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A LITTLE OF EVERYTHING

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The alleged heirs of the late Russell Sage are becoming almost as numerous as the "original Florida sextet."

Scientists declare that the Arctic region will extend until they annihilate our civilization. In other words if we do not get the north pole it will come to us.

According to a recent report from Dr. Yeazey, secretary of the State Board of Health, there were 123 cases of typhoid fever, with fifteen deaths, in the state during the month of August. This is the highest record for any one month except during the epidemic at Eugene. This is said to be due to the contamination of water which is used in many communities throughout the state.

The fossilized skeleton of a giant horse has been discovered in the big Sweetwater divide fossil beds by archaeologists. The discovery overthrows the exploited theory that the horse was evolved from a small, five-toed animal, the remains of which are found in the Wyoming fossil beds. This skeleton is thirty feet long and fully as tall, and in an excellent state of preservation. The giant horse was an herbivorous animal and its jawbone displays powerful grinders, which are but little decayed.

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Klamath County News.

General Manager Abbott springing a pleasant surprise on this city last Sunday, when he re-established, without any blowing of trumpets or previous announcements, the Sunday train service between Eugene and The Dalles. The first intimation of this move was when the stage rolled up to the post office and dropped off the mail sacks. Soon the word spread that the "mail was in," and while the usual rush was not present, a large number availed themselves of the opportunity to get their mail many hours ahead of time.

H. H. Collahan, who resided near Burns, died at his home at 10 o'clock Tuesday afternoon. Death was due to the injuries he received a few weeks ago, when he had his hip broken by a fractious horse. At first it was supposed that it would not result seriously; but time and medical attention brought no relief and he suffered untold agonies for a week prior to his death. Mr. Collahan was about thirty-five years of age and has resided in this county most of his life. He had extensive interests near Bonanza, and has always been noted for his progressiveness and public spirit. He is survived by his wife and two children, two brothers and several sisters.

With hardly a word of forewarning work on the second unit of the great government canal was begun Monday. Ever since the date set for the opening of bids for this section of the irrigation system, that is to reclaim this vast expanse of arid lands, Project Engineer Murphy and his assistant, Mr. Humphrey, have been laboring assiduously to start this great undertaking, which is to be carried on under their supervision and by the government itself, instead of by contractors. Embankment of this second unit are in sixteen miles of main canal and twenty-seven miles of laterals. The main canal begins at a point in section nine, township 39 south, range 10 east, near the Short ranch, and will run via Olga to a point two miles north of Merrill. It will cross Lost river by means of an inverted concrete siphon 300 feet in length and six feet in diameter. The Poe valley canals are classed as laterals and are embraced in the twenty-seven miles to be constructed.

BIRTH OF THE MOON
LUNA WAS FLUNG OUT OF THE EARTH INTO SPACE.

The Once Filled. Perhaps, the Great Basin Now Occupied by the Pacific Ocean—Latest Ideas of Science as to Conditions on Our Satellite.

Millions of years ago the earth was not the land bound, sea swept globe so familiar to us, but a liquid mass which floated crust some thirty-five miles thick. At that period, says the Strand Magazine, it turned on its axis at a constantly increasing speed that finally shortened the day to three hours. When that terrific velocity was obtained 5,000 cubic million miles of matter were hurled off by the enormous centrifugal force, and our moon was born. The cleaving of so large a body must have left some scar on the earth's surface. It has accordingly been suggested that the great basin now occupied by the Pacific ocean was once filled by what is now the moon.

Our moon has the distinction of being the largest of all planetary satellites—so large, indeed, that to the inhabitants of Mars it must appear with the earth as a wonderfully beautiful twin planet.

Because the moon rotates on its axis in exactly the same time that it revolves around the earth we are destined to see little more than one hazy sphere. So slow is this rotation that the lunar day is equal to fifteen of our days. For half a month the moon is exposed to the fierce heat of the sun; for half a month it spins through space in the densest gloom.

Smaller in mass than the earth is, the moon's attraction for bodies must be correspondingly less. A good terrestrial athlete could cover about 125 feet on the moon in a running broad jump, and leaping over a barn would be a very commonplace feat. A man in the moon could carry six times as much and run six times as fast as he could on the earth.

Although separated from us by a distance that at times reaches 253,000 miles and is never less than 229,000 miles, we know more of the physical formation of the single pallid face that the moon ever turns toward us than we know of certain parts of Asia and the heart of Africa. Powerful telescopes have brought our satellite within a distance of forty miles of the earth. Physicists have mathematically weighed it and fixed its mass at one-eighth of the earth, or 73,000,000,000,000 tons.

The moon presents aspects without any terrestrial parallel. Rent by fires long since dead, its honeycombed crust seems like a great globe of chilled slag. Craters are not uncommon on the earth, but in number, size and structure they bear for the most part little resemblance to those of the moon.

A lunar crater is not the mouth of a volcano having a diameter of a few hundred feet. But a great circular plain twenty, fifty, even a hundred miles in diameter, surrounded by a precipitous rim to a height of 5,000 or 10,000 feet, with a central hill or two-above-half as high.

Water cannot possibly exist as a liquid, for the temperature of the moon's surface during the long lunar night is probably not far from 400 degrees below the zero mark of a Fahrenheit thermometer, and the atmospheric pressure is so low that a gas under pressure would solidify as it escaped. Ice and snow are the forms, then, which lunar water must assume.

Because of the present paucity of water, the moon's atmosphere is so exceedingly rare that startling effects are produced. Perhaps the most striking is that of the sunrise. Dawn and the soft golden glow that ushers in terrestrial day there cannot be. The sun leaps from the horizon a flaming sickle, and the loftier peaks immediately flash into light.

There is no atmosphere to reflect the incandescent effects of lanky black shadows and dazzling white expanses. The sun gleams in fierce splendor, with no clouds to diffuse its blinding light. All day long it is accompanied by the weird zodiacal light that we behold at rare intervals.

Even in midday the heavens are pitch black, so that, despite the sunlight, the stars and planets gleam with a brightness that they never exhibit to us even on the clearest of moonless nights at sea. They shine steadily, too, for it is the earth's atmosphere that causes them to twinkle to our eyes.

In the line of sight it is impossible to estimate distances, for there is no such phenomenon as aerial perspective. Objects are seen only when the rays of the sun strike them.

At times there may be observed spots which darken after sunrise and gradually disappear toward sunset. They cannot be caused by shadows, for shadows would be least visible when the sun is directly overhead.

They appear most quickly at the equator and invade the higher altitudes after a lapse of a few days. In the polar regions they have never been seen. What are they? Organic life resembling vegetation, answers Professor Pickering of Harvard university, vegetation that flourishes luxuriantly while the sun shines and withers at night.

A single day, it may be urged, is not sufficiently long for the development and decay of vegetation, but sixteen hours on the moon is little more than half an hour on the earth; a day lasts half a month and may be regarded as a miniature season.

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English Trains on Time.
The public service rendered by the British railway lines, the convenience to the traveler and the shipper, is far in excess of anything to be found in this country. The British isles are absurdly small when compared with our vast areas, and this of course simplifies the operating problems. There are no snowdrifts to delay schedules, no sections of crudely built track awaiting perfection, and the locomotives are never far from their home shops. Yet even with allowance for these advantages both freight and passenger traffic are habitually handled with a regularity and certainty that deserve the highest degree of praise. In any large terminal in England the number of passenger trains that arrive either exactly on time or a minute or two ahead is far greater than that of trains even the least overdue. Five minutes is usually a safe margin for an important connection. At Finsbury Park, a suburban station just outside London, trains pass on an average of one every two minutes night and day, yet this tremendous traffic is handled with clocklike precision.—Ray Morris in Atlantic.

Queer Russian Ways.
If you drive through a Russian village about 10 p. m. you will be struck by the absolute quiet that pervades the scene. Not a creature, man or dog, is visible moving about. The place has the air of a deserted village. Suppose by some rare untoward chance you come upon a group of men standing together, apparently in conversation, you will notice that they speak in subdued tones, and, wait so long as you please, you will never hear them laugh. The cause is simply this: These Russian peasants believe in evil spirits; but, unlike the Chinese, they believe that they are attracted, not frightened, by sounds. And so if some unlucky fate decrees that the moujik be out of doors after 11 p. m. he is a painfully silent man. This feeling also extends to some of the southern towns. Kiev, the holy city of Russia, is a model in this respect. After 10 p. m. you may practically have the streets to yourself.—Blackwood's Magazine.

Where He Was.
"To what do you attribute your good health?"
"To regular habits and early retirement."
"Then you have been so situated that you could carry out these excellent rules for the preservation of the health?"
"Oh, yes. I was in the Illinois penitentiary for twenty-three years."—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

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Percy—I am tired of this life of ease I want a life of toil, danger, excitement and adventure!
"Oh, this is so sudden! But you may ask papa."—Life.

Timber Land Act, June 8, 1878.
NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.

United States Land Office,
Eugene, Oregon, September 22, 1897.

Notice is hereby given that in compliance with the provisions of the act of Congress of June 8, 1878, entitled "An act for the sale of timber lands in the states of California, Oregon, Nevada, and Washington Territory," as extended to all the Public Land States by act of August 4, 1892.

W. R. ELLIEN M. SILSBY,
of Ashland county of Jackson, state of Oregon, has this day filed in this office on August 25, 1897, his sworn statement No. 1087 for the purchase of the W. 1/2 of Section 21, 22, 23, 24 and SW 1/4 of NW 1/4 of Section No. 2, in Township 38 S. Range 12 E. of the Willamette Meridian, Oregon, on Tuesday the 11th day of December, 1897.

She names as witnesses: George King and Charles King, both of Medford, Oregon; John Shady, of Ashland, Oregon; William S. Ye, of Prospect, Oregon.

Any and all persons claiming adversely the above-described lands are requested to file their claims in this office on or before said 11th day of December, 1897.

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