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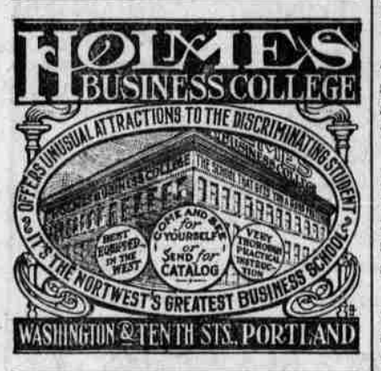

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For thawing dynamite a metal kettle has been invented in which the explosive is placed in an inner compartment, which is surrounded by hot water.

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A double frying pan, hinged in the center, has been patented by an Iowa man, so that two articles can be cooked at once and to save space by folding it when not in use.

To test the speed of projectiles driven by modern high power explosives British scientists have perfected a chronoscope which measures time to the millionth of a second.

A new range employs both electricity and steam, a current of the former, used to cook food on the top of the range, also heating water to produce steam to operate the oven economically.

A new shoe salesman's stool is provided with small mirrors on each side of the foot rest, to enable the customer to get side views of a shoe he is trying on and also to afford a degree of privacy.

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Plans for a $16,000,000 tunnel between the North and South stations of the New Haven railroad in Boston are about to be approved.

An electromagnet is being used to recover sunken iron cargoes such as nails, steel strips and rolls of wire, in the Mississippi river.

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Officers of the new battleship South Dakota, which is equipped with Curtis turbine engines, say there is absolutely no vibration of the fire control masts, a difficulty always found in the reciprocating engine-driven vessels.

Throwing It Up to Her.

"I have been singing my exercise in the key of C all morning," said the young lady from the flat below.

"Yes," piped up little Johnny from the flat above, "an' pa said about an hour ago he never was so C sick in his life as he was this morning."—St. Louis Star.

As a rule, there is altogether too much competition for the consolation prize

REPARTEE ENDS IN DISASTER

Fresh Young Man in Quick Lunch Room Is Unexpectedly Showered With Oatmeal.

The young man with the iron cheek entered the quick lunch room and seated himself at the third table.

"Belinda," he called familiarly, "you look fresh this morning."

"Not half as fresh as some others," retorted the pretty waitress with an elevation of her nose.

"Well! Well! Have you calf brains?"

"If I did you wouldn't order them, for you have an oversupply now."

"My, but you are getting good for the matinee. With the high price of meats, eggs come in handy these days, don't they?"

"No; they come in crates."

"Wow! Did you ever hear the story of the incubator chick? It's not out yet?"

"That will do, sonny. Did you ever hear the story of the cold porridge? Well, it's on you!"

There was an unexpected tilting of a dish and the young man with the iron cheek was showered with oatmeal.

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DEATH IN HOT SAND

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Find Dead Rattlesnake in Well Containing Salty Water—One Man Dies and Others Are Rescued by Auto.

Berkeley, Cal.—His condition bordering on nervous collapse and hardly able to tell the story of his terrible experience, G. Herbert Masters, a young mining engineer, who was a member of a Borax lake expedition in which Charles Stracher Davidson, a graduate of the University of California Mining college, lost his life in the intense heat recently, has returned to his home in this city. He left five others of the party at Randsburg after the burial of Davidson in a rude desert grave on the shore of the lake, where he met his death. All of the others suffered terribly, but reached camp after twenty-four hours of torture in the broiling sun.

"We arrived at Randsburg and started on our trip across Borax lake," said Masters. "The lake is a mud deposit covered by a heavy crust. Our objective point was an old camp on the opposite shore, where we believed we would find prospectors. When we began drawing our line Davidson was prostrated with the heat, which was terrific. A little later he collapsed. Then he broke from us, and, running about fifty feet, fell on his face. One of the boys went back to him. He died shortly afterward.

"One by one we followed a course toward the opposite shore. When I arrived I discovered that there was no water. After several hours we found an old well, but the water was sulphurous and salty and at the bottom was a dead rattlesnake. Two of the original party of seven had gone to Randsburg for batteries when we started on the trip across the lake and that left four of us huddled together—Thomas A. Graves, a mining expert of Olean, N. Y.; David Bunkers, Norman Stein and myself.

"In the morning before sunrise we took a roundabout trail skirting the lake. When halfway across we met an automobile party and were carried the rest of the way in the machine.

"That afternoon we went on the seething mud lake again and got the body of Davidson. The boys made a rough pine box and we gave George the most decent burial we could give. His grave is out there in the sun, near the place where he died. The others of the party are used up, but they will recover. It was a terrible experience and I am through with the desert."

SAYS GHOST ATE A BISCUIT

Former Medium Tells Strange Stories of His Experiences at Seance of Spiritualists.

London.—Ghost stories of a highly interesting nature to believers and skeptics alike were related at a meeting of the City Temple Debating society.

The stories were told by George Spriggs, at one time a spiritualistic medium, and now the president of the Psycho-Therapeutic society. Every story, he said, was well authenticated. His own conviction was "that spirit communion is not only a possibility, but an actual and realized fact."

On one occasion, he said a seance was held round a table at the residence of Rees Lewis of Cardiff. All the "sitters," including Father Butcher, a priest, and Rev. David Jones, kept their hands on the top of the table. In about five minutes raps were heard, and on looking under the table there were found small bunches of grapes, a branch from an apple tree, one from a pear tree, bunches of wheat and barley and some peas. One of the reverend gentlemen exclaimed:

"This is as near a miracle as possible."

Describing some of his experiences in Melbourne, Mr. Spriggs said that at one seance a spirit form, dressed in a white gown and red girdle, drank half a tumbler of water and ate a biscuit.

Weighing machines were used to ascertain the distinguishing features between the medium and the materialized forms, "and," said Mr. Spriggs, "I found that as a result of the seance I had lost about three pounds in weight." The first spirit form who stepped on the scales turned the beam at 100 pounds, but subsided so rapidly in weight as to prevent a successive record being taken. Indeed, failing to turn the scale at 80 pounds, he hurriedly retreated. Returning again, his weight was registered at 104 pounds, then 102 pounds, and then under 100 pounds.

Doctor Mueller, who was present, distinctly felt the pulsation of the forms, the medium being shown sitting on his chair immediately afterwards. Doctor Motherwell also found the beating of the heart to be quite natural.

One of the "sitters" contrived to smear his hands with printer's ink before grasping that of the materialized form. When the medium was examined, however, the skeptic was grievously disappointed to find no traces whatever of the ink which he had impressed upon the hand of the form.

A Tinge of Suspicion.

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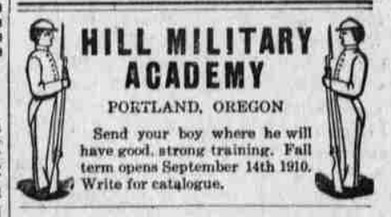

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