went out to hunt up a mail box. They found one, but could not find a place to put the letter in. There was a crank on one end of the box, and the friend suggested that maybe if he would turn the handle the box would open. Breeze gave it a turn or two, but there were no results. Then he gave it another, and two or three more. Then the two tenderfeet began to investigate, and, while they were looking, the whole Portland fire department came up. There was no fire, but a few minutes' investigation showed them the source of the trouble, and then they tangled Breeze up in the hook and ladder department, and dumped him off at the police court, and Breeze paid \$25 fine, and, as he didn't care to see any more of the exposition, and couldn't afford it, anyway, not just then, he came home. He says this morning the green hills of Polk county look good, but they seem so far away and its a case of walk.

There is more catarrh in this section of the country than all other diseases put together, and until the last few years was supposed to be incurable. For a great many years doctors pronounced it a local disease and prescribed local remedies and by constantly failing to cure with local treatment, pronounced it incurable. Science has proven catarrh to be a constitutional disease and therefore requires constitutional treatment. Hall's Catarrh Cure, manufactured by F. J. Cheney & Co., Toledo, Ohio, is the only constitutional cure on the market. It is taken internally in doses from 10 drops to a teaspoonful. It acts directly on the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. They offer one hundred dollars for any case it fails to cure. Send for circulars and testimonials.

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Sold by all druggists, 75c.
Take Hall's Family Pills for constipation.

Reduced Round Trip Rates.
Account of Fourth of July, 1905. On above account the Southern Pacific Company will sell round-trip tickets between points in Oregon north of Co's, inclusive, rate will be first-class fare and one-third for round trip. Sale dates: Saturday, July 1; Sunday, July 2; Monday, July 3 and Wednesday, July 4, going trip to commence on date of sale. Return limits: July 6. Stop-over will not be permitted; continuous passage will be required in each direction.
W. E. COMAN,
General Pass. Agt.

PERSONALS

Miss Alzina Parker, of Albany, is visiting in the city.

Miss Jennie Gunning, of Turner, is spending the day in Salem.

District Attorney McNary returned from Albany this morning.

Miss Chloe Bashor is in Albany, the guest of Mrs. P. J. Baltimore.

Rob Gill was an incoming passenger on this morning's Eugene local.

The Misses Cavanaugh and McClain, of Silverton, were in the city yesterday.

Miss Adna Raley, of Pendleton, is visiting in the city, the guest of Miss Nellie Ringo.

Hugh Fisher and daughter, Ruth, of Albany, were in the city on a short visit yesterday.

Mr. Fred Ward, of Plainview, came down this morning to spend a few days with his brother.

Professors Seley and Newberry went to Woodburn this morning for a few days' business trip.

Superintendent of Public Instruction Ackerman and Prof. D. W. Yoder are Portland visitors today.

Representative Bingham, of Cottage Grove, passed through Salem this morning, on his way to Portland.

Mrs. Frank Ward and baby, of Salem, are visiting with her sister, Mrs. Bert Westbrook, of Roseburg.

Attorney John Bayne returned from Albany this morning, where he had business before the circuit court.

Mrs. A. P. Allen, of San Francisco, is in the city, the guest of her brothers, Louis and John Steelhammer.

Miss Anna Wiprut, of this city, who has been spending the past year in San Francisco, returned home yesterday.

Sheriff Fred Fisk and Guard Gaiety Matthews, of Eugene, brought John Branton to the penitentiary last evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Pearce returned yesterday from Albany, where they spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. T. G. Hopkins.

Mr. and Mrs. Stevens, who have been visiting Prof. and Mrs. Seley, went down to Portland this morning to spend a few days at the exposition.

Mrs. A. E. Tully, of Walla Walla county, who has been visiting her college chum, Mrs. E. A. Wiggins, for a few days, returned to her home yesterday.

Dr. L. E. Rockwell, presiding elder of this district for the M. E. church, is attending a business meeting of the Leslie M. E. church today. He is expecting a visit from his son, Foster, Yale's famous quarterback, and his chum, Captain Hogan, of the same team.

Summer Normal.
The Capital Summer Normal opened this morning with an enrollment of 75. Many more will enroll in a few days. This promises to be the largest and best summer normal ever held in Salem. The instructors are J. J. Kraps, superintendent; E. T. Moores and Prof. Matthews, of the Willamette University. Superintendent Traver will be present next week. Classes are formed in all branches for state and county papers; also in Latin, stenography and typewriting.

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ATTENDING JUBILEE REUNION

The Sigma Chi Fraternity Begins a Three Days Meeting

Cincinnati, O., June 27.—The Sigma Chi, one of the largest of Greek letter societies in this country, and which includes in its membership former President Grover Cleveland, Robert McCormick, Ambassador to France, Booth Tarkington, the author, and many other men of note, began a three days' jubilee meeting today at Oxford in celebration of its semi-centennial. The but four survivors of those who organized the fraternity were present at Miami University, Oxford, in 1855. There are but four survivors of those who organized the fraternity and all of them are attending the jubilee reunion.

SESSION OF CHRISTIAN ENDEAVOR

Big Meeting Will Be Held In Ohio This Week

Dayton, O., June 27.—Delegates to the state convention of young people's societies of Christian Endeavor of Ohio commenced to arrive in the city this morning on incoming trains from all parts of the state. Before the end of the week five hundred or six hundred are expected. The week's program is one of the best ever arranged for a convention of the state organization. Meetings will be led by a number of the best speakers in the state.

Often The Kidneys Are Weakened by Over-Work.

Unhealthy Kidneys Make Impure Blood.

It used to be considered that only urinary and bladder troubles were to be traced to the kidneys, but now modern science proves that nearly all diseases have their beginning in the disorder of these most important organs.

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If you are sick or "feel badly," begin taking the great kidney remedy, Dr. Kilmer's Swamp-Root, because as soon as your kidneys are well they will help all the other organs to health. A trial will convince anyone.

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House of Swamp-Root.
Bottle of Swamp-Root, Binghamton, N. Y.

WHY DOCTORS FAIL AND MRS. PINKHAM SUCCEEDS

Plain Reasons Are Here Given to Explain Why Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound Cures When Doctors Are Powerless

A woman is sick; some disease peculiar to her sex is fast developing in her system. She goes to her family physician and tells him a story, but not the whole story.

She holds something back, loses her head, becomes agitated, forgets what she wants to say, and finally conceals what she ought to have told, and thus completely mystifies the doctor.

Is it any wonder, therefore, that the doctors fail to cure the disease? Still we cannot blame the women, for it is very embarrassing to detail some of the symptoms of her suffering, even to her family physician.

It was for this reason that years ago Mrs. Pinkham, at Lynn, Mass., determined to step in and help her sex. Having had considerable experience in treating female ills with her Vegetable Compound, she encouraged the women of America to write to her for advice in regard to their complaints, and being a woman, it was easy for her to give advice to women, and she has since been constantly applying for advice and relief, and the fact that many thousands of them have been cured by following the advice of Mrs. Pinkham during the last year is indicative of the great results which are produced by her unequalled experience and training.

No physician in the world has had such a training, or has such an amount of information at hand to assist in the treatment of all kinds of female ills, from the simplest local irritation to the most complicated womb diseases.

This, therefore, is the reason why Mrs. Pinkham, in her laboratory at Lynn, Mass., is able to do more for the ailing women of America than the family physician. Any woman, therefore, is responsible for her own suffering who will not take the trouble to write to Mrs. Pinkham for advice.

The testimonials which we are constantly publishing from grateful women establish beyond a doubt the power of Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound to conquer female diseases.

She Was.
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—Chicago Tribune.

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