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WIT AND MOK.

Scam invariably rises. Remember, young man, there is always room at the top.

"Good luck" bracelets are worn — by such as have the good luck to possess them.

Stern parent: "Another bad report, my son?" "Yes, papa, you must really talk to my teacher or he will keep on doing it."

"Ah Bings, where are you going for the winter?" "Oh, I shall take a run over to Italy and do Mount Vesuvius." "I see—going to a foreign climb."

A Western critic disrespectfully alludes to a French opera bouffe critic as "smirking, spasmodic old hen." This chap evidently didn't like the French chic.

"Husking bees are in order," says an exchange. We tried to husk a bee once, one of the "humble" variety, but he got the best of us.—Danville Breeze.

An old bachelor, on seeing the words "Families Supplied," over the door of an oyster saloon, stepped in and said he would take a wife and two children.

They don't have to use roller skates in Canada at this time when they desire to slide around. The ice is already six feet thick in certain localities.

It takes twenty-six years for a man to become a physician in Germany. Land is scarce over there and they can't spare much space for cemetery lots.

The best thing ever said of ghosts was said by Coleridge, when asked by a lady if he believed in them, "No, madam, I have seen too many to believe in them."

"No" said Miss Ferula, "I'm not much of a speller myself, I must admit; but then, you know, I've been a teacher nearly all my life and I've never had any time to teach myself."

Artillery officer to mandarin; "My lord, the French ships are approaching." Mandarin, "Fire a cannon at them." "But they are so far off that the ball will go only half way." "Fire two cannon at them."

A physician says: "In buying clothing care should be taken to investigate the hygroscopicity of the cloth." We always do, but, as singular as it may appear, many persons buy a coat and never give a thought to its hygroscopicity. This is a great mistake.

A colored preacher remarked, "When God made the first man, he set him up again de fence to dry." "Who made de fence?" interrupted an eager listener. "Put dat man out!" exclaimed the colored preacher, "such questions as dat'd destroy all de theology in de world."

"Will you want a sample room, sir?" asked a hotel clerk of a guest who had just registered. "No, sir," was the prompt reply; "I am a lawyer, sir. I'm not selling merchandise; I'm selling brains." "I see," said the clerk. "Of course you don't want a sample room when you don't carry any samples."—New York Sun.

Bell's Weekly Messenger, an English paper, states that on a large dairy farm near London, sugar has been found to be an economical food for cows. It induces cattle to eat every particle of food from the manger, instead of leaving a good deal as they ordinarily do. It is found that this sugar diet improves the flavor of the milk and increases the percentage of cream.

An ingenious farmer makes scare-crows out of old tin cans, tomato cans and the like, by rigging them up with a bit of old iron suspended in them like the tongue of a bell, and hanging them up in the corn field where the wind will set them a-ringing, making such an unusual and unexpected noise that crows will not dare remain in the field.

Why Prairies Are Treeless.

Thomas Meehan believes that we have nearly reached the solution of the cause of the absence of trees from the prairies. It is not climatic, for timber belts flourish in all the prairie regions. It is not in conditions of soil, for the prairie is the most favorable to the germination of seeds of tree as well as other plants, and artificial plantations are remarkably successful wherever they are made. The real cause is probably to be found in the annual fires which have swept over the prairies from time immemorial, killing the young trees before they can grow large enough to resist the heat. The seeds of the annual plants of the prairie vegetation, maturing every year, are shed and find protection before the fires come; the young trees, on the other hand, bear no seed and can leave no resources for a succession after they are burned. This theory is supported by the fact that an abundant growth of trees has set in wherever the fires have been stopped. The fires were made by the aborigines for centuries before the white man came, possibly for the express purposes, Mr. Meehan suggests, of preventing the growth of trees and preserving the buffalo pastures. The question remains how the prairies first came to be naked. They probably formed the bottoms of the lakes and marshes that were left after the retreat of the glaciers, and continued wet after the highlands were covered with trees. Man followed the glaciers so closely that he anticipated the trees on these spots, and having learned already in southern latitudes the value of burning, began then before the trees gained a foothold.—Popular Science Monthly.

Naturalists have long known of carnivorous plants that entrap insects. It is now stated, on the authority of Prof. Baird, that a bladderwort, which has hitherto been carefully introduced into the government's carp ponds, has very curiously turned out to be a fish-eating plant, devouring the very animals which were expected to feed upon it.

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NOTICE OF FINAL PROOF. LAND OFFICE AT ROSBURG OREGON December 30, 1884. Notice is hereby given that the following named settler has filed notice of his intention to make final proof in support of his claim, and that said proof will be made before the Judge or Clerk of Coos county at Empire City Oregon, on Tuesday Feb. 17, 1885, viz: D. H. Frewett, pre-emption D S No. 4072, for the W 1/2 of W 1/2 section 27 township 28, S R 14 west.

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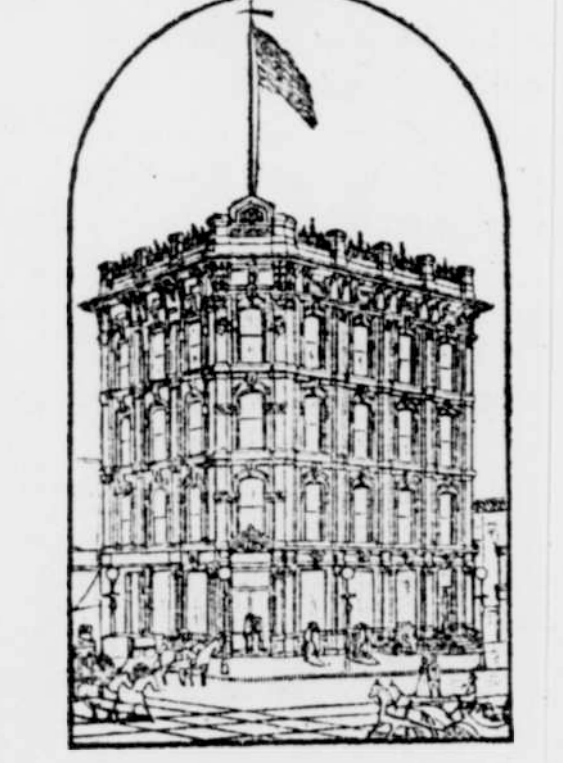
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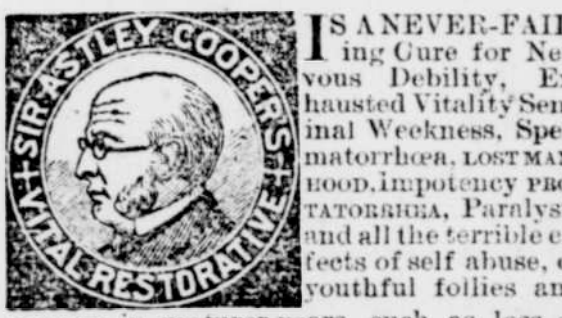
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