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LOCAL BREVITIES

C. B. Hodgkins of the Independence Creamery was here for the week end. Mr. Hodgkins had the recent experience of eating dinner in the house where his mother was born, in the Waldo Hills country near Silverton.

Mrs. O. A. Kreamer was a guest at a banquet given for the state officers of the Macabees in Salem last Saturday night.

Mr. and Mrs. J. G. McIntosh had as dinner guests Sunday Mrs. Susan Jones and daughters, Katharyn and Grace and Blair Stuart of Corvallis and Mr. and Mrs. J. N. Jones and daughter Helen.

Verd Hill was seeing the sights in the Capital City Monday.

Frank Miller, Elmer Davis and Jake Fetzer went to Tillamook to try their fishing luck last week end. For reasons best known to the boys they didn't reach home as early as they expected.

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HANDICAP WAS TOO GREAT

Expert Golfer Couldn't Stand Strain of Uncertainty as to Movement of Turtle.

The members of a Long Island golf club are still talking about a recent handicap match in which the club duffer defeated one of the two-stroke handicap men.

The usual handicap the duffer receives from the expert is a stroke a hole on all holes under 500 yards and two strokes on two holes that exceed 500. While they were arranging this match at the first tee several caddies were observed playing with a turtle. That gave the duffer an idea.

"I'll play you even," he told that expert, "if you'll drive off every tee from that turtle's back."

"Agreed," said the expert. He took an unusually long time to address the ball on the first tee, and just as he was about to drive the turtle poked its head out. The result was a slice into the rough. After that the turtle lapsed into somnolent indifference, making as steady and dependable a tee as terra firma, but a constant fear that the turtle would move kept the crack golfer on edge and hurried his stroke. The turtle's back didn't have even a scratch at the end of the match, and the caddies let him waddle off into the tall grass.

But the duffer won.—New York Sun.

AT THE RESORT.

Miss Gushins—How perfectly delicious these woodland breezes are.

Mr. Townley (very matter-of-fact)—Yes; sometimes they seem almost as satisfactory as an electric fan.—Buffalo Transcript.

TRAIN PASSES OVER GIRL

Miss Schnupp Was Not Hurt Bodily But Was Unnerved.

Miss Agnes Schnupp, twenty-two years old, of Jeannette, Pa., apparently failing to hear the approach of a fast passenger train, started to walk along the Pennsylvania railroad near the Jeannette station.

Blinded by the glare of the headlight of the engine, Miss Schnupp stood still for a moment as the big engine bore down on her. Then she threw herself between the tracks and the train passed over her.

Scores of persons standing on the station platform thought the young woman had been killed as she dropped in front of the train. Miss Schnupp, however, while unnerved, was able to walk to her home where it was found she had suffered no injury.

ODD "CURES" FOR SICKNESS

Bed of Old Cinders Believed Efficacious in Greece—Preposterous Remedy for the Colic.

When a Greek baby is sick and all other remedies fail, a bed of cold cinders is very generally used as a last resort. The cradle is filled with old ashes and the infant is buried in them. The American nurses have never been able to discover what the benefit to be derived from this curious custom was supposed to be.

The cure for colic is even more curious. When the baby has a severe colic the ponds in the environs of the house are diligently searched by members of the family and all the frogs are captured. These are placed alive on the child's abdomen. It is a very tiresome treatment, as someone must sit and keep the frogs from hopping off the patient. No thought is given to the terror these jumping frogs may have for the child.

Among the gypsies that wander over the Balkans the work of the Red Cross nurses is more difficult. It will take years of preparation and education to enable them merely to begin to understand the idea of child welfare.

SHOULD DIVIDE TASKS.

Jud Tunkins says it doesn't seem sensible for a man to keep so busy mowing the lawn that he can't get time to shave himself.



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