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WINTJEN & HELMS, Jacksonville, Aug. 5, 1874.

HOW OREGONIANS ARE DUPED. A NEAT LITTLE SWINDLE.

For the past three months, two men, with wondrously smooth tongues, claiming to represent an Ohio nursery, have been operating among our farmers and city people, inducing them to purchase trees and shrubbery. They claimed that plants like theirs had never been seen in Oregon, that everything they sold was especially selected to thrive in our climate, they guaranteed every article sold.

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SEEDING.—"Sow sparingly," is advice frequently given by experienced farmers, and the advice on good land is worthy of adoption. Wheat broadcast requires from 1 1/2 to 2 bushels to the acre; but when drilled, 1 1/2 bushels—some farmers using only 1 bushel. Of rye 1 1/2 bushels broadcast, and from 1 to 1 1/2 bushels drilled. When sown with grain in autumn, timothy will require from six to eight quarts per acre, probably six quarts are the rule to be preferred.

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DEATH OF HOLLADAY'S DAUGHTER.

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NEW SILVER DOLLAR.

If the silver dollar is remonetized its coinage will have the effect of adding a singularly beautiful piece to our circulation, and give some relief to the Liberty seated on vacancy and looking into nothing, which has disgraced our silver currency for 20 years. The new die, prepared in anticipation of the bill, has on the obverse a medallion head of Liberty, with sprigs of cotton and corn in place of the traditional flag. The execution of the head is remarkably free, and the arrangement of the hair on the forehead and the disposition of the lines around the chin and neck, are treated with remarkable grace and freedom. The reverse has an eagle displayed. The mottoes on the coin will be "United States of America" and "E Pluribus Unum," with the date. Where the secondary motto is to go, "In God we trust," is not yet determined, but it will not be left off. A study was made of an eagle from life, but it proved unsatisfactory, and the antique type was followed.

ALL WOMEN PLAY CARDS ALIKE.

Watch a woman at a game of whist and you'll get a pretty good idea of how all women play whist. La me, Henry, is it my play? Let me see—second hand low—that's the first time around of that suit, ain't it? Well I'll play—no, I hardly think I will—did you see any thing? Of course I'm going to play, but I must have time to think—what's trumps?—spades—I thought it was clubs—well I'll—no—yes—well, there! Then she will clap an ace on her partner's king, and insist on keeping the trick for fear she will be cheated out of it in the final count.

A SYMPATHIZING HEART.

A sympathetic heart is a spring of pure water bursting forth from the mountain side. Ever pure and sweet in itself, it carries gladness and joy on every ripple of its sparkling current.

SET 'EM UP AGAIN.

An old frontiersman, who was on a visit East some time ago, attended a church one Sunday and was invited to communion service. The wine-cup being handed to him he drank its contents in one draught, at the same time taking some bread with it. This done, he innocently requested the usher to "fill the glass up again" and bring on some cheese with it, saying that she was not aware that they served out free lunches or he'd a joined church afore.

IMPROVED AGRICULTURE MEANS INCREASED EMPLOYMENT.

Improved agriculture means increased employment for the people, enlarged use of capital instead of wasting the same in worthless railroad bonds, addition to our foreign commerce, accumulation of wealth, comfort and prosperity to the farmers of America.

A YOUNG MAN EAST WRITES TO KNOW IF WE WANT TO ENGAGE A PUZZLE EDITOR.

No, thank you. We have a puzzle editor, and that is sufficient. He is puzzled to find out why in thunder people don't pay for their papers.