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The School Teachers Enjoy a Joke.

The monotony of the regular routine work of the institute is relieved now and then by a practical joke being played by some of the fun-loving teachers. The latest of which your correspondent has received any information, was one played by a certain coterie of the Hood River delegation on one of their number. The chief actors in the fun were not equal to the task themselves, but were compelled to call to their assistance quite a few of the Dalles people. The lady, who was the victim in this instance, seems to be an adept in practical joking, and is very sagacious, so much so that it requires the combined and united effort of many to successfully entrap her. I apprehend that I will become a victim to her capriciousness for imparting this information to your readers. To soften the blow when it does come, I deem it policy not to give the names of the parties concerned, but designate each in a different manner.

The victim, Miss Asbestos, had in a mischievous hour perpetrated a joke on Mr. Greenpark that was immensely enjoyed by his acquaintances and friends. To equalize the matter or, in the vernacular of the street, to "get even" became his controlling passion.

Now, Miss Asbestos has a very near and dear friend in the person of Mr. Dunny Meade Groate, who is at present at work in the Hood River valley. I will say, by way of parenthesis, and as an explanation, that Mr. Dunny Meade and Miss Asbestos are very much devoted to each other, and, as is natural in such cases, find great pleasure in each other's company. Having been separated for some two or three weeks, it was supposed that a meeting between them would be much enjoyed. Acting upon this supposition, a meeting was arranged as follows: The brother of Miss Asbestos contrived to have Mr. Greenpark play the part of Dunny Meade in calling up Miss Asbestos over the phone, informing her that he was in Hood River and had broken his "bike," which could not be repaired there, and would come to The Dalles on the 10:45 p. m. to have it repaired, and would be pleased to have her meet him at the train. I am told that Miss Asbestos was so elated over the pleasant anticipation of meeting Mr. Dunny Meade that she neglected her baking and burnt the cake and pies.

As the hour for the arrival of the train drew near her anxiety increased perceptibly. She had invited several of her lady friends to accompany her to the train, a few of whom had been apprised of the joke, and it was laughable to see them undergoing the excruciating pain of keeping silent. The ladies, with their escorts, repaired to the depot to await the incoming of the train, Miss Asbestos in high glee and joyful expectancy, the other ladies biting their fingers, chewing their pencils and pinching themselves to prevent laughing. The train arrived on time, with no Mr. Dunny Meade on board; but Greenpark appeared on the scene at this opportune time, with a

smile extending over his entire physiognomy. It was then that Mr. Asbestos discovered the sell and the commotion began. As the joke had been so admirably arranged and carried out in all its details, the sell and disappointment were complete. The fun increasing to the extent of becoming noisy and boisterous, one of the quiet citizens of the city requested the presence of Sheriff Driver to keep the peace. The sheriff being aware of the joke and well acquainted with all the parties, informed the citizen that no harm would come to anything unless it might be the cakes and pies.

It is to the credit of the lady to say that she bore up under the trying ordeal with patience and fortitude, but repeating to herself

"'Twas ever thus from childhood's hour
I've seen my fondest hopes decay;
I never loved a tree or flower,
But 'twas first to fade away."

FELIX.
The Normal Institute.

Today at the institute the following, taken from "Pedagogical Pebbles," was used in the theory class. Teacher, if you lack the power of presence, develop it; if you lack vigor of speech, acquire it; if you lack energy of bodily movement, develop it; if you lack enthusiasm, generate it; if you do not love children, quit teaching school.

Twelve principles of good management, from "Hewett's Pedagogy":

- First—No school can be well taught if it is not well managed.
- Second—Never make anything pertaining to management an end in itself.
- Third—No work is ever likely to be well done if it is not well planned.
- Fourth—A teacher's example weighs more than his words.
- Fifth—Make no law, grant or refuse no request, give no reproof till you have thought about the matter.
- Sixth—When you have once taken your stand, stick to it.
- Seventh—If, however, you see that you have made a mistake, confess and rectify your mistake like a man.
- Eighth—One who is kept busy about right things has no time for mischief.
- Ninth—Be more anxious to prevent wrong doing than to punish it.
- Tenth—Often make a friend of a wayward pupil by getting him to do you a service.
- Eleventh—Seek always the good of your pupils; let good to yourself be incidental.
- Twelfth—Never punish in anger.

CLASS WORK TODAY.
Theory—Corporal punishment.
Literature—Works of Benjamin Franklin.

Physiology—Study of the ear.
Arithmetic—Ratio and proportion.
Composition—How to write letters.
U. S. History—Biographies of noted Americans.
Reading and Phonics—Drill in words difficult to pronounce.
Writing—Capital stem letters.
Spelling—Accent and sounds of oral elements.
Grammar—Gerands and participles.
Book-keeping—Definitions and principles.
Geography—Europe.
General History—Later history of France.

Registered today, Mary Frazier, Leah Driver and Ira Decker.

PERSONAL MENTION.

Mr. J. E. McCormick returned last night from the Willamette valley.
Mrs. Lang and daughter, Miss Annie, left this afternoon for Portland on the local train.
Fred Snipes and Wm. Michelbach returned home yesterday after a week spent at the Meadows.

Mr. Harry Hampshire has returned from a vacation spent at Long Beach commencing with the wild, wild waves.

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