

AN INDIAN'S TEST.

How He Discovered That a White Man Was a Coward. "The Indian has a queer way of determining whether or not a man is game, judging from an experience I had some years ago," said a man who once made an educational tour of the west...

FREEZING CAVERNS.

Subterranean Caves That Are Lined With Crystalline Ice. There are deep cavities and tunneled recesses in the earth far away from sunlight and held in the tight embrace of rocky strata where secret hoards of glittering ice find habitation all the year round...

COVERED DISHES.

The Reason They Were Introduced During the Middle Ages. From the days when our ancestors took their food in their hands and ate it with as little ceremony as a dog gnaws a bone to the present time of elaborate dinners is a long step...

THE NEW WOMAN.



Mrs. Emma Mitchell, 520 Louisiana street, Indianapolis, Ind., writes: "For the past five years I have rarely been without pain, but Peruna has changed all this, and in a very short time, I think I had taken only two bottles before I began to recuperate very quickly..."

Excursion Rates to Yaquina Bay.

On June 1st the Southern Pacific Co will resume sale of excursion tickets to Newport and Yaquina Bay. This resort is becoming more popular every year, and hotel accommodations are better than ever before...

You Can Save Money

By taking advantage of the cheap rates offered by "The Northwestern Line" Chicago and return... St. Paul and Minneapolis and return...

Virulent Cancer Cured.

Startling proof of a wonderful advance in medicine is given by druggist W. R. Lewis of Elizabeth, W. Va. An old man there had long suffered with what good doctors pronounced incurable cancer...

SUMMONS.

In the Circuit Court of the State of Oregon, for Clackamas county, John Weismann, plaintiff vs. Louisiana Phelps, Frank O. Phelps and Martha Ann Phelps and Alice Patterson, defendants...

Wanted.

To teach battenberg, renaissance and point lace, also Mountmelick embroidery or take orders for work. Correspondence work for waiters and clerks solicited.

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Mythical Creatures of Japan.

The Japanese believe in more mythical creatures than any other people on the globe, civilized or savage. Among them are mythical animals without any remarkable peculiarities of conformation, but gifted with supernatural attributes...

Barry the Pervasive.

It was said of Barry, the player, that he had a voice which might lure a bird from a tree and at the same time an address and manner the most prepossessing and conciliating. The Dublin theater of which he was proprietor failed, and he was considerably indebted to his actors, musicians, etc. Among others, the master carpenter called at Barry's house and was clamorous in demanding his money...

Wanted a Pumpkin.

The Courier will pay \$5 for the biggest and best developed pumpkin raised in Clackamas county this year. Who wants the money?

GIRL WANTED.

Good respectful girl to do housework. Enquire at John Schram.

LEGAL NOTICES

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INDIVIDUALS MONEY TO Loan to

at 6 per cent and 7 per cent on land or chattels. JOHN W. LORER, attorney-at-law, Oregon City.

No Small Matter.

Mrs. Casey-Shure, an' when we moved it tuk 'ree furn'ure wagons. Mrs. Clancy-Huh! It tuk 'ree deputy sherriffs to move us.--Kansas City Independent.

Filthy Temples in India.

Sacred cows often defile Indian temples, but worse yet is a body that's polluted by constipation. Don't permit it. Cleanse your system with Dr. King's New Life Pills and avoid untold misery. They give lively livers, active bowels, good digestion, fine appetite. Only 25c at Geo. A. Harding's drug store.

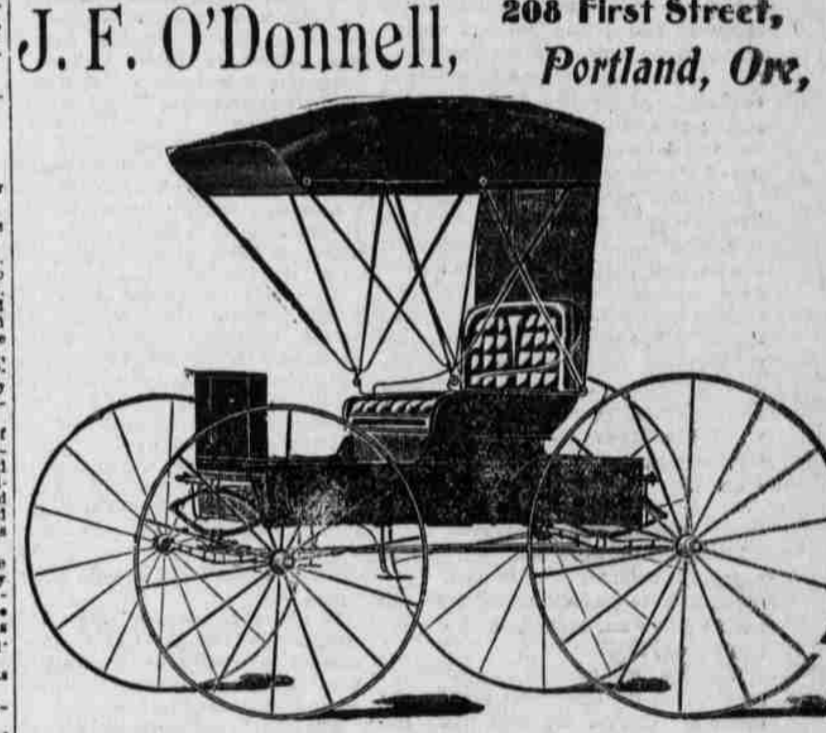
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PICKINGS FROM FICTION.

It's never too late to laugh.--"Sons of the Morning." The next best thing to a somebody is a nobody in a good set.--"A Study in Temptations." In life, as well as racing, all the worst accidents happen at little ditches and cut down fences.--"Plain Tales From the Hills." One's parents are a necessity, one's grandparents an ornament and one's husband's parents a nuisance.--"A Double Thread." The truest philosophy is not to long for anything in particular, but to accept everything as it comes and find out the reason of its coming.--"A Romance of Two Worlds." Gln any man has sse muckle land that he disna ken the folk that sow an' reap it, then a'm' judgin' that he's ower muckle for the guid o' the commonweath.--"The Days of Auld Lang Syne." His religion was of the kind that is carried into everyday life, "not a cloak to be thrown around the soul begrimed vestments of staidy business life to hide them on Sunday."--"Richard Hume." Cellulose absorbs water and by its swelling provides the softest possible obstruction. On account of its low specific gravity, less than that of cork, it is valuable for life belts and may be used in large quantities to keep a seriously damaged ship afloat. Cellulose compressed and packed in the cofferdam of a ship, to form a leak belt, does not emit any unpleasant odor and does not decay for two or three years. When penetrated by a projectile it is not ignited and does not give off any disagreeable smoke, possessing in this respect a great advantage over rubber armor. If dry, loose cellulose be ignited, it gives out white smoke.

Highly Recommended.

It was fair time in Selkirk, and Sandy and his sweetheart were wandering round, arm in arm, enjoying the sight. Presently they espied a smart looking pie shop, which they promptly entered. Sandy ordered one pie, sat down and commenced to eat it. Meanwhile the girl looked shyly on. "Is't fine, Sandy?" she timidly asked. "Aye, 'tis awfu' fine, Jeanie," he answered. "Ye should buy one!"--Glasgow Times.

When the Moon Had a Bad Effect.

Your grandmother or veteran aunt can tell you that when boys were killed in the wrong time of the moon the alces of ham would shrivel up more than half and fitch would all fry away, leaving only small cracklings. Apples or any kind of fruit dried in the wrong time was certain to mold or become wormy and elder vinegar to refuse to become sharp.

An Illustration.

He--What would you call a "polite fiction?" She--Why, if I should say to you, "Really, Mr. Jones, I hope you are not thinking of going so soon?"--Judge.

Spades and a Club.

Mike (teaching Pat poker)--Well, what hev ye got? Pat--Four trowels and a black sham-rock.--Puck.

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