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County Court meets the 1st Wednesday after the 1st Monday of January, March, May, July, September and November, A. F. Stearns, of Oakland, judge; C. H. Maupin of Elkton and W. L. Wilson, of Riddle, commissioners.

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Society Meetings.

LAUREL LODGE, A. F. & A. M., REGULAR meetings the 2d and 4th Wednesdays in each month.

UMPQUA CHAPTER, NO. 11, R. A. M., HOLD their regular convocations at Masonic hall on the first and third Tuesday of each month. Visiting companions are cordially invited.
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PHILETARIAN LODGE, NO. 8, I. O. O. F., meets Saturday evening of each week at 7 o'clock in their hall at Roseburg. Members of the order in good standing are invited to attend.
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UNION ENCAMPMENT, NO. 9, MEETS AT Odd Fellows' hall on second and fourth Thursdays of each month. Visiting brethren are invited to attend.
FRANK G. MICELLI, Scribe.
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ROSEBURG R. D. LODGE, NO. 41, I. O. O. F. meets on Tuesday evening of each week at the Odd Fellows hall. Visiting sisters and brethren are invited to attend.
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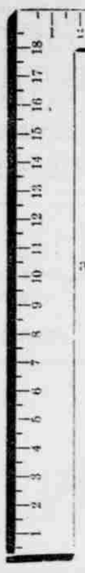

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For more than a quarter of a century the mines of this district have attracted the attention of the mining men, but until the last few years but little permanent work, outside of prospecting, has been done. The mineral belt is thirty miles long by fifteen miles in width, and contains mineral veins of large size and great value, in gold and silver. At the intersection of the Calapooia range with the Cascade mountains, the mines have been worked with shafts and tunnels and the fact is demonstrated that millions of dollars of the precious metals are here to be found and only need the magic touch of capital to make them the greatest producers of wealth on the Pacific coast. The mountains are covered with a heavy growth of valuable timber, and the water course, fed by perpetual snows and never failing springs, furnish endless water power for milling purposes. A good wagon road leads to this most promising camp, a distance of 35 miles from Cottage Grove, a town of commercial importance on the Southern Pacific railroad, and at no distance day a line of daily stages will be running to this most promising camp. The mineral bearing veins carry gold and silver in paying quantities, the gold value predominating in many of the properties. The veins are large and well defined, and in every instance the quality and quantity of the ore increases as we go down, a fact most gratifying to interested parties. The value of the ore is over twenty dollars in gold to the ton and the silver value is usually about ten dollars to the ton, making the average value of these immense ledges thirty dollars to the ton of ore. No section of the country offers better inducements to capital, seeking safe and profitable investment, and to the prospector this is a regular paradise, as sections of this vast area, rich in mineral, has never been visited by white men.—Eugene Register.

Care of One's Clothes.

The well-groomed young woman is she who always looks well, and suitably dressed for every occasion. Her hair is always just right, and her shoes, gloves and bonnets are always sightly. It is because she is always in trim for anything that may turn up. She is perfect as to detail, and has at least one gown for every occasion. The woman who lacks the first requisite may have 20 gowns for each occasion, and not look as well as Miss Well-Groomed does. This is her secret:

She buys good things, expends a great deal of thought on their selection, and has them well cut. She does not approve of exaggerated styles, because they make her conspicuous, which is bad taste. She has one perfectly correct dinner dress, a simple and beautiful bath gown, a fancy waist for theater, a couple of cloth street gowns, and either matinees or jackets for the house.

Her shoes for the street are regular walking shoes of calfskin, laced, with flat heel and pointed toe. Every night they are blacked, twice a week limbered up with oil; the heels are straightened as soon as they run down. Her slippers are kept in like good condition.

Her buttons, hooks and eyes, ribbons or bows are always well attended to, and not hanging by threads. Her skirts are beautifully free from mud; her coat and hat never show a speck of dust. Her gloves are dark in color, with every button intact. When she wears white gloves they are clean. All this is managed by attending to things which need attending to at once, and at no other time. When a skirt is taken off, brush it, put the hat in its box, the gloves away in their sachet, the shoes where they will be attended to, and make up your mind that no work is too much in order to look well-groomed. It will repay you.

"Honest Old Abe."

And here's another story of the martyred president, as told by Secretary Herbert at the Scotch-Irish Society banquet in Philidelphia last week: "I heard recently an anecdote which I do not remember to have seen in print. It is attributed to ex-Senator Henderson. Very early in the civil war extremists began to urge President Lincoln to issue a proclamation to abolish slavery. Mr. Lincoln was slow in making up his mind. At first he doubted the expediency of taking such a step, then he doubted whether public opinion was ripe for the measure. While the matter was still under consideration ex-Senator Henderson went to see the president at the White House just as Mr. Summer was leaving. Mr. Lincoln said: 'Henderson, did you meet Sumner out there at the door? 'Yes, sir.' 'Well, that man comes here once a day. There are three of them who have entered a combination to compel me to issue a proclamation emancipating the slaves. They want it done now, whether I think the time has come or not. Ben Wade comes early in the morning, Sumner comes at noon, and Thad Stevens comes at night. I've gotten so I hate the sight of them. Every time I lay eyes on one of them I think about the boy who was put to reading the Bible at school and got stumped when he came to the names of the men who walked the fiery furnace. He read along gibly until he came to those names, then he halted. The teacher scolded him, but it was of no use. He trounced him, and still the boy could not get out the names. Then the teacher shouted: 'Shadrach, Meshak and Abednego, you dunce; skip them and go along,' and the boy read along very smoothly for a page, and then all at once broke out crying. 'What's the matter?' said the teacher, and the boy blubbered out, 'Here comes them infernal three fellers again.'"

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NEW FIELDS FOR NOVELISTS.

Why Does Not Some Writer Use an Eskimo as Heroine?

The division of the earth among contemporary novelists has not as yet included Greenland, where some new writer can lay the scene of a story in which the heroine will wear sealskin trousers and calm her troubled heart with mighty drafts of train oil.

Neither has any novelist seized upon China, where great things may yet be done by a story teller who really knows something of that modern and multitudinous sphinx, the Chinaman.

But with these exceptions there is very little desirable territory which is not pre-empted. This of course greatly hampers new novelists who are compelled to write novels dealing only with English men and women at home.

England is the common possession of everybody, and even the American writer who does not wish to imitate either Mr. Harte or Mr. Howells is compelled to lay the scene of his stories in London or in some one of the many little English colonies to be found in continental cities.

The English novelist who wishes to write a story characterized by some little novelty is reduced to inventing Dodos or other fabulous creatures, an attempt which fails more frequently than it succeeds.

This state of things is so plain to every writer that I wonder that no one has rushed in to occupy the Greenland or the Chinese field.

A Greenland story would at once attract attention because of its novelty, and we who have never been to Greenland could warmly recognize the truth of its local color, and the profound knowledge of Eskimo character shown by the writer.

An advanced Eskimo maiden with a wild desire to wear petticoats instead of trousers and to drink tea instead of train oil could hardly fail to charm the reader.

I am afraid, however, that the advanced Eskimo maid would not survive beyond the first four or five chapters, for I understand that whenever an Eskimo woman exhibits symptoms of advanced thinking she is immediately set adrift on an ice floe—W. L. Alden in Idler.

BATHING IN THE DEAD SEA.

An Easy Matter to Float on the Surface of the Thick Water.

The Dead sea, or more properly the Salt sea, is also called in Scripture the sea of the Arabah; in the Apocrypa, the Sodomitish sea; in the Talmudical books, sea of Salt and sea of Sodom. The name Dead sea seems to have been first used in Greek, and the Arabic name is Bar Lut, or the sea of Lot. It has a length varying from 40 to 46 miles and is only about three miles across at its broadest part.

From the analysis of the United States expedition it appears that each gallon of the water, weighing 12¼ pounds, contains nearly 3½ pounds (3.319) of matter in solution, an immense quantity in view of the fact that sea water, weighing 10¼ pounds per gallon, contains less than one-half pound. Of this 3½ pounds nearly a pound is common salt (chloride of sodium), about two pounds chloride of magnesium and less than one-half pound chloride of calcium (muriate of lime). There does not appear to be anything about it inimical to life, and the story of a recent tourist confirms this. He says:

"As for the Dead sea, it will, in contradiction of the name, forever preserve a green and living memory in my mind. No fish can survive in it, we all know, but for a place for a swim, or, above all, for a float, commend me to it beyond all the Winnepesaukees in the world. How it bears you up in arms! How it annihilates the tiresome ponderosity and dignity of the laws of gravitation! How it introduces you into the inner consciousness of dainty ariel and thistledom and all other airy, fairy creatures! The more you weigh the less you weigh. There is the real hydrostatic paradox. An elephant in the Dead sea would feel himself a gazelle. Then what a mirror its steely surface was that morning, and how beautiful its reflections of the mountains of Palestine on the one hand and of Moab on the other!"—Brooklyn Eagle.

Electric Lights.

A Vienna professor gives it as his opinion, after much research on the subject, that all delicate persons and those who suffer from nervousness should never remain long in a room lighted by electric lights, its effect on the nervous system being such that after awhile they generally become uneasy and depressed and find it impossible to concentrate the attention for any length of time. Young persons, on the contrary, and those with strong nerves find the influence of the light extremely beneficial, especially when the brain is overworked and tired, the effect being much the same as that of strong coffee—i. e., increased activity of the nervous system.

Through Algerian Spectacles.

In a delightful paper before a club recently Mrs. Fannie C. Barbour, the writer and traveler, gave a description of her visit to some Algerian ladies. Through the interpreting friend who accompanied her the hostesses conveyed their polite pity at her extraordinary costume. "Where," they asked in plaintive pity for the unfortunate American, "are her Turkish trousers?" When told that she came from America, they asked where that was, and on hearing that it was across a great sea complacently remarked: "Not so great as our Mediterranean. There is no sea like that."

Food For Man and Beast.

"We read sometimes," said Mr. Billtops, "of people 'eagerly devouring' a newspaper, but horses sometimes do that literally. Twice lately I have seen horses eating newspapers. Perhaps this might come under the head of 'taking in every word.'"—New York Sun.

Beware of Ointments for Catarrh that Contain Mercury.

as mercury will surely destroy the sense of smell and completely derange the whole system when entering it through mucous surfaces. Such articles should never be used except on prescriptions from reputable physicians, as the damage they will do is ten fold to the good you can possibly derive from them. Hall's Catarrh Cure manufactured by F. J. Cheney & Co., Toledo, O., contains no mercury, and is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. In buying Hall's Catarrh Cure be sure you get the genuine. It is taken internally, and made in Toledo, Ohio, by F. J. Cheney & Co. Testimonials free.

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NO DOG IN HER HOUSE.

A Boarding House Keeper Tells Why She Has Made This Rule.

Persons with dogs and other pets meet with a cold and clammy reception in New York boarding houses. They may occasionally steal into fashionable flats, where the landlord or agent has no direct means of circumventing them, but when it comes to the boarding house things are a little more definite.

A nice-looking married couple went into a Twenty-third street boarding house the other day and were made comfortable. After the first dinner the lady was observed scraping together some dainties from the board to take to her room. The landlady, who is a woman of great decision of character, heard of it, and her knock was shortly afterward heard at the door of the new boarders. The latter were immediately notified that either they or the dog must vacate at once.

"If I cannot keep my darling Xenophon, we'll move," protested the owner of the dog, who practiced the principle of "Love me, love my dog."

"Then you'll have to move," said the landlady firmly. "I'm not keeping a dog kennel."

"How in the world they ever got that dog in here without my seeing it," said she, after the obnoxious Xenophon had been disposed of, "is more than I can understand. I've had all I want of dogs. A gentleman used to keep a small but ferocious bulldog in his room where I once lived. He was the ugliest brute I ever laid my eyes on—the dog, not the man. That dog wouldn't let anybody but his owner tamper with him. The man used to lug him around with him everywhere he went. One night, when the man came in, he was feeling so oblivious to earthly things that he left his dog locked in the vestibule. The next boarder who came in got no farther than the vestibule and landed down the steps with a square yard of trousers missing. He was soon joined by another boarder, who wanted to come to bed. They rang the bell until several of us came down to see what was the matter. On opening the door the dog sprang for us as if he hadn't been fed for a week and wanted anything that came handy, but we slammed the door to again just in time. As we could not awaken the owner we had to leave the dog there till morning, and those who were outside had to go to a hotel. In the morning everybody had to go and come by the servant's entrance until the owner of the animal came down and got us out of the fix."

"What did he say?"

"Say! Why, he abused us all as a set of brutes for keeping his dog locked up there and gathered it up under his arm and took it up stairs as if had been a piece of Dresden china! And the boarders who had been locked out left the house for good the next day. We got rid of the dog, but not until it had half depopulated the establishment."—Chicago Tribune.

The Awakening Tiger.

Between the drowsy sleep of the nocturnal animals and the hypersensitive sleep of those which spend their lives in constant fear of their enemies a place must be found for the form of slumber enjoyed by the large carnivora and that of domestic animals. The former have no enemies to fear except man, and the latter, protected by man, enjoy to the full the blessing of natural rest.

Tigers are frequently found fast asleep in the daytime. Native hunters have been known to track them after a "kill" to the place in which they were lying fast asleep and gorged with food and to shoot them as they lie. When taking his midday repose in districts where it is little disturbed, the tiger does not always retire to a place of security, like the bear, or even the leopard, which usually sleeps on the branch of a tree. It just lies down in some convenient spot, either shady or warm, according to the weather, and there sleeps almost regardless of danger. They have been found lying in dry nullahs, under trees and even in the grass of the hillsides unobserved until their disturber came within a few yards of them.

General Douglas Hamilton, when shooting in the Dandilly forest, came upon a tigress and two cubs lying fast asleep on their backs, with their paws sticking up in the air, under a clump of bamboos. When he was within a few yards of the group, one raised its head and without moving its body quietly looked at him along the line of its body between its paws. Tigers kept in captivity awaken gradually, stretching and yawning like a dog.—London Spectator.

Utica's Unique Tollgate.

Utica enjoys the doubtful distinction of being probably the only city in the United States which has a tollgate within its boundaries or anywhere near it, for that matter. The old days of toll roads and tollgates have passed away, and it is well that they have. The company which maintains the Deerfield gate has a legal status that cannot be done away with without the consent of those who own the property. The last legislature passed an enabling act which makes it possible for the parties interested to do away with the tollgate, and it is something to which the attention of the authorities may properly be directed.—Utica Press.

Puzzled Him.

"I don't see why I loso so many places," said Jimmie, the ex-office boy. "Dey ain't a smarter kid on de block dan me. Dey ain't a single one of 'em kin smoke a cigarette and whistle at de same time like I kin."—Indianapolis Journal.

For over 400 years Nov. 13 was observed in England as a festival. It commemorated the death of Hardicanute and the accession of Edward the Confessor, by which the country was delivered from the yoke of the Danes.

Amulets are now worn by royal noble families in India that are believed to have been handed down from father to son for nearly 2,000 years.

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