

## SHINGLE ROOFS THAT WILL LAST

Government Expert Gives Formula For Preserving All Classes of Wood.

APPARATUS VERY SIMPLE.

Old Boiler and Fire Form Chief Equipment—Department Will Supply Details.

Curved and warped shingles on roofs of suburban and country houses are a common but not a pleasing sight in all parts of the country, where buildings are covered with wood. Shingles warp and curl because after a wetting—and they get many—the upper side dries first. In a few years the roof leaks, decays, and must come off. Many years ago farmers made what they called their "everlasting" roofs of white pine, cedar, and black walnut shingles, free from sap, riveted with a trowel, and shaved with a drawing knife. Such shingles cannot now be had, for the fine straight grained timber necessary for their manufacture is scarce and very expensive.

### WOOD GETTING SCARCE.

Ferneric's good wood was plentiful and shingles cheap. It is time now to replace a leaky roof now, and earnest search has been mad for ways to check the warping and decay of shingles, and make the roof last longer.

The forest service has studied the shingle problem along with that of the preservation of timber products. It is found that shingles treated with creosote by a special process which the service has invented, warp but little and decay slowly because water is kept out of the tissues of the wood. One such roof will outlast two or three left in the same state to curl, spring, leak, and fall in pieces. The creosote used is nothing more than dead oil of coal tar, but it keeps water from entering the pores of the wood and renders it immune to decay for a long time.

A roof of that kind costs a little more at first, but it is cheaper in the long run. Woods which are usually classed as inferior, such as larch, cedar, pine, sycamore, and others which are quickly decaying, readily take the preservative treatment and are given a largely increased value.

### APPARATUS SIMPLE.

The preserving apparatus is neither expensive nor hard to operate. One such outfit will serve several families. The main items are an iron tank (an old engine boiler will do) with preservative fluid in it and a fire under it, and another tank of cold preservative. The shingles or other woods to be treated are immersed for a sufficient time in the hot creosote, stored in the cold. Full details of the operation are given to applicants for information from the forest service at Washington.

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### GRAND JURY WORKING.

State Inquisitors Take Interest in Dairy Products, But Maintain Secrecy.

The grand jury was in session this morning, and was exceedingly brief. The members were held in the ante-room of the council chamber.

There was nothing that the public could glean as to what was going on inside, but after adjournment, a trade publication, covering dairy products, was found lying upon the table at which the attorney had been seated.

It was the suggestion that the author of the article had been under consideration.

The magazine contained price lists prevailing throughout the country, and the probability is that comparisons had been made between the prices in the Salt Lake markets and those of other cities.

### COLORING PROCESS.

Many handsome residences in all parts of the country have their sides and gables covered with shingles. This architectural use often calls for staining or painting in harmonious colors. Such coloring is less frequently seen on roofs, where it does not last long, because rain washes it off.

The forest service has been experimenting in this field, also, and has found that stains can be carried into the shingles, along with the preservatives by the new process. The coloring matter is mixed with the creosote, reaches every fiber which the creosote touches, and lasts as long as the creosote does—and that is a long time. Such a stain does not easily weather out, whether on walls, gables, or roof. It is expected to prove much superior to the old way of staining or painting the surface only.

### NOTED BRAZILIAN HERE

Colonel Santos, Hero of Bloodless Revolutions, Stops at Salt Lake.

Colonel Zaccarias Barba dos Santos, a man of no small renown in his own land, Brazil, was a Salt Lake visitor for a few hours yesterday afternoon. Mr. Santos was his son, Zaccarias Santos, a student at Columbia. The two Brazilians are now on a pleasure trip and left last night for Los Angeles.

Col. Santos has a remarkable theory with regard to the extinction of negroes. He declares that inter-marriage would soon render the race extinct. Col. Santos speaks in high terms of Negroes. He writes to his negro personal friend, Brazil, however, is a coming republi and will soon grow to proportions that will surprise Americans. Col. Santos has taken a prominent part in the upbuilding of Brazil and his part in bloodless revolutions has gained him fame in his own country.

## There Are a Hundred Things in This Store

Which men need in their wardrobes. They are all selected with the idea that the best dressers will want them, and they are so priced that the man of moderate income can enjoy them.

## What is Cataract?

A Dangerous Disease Affecting Thousands of People.

It is an inflammation of the mucous membrane, and may affect the nose, throat, stomach, bowels, or bladder.

NASAL CATARRH is most common, often coming on so gradually that it has a firm hold before it is suspected.

Cataract is aggravated by colds, but depends on impure blood. When chronic it is liable to develop into consumption. It is therefore very serious.

The true remedy for cataract is Hood's Sarsaparilla, because it purifies the blood, and removes the cause, effecting radical and permanent cures.

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### COAL CASE ENQUIRY

Prof. Taft Called Before Master in Chancery Again Today.

Prof. Joseph A. Taft was called before the master in chancery again today to give evidence in connection with his examination of the Carbon county coal lands. He was closely questioned by John Zane of Chicago, of counsel for the defense, with regard to his examination of the land and opinions he has formed as to its geology. Maps were before the attorneys and witness and the ground thoroughly gone over.

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Roofinghouse sneak thieves are at work in Salt Lake and Chief of Police Pitt has sent out warning for proprietors of the houses to be on the lookout for the thieves and furnish the police with accurate descriptions of any persons having suspicious characters.

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### PETITION FOR PARDON

The following petitions for official clemency have been filed with the attorney-general when the board of pardons meets Dec. 2 next: Pardon, Robert E. and Charles T. Long, sentenced from Price, Oct. 19, 1906, to nine months in the state prison, for burglary in the third degree. Hyrum Moller, Ogden, Sept. 8, 1907, polygamy, one year; George Parry, Salt Lake, July 5, 1901, attempted rape 20 years; Parry—David Ross, Salt Lake, July 6, 1907, forgery, three years.

### PERSONALS.

S. C. Nash, a prominent railroad man of California is in Salt Lake for the first time since 1888. He sees signs of wonderful growth on every side.

John Birch, the architect who was associated with the late C. M. Neuhausen, has returned from Provo, where he went to complete some local work, and will open an office in this city, in company with R. C. Watkins.

John Q. Critchlow has gone to Reno, Nev., on business.

H. E. Hutchings left this morning for south Idaho on a business trip.

Mrs. Lester Wright of Rexburg has recovered from her operation at the L. D. S. hospital, and will shortly be able to return to her home.

### WARD ENTERTAINMENTS

Thirteenth Ward—The farewell entertainment, honor to Elder D. H. Thomas, son of Prof. J. T. Thomas, who will leave for a mission to the Netherlands will take place tomorrow evening at the Thirteenth ward meetinghouse on East Second South street, when an exceptionally fine program will be given by some of the best musical talents in the city. Voluntary contributions will be taken at the door. The public is cordially invited.

Twenty-first Ward—A musical entertainment under the auspices of the Sunday school will be given in the Twenty-first ward amusement hall Tuesday evening, Nov. 21. An excellent program has been arranged which the following well-known artists will take part: Master Jack Kent, Miss Ellis Ship, Poultin sisters, Miss May Alder, Miss Lillian Hudson, Miss Amy Osborne, Prof. John P. Menken, Mr. Fred C. Sanford, Mr. Alex Crawford, Mr. Charles G. Berry, Mrs. Alice C. Tuddenham, Master Charles Shepherd, Romney Mandolin and Guitar club and Walter J. Poultin.

Sugar House Ward—Next Friday evening at 8 p.m., in the Sugar ward amusement hall, a farewell testimonial will be given in honor of Elder Nephi Hodges, who leaves shortly for Great Britain to enter the missionary field. A good program will be rendered, followed by a dance. The public is invited.

THIS IS TOOTHSOME.

Molar of Supposed Extinct Animal Uncovered in Wyoming.

(Special to the "News.")

Sheridan, Wyo., Nov. 19.—While getting out sand at a gravel pit west of the city, Joe Ernest uncovered what is believed to have been the top of some animal's skull. The tooth is 1 1/2 inches, and is very heavy. It will be sent to the museum at the state university.

PHOTOS SHOW LAND

Telling Evidence Introduced in Case Against Utah Fuel Company.

The return of Prof. Taft, government geologist, to the witness chair in the taking of evidence in the civil suit of the government against the Utah Fuel company, was marked yesterday by some interesting developments.

The land claims by the fuel company and its agents to be grazing land were shown to the master in chancery and introduced in evidence by the government. With Prof. Taft were Prof. Jones and Frank Anderson, a civil engineer.

With them they brought maps of the country and taken up under their charge.

Mr. Weston, of Sioux City, Iowa, recently wrote:

"I have been suffering with backache, loss of appetite, decrease in weight, puffy condition under the eyes and in the ankles, sallow complexion, torpid life and frequent flow of urine, acidity in the urine. If any or all of these symptoms are present you should at once commence taking Warner's Safe Cure."

WARNER'S SAFE CURE is not yet in use, but it is now and will be sold by all druggists or direct at 50 CENTS and \$1.00 a BOTTLE. Refuse substitutes which contain harmful drugs and injure the system.

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sufferer from disease of the kidneys, liver, bladder and blood that WARNER'S SAFE CURE will cure, a trial bottle will be sent absolutely FREE OF CHARGE, postpaid, to any one who will write to WARNER'S SAFE CURE CO., Boston, Mass., U.S.A.

mention having seen this liberal offer in the Daily Deseret Evening News. The genuineness of this offer is fully guaranteed.

DIPHTHERIA IN TOOEE

Inspector Clark Finds Cases at Grantsville Well Handled.

The state board of health was met Monday evening at the residence of Dr. Moulton, Grantsville, Inspector Clark went out there yesterday and found the situation well cleared up.

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## WHEN G. E. PERKINS TIRED UP THE WEST

Burlington's President Had Control of the Oregon Short Line in '93.

### VAST SCHEME NOW PUBLIC.

Bostonians Were Not Big Enough to Grasp the Opportunity, Salt Lake Was Strategic Point.

HARRIMAN VS. HILL.

As the Burlington system developed by Mr. Harriman through territories it traversed, Kuhn, Loeb & Co. and Mr. Harriman decided what they would like to add to it to their new possessions. Mr. Perkins was approached upon the matter but he decided it would be better to let the road go to builders rather than to speculators, as the New York crowd was regarding it. J. J. Hill had built up the Great Northern and the Northern Pacific, wanted the Burlington; it brought the lumber of the northwest, the cotton of the south, and the commerce of China and Japan to the doors of Chicago, St. Louis and Denver and offered him control of a vast rich portion of the United States.

### HILL FINALLY WINS.

Negotiations followed and finally the central of the Burlington passed into the hands of J. J. Hill, backed by Pierpont Morgan. Mr. Perkins insisted that the Northern Pacific and Great Northern should each give \$100 bonds, 4 per cent, guaranteed jointly by the two railroads, for each \$100 worth of Burlington stock. This made the Burlington an open market for cash under this arrangement and in this way the hundreds of stockholders, including widows and orphans, got cash, 100 per cent increase and 8 per cent on their holdings. This step to protect the helpless stockholders was a great kindness. When he himself was put into the stock market he did not know for the great part—and they received the benefits. So sometimes running through the cold formalities of big financial debts is a strain of sentiment and nobility. These incidents become less frequent when such men as Charles E. Perkins die.

### SALT LAKE THE CENTER.

Mr. Perkins jumped in quietly and secured the valley right of way from Bridgeport to Guernsey and with his law office at the latter point he was only miles from the Great Northern where connection with San Francisco was possible with the Central Pacific, the an independent road. Mr. Perkins then sat back in his chair and smiled. He had the prettiest kind of protection from attack from the Union Pacific; for he knew that road tried any aggressive tactics to hold the Burlington could and would have built into Salt Lake and formed an alliance with the Central Pacific and in this way tied up the west. Mr. Perkins told his plan to the chairman of the board of directors then a Boston man, and the directors gave the dough head full power to do whatever he chose to do. He then took up the responsibility themselves.

It does not need much thought to see how this affair mapped out the policy of the future Harriman lines in the west. It was really the first chapter in the west's history and this story, told by Col. H. B. Scott, one of the original big men and Mr. Perkins' right hand man, makes known for the first time some mighty significant items of early days.

### AN OPPORTUNITY PASSED.

But half has not been told yet. Mr. Perkins carried his protective policy to the limit. Boston directors of the Burlington were getting good results and appeared satisfied to leave well enough alone. Mr. Perkins was a great man, a big, broad man as his associates were different; when opportunities knock at the doors of great men they do not knock unheeded. Opportunity knocked for Mr. Perkins and he was a man of means. The financial trouble of 1893-95 when the Oregon Short Line was in the hands of receivers, Mr. Perkins and a few friends gathered up bonds, then selling at half-rock. The Oregon Short Line, in controlling the O. R. & N. had a line from Ogden to Portland. When he had an opportunity offered him to his board of directors. He showed how the Burlington could have a line to Salt Lake and from there to Portland and by this

### FIRE CENTURIES OLD.

Surveyors Discover Burning Ledge Coal in Four Horse.

(Special to the "News.")

Gillette, Wyo., Nov. 19.—Cyrus Bushell, while surveying recently in the Four Horse country, came upon a burning ledge of coal. This fire has been in progress for more than a hundred years. More than a third of a century ago pioneers here asked the Indians how long the fire had been burning.

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