

Alcohol needed
 Ayer's Sarsaparilla is not a strong drink. As now made, there is not a drop of alcohol in it. It is a non-alcoholic tonic and alterative. Ask your own doctor about your taking this medicine for thin, impure blood. Follow his advice every time. He knows. Trust him. We have no secrets! We publish the formulas of all our preparations. J. C. Ayer Co., Lowell, Mass.

HOP EDITOR.
 (continued from page one.)

ances the reflection of the will reveal scores of the who either will soon be back to consciousness by being murmured of old neptune, be lured further into the of cupid's net and landed rocky shore of disappointment-throw into the stream of an appendage from which a knife can give no relief. season at Newport this year the gayest in the history of From Olsenville on Yaquina to Jump-off Joe on the extends one vast tent city, unpopulation of greater Newport to be at present 8000. new skating rink which was largely by Salem capital, is a liberal patronage. The resembles the Salem rink and design and Messrs. Alberts & Co., the proprietors installed every convenience lovers of the little rollers, to please their patrons. a masquerade was given at last evening. commodious dance hall near which affords pleasure to hun- every alternate evening. An of five pieces from Forest furnishes excellent music and who enjoy the light fantastic to their heart's content. back company which is com- largely of Salem talent, has the theater lovers a series of productions which have been stronized and appreciated. the well known performers and Mrs. Eric Kleppin and les. The company will ap- minstrel Sunday evening and assisted by Newport talent. us games are popular on the and it is not at all strange to nified congressmen playing or veteran schoolmasters ing their pedal extremities in gely contest. The reporter to stroll down one of the streets of Nye Creek the ay and hearing a familiar crossed to a vacant lot he found Dr. J. N. Smith, Moeres, Superintendent al J. H. Ackerman and Hon. h with their coats off in a game of pitching horse- la grandstand, a bench shade of an historic tree over- the sea were seated A. N. Gordon Moores, several owa Salem ladies and society of Nye beach who loved the The game had waxed warm and seemed to be a con- sion. betting was slow but seemed venly divided. the reporter left the score

CASTORIA
 Kind You Have Always Bought, and which has been use for over 30 years, has borne the signature of and has been made under his personal supervision since its infancy. Allow no one to deceive you in this. All Counterfeits, Imitations and "Just-as-good" are but experiments that trifle with and endanger the health of Infants and Children—Experience against Experiment.

What is CASTORIA
 Castoria is a harmless substitute for Castor Oil, Paregoric, Drops and Soothing Syrups. It is Pleasant. It contains neither Opium, Morphine nor other Narcotic substance. Its age is its guarantee. It destroys Worms and allays Feverishness. It cures Diarrhoea and Wind Colic. It relieves Teething Troubles, cures Constipation and Flatulency. It assimilates the Food, regulates the action of the Bowels, giving healthy and natural sleep. Children's Panacea—The Mother's Friend.

ENGINE CASTORIA ALWAYS Bears the Signature of
 J. C. HITCHER
 The Kind You Have Always Bought In Use For Over 30 Years.

been a total absence of the usual drunken brawls that formerly took place at the boat wharf when the Sunday excursions were departing. Nor have the public been subject to the insulting annoyance from the gangs of whiskey-soaked loafers that used to hang about at the saloon doors. No, Newport may not be just as dry as it ought to be, but the moral situation has undergone an improvement that is steadily growing, and only requires the stimulation of a rigid enforcement of the local option law. And if further appears to a casual observer that some of these self-same people who are so outspoken against the law are among its worst violators."

The Devil's Punch Bowl.
 One of the most enjoyable of the many parties which have been given at Newport this season, occurred last Tuesday when Mrs. McIntosh chaperoned a party of young people on a trip to the Devil's Punch Bowl and Otter Rock.

The jolly crowd rode merrily up the beach in a four horse trolley lustily singing popular airs and college songs. Reaching the bowl, which tradition claims formerly adorned the table of the underworld, the merrymakers proceeded to explore the numerous caves and cliffs for which the place is noted.

At noon lunch was eaten in a moss carpeted dell, shaded by monarch pines.

The afternoon was spent in climbing to the top of a nearby mountain, in "shooting the chutes" and in target practice.

The party consisted of the Misses Eva Catching, Eva Bailey, Ryth Gatch, Ethel Graves, Jessie Bibee, Alice Wherung, Lucia Campbell, Messrs. Burns Powell, Tam Gatch, Chester Chrisman, Allen Crossman, Lawrence Hofer, Ford Tarpley and Mrs. McIntosh.

Mrs. Geo. Will Entertains.
 Mrs. George C. Will gave a delightful afternoon at the "Sea Crest" cottage, Mrs. Victor Boesch's picturesque summer home at Nye beach last Monday in honor of Mrs. James C. Murray and Mrs. S. Schmidt of Portland. The time was spent in games and a social hour after which a dainty luncheon was served.

Those present were Mrs. C. H. Burggraf, Mrs. Lura Haight, of Albany; Mrs. James C. Murray and Mrs. S. Schmidt, of Portland; Mrs. C. G. Given, Mrs. John Maurer, Mrs. Nellie Know, Mrs. H. M. Branson and Mrs. Geo. C. Will.

Heritage-VonJessen Concert.
 The musical treat of the season was the concert given by Dr. R. A. Heritage, bass, and Arthur von Jessen, pianist, under the auspices of the social circle of Newport last Tuesday evening. The good sized audience present was appreciative and both the doctor and the talented pianist were repeatedly called upon for encores.

Dr. Heritage sang in excellent voice and besides his regular part in the program he expressed his pleasure at again meeting a Newport audience and especially so many charming ladies. The doctor, however, was considerate enough to say that he was a married man. Professor von Jessen is an artist who cannot do otherwise than please any musical audience. His interpretations of the classics and his masterful technique soon won the admiration of all present.

The program rendered was as follows:
 Haydn, "Rolling in Foaming Billows"
 "Creation"
 Gottschalk "Tremolo"
 Spence "The Brigand"
 King "Israfel" (Traditional)
 Schubert "The Two Grenadiers"
 Cowen "La Suppliante" Romance
 Roedel "The Skippers of St. Ives"
 Roedel "The Happy Three"
 Roedel "She Stoops to Conquer"
 Verdi-Liszt "Rigoletto, Paraphrase Gounod "Even Bravest Heart" Faust
 George Dorcas Sips at Devil's Bowl.

George Dorcas and a party of six recently spent a very pleasant day at the Devil's Punch Bowl. One of the smaller people of the party ordered a rig from a Newport livery to carry seven persons and a dog to the bowl of iniquity. The driver soon had a fine team hitched to a three seater and drove to the appointed meeting place. He calmly placed the six picnickers and the dog in the conveyance, but when George came out of the house in all his hugeness the proprietor of the rig is said to have turned a shade paler.

After several minutes spent in calculation the dog was put out in order to make room for George. When the manipulator of the reins had gone around the wagon several times to see that the nuts and springs were in place the trip was begun. Everything went well until the first hill was reached. Here it was found that some one must walk as the load was too great. It was finally decided that George should ride, everyone

else got out and walked with the dog. After a hard pull the top was reached it was thought expedient that some one should walk down the steep ascent as the brakes were not too strong. George gallantly volunteered to exercise his pedal extremities and alighted the rest of the crowd. George, fortunately started ahead of the wagon and when under headway traveled with such momentum that he stumbled and rolled half way up the next grade. Thus it is related the party struggled half a hill onward down to the bowl of the devil, where lunch was served to the four hundred. George is said to have been carried from the mouth of the foaming bowl to the wagon by the faithful six and Brownie, the dog in procession. Of course there was nothing served during the trip stronger than water but the ponderous hopman was "all in" and as the chaperon was good looking he did not object to assistance. George is said to be a good walker, always keeping pace with high hops but even the chaperon who sat at his southwest, side says that the next time she goes on a long journey with Mr. Dorcas there must be an extra seat. George left for New York last week.

A Few Personals.
 Mr. and Mrs. John Maurer and two sons, Mr. and Mrs. G. C. Given, Mrs. Nellie Knox and daughter, Miss Blanch, have returned to their homes in Salem after an enjoyable outing on the beach.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Pomeroy are enjoying the refreshing air of the beach. Mr. Pomeroy in company with several Portland friends returned Tuesday from a hunt in the Siletz country. While on the trip Charles was fortunate enough to be behind a gun which sent a bullet that killed a deer. If you want the story which is a good one step into the jewelry store on State street Tuesday and "Charley" will tell it to you in person.

Mrs. Paul Stege and Mrs. Frank Erickson and daughter are among the Salemites at the beach.

Mrs. D. A. White and daughter, Miss Blanch, who have been enjoying an outing at Nye beach, returned home yesterday.

Charles Moores and family and A. N. Moores and family occupy cottages on Society hill at Nye beach.

Claud Gatch and family are spending the summer at their Nye Brook cottage.

Dr. J. N. Smith and family, who have been camped in the Reeves tent city at Nye beach will return home today.

Mrs. H. M. Branson and daughter, Mrs. C. T. White, are enjoying an outing in their commodious cottage at Nye Creek. They will remain a month longer.

Mrs. C. M. Lockwood and son, Adair are numbered among the society at Nye beach.

Frank Derby and family are comfortably located in a cottage at Nye Creek. Frank is yet unable to walk without the aid of a crutch but his foot which was injured some time ago is improving, and when he returns in about a month he expects to be able to outwalk any prospective real estate customer who makes his appearance.

Mrs. Carnine of Portland and Miss Rebecca Gates are the guests of Mrs. Joseph Mayer of Albany now enjoying an outing at Newport.

Dr. J. C. Perry, the well known druggist, his mother Mrs. Perry and sister Mrs. Richard Churchill, returned to their homes during this week after spending several days at the beach.

Dr. J. D. Shaw and Dan Tarpley returned Friday to the beach from a hunting trip in the Siletz country. Mr. and Mrs. Tarpley will leave for Salem Monday. After a short visit there Dan will go to Seattle to accept a position with the wireless telegraph company.

Miss Lela Tarpley will return to her home in Salem Monday. She has spent several weeks at Nye Creek and incidentally has written several chapters of a novel, the inspiration for which she received on the beach.

Miss Nellie Smith and Miss Roby are enjoying an outing in Newport and during spare moments can be found at the Cozy Corner on Main street where they will serve you with ice cream and the choicest candies.

Dr. Beauchamp the druggist of Stayton is in Newport for a two weeks outing. He is a former Salem boy.

Mrs. Albert Milsap and son Ralph, formerly of Salem now of Portland will leave for their hometoday.

Mr. and Mrs. Rollin Page and party passed through Newport Wednesday enroute to their homes in Salem. They have been enjoying an outing at Otter Rock.

IVAN MARTIN.

Do You Open Your Mouth
 Like a young bird and gulp down whatever food or medicine may be offered you? Or, do you want to know something of the composition and character of that which you take into your stomach whether as food or medicine?

Most intelligent and sensible people now-a-days insist on knowing what they employ whether as food or as medicine. Dr. Pierce believes they have a perfect right to insist upon such knowledge. So he publishes, broadcast and on each bottle wrapper, what his medicines are made of and verifies in plain English. This he feels he can well afford to do because the more the ingredients of which his medicines are made are studied and understood the more will their superior curative virtues be appreciated.

For the cure of woman's peculiar weaknesses, irregularities and derangements, giving rise to frequent headaches, backache, dragging-down pain or distress in lower abdominal or pelvic region, accompanied, oftentimes, with a debilitating, pelvic, catarrhal drain and kindred symptoms of weakness, Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription is a most efficient remedy. It is equally effective in curing painful periods, in giving strength to nursing mothers and in preparing the system of the expectant mother for baby's coming, thus rendering childbirth safe and comparatively painless. The "Favorite Prescription" is a most potent, strengthening tonic to the general system and to the organs distinctly feminine in particular. It is also a soothing and invigorating nerve and cures nervous exhaustion, nervous prostration, neuralgia, hysteria, spasms, chorea or St. Vitus's dance, and other distressing nervous symptoms attendant upon functional and organic diseases of the distinctly feminine organs.

A host of medical authorities of all the several schools of practice, recommend each of the several ingredients of which "Favorite Prescription" is made for the cure of the diseases for which it is claimed to be a cure. You may read what they say for yourself by sending a postal card request for a free booklet of extracts from the leading authorities, to Dr. R. V. Pierce, Invalids' Hotel and Surgical Institute, Buffalo, N. Y., and it will come to you by return post.



THE PUREST

And most delicious Soda it is possible to buy be found right here. A cool, refreshing pleasant drink in a great variety of flavors. All pure fruit syrups.

OUR ICE CREAM SODA

Is considered by all to be the best in town. All new and delightful Summer beverages at our soda fountain.

THE SPA
 No. 382 State Street.

Salem Fence Works

Headquarters for Woven wire Fencing. Netting, Pickets, Gates, Shingles, P & B. Ready Roofing, Screen Doors and Adjustable Window Screens All at lowest prices.

Walter Morley
 250 Court St. Salem, Ore

CHICHESTER'S PILLS
 THE DIAMOND BRAND.
 Ladies! Ask your Druggist for Chichester's Diamond Brand Pills in Red and Gold wrapper. Beware of cheap imitations. Take no other. Buy of your Druggist. Ask for CHICHESTER'S DIAMOND BRAND PILLS, for 25 years known as Best, Safest, Always Reliable. SOLD BY DRUGGISTS EVERYWHERE.

MEALS 15c
 AT THE
Salem Restaurant
 339 COURT STREET.
 Call and try them. Meals 15c. Board per week \$2.75. also furnished rooms very reasonable.

The
White House Restaurant
 For those Delicious
PIES
 They can't be beat
McGilchrist & Son
 Proprietors.

IVAN MARTIN.



DON'T LET THIS HAPPEN

Put these good resolutions that you made on January 1st into effect at once by replacing your old plumbing with the newest ideas in sanitary open plumbing, and you will be rid of the annoyance of leaking pipes and flooded floors, as well as doctor's bills. We will furnish estimates for plumbing, gas fitting and satisfaction is guaranteed as to workmanship and charges.

A. L. FRASER
 856 State Street.
 Phone 135.

Send the Family Washing To Us

and you'll never bother with having it done at home again. Time was when every family could not afford to send the washing to a laundry, but times have changed—so, too, have the methods and prices. Today you can better afford to send the family washing here than not to. Ask about our prices on family washing, rough dry, or finished.

The Salem Steam Laundry

Phone 25. 136-166 S. Liberty St.

SALEM WATER COMPANY
 OFFICE CITY HALL.
 For water service apply at office. Bills payable monthly in advance.



THE BEST ROAST THE FAMILY EVER HAD

Can be obtained from our prime tender and juicy beef, mutton or pork. All our meats are selected from the choicest, and prepared for the table to suit the demands of the fastidious. Our prices are lower for quality than you can find at any place in Salem,

E. C. CROSS,
 Phone 291. 370 State St.

O. C. T. Co.
 STEAMERS

POMONA AND OREGONA LEAVE FOR PORTLAND DAILY, EXCEPT SUNDAY AT 6 A. M.

P. M. BALDWIN, Agt.

BUTTERNUT BREAD
 It is worth more than any other bread, yet the price is no higher. For sale at your grocer's.
 CALIFORNIA BAKERY.
 Thomas & Cooler, Props.

MADAME JEAN'S FRENCH FEMALE PILLS.
 A Safe, Certain Remedy for Progressive Menstruation. NEVER KNOWN TO FAIL. Each 1 Hour! Ready Relief! No Vomiting or Stomach Distress! Best Preparation for \$1.00 per box. Will send three on trial, to be paid for when returned. Sample Free. If your druggist does not have them send your orders to the UNITED MEDICAL CO., BOX 74, LANCASTER, PA.

Sold in Salem by Dr. S. C. Stone

CASTORIA
 For Infants and Children.
 The Kind You Have Always Bought
 Bears the Signature of J. C. HITCHER