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SILETZ INDIAN RESERVATION.

BENTON Co. OR., Nov. 6, 1882.

Editors Democrat DEAR SIRS :- Wednesday evening, 3:30 o'clock, we were visited by a fearful fire, consuming the large three story bearding house, chapel and commissary. The loss of property is considerable, the government stores and much of the furniture, bedding, etc., is saved. As soor as it was ascertained the fire could not be arrested, everybody worked with vim and purpose. To the Indians is due much praise. Miss Doty who had charge of the culinary department looses heavily of clothing, etc., and Mrs. Taft, matron, coses considerable. It is a calamity ipon us. We were at supper when we were aroused by the wild screams of the children-44 in number in the boarding house, we went out on front porch and discovered the flames and smoke issuing from the roof near the chinney. A few moments were spent in the most strenuous efforts to arrest the flames. Soon the whole building was wrapped in the deveuring flames, and caught to the chapel, then the commissary. By the greatest exertion the house we live in was saved. Our bedding and plunder was moved out and such a mixture and mess of things as we had on the grounds. Our damage was considerable. It was raining quite hard most of the time. Mrs. W. preved herself an heroineindeed praise is due to all. The childrens' clothes were mostly lost. But they were all saved and nobody serious-ATTORNEYS AT LAW. ly hurt. We expect to continue the school but our preaching and evangelizing arrangements are seriously interfered with for the present. We are at a point in life when we can bring our rescue, our faith in God and the

> Respectfully, T. B. WHITE,

SWEET HOME ITEMS.

consulations of religion. My health

is improving somewhat.

The Sweet Home debating society Grange hall and re-organized. Mr. L. Lubker was elected chairman. The TTORNEY AT LAW, question for debate at the next meeting of the society is, Resolved, that women should not vote. The subject is one in which the ladies are not a little concerned at present, and no doubt the

> been very sick, but at present is better. Mrs. J. Putman , has been quite sick of them.'

The surprise party mania has reached Sweet Home, and social dances are very frequent occurrences, too frequent, ones especially.

Some of the jolly boys of this valley "Auntle, did it pop ?" thought they would tone up a little last Sunday. They called at J. Donaea's store and procured four bottles of Dr. Henley's IXL bitters and commenced sampling. The actions of the

Dr. H's compound, Joseph Nixon, of Lebanon, left this place this morning with Mrs. J. Roselle and Mr. John Pickens. The lady and Mr. P. go under arrest to appear before the bar of justice at Lebanon.

Mr. Al. Schwrtz came down from

Fish Lake yesterday; he reports considerable snow in the mountains.

OBSEMER.

Bonnat, the famous Freuch painter, blacking brush. is a solid and muscular man, with the Basques. He is neither a wit nor a bird; something like a brilliant talker, but is esteemed as a 'Could it fly ?" "Yes." true friend and an excellent and amia- have wings ?" "Yes." looks as if being socially victimized for my dinner." agreed with him. He has an elegant studio, the walls adorned with tapestry faiences, a mantel in his own bust, by Chapu, between massive silver and gold candelabra. To the right is a dais cova chair upholstered with blue velvet. Hugo, Grevy, and French statesmen gon. and American millionaires ianumerable to have their counterfeit presentments

The fit. Louis Globe-Democrat says : Mr. Charles Reis, No. 1611 Second Carandelet avenue, this city, was cured by St. Jacobs Oil after sixteen Oblidien and Lalies' Hair neatly ou years' suffering with rheumatism.

HUMOROUS MATFERS.

Never allow the fact to escape your notice that when the Lord made man he made two ears but ealy one

Sleep walking used to be considered a strange thing, but, since policemen de it and draw pay for it at the same time, the novelty has worn

Upon a writer claiming that his works centained much "foed thought," a friend remarked : "That dry, discharging no water till the sun may be se; but it is wretchedly cook-

A north-country fishwife went to

colors for me," she said at once to the or of sound. "No matter how loud one man at the counter : "give me plain red and yaller." You never knew how much water an umbrella is capable of containing

against and on the pearl carpet that cost \$5 per yard. "Harry, you ought not to throw away nice bread like that ; you may want it some day." "Well, mother,

until you accidentally stand it up

should 1 stand any better chance of getting it then, if I ate now." An officer in battle happening to bow, a cannon ball passed over his head, and took off the head of a seldier, who stood behind him, "You see," said he, "that a man never

loses by politeness." An agricultural fair is a horse race, with the exception of an address on farming that is made by the lawyer who gets his work in as a political candidate, though he knows nothing

about the farm. A medical man once told Voltaire that he had made one of his characters live too long after receiving a certain would. "True," replied the wit, "but you should recollect he was not attended by a physician."

A lady put her watch under he pillow the other night, but couldn't keep it there, because it disturbed her sleep. And there all the time was her bed ticking right under her, and she never thought of it at all.

met last Saturday evening at the asked what he thought of his two air a distance of fifteen feet. Subse better show in his shop window than | well, among which was one two fee

negative of the question will be ably he dropped them. In answer to his and still continues to rise. The farm mother, who asked, "Did you break is fast becoming covered with Mrs. Kirkendaul of this place has any ?" "No, I didn't break any; and quicksand. It is feared the build but the shells came off from some ings will have to be removed.

A small boy in Maine listened demurely to the story of Samson's tying the fire-brands to the tails of foxe and then sending them through the 'tis feared to be enjoyed by the older Phillistines' corn, at the conclusion of the narrative asked innocently,

A candidate for appointment to civil service clerkship was asked "How pear is the sun to the earth ?" "I can't exactly say," he replied, "but I am sure it isn't near young bloods soon gave everwhelming enough to interfere with my duties i evidence of the stimulating qualities of I get the appointment I want." He

A fond father beasted that h thought his son would be sure make a great sculpter. A neighbor asked, "Does he show any signs of talent for it?" "Heaps of 'em," said Mr. Ben Morris is the boss nimrod the fend father, "he 'chisels' his of the valley. He killed a fine elk schoolmates out of all their playthings."

A correspondent asks : "What time of the year do the days begin to shorten ?" When you have a note in bank. A note in bank is the great century in Barcelona. nnihilator of time. The days are crowded together in thin layers, and the nights are like a smear from a conferred the title on the Duke of

"What have you that's good?" said broad shoulders, a massive head, and a hungry traveller, as he seated himstrongly marked features. His dark self at a table d'hote at a Salt Lake hair is brushed back from a broad, high City hotel. "Oh," said the waiter, forehead, his black hair is only slightly "we've roast beef, roast mutton, roast marked with silver, and his black eyes perk and breiled curiews." "What's in a French theatre, in 1828, at the repsparkle with that vivacity peculiar to a curlew?" said the traveller. "Why, ble man. He is forced to put on full don't want any curie w. Anything who lived at the close of the fourteenth dress and appear in society every even- that had wings and could fly and did ing, the victim of his models. But he not leave this country I don't want

A WISE PAAN.

Everyone wishing to try the new remedy for biliousness and constinaered with green cloth, on which stands tion-Syrup of Figs-can obtain a trial bottle free of charge at Foshay In that chair have been seated Thiers, & Mason's Drug Store, Albany, Ore-

Knowing Syrup of Figs to be better in its effect and more pleasant to the placed on canvas by Bonnat's wonder- taste than any other remedy, the California Fig Syrup Company has adopted a wise plan to make its merits known to the people. Hodge. Davis & Co., Wholesale druggist, Portland,

One California orchard ships about

CERIOUS FACTS.

Seventeen thousand five hundred and custody in London during 1881.

An apple thirteen inches in circumference one way and fourteen inches the other way, and weiging one pound, is the boast of a gardner at Racine, Wis. A curious spring in St. Tammany

parish, La., runs clear, cold water all day long, but at sunset goes suddenly rises again. A Montana paper has discovered

buy a dress, "None of your gaudy serts, the atmosphere is a non-conductshouts, he can't be heard."

gorge in the Yellowstone where, it as

strawberries, for they think that at that | coarser particles. time little children who have died recently, go up to heaven concealed in those fruit.

was almost unknown in Paris. To the Texas in three years. southern French, who invaded France at the time of the revolution, its accli matization is due. It was a costly luxury at first, but at the end of 1803 it was sold at Les Halles (according to the Almanachs des Gourmands) by the half-dezen.

In several provincial districts based upon the fundamental principle a much larger quantity of water. of "female supremacy and male subjection." Husbands and lovers bind themselves by oath to wear whatever yoke their partners choose to place upon them, and furthermore to make unreserved confession once a week all delinquincies. A woman who been chosen by her sister rulers to ex ercise unlimited authority within community allets the penalties, which are promptly inflicted by robust and resolute matrons.

While workmen were drilling well near Crooksten, Minn., on the 7th, inst., a depth of 150 feet having been reached, water came gushing up A quaint old minister was once feroing stones and lumes of clay in the quently there appeared several spring "Well," he replied, "George has a flowing for some distance around the John, but John has a larger stock in in width, about two feet from the main well, which throws thirty barrels A little boy went to a shop for water per minute. The ground around some eggs. Before reaching home the well rose two feet in two days,

MISTORICAL.

The earliest European fairy dates in the thriteenth century.

went to Greenland in 1721. The oldest record of a fire engine in Paris is in a work published in 1684. The first Protestant Episcopal bishop

in the United States was elected in 1785. Charlemagne was crowned Emperor of Reme Christmas day, 800, by Leo

The Faroe Islands were settled by Norway pirates in the ninth century ; they became Danish in 1880.

Frederic the Great was buried in a shirt belonging to his valet, none his own being fit for the purpose.

England had no statutes against the acquirement of property under false pretences until the time of George 1. Bills of exchange, so far as records make any note of the matter, were first negotiated by law in the fourteenth

The first English were made in 1736, when George II. Argyle and the Earl of Orkney.

Franche 'Comte derived its name from its freedom from taxes and posts granted in consideration of

annual gift to the sovereign. Faus were first used by gentlemen resentation of Corisandee. The opera snipe." | gave its name to the fan.

> founded by Jan and Hubert Van Eyck, and beginning of the fifteenth century. In 1567 when the Protestants captured Nimes they began to pull down phesphoric acid and potash, these the tower of the ancient cathedral, but having been transformed to were forced to desist because many dwelling-houses leaned against its wall,

and would have fallen with it. "Winter finds out what Summer lays by." Kidney-Wort Winter and in Summer. There scarcely a person to be found who will not be greatly benefitted by a thorough course of Kidney-Wort every spring. If you cannot prepare the dry buy the liquid. It bas the

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AGRICULTARAL PTERS.

Farmyard manure will contain forty-five stray dogs were taken into frem sixty five to eighty per cent. of

> Of the 600,000 tons of fertilizers sold annually in the United States, Baltimore furnishes ene-third, o

Hay contains a much larger properreal crops, and a much smaller amous t of phosphoric acid.

The Fall is as good a time to plant compositions were a curiosity, boyish, fruit trees as any other, provided the visionary. Nearly every boy wanted trees are protected from swaying by the wind until their roots are set.

Top dressing should be evenly their for I was not one of the number. spread over the surface of the ground, I had just enough sense to say that I Some bereaved German mothers cat To secure this result it must be first wanted to be a man, and then I could St. John's Day, abstain from eating sufficiently fermented to destroy the tell better what business I would like

The Texas Wool Grover expresses opinion that a ram shearing thirtyave pounds in Vermont would proba-In 1770, or thereabouts, the tomate bly shrink to twenty-five pounds in hands, that it is a fertune itself to spend

Between the years 1970 and 1880 there has been a large increase in farms of twenty acres or less in the This beginning work at six o'clock and Eastern States ; but, in the West, the continuing at it until nine or ten at tendency is still to large farms.

Both the solid and liquid excrements of the sheep are far drier, and therefore more concentrated, than Finland a religious sect has appeared, these of the ex, whose food includes

> The Kansas Post says that it looks new as though the local ranchmen will weak, tired out back of his help. All have to fence or go without grass in the future, as every available spot is being occupied by new herds.

> however, it is not safe to plant large- or four hours belonging to themselves ly that erop which has not previously before them; but instead of that back been successfully grown in the vi- they must go and hang around the

> portion of carbo-hydrates largely in- often thought that I would rather be a Draining soil helps it for both night with the sound of the circus fleods and droughts. The rapid passng away of surplus water in floads leaves the soil more perous, so that it

retains moisture better in time of

drought It is not likely that good sound ap- to some evening party. The best part oles will be anywhere used as feed for stock this year, but if any unsalable specimens are found they can do better service as feed for horses than fer anything else.

Grass that has suffered from rain during hay-making will contain less soluble matter than well-made hay, and this loss will be greatly increased The first Protestant missionaries if the hay has been long in the field, and undergone fermentation as well as washing.

In feeding sweet milk to pigs, trials made at the Wisconsia Experiment trading is done in the evening, except Farm showed that, on an average, four pounds of corn meal were equal done is with the people of the city, to twenty pounds of sweet skim-milk, or one pound of meal to five of milk,

if fed separately. F. A. Danforth, of Norway, Me. raised corn to fill 3336 cans from or acre, and take the fifteen dellar premium offered by the Winslew Packing Company. The largest number of cans from three acres was 6806, rais-

The legitimate way for farmers expense. There are other ways oft_ the sake of a few cents. Now our best en suggested, but they are not to be merchants know this, for it has been less and disappointment.

It is possible that among our fo eign purchasers of wheat this Autumn and Winter be Mexice as far as it is connected with our railroad system. Ordinarily, Mexico ought to be self-supyear the country is not well sup-

In trees plant food is stored up at The Flemish school of painting was the end of the Summer in the pith, the pith rays, and in the layer be- istry are apparent in the beautiful tween the wood and bark. The Diamond Dyes. All kinds and colors nearly all their starch, albuminoids,

The movement of hogs in the West has commenced gaining numbers, but is still largely short, both in numbers and weight, of the figures of a year ago. The high price of perk all the season has probably nduced the marketing of everything

that would answer for slaughter. On every farm there are some poer ly benefitted by a top dressing of ma. ed by Parker's Hair Balsam, which is to the soil by Winter rains and melt. cleanliness.

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CLERKS.

I can remember that when I was "knee-high to a grasshopper," in other words about ten years of age, our teacher told us to hand in compositions, the subject to be the business we wanted go into when we became men. These to be merchants or clerks; both were about the same in their eyes. I may to go into. As a rule you will find boys yearning to be clerks. They imagine because so many goods and so much money pass through their ones time behind the counter. But the life of a clerk is not all sugar, I can tell you, nor neekties and gold rings. night, only stopping three times long enough to shove down a potato or two, a slice of bread and a chunk of meat, is mere prose than poetry, and to pay for it the poor clerk has to stand the curses of a horde of unfeeling customers. Almost universally the head man the establishment is whipped over the

this would not be so bad if when six o'clock came, (for there are many pleasant features mixed up with the A single experiment in farming is disagreeable) they could leave the store very rarely conclusive. As a rule, for the rest of the evening, with three counter, although perhaps not a cents It may be generally stated that as worth of goods is sold during the whele plant matures the proportion of wat- evening. This is excruciating, particuer, nitrogenous matter and ash con- larly when there is something going on, stituents diminishes, while the pro. which he would like to attend. I have fish on land than a clerk in a store at band in the distance, or a hen in a mill pond with corn lying around on the banks than to deze around the store with the laughter of young peo ple in my ear as they wend their way of us to be obliged to spend all of our

time at business is not only wrong but

a sin. Farthermore it is unnecessary

If all stores were to be closed at six or seven o'clock just as much business would be done, and a great deal of liberty and happiness would be given not only to the clerk but as well the merchant, for he is human the same as the former. He, too, needs an hour or two with his family. Take it in Albany, for instance, and very little perhaps Saturday evening, and what is most of whem, if necessary, could buy their goods just as well during the day. If the custom were general and faithfully carried out it would be a blessing to merchants and people both; but no one merchant is willing to close doors while his neighbors keep open, for in the course of the year many a dollar is taken in. In our city, it is sad to sav, ed by Benjamin Tucker, and he gets even if there were an agreement to shut up at seven, certain ones possessing principle about the size of a mustard seed, would hang around their back doors through the whole evening, for tried on many a holiday, so that if there ever is any thought of making agreements to make the evenings social ones, instead of business ones, it will be broken off uy the lack of confidence some have in others; so the clerks, and merchants, too, eleswhere as well as here, may expect to plod along in the porting as to breadstuffs, but this present manner, and when they close their store go home and go to bed, and in the morning go to their store and

> then go to bed again. The wonders of modern chem-

of ink can be made from them. It Seems to Satisfy.

A family want, and I wender how we ever got along without Parker's Ginger Tonic. It cored me of nesvous prostration, and I have used it since for all sorts of complaints in our family,-Mrs. Jines, Albany.

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The Boston Globe brings this item : Chas. S. Strickland, Esq., this city, welcome on every lady's toilet table is around the stables or in the bara- was cared of rheumatism by St. Jacebs Oil.