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Beautiful and Picturesque THE SECTION OF THE PACIFIC NORTH-WEST

Traversed by the Oregon Short Line Railroad and the Oregon Railroad and Navigation Company from Ogden to Huntington and Huntington to Portland—The Tourists' Favorite Route.

Goldboro Headlight.
No section of the United States is so rich in natural attractions as the Pacific Northwest. So picturesque and beautiful is the vast domain, drained by the majestic Columbia river, which flows through the very heart of it, that pencil and brush can only tell in part the story of this matchless region. From the sources of the great river in faraway States and British Columbia, through an area of nearly 500,000 square miles, past historic Astoria, where it pours its waters into the Pacific, nature, in the bestowal of her gifts, has been most lavish with her handiwork and pictured entrancing scenes.
Lofty mountain ranges whose snow-capped peaks defy the sun's warmest rays in July and August and look down upon fertile valleys that fairly glow with their weight of fruit and golden grain; boundless forests; ice-cold mountain lakes; trout streams filled with speckled beauties; great high walls of verdure and moss-covered rocks with streams and cataracts tumbling over their sides in mad rushes to join the Columbia; fountains of marvelous healing and long stretches of sandy beaches—all combine to make it the mecca of the health-hunter and pleasure-seeker. From the East, the Union Pacific Railway, with its western divisions—the Oregon Short Line and the Oregon Railroad and Navigation Company—carries the tourist through this scenic territory. The latter road for 200 miles following the Columbia, for a great part of the distance so close that one can look from the car window almost directly into the water below.
At Huntington, Ore., 404 miles east of Portland, without change of the tourist is given to the care of the Oregon Railroad and Navigation Company. For nearly 2 miles the train speeds through an interesting stretch of agricultural and mining country, soon reaching Baker City, the center and metropolis of the greatest wheat valley of the Northwest, where nearly every valuable metal is found. Beyond Baker City, the line passes through the Powder River Valley, a rich agricultural section; climbs a spur of the picturesque Blue Mountains, then descends into the beautiful and productive Grand Valley, 100,000 acres, fertile in grain and fruit, and the home of large livestock interests. To the north as far as the eye can see, stretches a land dotted by hundreds of pretty white farm houses; to the right near the foot of the mountains, and surrounded by hundreds of acres of fruit land, is the formerly the county seat of Union county.
Scarcely has there been time to catch a glimpse of garden-like Grande Ronde Valley, drained by a river of the same name, when the train stops at Hot Lake. What the famous State and the East Hot Lake is to Oregon and the West. For untold ages the springs have poured forth their volcanic heated water and the locality has always been known as the "Big Medicine" camp of the Indians. The temperature of the water where it issues out of the earth at the rate of 100,000 gallons per hour, is 198 degrees, and that of the lake, which has an area of eight acres, from 70 to 80 degrees. A handsome and costly sanatorium rest at the foot of the mountain spur facing the lake. The drive up "Caddis" and to Catherine Creek are especially delightful, the latter being alive with mountain trout. Soon after leaving Hot Lake the train drops into a wonderful wheat section, passing through the Umatilla Indian Reservation, many tepees and tribesmen being seen along the way, the gaudy blankets worn by the braves presenting a striking appearance.
A short stop at Pendleton, the seat of Umatilla county, and the train is off for Umatilla, where the first peep at the Columbia river is obtained. Fed by everlasting snow-fields and glaciers, historic in interest, it winds its way through the Northwest, growing in size until at a point 15 miles above its mouth it reaches the remarkable width of 17 miles. For over 200 miles the Columbia forms the boundary between Oregon and Washington. West of Umatilla the train passes through other rich grain, fruit and wool growing regions. As the cars turn a curve the first glimpses of Mount Hood are obtained. Twenty miles or more above the town of The Dalles the river begins to narrow. Presently it becomes unnavigable, caused by basaltic formation. Through the narrow water rushes and makes a succession of falls, the largest and most beautiful of which is Celilo, over 30 feet in height. This stretch is a favorite spot among the Indians, many of whom live near by. During the fishing season they can be seen far out over the rocks spearing salmon which are dried in the sun and used as food.
From The Dalles, on through fertile Wasco county, speeds the train drawn by three locomotives. We soon pass the town of Lyle, and up the valley an historic block-house which for many years stood guard over the warning Klickitat Indians. That formation, seen for miles on the Washington side, is a great lava cliff, and that picturesque spot in the center of the Columbia is Memorial Island, the Indian City of the Dead. For many years none but Red Men

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At this season of the year the people hereabouts are reaping the fruits of the year's work. The proceeds of the harvest should be stored away in a good strong Bank. The **FIRST NATIONAL BANK** is just such a Bank and will serve you at all times with safety, promptness and courtesy.

Our Savings Department Pays 4 per cent. Interest on time deposits and compounds this interest twice each year.

At this season, the fall of the year, we especially invite the **ACCOUNTS OF FARMERS**, guaranteeing our relations to be mutually pleasant and profitable.

SAMUEL R. HARRIS,
President.

SAMUEL T. PEACE,
Cashier.

were permitted on the Island, but recently relic hunters have pasted it and carried away many mementoes. A few minutes later and the town of Hood River is reached. For scenic charms few spots equal it. In the foreground is the Columbia; across the river, in Washington, is Mount Adams, 12,470 feet high; in the opposite direction to Oregon, the majestic Mount Hood, perennially covered with snow, rearing its head heavenward 11,225 feet, forming a picturesque background to the valley; and on the east and west are the forest-covered foothills of the Cascades.

The Governor's Stand for the Reign of Law.
Charlotte Chronicle.
By permitting three men to be hanged recently in the face of determined efforts on the part of congress and friends to save their lives, Governor Glenn has added an undeniable dignity to the law of a human life. All three were tried in the courts, found guilty of the crimes with which they were charged, and received a just sentence from the courts.

Russia's Ambitions in the Far East Checked.
Monroe Journal.
Those who feared that Japan got too little in the treaty of peace and that Russia was not sufficiently crippled to cease to molest her in the East, may calm their fears. The treaty that was signed between Japan and Great Britain is more disastrous to Russian hopes than they are in case either is attacked under certain conditions. If Japan is attacked in eastern Asia, England will put her fleets and armies in the field at her friend's request. If England is attacked in India, Japan will do likewise. Now, India is England's vulnerable spot, particularly so far as Russia is concerned, and she has for some time been strengthening her army there. This is the greatest stroke that she could have made, for the efficiency of Japan as an ally can not be doubted now, and no two powers on the globe could fight Japan and England. It is as much to the interest of England as to Japan to keep Russia out of eastern Asia, and her guarantee to help Japan do this job is a small price to pay for Japan's guarantee to help her keep the bear out of India, for this country is handy to him, and it is believed that he has for a long time cast hungry eyes that way. The millions of yellow men in India are ruled by a few white men sent out from England, and were there ever a general uprising, encouraged by Russia and enforced by Russian armies, England alone could not cope with it.

Following the Prevailing Style.
Statesville Landmark.
We repeat what we have heretofore said, that that illustrious Howell, who is suing Claude Bernard for \$20,000 damages for the seduction of his daughter, is making a sorry spectacle of himself. It may punish Bernard to be compelled by law to pay damages but how an amount of money can heal the broken heart of the father or restore the blasted reputation of his daughter is another proposition.—Saturday Post.

From the town of Hood River, until passing out of the Columbia Gorge the sightseer is constantly regaled with interesting views. On through wide-awake river towns in plain view of fish wheels scooping salmon from the river, past many points of interest, the train winds its way, closely hugging the foot of the mountains, precipices and overhanging cliffs. Far up on the slopes the dense, dark forests stand out in pretty contrast to the crystalline water below. The gigantic trees, logging camps and sawmills of Oregon, in plain view, followed by immense waterfalls over giant rocks. Scarcely believing that the hundred miles of scenic territory from Celilo through an almost open stretch, passing in plain view of several salmon canneries with fish wheels in operation, makes a short stop at East Portland, crosses one of the fine steel bridges spanning the Willametta river and pulls into Portland's fine union station.

The Opportunity at Home.
Charlotte News.
State Auditor Dixon is highly elated over the state of health of North Carolina today. He says this State is in the finest shape since 1860, in industrially, financially, socially and morally. He has spoken no secret, nor has he betrayed any confidence. North Carolina is making strides at a pace that is second to no State in the Union. This fact is known to only a few thousands of others who are not so fortunate as to be residents of North Carolina. Our people are enjoying an era of prosperity, the like of which has never been known before. Even as short a time as ten years ago it was impossible to foresee the development that has come about in the past few years. The rapid advancement of this State in industry, finance, society and morals is easy to account for—the natural resources are here. That explains it without further comment. The future is glorious to reveal greater things to the people of North Carolina, within the short space of a few years, than has even been dreamed of in the minds of the most far-sighted and optimistic men of the times. The time to leave North Carolina to seek opportunities in other fields is now a thing of the past. The greatest opportunities in all channels of life are to be found right here in our own State. The man with energy, determination and zeal need not cross the borders of the State to make a success. The home field is wide, the opportunities varied.

Letting Him Down.
Philadelphia Record.
"I suppose," said the timid suitor, "when you recall what a handsome man your first husband was you wouldn't consider me for a minute."
"Oh, yes, I would," replied the pretty widow, "but I wouldn't consider you for a second."

A Pleasure to All.
No Pill is as pleasant and positive as Dr. Witt's Little Early Risers. These famous Little Pills are so mild and effective that children, delicate ladies and weak people enjoy their cleansing effect, while strong people enjoy them as the best liver pills sold. Sold at Parker's Two Drug Stores.

This is Strong Argument.
Baltimore Post.
Time and time again we have urged more care and consideration and protection from the song and insectivorous birds of the country. There are societies that have for their sole aim the protection of birds, still there are thousands of the little feathered beauties subjected to wanton destruction every year. In a late issue of the Jacksonville, Fla. Times-Union we find the following:
"Over eight million dollars annually go towards saving the apple trees of this country from insects. Isn't it cheaper to have the birds do the work? One man in Florida this year planted peppers, peas and sunflowers throughout his grove, in the corners, to attract the birds; now his neighbors are asking him why his trees remained free from insects and are surprised to hear he spent nothing for insecticides from the drug store."
This is strong argument in favor of the birds. This man not only does not kill them but plants and grows stuff to attract them and keep them about his place, and they save him thousands of dollars.



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OFFICE: Over E. G. Davis' Store.

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INSURANCE.
Office: In Court House.

Notice to Tax Payers.

I SHALL ATTEND AT THE TIMES AND PLACES BELOW mentioned for collecting the State and County taxes for the year 1905:

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| Amos Mill, Thursday, | October 19 |
| Middleburg, Friday, | " 20 |
| White's Store, Monday, | " 23 |
| Townsville, Tuesday, | " 24 |
| Williamsboro, Wednesday, | " 25 |
| Dabney, Thursday, | " 26 |
| Henderson, Friday, | " 27 |
| Kittrell, Saturday, | " 28 |

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Grow More Wheat.

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Only Sure Foundation for Continued Prosperity—Our People Ought to Raise More of Their Supplies at Home—Effect of a Heavy Grain Crop on the Price of Cotton—Forceful Facts for Farmers.

Raleigh Progressive Farmer.
The excellent \$50 prize essay on wheat growing contributed to this number of our occasional correspondent Mr. E. E. Miller of Morris-town, Tenn., ought to turn the attention of many of our readers to the importance of increasing the acreage of this grain the coming season. The only sure foundation for continued prosperity in the South lies in the diversification of crops, and the chances are easy to build up this in the dearest school of experience next year. If cotton prices stay about ten cents, it is going to be the hardest task in the world to keep the acreage down to reasonable limits. A heavy grain crop down this fall will therefore be one of our best guarantees. The Southern farmer can have of high-priced cotton in 1906. But entirely apart from the effect on cotton prices, it is worth while to grow wheat for its own sake. Except for the few days required for harvesting, the crop requires little labor, and it makes it easy to build up the soil, the farmer letting a crop of peas follow the wheat.
An enterprising fertilizer house just issued a pamphlet "Why Not a Larger Area in Wheat?" in which all these facts are forcibly brought out. In the "good old days" of the decade before the Civil War cotton brought an average of twelve cents per pound, and this was due largely to the fact that Southern farmers made their supplies at home, and therefore did not make an overproduction of cotton. And our booklet has some statistics bearing on this subject that are worth studying, with some comment that is also too good to keep away from our readers:
"The fact that every farmer made his own wheat and flour was a prime factor in that opulent condition of 'before the war.'
"In the presence of these interesting and invaluable facts, the inquiry is perfectly natural—what did Georgia in those days?
"In 1860, Georgia produced 2,544,914 bushels of wheat, or 2.4 bushels per capita, that is, 2 bushels and four-tenths of a bushel for every man, woman and child within her borders."
"In 1900 she harvested only 1,765,947 bushels, more than 778,000 bushels less than in 1860—a per capita of only 79-100 of a bushel."
"In 1860, North Carolina made 4,743,706 bushels of wheat—a per capita of 4.7 bushels."
"In 1900 she harvested 4,342,351 bushels of wheat, or 2.2 bushels per capita. This was 401,358 bushels less than in 1860."
"In 1860, South Carolina produced 1,855,631 bushels of wheat or 1.8 bushels per capita."
"In 1900 she made 1,017,319 bushels of wheat, or being over 208,000 bushels less than 1860, a per capita of only three pecks."
"Suppose the farmers were to determine to bring the per capita production of wheat up to the figures of 1860—what a harvest there would be of the golden grain in Georgia and the Carolinas!"
"It can be done. It should be done."
"The farmers of these States should return to wheat production. Their every interest demands it. If they wish to make cotton a strictly money crop rather than a purely exchange crop, they must grow wheat enough at least to make all the flour needed on their farms and plantations."
"The first essential is to break the land deep and harrow till not a clod is left on the tract. This will give a seed bed of the best seed and fertilizer."
"Get the best seed. Plant, if possible, with an approved drill. Experience has proved that it is better to drill than to broadcast wheat."
"To prevent smut, soak the seed twelve hours in a solution of blue-stone. Dissolve one pound of blue-stone in twenty-four gallons of water. The strength of the solution to cover the seed. Spread out in the shade so they may dry and be ready to plant."
"It is conceded that the blue-stone variety of wheat is the best to date."
"Next to a thorough preparation of the soil and the best seed, stands the fertilizer adapted to the wants of the plants. Fertilize liberally!"

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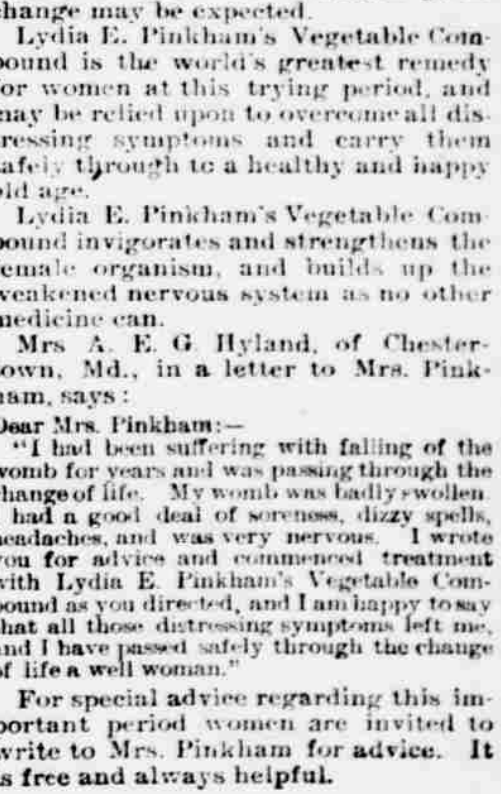
Mr. Joyler—Ah, believe me, I love no one in all the world but you.
Miss Bright—There isn't a man living who can truthfully say, "I love no one in all the world but you."
Mrs. Joyler—There isn't!
Miss Bright—No; unless he's talking to himself.

THE CHANGE OF LIFE

INTELLIGENT WOMEN PREPARE

Dangers and Pain of This Critical Period Avoided by the Use of Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound.

How many women realize that the most critical period in a woman's existence is the change of life? It is not, without anxiety felt by women as this time draws near is not, without reason?
If her system is in a deranged condition, or she is predisposed to apoplexy or congestion of any organ, it is at this time likely to become acute and, with a host of nervous irritations, make life a burden.
At this time, also, cancers and tumors are more liable to begin their destructive work. Such warning symptoms as zines, headache, dizziness, fainting, palpitation of the heart, spots and, with the eyes, irregularities, constipation, variable appetite, weakness and inequities are promptly heeded by intelligent women who are approaching the period of life when woman's greatest change may be expected.
Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound invigorates and strengthens the female organism, and builds up the weakened nervous system as no other medicine can.
Mrs. A. E. G. Hyland, of Chesterham, Md., in a letter to Mrs. Pinkham, says:
"I had been suffering with falling of the womb for years and was passing through the change of life. My womb was lumpy swollen, I had a good deal of nervous, dizzy spells, headaches, and was very nervous. I wrote you for advice and commenced treatment with Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound as you directed, and I am happy to say that all these distressing symptoms left me, and I have passed safely through the change of life a well woman."
For special advice regarding this important period women are invited to write to Mrs. Pinkham for advice. It is free and always helpful.



In Buying Drugs, Look Out for Purity

Illness is cured or prevented by proper medicine. Remedies are useless unless right, and they can't be right unless made up from fresh, pure

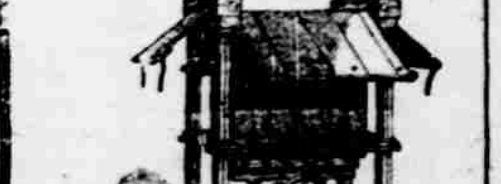
Standard Drugs.
Remember we are headquarters for Standard Drugs. And we want to fill your prescriptions at Parker's Two Drug Stores. Fresh stock of

NEW CROP FLOWER SEED.
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Cannot Keep Up With Her.

Mary had a little lamb; that time has passed away. No lamb could follow up the gait that Mary goes today. For now she rides on airshod wheels in skirts too short by half; no lamplike slumbers in airy flight, but you can see her tail. But is there one who can complain or cry in woe, "Alas!" so long as Mary's calf's all right the lamb can go to grass. So all the men delight to gaze, their joy is not a sham, for while the other critter's out they have no use for lamb.

Wigg—"Guzzler's clothes all look alike. I wonder why he always wears dark brown." Wagg—"I suppose that's his taste."



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