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PLAYS WITH GUN GIRL BADLY HURT

DAUGHTER OF E. A. MAKIN RECEIVES BULLET FROM A 22 IN HER FACE.

Freddie Makin, young son of E. O. Makin, while playing with an old rusty 22-calibre rifle, Saturday, accidentally discharged the weapon, the bullet striking his sister Edith, who was standing a few feet in front of him. The bullet entered the center of the upper lip, striking the upper jaw and base of teeth and was deflected up through the nostrils.

The accident occurred about 10 a. m., and Mr. Makin was away from home, but help was summoned from the field where men were working, and Mr. Makin reached by phone at Lostine as he was on his way to Wallowa in his auto. He phoned Dr. Hockett of Enterprise, who hurried in his auto to the Makin home, six miles east of town. Deep probing failed to locate the bullet, and later the girl was brought to town to Dr. Ault's office where an excellent X-ray photograph failed to show the leaden messenger. It is supposed the bullet went into the nostrils and was discharged with the profuse bleeding, or else was swallowed.

The girl was standing so close to the gun that her face was burned with the powder. She is now recovering nicely from the accident and no more serious results are expected.

DEATH RECORD

Mrs. Sarah E. Hetrick died at her home on Swamp Creek, about seven miles from Enterprise, Saturday, August 6. Funeral services were held at Enterprise cemetery Monday at 11 o'clock, conducted by Rev. C. E. Trueblood of the M. E. church.

Mr. and Mrs. Hetrick came to the Grande Ronde 12 years ago and moved to their Swamp Creek home three years ago last February. Mrs. Hetrick has been an invalid for 14 years. She was born in Howard County, Mo., November 19, 1847. She leaves her husband, a little grandchild, a daughter at Promise and one at Wallowa, and three sons, one at Ravenna, Neb., one at Wallowa, and one at Enterprise. She had been a member of the M. E. church since she was 13 years of age.

Card of Thanks

We desire to thank all who helped us in the illness and death of our mother.

I. HETRICK and Family.

FALL WHEAT WILL YIELD 40 BUSHELS TO ACRE

C. S. Haney, who starts his annual threshing campaign this week, has been around a bit looking after his work, and while at home a few days since, was quite optimistic about the crops in both irrigated and non-irrigated lands. Mr. Haney states that as far as he has seen there will be big crops of fall sown grain. The spring sown grain is of course poor and most of it has been cut for hay.

Many fields of fall wheat in the hills will make above 40 bushels to the acre.

SIX CARS OF CATTLE SHIPPED TO SEATTLE

Combes & Hotchkiss of this city sold to Walker, of Seattle, six car loads of cattle and the same were shipped Saturday, two cars loaded here and four at Joseph.

BIDS INVITED.

Sealed bids for the dance hall concession at the County Fair will be received until Tuesday, August 16. The right is reserved to reject any and all bids.

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TROY TOWNSITE PLACED ON SALE

LOTS ARE PLOTTED IN FUTURE THRIVING INDUSTRIAL AND COMMERCIAL CENTER.

County Surveyor H. E. Merryman has finished the survey and plotting of the town site of Troy and has placed the lots on sale.

Mr. Merryman, and many others as well, are sanguine Troy will be an important commercial and industrial center as soon as the railroad is built down the Grande Ronde river.

The O. R. & N., is now making the final survey between Rondowa and Lewiston and in a few months will have all the data necessary for letting construction contracts.

Troy is on the west bank of the Grande Ronde at the mouth of the Wenaha river. All north country roads lead to Troy. The county put in a bridge across the Wenaha two years ago, and a \$10,000 steel bridge across the Grande Ronde is under construction this summer.

Troy is the center of the finest fruit region in all the northwest. Tens of thousands of acres of bench land on which grows the finest apples, pears, peaches, plums and prunes, are tributary to Troy. Millions of millions of feet of the largest and best timber will be manufactured into lumber at Troy.

These are only a partial list of the vast natural resources tributary to this new town.

So far, 94 lots on five streets, comprising eight blocks, have been laid out. The streets are 60 feet wide and on the large blocks the alleys are 20 feet wide.

The business district lots range in size from 25 x 105 to 25 x 125; residence lots 30 x 125. River frontage and industrial sites of various sizes.

All the townsite as laid out is under the proposed ditch.

All phone orders for bus to and from depot promptly attended to. White Front barn. Home phone. 97b

The Social Breakfast.

A London newspaper wonders why we no longer invite people to breakfast. The reason is to be found in the state of mind that usually possesses the free and independent citizen at that hour in the morning, a state of mind that makes him unbearable to himself and to every one who comes near him. Presumably it was not ever so, for invitations to breakfast were once common enough, and not so long ago either. Mr. Gladstone used to have guests to breakfast every Thursday morning as recently as 1884, and it was thought sufficient to supply tea and coffee, eggs, bread and butter and perhaps some cold meat. But the really solid breakfast had come into fashion long before then, and it is said that the English learned the fashion from the Scotch. Motley, when he was ambassador to England, found that the substantial breakfast was grievously opposed to the simpler customs of his own country. He says, "When I reflected that all these people would lunch at 2 and dine at 8 I bowed my head in humiliation, and the fork dropped from my nerveless grasp."—Argonaut.

Big Clocks.

The big clock of the Metropolitan tower at Madison square, New York, is by long odds the costliest and most elaborate public timepiece ever constructed and is the only great clock in the world operated wholly by electricity without the touch of human hands. Some of its other wonders are its size, being the largest four dial tower clock and the third largest clock of any size in the world, and its altitude, which is the highest of any clock in the world. It has also the biggest and heaviest striking bell.

The other three largest clocks are the one face dial of the Colgate factory in Jersey City, which is forty feet across, the next in size of mammoth public chronometers being the dial at St. Rombert's, in the old city of Malines, in Belgium, which is thirty-nine feet across. St. Peter's of Zurich, Switzerland, has a dial face twenty-nine feet, and then in order comes the Metropolitan tower clock, which is twenty-six feet six inches in diameter.

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he was to wear at the end and that when he reached the platform of the instrument of death he rushed unassisted to the upright farthest from the stairway, "slapping the face of one of the assistant executioners who tried to stop him." With hands fastened at his back, the reviewer asks, "How did the doomed monarch manage to perform the operation?"

Bunyan's Wicket Gate.

In the village of Elstow there is abundant material that is visibly associated with John Bunyan. The isolated church tower contains the very bells in the ringing of which Bunyan rejoiced and afterward trembled. Above all there must be mentioned the wicket gate which figures early in the story of "Pilgrim's Progress." The wicket gate of "Pilgrim's Progress" is commonly represented as a garden gate or a turnpike gate, but really the term denotes a small doorway cut out of a large door. Concealed behind a tree at the west end of Elstow church is just such a small doorway in the broad wooden surface of the great door. Through this lowly opening Bunyan must often have passed when a boy.—Harper's Weekly.

The Major's Value.

"Major Bunks," said a veteran, "was a pompous chap. The boys had a good deal of fun once over his exchange."

"It seems that on a very dark night a stalwart Confederate took the major prisoner. This fact, together with the narrative of the prisoner's return to camp, was signaled to headquarters tersely:

"Major Bunks, captured during night march, exchanged later for two plugs tobacco."

The Lilies.

Two thousand years ago it was supposed that water lilies closed their flowers at night and retreated far under water, to emerge again at sunrise. This was Pliny's view, and it was not impeached until the English botanist

John Ray in 1688 first doubted veracity. The great lily of Zandibar, one of the grandest of the lily family, opens its flowers, ten inches wide, between 11 in the morning and 5 in the afternoon. They are of the richest royal blue, with from 150 to 200 golden stamens in the center, and they remain open four or five days. It is not generally known that there are lilies that have nocturnal habits—night bloomers as well as day bloomers. They are very punctual timekeepers, too, opening and closing with commendable regularity.

Pepps and the Comet.

On Dec. 21, 1664, Pepps, the diarist, records, "My Lord Sandwich this day writes me word that he hath seen at Portsmouth the comet and says it is the most extraordinary thing he ever saw." Again, three days later, he writes, "Having sat up all night till past 2 o'clock this morning, our porter, being appointed, comes and tells us that the bellman tells him that the star is seen upon Tower hill, so I and my boy to Tower hill, it being a most fine bright moonshine night and a great frost, but no comet to be seen." Later the same day, however, Pepps did see the comet, "which now, whether worn away or no, I know not, appears not with a tail, but only is larger and duller than any other star."—Westminster Gazette.

Education.

What sculpture is to a block of marble education is to a human soul. The philosopher, the saint and the hero, the wise, the good and the great man very often lie hid and concealed in a plebeian, which a proper education might have disinterred and brought to light.—Addison.

Shakespeare's Handicap.

Mrs. Montmorency Smythe—And what were you reading when I came in, my dear? Shakespeare! Ah! what a wonderful man! And to think that he wasn't exactly what one would call a gentleman!—London Punch.

Just about now

AS we get along toward midsummer in the clothing business, we begin to look forward to the coming fall; the new goods are ordered for you for fall and winter; and that means that we ought to clean up our spring and summer stocks and dispose of all the goods we have on hand.

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