

BOYS PREPARE FOR BIG TRACK MEET

Polk County Schools to Hold Big Athletic Meet May 10—Place Not Selected.

Independence, Ore., March 16.—The boys of the high school of this city are preparing for the Polk county track meet, which will be held in one of the four largest towns of the county on May 10.

Any pupil of the high schools or of the eighth grades, who meets the requirements of scholarship determined upon by the principals' club, shall be eligible to membership in the association.

In baseball, each school may have the privilege of substituting any persons who have been in attendance upon school during the year, two players; or, if the team cannot be made this way, two players who have been in attendance may be chosen, provided that they shall not be more than 21 years old.

The estimated cost of the meet for this year is between \$150 and \$200. The commercial clubs of the various towns of Polk county will be asked for financial aid.

A TRAVELING HOSPITAL FOR RURAL NEEDS

A pressing need of our rural districts is for the same kind of hospital treatment which is open to even the poorest inhabitants of our city slums.

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This Will Interest Mothers. Mother Gray's Sweet Powders for Children, a certain relief for feverishness, headache, bad stomach, teething disorders, worms and regulate the bowels and destroy worms.

That Wonderful Event. IF THERE is a time above all times when a woman should be in perfect physical condition it is the time previous to the coming of her babe.

DR. PIERCE'S FAVORITE PRESCRIPTION. It is a scientific medicine carefully compounded by an experienced and skillful physician, and adapted to the needs and requirements of woman's delicate system.

ONE DOSE MAKES INDIGESTION GO

HEARTBURN, GAS, DYSPEPSIA AND ALL STOMACH DISTRESS ENDED WITH "PAPE'S DIAPEP-SIN."

You don't want a slow remedy when your stomach is bad—or an uncertain one—or a harmful one—your stomach is too valuable; you mustn't injure it with drastic drugs.

Pape's Diapepsin is noted for its speed in giving relief; it's harmless; its certain unfailing action in regulating sick, sour, gassy stomachs, its millions of cures in indigestion, dyspepsia, gastritis and other stomach trouble has made it famous the world over.

Keep this perfect stomach doctor in your home—keep it handy—get a large fifty-cent case from any drug store and then if any one should eat something which doesn't agree with them; if what they eat lays like lead, ferments and sours and forms gas; causes headache, dizziness and nausea; eruptions of acid and undigested food—remember as soon as Pape's Diapepsin comes in contact with the stomach all such distress vanishes.

nal of the American Medical association, commenting on Stiles' experience, says that the suggestion is the more valuable coming from Stiles, as he has had practical experience on laboratory trains in the rural districts in which research and observations were conducted on school children.

THE ROUND-UP. The city of Florence will issue \$7000 worth of bonds for the purpose of building a wharf.

John Foote, an aged capitalist, of Hillsboro, died at his home there Sunday. He came to Oregon in 1863, and amassed a fortune in farming. He was 76 years old.

Airlie has several cases of scarlet fever, and the town is quarantined.

Dan Webb and Ralph Cowgill, of Medford, last week chased an old mother bear into a hollow tree, and killed her with a hatchet. They captured her two cubs, and are being mothers to them on the bottle plan.

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This is a hustling age, and the lunch counter habit will help you sure to hurry through.

It is a big-nosed cabinet.

BRYAN CAN POSE AS A MODERN SPHYNX

As a Living Exponent of Visible Silence W. J. B. Has Them All Backed Off the Map.

[UNITED PRESS LEARNED WIRE.]

Washington, March 18.—When William Jennings Bryan became secretary of state, little did an enthusiastic populace mean that the job would develop another quality in the versatile Nebraskan. It has, however. And today when Bryan is not barricading himself against callers "paying their respects" (with application for a job of some kind folded in their pockets) the secretary is giving a free-for-all exhibition of "silence," to which the speechlessness of the clam is a mighty roar.

Everybody knew that Philander C. Knox, Bryan's predecessor, was a silent person. He exuded it. But when Bryan was named as his successor, everybody in the newspaper world perked up. There would surely be some news, with the Nebraskan on the job.

The second or third day after he had been sworn in, a troop of enthusiastic correspondents were admitted to his presence.

"Will Talk Afterwards." "Gentlemen," the new secretary began, before anybody had a chance to say anything. "I'm afraid you are going to be the most unfortunate newspaper men in Washington, so far as news is concerned. I shall make it a rule not to talk about anything until it has been done."

"But, Mr. Secretary," one correspondent expostulated, "we've heretofore been in the confidence of the department, and in that way have assisted a number of times."

"So?" retorted Bryan. "Well, when I want to put out a 'feeler' (may I use that term?) I'll use you."

He has not yet "used" the newspaper men.

The next interview went like this: "Mr. Secretary, how about Mexico?"

"Ah," Bryan replied earnestly. "You have heard of the Muffog papers, where the correspondent wired in it is 12:30 o'clock, and nothing has happened since I wrote you last."

Tells His Weight. Thereupon he turned and greeted Senator Tillman with much eclat.

Finally, after a week of it, the correspondents got desperate. One of them asked Bryan how much he weighed with the diplomatic trait strong in him, the secretary answered: "Tom Reed said 'no man over 200 pounds is a gentleman'—and I'm 22 or 24 pounds over being a gentleman."

Then he said when he got a new house, had his riding horse shipped, bought a new hat, or something like that he would "bulletin" the fact to the press.

But nevertheless, and notwithstanding the fact that the silver-tongued orator won't talk, Mr. Bryan is certainly on the job at the state department. He is there early and late.

An Epidemic of Coughing is sweeping over the town and young and old are alike affected. Foley's Honey and Tar Compound is a quick, safe, reliable family medicine for coughs and colds.

PICTURES OF BULL RUN CARRY ONE BACK 50 YEARS

That great tragic drama of 50 years ago, which filled the little stream of Bull Run with the red blood of the nation's young manhood, and came near to ending the war between the North and South will be an ever-interesting story to the young and old alike throughout America.

The Universal Film Manufacturing company has undertaken, at enormous expense, to reproduce, as nearly as human ingenuity and artistic skill can do, the stirring scenes attending the battle of Bull Run.

A Picture All Should See. The pictures are stirring, absorbing, realistic. Moreover, they are instructive, educational and inspiring. It is just such a production that every man, woman and child with love of country should go miles to see, if necessary.

Dr. J. C. Yuen, the great human sacrifice, which awakes the North, and, finally, after the greatest conflict of modern times, turned the tide of defeat to victory.

"Oh Girls! Do Try GETS-IT for Corns"

The New-Plan Corn Cure. No Fuss, No Pain, Sure and Quick.

You never used anything like "GETS-IT" for corns before! You're sure at last that every stubborn corn that you've tried so long to get rid of



"How I Did Suffer From Corns for Years! 'GETS-IT' Got Them All in a Few Days!"

is a "goner." You apply "GETS-IT" in two seconds, that's all. "GETS-IT" does the rest. There's no more fusing, no more bandages to fix, no more moans to turn the flesh red and raw. No more plasters to get misplaced and gouging, no more razors.

"GETS-IT" stops pain, shrivels up the corn, and the corn vanishes. "GETS-IT" never fails, is harmless to healthy flesh. Warts, callouses and bunions disappear.

"GETS-IT" is sold at drug stores at 25c bottle, or sent on receipt of price by E. Lawrence & Co., Chicago.

CHINA PRESIDENT'S WIFE IS HURT BY AUTO

[UNITED PRESS LEARNED WIRE.]

Tokio, March 17.—Through her automobile losing a wheel while going at a rapid rate, Mrs. Sun Yat Sen, wife of China's first president, was thrown out and painfully injured. It was announced today that her injuries were not serious.

YOUR CHILD'S HEALTH YOUR FIRST THOUGHT

If you have children, naturally your first thoughts are for their health. You certainly want them to develop strong healthy constitutions. The most careful attention must be given when children show the first symptoms of the many common ailments. Perhaps they are weakly and thin, or grow too fast, thus sacrificing strength. These and other apparently minor ailments may be the forerunner to a weak constitution for life.

Such children need Jayne's Tonic Vermifuge which is essentially a children's tonic. First of all, it will properly care for the child's stomach. It will also improve the appetite, and will add strength to the other organs of the body. In cases of thin or impure blood, it increases the number of red corpuscles enabling the enriched blood to keep the body healthy and strong.

Among the most common ailments that children develop is that of a disordered stomach, leading to an impaired digestion. In many cases this trouble is due to parasites in the intestinal tract. To correct such trouble, Jayne's Tonic Vermifuge is unsurpassed.

For more than 80 years millions of children have been restored to health through the use of this tonic. Insist upon Jayne's; accept no other. Sold by druggists everywhere. Dr. D. Jayne & Son, Philadelphia, Pa.

Journal Want Advs. Bring Results.

Dr. J. C. Yuen. Successor to Dr. Kum, the greatest Chinese Expert Herbit.

Established 1887. Call and talk with those who are using the Herbs, and they will tell you that they are being benefitted.

Others will tell you of the remarkable cures made by the use of Chinese Herbs. They are Nature's remedies for all stomach, spleen, liver, lung, heart, bladder, intestinal and kidney trouble, for asthma, catarrh, rheumatism, indigestion, constipation, purifying the blood, lumbago, coughs, colds, appendicitis, female trouble, Bright's disease and all disorders of the human system, sold by the Bow

Wo Herb Co., 167 S. High street.

F. W. SPENCER WINS AN IMPORTANT SUIT

In July, 1912, Mrs. Olive E. Hunt, wife of Spencer S. Hunt, commenced a suit in the circuit court of this county. The defendants in the suit were F. W. Spencer, the well known hardware merchant, and Spencer S. Hunt, husband of the plaintiff. The suit was brought for the purpose of cancelling a note and mortgage for \$1700 executed by Mr. and Mrs. Hunt in favor of Mr. Spencer.

In her complaint Mrs. Hunt charged that the note and mortgage had been obtained without consideration and that she had been deceived and misled into signing the same. She also charged that her husband was under duress and that really the crime of compounding a felony had been committed in obtaining the note and mortgage.

Spencer answered to the effect that S. S. Hunt had entered his employ as a salesman and continued in such employ for a year or thereabouts and during that time had continuously embezzled moneys from Mr. Spencer's store, beginning his peculations on the very first day of his employment when he took \$7 or more, and ending on the last day, when he took about \$25, and the answer further showed that Mr. Spencer did not wish to act hastily, and that for that reason deferred taking any action against Hunt until he had first obtained absolute proof of his guilt and that when Hunt was confronted with the proof against him he freely confessed that he had stolen many hundreds of dollars from Mr. Spencer.

Before making any settlement of the civil debt with Hunt, Mr. Spencer was careful to consult with the sheriff and also the Deputy District Attorney so as to avoid any appearance even of violating the law. Mr. Spencer was well assured by both of those officers that he would have a right to settle his civil debt against Hunt and then Hunt was told very distinctly that if he would settle the civil debt he need not thereby expect any immunity from criminal proceedings and no promise or hope was held out by Mr. Spencer or any of the officers to Hunt that he would not be prosecuted.

The suit was tried before Judge William Galloway in December and the parties filed exhaustive briefs. The judge took the suit under advisement and a day or two ago announced his decision in favor of defendant Spencer on all points. Judge Galloway was particularly careful to announce definitely that the settlement made with Hunt was free and clear of any doubt or suspicion of wrong doing and that certainly no compounding of felony had been committed or was even thought of by any of the parties to the transaction, but on the contrary throughout the whole proceeding Mr. Spencer had conducted himself strictly within the law and without any desire to be unnecessarily harsh or severe upon anyone.

This is a signal victory for Mr. Spencer and it leaves the note and mortgage free and clear of any taint of illegality.

Goos Into Drydock.

[UNITED PRESS LEARNED WIRE.] Seattle, Wash., March 18.—Deciding that it will be impossible to rig a jury rigger, Captain Alexander Gow, of the steamer Robert Dollar, which struck the Columbia bar while outward bound for the Orient, is discharging the steamer's cargo today before going on the drydock.

The Arson Trust.

[UNITED PRESS LEARNED WIRE.] Chicago, March 18.—Based on the confession of Ben Fink and John Daines, it was announced at the state's attorney's office today that warrants for the "higher ups" in the "arsion trust" would be issued before night.

More than 35 members of the organization, including merchants and insurance adjusters, will be arrested, several living outside of Chicago.

Clergyman's Son Had Tuberculosis; Now Well

People who have Consumption are often filled with bright hopes of recovery, only to realize that improvement is but temporary. Consumption is dreaded by everyone. Those who had it and used Eckman's Alternative can testify to its beneficial effects. No one need doubt it—there is plenty of evidence from live witnesses. Investigate the following—

Amenia, N. Y. "Gentlemen: Prior to Feb., 1908, I was located in Rochester, N. Y., suffering with Latrippe, which developed into Tuberculosis. My physician gave me one month to live. I was having terrible night sweats and mid-day chills and losing flesh rapidly, having gone from 150 to 125 pounds. I coughed and raised continually and became so weak that walking a few feet exhausted me. On my return home, my regular physician gave me little encouragement. My father, who is a clergyman, heard of Eckman's Alternative and induced me to take it. The night sweats and chills disappeared, my cough became easier and gradually diminished and in a few days I developed an appetite, the first in months I am now in perfect health, back to 150 lbs. I feel certain that I owe my life to Eckman's Alternative."

(Signed) E. H. COWLES, Pastor Presbyterian Church, Eckman's Alternative is effective in Bronchitis, Asthma, Hay Fever, Throat and Lung Troubles, and in upbuilding the system. Does not contain poisons, opiates or habit-forming drugs. Ask for booklet telling of recoveries, and write to Eckman Laboratory, 1111 E. 12th St., for more evidence. For sale by all leading druggists. J. C. Perry.



BEWARE OF SUDDEN ATTACKS THAT MAY PROVE DEADLY. YOU CAN SOON REPEL THE MOST DANGEROUS WITH DR. KING'S NEW DISCOVERY. THE MOST INFALLIBLE CURE FOR COUGHS AND COLDS WHOOPING COUGH AND ONLY RELIABLE REMEDY FOR THROAT AND LUNGS. PRICE 50c AND \$1.00. SOLD AND GUARANTEED BY J. C. PERRY.

All women are stuck up—judging by the number of pins they use. In human as well as in hen life, a cackle doesn't always mean a lay. Few men so live that when they die the undertaker sheds tears. More investigation at the start will mean less disappointment in the end.

DANDRUFF CAUSES FALLING HAIR---25 CENT "DANDERINE"

SAVE YOUR HAIR! BEAUTIFY IT! INVIGORATE YOUR SCALP! DANDERINE GROWS HAIR AND WE CAN PROVE IT.

Try as you will, after an application of Danderine, you cannot find a single trace of dandruff or a loose or falling hair and your scalp will not itch, but what will please you most, will be after a few weeks' use, when you will actually see new hair, fine and downy at first—yes—but really new hair—growing all over the scalp. A little Danderine now will immediately double the beauty of your hair. No difference how dull, faded, brittle and scraggy, just moisten a cloth with Danderine and carefully draw it through your hair, taking one small strand at a time. The effect is immediate and amazing—your hair will be light, fluffy and wavy and have an appearance of abundance; an incomparable lustre, softness and luxuriance, the beauty and shimmer of true hair health. Get a 25-cent bottle of Knowlton's Danderine from any drug store or toilet counter, and prove to yourself tonight—now—that your hair is as pretty and soft as any—that it has been neglected or injured by careless treatment—that's all.

ROSTEIN & GREENBAUM

New White Lawn Waists. Nicely trimmed lace or embroidery, open front or open back, good material, only \$1.25. New Gloves. 22-in Silk Lisle Gloves, fine quality, only 69c. Long Silk Gloves, good quality, only \$1.00.

MILLINERY

This popular department now open with a big assortment of new hats, trimmed and shapes, flowers and foliage and great variety of trimmings. See the new stick-ups. No inflated prices; just as cheap now as after Easter. Make your selections now. Small orders and big orders promptly taken care of. All new goods and best of quality. Expert trimmers employed by us.

42-inch embroidery flouncing, yard 50c. 17-inch embroidery, yard 25c. Corset cover embroidery 15c. NEW GINGHAMS NEW PERCALES. NEW MADRAS DRAPERY. NEW CURTAIN NET.

LOTS OF NEW GOODS 240-246 COMMERCIAL STREET

Insure Your Porch

Against decay by putting on a paint that is warranted to preserve it. Paint is cheaper than lumber and repair bills, and adds to the looks of your home. We have the best paints at prices that are right.

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