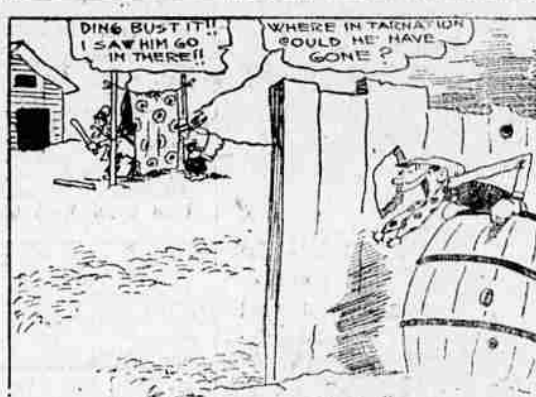
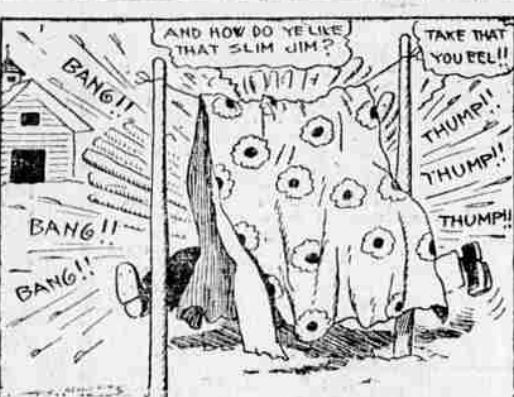
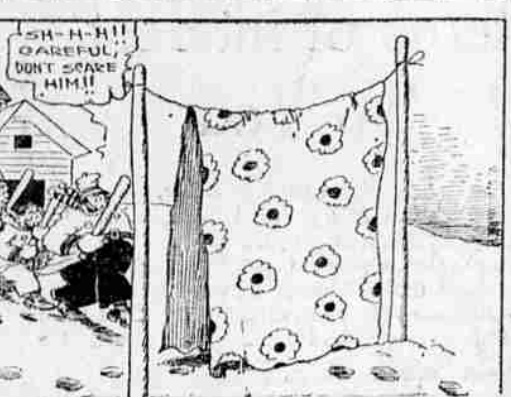
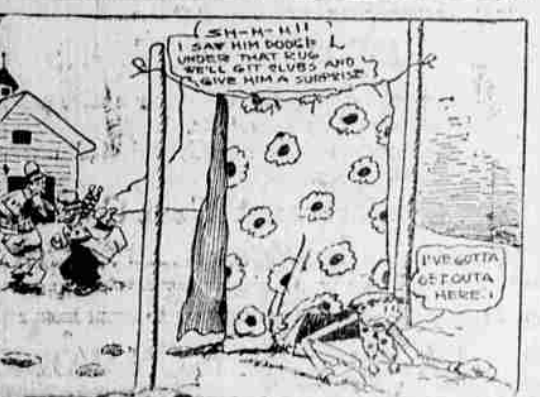
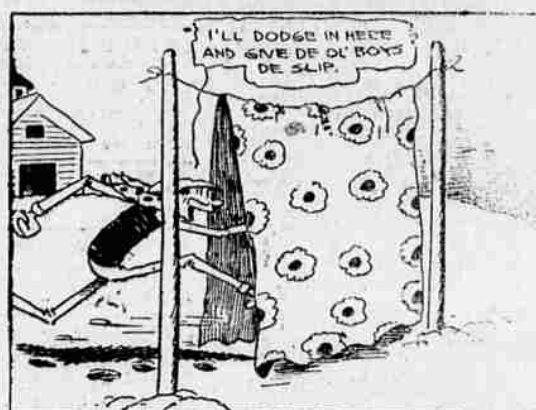
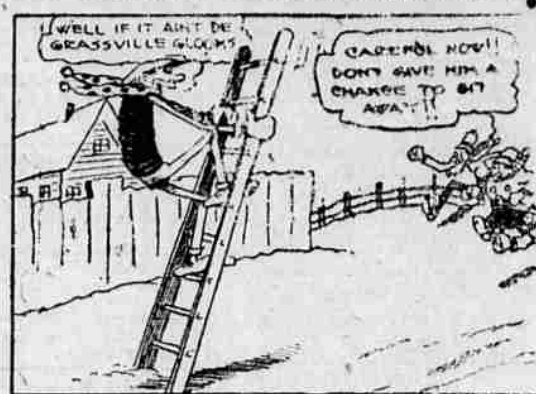
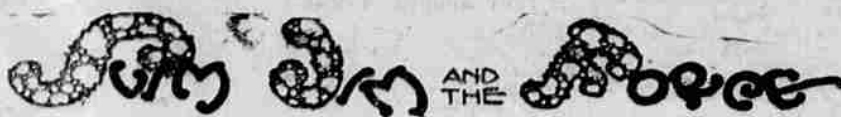




BEARS MENACE SHEEP AT PARK

THE PARK, Apr. 26.—The "Pack" again covered with snow, but it is melting away, and the sun is shining brightly. This snow is only a reminder that we must remember it's April as yet.

A. J. Vanderventer was at the Springs on business.

John Lay transacted some business at the store of Medical.

Joseph Lay and nearly all his family are having a spell of cold this week, but none are seriously ill.

Bob Wauker of Big Creek reports that he is nearly through with his crop. He is now breaking soil with his tractor.

The young folks of the Park report a nice time at the last dance over on Big Creek.

Clarence Vanorder is getting along fine with his plowing which will soon be done, and will start drilling in a few days.

Joseph Lay started drilling this week.

Kenneth Vanorder is contemplating putting in a large patch of potatoes. The fall wheat is showing wonderfully on the old Hubble place, which Clarence Vanorder has leased.

Lola Wigglesworth reports all in excellent trim over on Raymo Flat. Frank, her husband, is nearly done with his spring work.

Jack Haley went to High Valley last week reporting the little valley in tip-top condition, most all work done for the spring.

L. J. Foster is recuperating fast from his recent illness.

Ed Gillespie is busy at his spring work.

Roy Jones has a little more plowing to do which he expects to have done in a few days.

Grange Grass Thriving.

Two cattlemen were up the creek looking over the condition of the range for their cattle. They report the grasses in better shape than last year at this time.

The little school down on the creek is well attended and Fred Haller, deputy assessor, is making the rounds assessing property of the district. He had dinner with Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Vanorder Friday.

Miss Ida Hunter reports that L. E. Ingram came home from North Powder, where he has a contract for logging, stating that logging and lumbering will be an active industry in that locality this summer.

Urania Hunter didn't go to La Grande as she intended on account of her mother, Mrs. Ida Hunter, being on the sick list, but she is much better at this writing.

Deer Seen.

Numerous deer are to be seen up along the North Fork, above Little Elk creek on the side hill leading northeast. Two does are seen now, many of them with nice little spotted fawns by their sides, while the

bucks are over on the alert with ears standing, watching for expectant fawns. Coyotes are not so numerous in this locality as heretofore. Cougars also are diminishing. The only animal of any consequence is the bear. We have quite a number of black and cinnamon bears. The bear is not so apprehended by the deer, but is a great sheep destroyer. A cougar will very seldom kill more than one sheep at a time. He generally selects one that it can carry well, seize it by the neck and "flip" it backwards onto his back and shoulders and away he'll run. A coyote very seldom kills more than two sheep at one time. He is such a coward that he very seldom gets into the bunch, always cuts one or two sheep from the land. But, Mr. Brain seems to delight in walking through a band of sheep and slapping right and left, killing a sheep every slap. Two years ago one bear killed forty sheep in one band up on Buck creek, while the herder was eating his dinner. Dave Willis and Jack Hunter killed five of them in three days last summer. There is a good field here for the lover of bear hunting and now is the time to begin.

Indigestion and Constipation.

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At this distance, the only way to judge the European situation is by the length of time between ultimatums.

When a tire blows out the whole neighborhood sticks its head out of the windows.

PROMISE SOCIAL NEWS OF NOTE

PROMISE, Apr. 26.—Rev. M. L. Petelle preached at Promise Thursday night and intends to hold meetings every Thursday night until May. Born to Mr. and Mrs. Charles Carper, Sunday, April 22, a baby girl.

A. E. Carper and family, Misses Eriola, Scott, Nora, Bennett, Mabel, Thompson and Loch Carper, David Garrett, Henry Carper, Howard Bennett, Theodore Carper and Ray Carper, practiced songs at J. K. Carper's Sunday afternoon.

G. S. Trump bought the U. R. Henderson place on Grosdman and moved his family there the last of the week.

Celia Trump is very ill this week.

Lewis Newby and family visited at J. K. Carper's Thursday.

Roy Henderson spent Saturday night with the Charles Carper boys, William Reed and family called on Lewis Newby and family Sunday.

The Young Men's Class met at L. M. Flesman's Saturday to practice a song.

W. W. Carper and family visited at Jesse Barrett's Sunday.

J. M. Flesman and family called on Mrs. J. O. Swearingen, who is very ill.

David Garrett visited with Henry Carper Saturday night.

B. E. Carper and U. R. Henderson bought Green Trump's place in Promise. Mr. Carper intends to build on his part but Mr. Henderson is only using his for pasture and farming.

Jarrett Kenworthy visited at the home of B. E. Thompson Sunday.

Miss Doris Footberg visited with Mabel Thompson Sunday night.

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