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Sweet Home Items

Threshing is about over in the country around Sweet Home. Not an overly large yield but sufficiently to pay for the toil.

W. S. Swink is building a new dwelling on his property in the east end of town. Mr. Bowser and son are doing the work.

A. W. Cornish and family and J. F. Malone and family returned from the fair Monday morning.

M. J. Nye gave a lawn social last Monday evening as a farewell in honor of his brother, Granville, of Eastern Oregon, who started for his home Tuesday morning. The evening was spent in general visiting and with music furnished by the Sweet Home band. Ice cream was served.

Mrs. M. W. Smead returned home Monday evening from Cascadia where she had been working in the hotel.

W. S. Swink is reported quite ill this Tuesday morning.

Dr. Bellinger received quite a surprise this week. Ask the doctor.

W. M. Watkins made a trip to Cascadia this morning.

Mrs. Geisendorfer reports no guests in the hotel at present and very few camps on the grounds, the threatening rain causing them to depart.

Dr. Bellinger took Geo. Brady to the Albany hospital Saturday where Mr. Brady was operated upon for abscess in the arm bone.

Dr. Luther has had a brick chimney built in his store. The danger of fire is lessened at that place of business.

L. K. Geil returned home from Albany Sunday.

A few of the Sweet Home people have gone to the hop fields already.

Mrs. C. W. Simons and son Percy returned home Saturday evening from a visit at Tangent and other points.

Miss Mureil Brown left this morning for Lebanon, where she goes to work.

Peaks of Nature.

Monument park, near Colorado Springs, Colo., contains some queer freaks of nature. Among the most singular is a group of light grayish-yellow sandstone pillars twenty or more feet high capped with a thin layer of dark colored rock which resemble the tops of giant mushrooms which have shriveled and partially dried up. The dark colored capping being of a much harder (ironstone) rock than the pillars has to some extent protected the latter from disintegration. Especially at nightfall is the traveler impressed with the weird effect of these gigantic and grotesque forms, which in the uncertain light assume the attitudes of huge human or animal shapes.—Argonaut.

A Life Saver.

"No," said the timid man, "I don't want any flying machines today. I'm afraid of them."
"Why, sir," said the persuasive salesman, "a flying machine might save your life."
"How?"
"You might be out riding in one when an earthquake takes place."—Washington Star.

All His Fault.

"Better lap up that split milk," said the first cat. "If the misuses sees that once you'll catch fits."
"Not me," said the second feline. "The woman I live with blames everything what happens on her husband."—Pittsburgh Post.

Much Harder.

"It is hard for one to have to live in the past," announced the melancholy man who had retired from business.
"Yes, but often it is harder to live down the past."—Buffalo Express.

Jesters must be content to taste their broth. Latin Proverb.

Careworn man has in all ages sown vanity to reap despair.—Goethe.

Money Point of View.

It was about 3 o'clock and the fading light in the art gallery of the Public Library was beginning to bother the painter woman who faced the sunset canvases with tummy palette impaled on one thumb and paint brush held hesitatingly in the other hand while she scrutinized again the intricate blending of sunset colors and backed away a few steps farther to squint at the perspective of the old whaler she was copying as it lurched in painted waves. Details of color blending, of light and shade, of form after the fashion of a painter's sensitive appreciation, undoubtedly filled her mind.

Then came thumping along the polished floor two other women. They stood for a moment in silence in front of the sunset picture. One of them raised a thick, bearded hand and rubbed the canvases with a slow feeling rub.

"Ain't it grand, Nellie?" she said. "An all hand painted too."—New York Post.

An Old Larch Tree.

Italy can boast of a larch tree the age of which is estimated to be 2,000 years. It is situated on the northern bank of Mont Chetip in the direction of the huts of Plan Veni, above Courmayeur, a few steps from the footpath that skirts the limits of the meadow and due allowance being made for the extreme slowness with which the larch grows, for the altitude above sea level (1,650 meters) at which it is rooted and for its northerly exposure in the near neighborhood of the glacier, where the cycle of its development is barely five months every year, this venerable larch, untouched alike by woodman's ax and thunderbolt, cannot be less than 2,000 years old.—Scotsman.

It is fair to assume that any boy who prefers to stay at home and cultivate corn when there is a circus in town is cut out for a farmer and that it would be injudicious to coax him into taking up any other vocation.

Pottery of Guatemala.

Remarkably good pottery is made by the natives of Guatemala. Many of the pieces show a high degree of skill and real artistic feeling, even in the making of the more useful pieces. This pottery is very palpably different from those pieces which are obvious imitations, yet are offered for sale in this country as Indian pottery. From the mounds and ruins of Guatemala, in cities and in ancient townships, many very fine specimens of pottery have been found, and these show that back in the dawn of life on this continent the residents of what is now Guatemala were most cunning artisans with the clay and kiln. They have not forgotten the art by any means, as the latter day work demonstrates very clearly.

Impossible.

"Waiter, has my friend Miller been here?"
"Miller—Miller? Oh, yes, the gentleman has just paid his bill and gone out."
"Paid his bill? Then it wasn't he?"
"Man Iacht."

Toot, Toot.



"What is the difference between last year's machine and this?"
"The horns have a different sound."
—St. Louis Globe-Democrat.

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Wednesday, September 8

No. 1. 2:30 trot, $\frac{1}{2}$ mile heats, 3 in 5 \$125
No. 2. 2:25 pace $\frac{1}{2}$ mile heats, 3 in 5 \$125
No. 3. $\frac{1}{2}$ mile dash - - - \$ 75
No. 4. $\frac{1}{2}$ mile buggy horse race for farmers, race horses barred \$ 25
No. 5. $\frac{1}{2}$ mile pony race, racing stock barred - - - \$ 10
No. 6. $1\frac{1}{2}$ mile relay race at 10:30 a. m.

Thursday, September 9

No. 7. 2:20 trot $\frac{1}{2}$ mile heats, 3 in 5 - - - \$125
No. 8. 2:18 pace, $\frac{1}{2}$ mile heats, 3 in 5 - - - \$125
No. 9. $\frac{1}{2}$ mile dash - - - \$ 75
No. 10. $\frac{1}{2}$ mile pony race, racing stock barred - - - \$ 10
No. 11. $1\frac{1}{2}$ mile relay race at 10:30 a. m.

Friday, September 10

No. 12. 2:18 trot, $\frac{1}{2}$ mile heats, 3 in 5 - \$150.00
No. 13. 2:15 pace, $\frac{1}{2}$ mile heats, 3 in 5 - \$150.00
No. 14. 1 mile dash - - - \$100.00
No. 15. $\frac{1}{2}$ mile saddle horse race for farmers - - - \$ 10.00
No. 16. $1\frac{1}{2}$ mile relay race, purse three days - - - \$100.00

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