

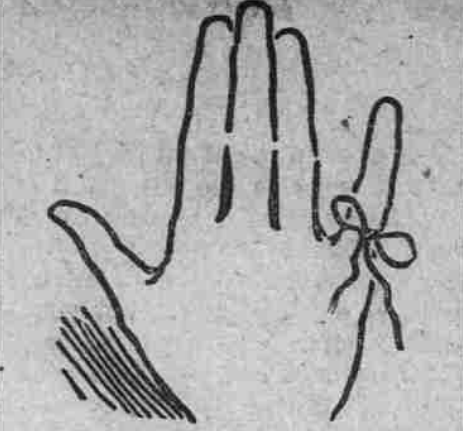
DANCE OF THE GRIZZLIES.

An interesting event in a canyon of the Big Horn Mountains.

Col. Jack Reynolds, of the Big Horn country, was in Washington recently, says the Star. This is his first trip to the east since he went west in the infancy of that section, and is his first visit to Washington.

"What is the most interesting Montana subject," said the reporter, "politics or bears?"

"We still talk silver a good deal, and the tariff comes in for a share of notice, but a bear story can get the floor from a political story any day in the week. We have one of the most peculiar bear countries in the world. We have in the Big Horn mountains, just twenty-five miles from the monument which stands on the hogback where the Custer massacre took place, what is called the Black canyon. This is the most remarkable canyon in the west. No man has been known to pass through it. Several have entered it with the intention of traveling through, but they are now numbered with the missing. The canyon is little more than a great fissure, so deep that at noonday the stars shine into it as at midnight. It is a very gloomy place and it is pretty well wooded with pines. In the fall of the year this is the resort of the grizzly, and each fall they hold away up about midway between the ends of the fissure, what is called the bear dance. Just before going into winter quarters about all the grizzlies in the Big Horn mountains, and there are plenty of them, meet in this gulch. They have done it every year, and for so many years that the memory of man runneth not to the contrary. It usually happens about the end of September. The bears begin their festivities about eleven o'clock at night, and continue them till perhaps three o'clock in the morning. They chase each other in great glee, play tag, box, waltz and give vent to queer sounds, which very likely indicate bear joy. It is a great carnival. A few grunts from the prominent animals announce the end and the participants break away, and go no one knows where. They are not seen till the next spring. In the winter you can walk through the worst bear country in those great mountains without a gun and see no bear. In the spring and summer it is different. As a rule, the bears are not interrupted in their annual sport because man does not like to be in the Black canyon after night-fall, and there are so many bears that it would be exceedingly venturesome fun."



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- Bigelow 6
- East Dalles 6
- Mosier 2
- East Hood River 3
- Baldwin 2
- Columbia 2
- Nansene 3
- Kingsley 2
- Waukie 3
- Bake Oven 2
- Trevitt 6
- West Dalles 6
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Martin M. Waterman, Feb. 17, 1894.
Hd. No. 373, for the NW 1/4, Sec 22, Tp 1 S, R 11 E. He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon and cultivation of said land, viz: R. Gilbert, The Dalles, Or.; Albert Allen, Boyd, Or.; H. Gilpin, A. M. Allen, The Dalles, Or.; JOHN W. LEWIS, Register, Feb 24.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.
LAND OFFICE, The Dalles, Or., Jan. 23, 1894.
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Mark C. Painter, Jan. 23, 1894.
Hd. No. 2347, for the NE 1/4, Sec 22, Tp 1 S, R 11 E. He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon and cultivation of said land, viz: W. H. H. Dufur, W. T. Vanderpool, John Nolan and C. P. Balch, all of Dufur, Or. JOHN W. LEWIS, Register, Feb 24.

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