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D. I. STONE HAS A WEIRD EXPERIENCE

D. I. Stone, owner of a ranch on the headwaters of the West Fork, the last place on the road to Lost Lake, whose home burned Saturday night, was in the city Monday morning telling a weird story of his experience during the fire. Mr. Stone was alone at his home, his family having been in the city. He sat reading in his living room Saturday night, when the fire in his stove burned low.

"I thought I would put in more wood and sit up awhile longer," he said in relating the experience, "and then I decided to let the fire go and turn in. Everything after that was a weird dream. I dimly remember, as though I were subconscious at the time, of members dropping on my bed. After that I can recall nothing except that I was dreaming that my barn was burning."

Sunday morning Mr. Stone's neighbor, Hershey Markley, saw smoke from the ruins of the burned home and hastened to the scene. He found Mr. Stone partially clothed in the hay in the barn. It was with difficulty that he was awakened, and he remembered nothing of the fire. However, flour and other articles were strewn around the burned building, showing that he had made frantic efforts to save as much of his property as possible. With a bucket he had drenched the sides of a spring house nearby. The spring house had evidently blazed at one time, for portions of it were charred. A box of dynamite caps, almost full, and enough, had they exploded to have blown the man into an unrecognizable mass, were found. Mr. Stone in his sleep had taken them from the burning house to a place of safety.

When found and aroused from his deep sleep by his neighbor, Mr. Stone was so fatigued that he could hardly stand. One of his hands was badly scratched, although no burns appeared anywhere on his body. In his efforts to save his property, his back was badly wrenched, and he felt the pain of it Monday.

A small insurance policy was carried on the destroyed home.

FIRE MAY HAVE BEEN INCENDIARY

Frank B. Gram and other members of the Volunteer fire department, because of the manner in which it started, that the fire in the two and a half story vacant house at the corner of Eighth and Columbia streets may have been of an incendiary origin. The fire, which burned its way through the wall of the building, apparently started in a closet in a stairway leading from the front hall to the second story.

But for the quick action of Walter Ford, a member of the Volunteer fire department, the house would probably have been destroyed by the fire. Mr. Ford discovered the blaze, while going home shortly after midnight. He hastened to turn in the alarm and summon the department.

The house, which has been vacant for more than a year, is owned by Charles Hart, of Portland. Mr. Gram made record speed in reaching the fire. Before Mrs. Gram could fill a sprinkler with water for the radiator of Mr. Gram's fire car, he was dressed and ready. He drove at once to the city hall. However, one of the hose carts was gone and nobody was present to direct him to the fire. He drove up and down several streets before the blaze was located.

Mrs. McClain's Experience with Croup
"When my boy, Ray, was small he was subject to the croup, and I was always alarmed at such times. Chamberlain's Cough Remedy proved far better than any other for this trouble. It always relieved him quickly. I am never without it in the house for I know it is a positive cure for croup," writes Mrs. W. R. McClain, Blairsville, Pa. For sale by all dealers.

What Old Santa Overheard
(By James Whitcomb Riley in Collier's Weekly)

"Tis said old Santa Claus one time Told this joke on himself in rhyme: One Christmas in the early din That ever leads the merry train, I heard the happy children shout In rapture at the toys turned out Of bulging little socks and shoes— A joy at which I could but choose To listen enviously, because I'm always just "Old Santa Claus." But ere my rising sigh had got To its first quaver at the thought, It broke in laughter, as I heard A little voice chirp like a bird— "Old Santa's mighty good, I know, And awful rich—and he can get Down ever' chimney anywhere In all the world!—But I don't care, I wouldn't trade with him, and he Old Santa Claus, and him be me, For all his toys and things—and know why, and let you see knows why! They was no Santa Claus when he Wuz ist a little boy like me!"

Deep-seated coughs that resist ordinary remedies require both external and internal treatment. If you buy a dollar bottle of Ballard's Horehound Syrup you get the two remedies you need for the price of one. There is a Herick's Red Pepper Porous Plaster for the chest free with each bottle. Sold by C. N. Clarke

On Co-operation
(From an Oregonian editorial)

The contemplated merger of the by-products plants of the North Yakima valley in a single cooperative association will benefit that region immensely, while it will furnish an example and incentive of the highest value to the other fruit growing areas of the northwest. The committee also proposes that the six fruit distributing agencies of the northwest shall combine, forming two only. This would naturally effect a large saving of expense and result in a concentration of effort which must prove beneficial in all directions. If two organizations can do the work of distribution, why should we support six?

Prompt Action Will Stop Your Cough
When you first catch a cold (often indicated by a sneeze or cough), break it up at once. The idea that "it does matter" often leads to serious complications. The remedy which immediately and easily penetrates the lining of the throat is the kind demanded. Dr. King's New Discovery soothes the irritation, loosens the phlegm. You feel better at once. "It seemed to reach the very spot of my cough" is one of our most honest testimonials. See at your druggist.

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O. A. C. STUDENTS TO BE CORRESPONDENTS

(By F. L. Moe in O. A. C. Barometer)

O. A. C. students will now act as correspondents for every newspaper in the state. This is a novel, yet practical and instructive scheme devised by Prof. Berchtol, of the department of English. The objects of the plan are two-fold—that of giving the students experience in journalistic work, and also of facilitating or cooperating with the work of the extension department.

The plan, briefly, is this: Each student is given a chance to choose one county of the state for his field of work. He will write such articles pertaining to happenings about the campus which may be of interest to people of his particular county and send them to each newspaper in the county. A duplicate copy of each article will be made and filed in the office of Mr. McIntosh, editor of the extension press bulletins. Before being sent to the various newspapers throughout the state each article will be censored by either Mr. McIntosh or some faculty member with whose department the article is concerned.

After a lingering illness, Chas. E. Hammond, aged 80 years, a veteran of the Civil war and a pioneer of Hood River, passed away at his home on the Heights Saturday afternoon. The funeral services were conducted Monday afternoon at the Bartmess chapel by Canby Post, G. A. R., and Mrs. G. A. Clough, interment at Idlewild cemetery following.

Mr. Hammond was born at New Bedford, Mass., in 1834. The greater portion of his life was spent in the middle west and on the Pacific coast. He served through the Civil war in Company K of the 22nd Iowa Infantry, and marched with Sherman to be sea.

Mr. Hammond came to Hood River with his family more than 20 years ago. However, he later moved to Portland, where his first wife died in 1897. He returned to Hood River five years ago and was married a second time, his widow, Mrs. Emma Hammond, surviving.

In addition to his widow, Mr. Hammond leaves surviving two daughters, Mrs. F. E. Swan and Mrs. M. J. Francis, both of whom reside here.

Mr. Hammond was the father of the late Frank Hammond, of Portland, who was a well known employe of the Portland Railway, Light & Power Co. when known throughout the state, as the largest man in Oregon.

Herman C. Smith Dies at Seaside
Herman C. Smith, well known in the Hood River valley, having spent a year here with his brother, W. G. E. Smith, died Friday, December 4, at Seaside, from an attack of pneumonia.

Mr. Smith was born in Portland in 1878. He was a graduate of Portland high school. He attended college at Stanford University and Cornell. He worked for a while in steel mills of Pittsburg, coming west later to take charge of the engineering department of the Smith & Watson Iron Works in Portland.

Mr. Smith was the second son of C. E. Smith, a pioneer foundry man of Portland. Mr. Smith was prominent in Portland club circles, having been a member of the Multnomah, Arlington, Portland Waverly Golf and University clubs.

Burial occurred Monday, December 7, at Riverview cemetery in Portland.

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Camp Condition Good, Says Erwin
Hood River, Dec. 8, 1914.
To the Editor: I have noticed articles in the local papers finding fault with the contractors engaged in building the Columbia highway in Hood River county. I probably know as much about these people and their work as anyone and wish to say to you that they are all right in every way. They are saving several thousand dollars for Hood River county and pay their men and bills promptly. They treat their men well, and nationality does not seem to make any difference to them, but a man must earn his money working for them. The only trouble with a great many men when they come to get up against the business end of a shovel and pick is that it does not agree with them.

As for feeding the men, I doubt whether there is a family in our county who put their feet under a better filled table than these people supply. I have heard the superintendent tell his foremen to always give preference to local people, with the understanding that each man must earn his money.

I am a citizen and taxpayer in this county and think it only fair to tell the truth about matters that come under my own observation.

Truly yours,
Joseph Erwin.

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DATE	Effective 12:01 A. M. Sunday, Sept. 20, 1914	DATE
No. 1	STATIONS	No. 2
A. M.		P. M.
8:00	Lv. Hood River Ar. ...	11:45
8:05	Powerdale ...	11:50
8:15	Switcheback ...	12:00
8:20	Van Horn ...	12:05
8:25	Mohr ...	12:10
8:30	Odell ...	12:15
9:00	Summit ...	12:45
9:05	Broncher ...	12:50
9:15	Winans ...	12:55
9:45	Trou Creek ...	1:00
10:00	Woodworth ...	1:05
10:15	Ar. Parkdale ... Lv. ...	11:45

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