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Debating Club Proposed

What's the matter with the intelligent portion of this community that they do not organize and carry on a literary society and debating club during the winter months? Don't they know that such an organization could be made a most effective promoter of education—not only for the school children, but for the grownups as well? The minds of those who attend and take part in its exercises would not only be profitably and pleasantly entertained during the sessions thereof, but the study of the subjects that would come up for discussion would keep them employed to a good purpose during other evenings of the week. For those members who prefer to write rather than speak it would give them an opportunity; for those who like to recite it would give them practice; for those who prefer to debate it would not only give practice, but would inspire and encourage them to study and read up on the subjects upon which they desired to make a good impression and help them to win the decision for their side of the question under discussion. And for all of these its meetings would be of great advantage as a social gathering that would be far more pleasant and profitable than spending the evenings in idleness—or worse. Teachers in the city schools would find such an organization of valuable assistance in their school work. It would assist in the moral up-growth of the community, and ought to be promoted by all who desire advancement and the promotion of civic pride and good order amongst the rising generation. Are not these things worth the serious thought of one and all?

Leo Hazel, the enterprising shoemaker, has had a show window built at the south side of his store which he is using to exhibit some of his wares.

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"SUMMER CLIMATE" AT ALTURAS?

How About the Skating On Ponds Thereabouts?

A couple of paragraphs in the last week's Alturas Republican illustrates the importance of avoiding contradictions when one starts out to exaggerate. In a paragraph entitled "There seems to be a difference in climate," the Republican calls attention to the fact that at Cedarville, in Surprise Valley, only 25 miles away, a man is engaged in outfitting up his supply of ice for the winter "which was frozen to a good thickness just back of Cedarville in the canyon," which seems to the Republican scribe to be very remarkable, because, he says at Alturas they have been "enjoying almost a summer climate. Even the leaves on some of the trees in Edward's nursery are still green." A truly remarkable climate they must have at our neighboring town of Alturas, to be sure. Green trees in mid-winter! Isn't that wonderful! And just across the divide in Surprise Valley they are putting up their winter's supply of ice!

Our good neighbor might have made his story so but for the fact that in the adjoining column, on his local page, appeared the following paragraph: "The young folks have been having a goodly store of amusement of late in skating. Some of the ponds near town are frozen over so as to make this a most pleasant."

Now one of two things must be true: either friend Shartel must have cribbed that last item from the Cedarville paper without credit, or it refers to local conditions. It is "up to him" to explain. Where does the summer climate of Alturas come in?

Acting Governor Olcott

Capital Journal: Secretary of State Olcott is serving a term as acting governor of Oregon.

He is in this position as an honor man, a kind of trusty, by grace of Governor West.

In the absence of the governor from the state he becomes acting governor for a week or so.

There is no doubt but that Governor West will treat his case with leniency, and probably parole him.

There is no danger of Olcott making a get-away, or of the governor having to bring him in with a Winchester.

Olcott has talents for the lot and has done all the usual stunts of the governor's office in the past week.

He has given out newspaper interviews, granted requisitions and expressed sympathy for a poor woman and her baby.

He has visited the convict camp, ate a meal with the prisoners, and boosted the good roads proposition.

Altogether Olcott has upheld the flag of state, and kept his hand on the tiller and cash box.

Moros Slaughtered

Lanao, Mindanao, P. I., Dec. 14.—Forty-two Moro outlaws were killed here today in an engagement with a detachment of American scouts. There were no fatalities on the American side. The battle occurred in connection with the campaign for suppressing organized brigandage among the Moros. The disarmament of the entire Moro population of Mindanao and Jolo was ordered by the American military authorities three months ago following a number of murderous attacks on Americans.

A large number of people were present last Saturday afternoon at the Willis Furniture Company's auction sale. Many articles have been disposed of since the sale started, at exceedingly low prices.

Suicidal Turkeys

Chico, Cal.—Mrs. Fannie Boydston, residing on the Bell ranch, four miles north of Chico, on the Nord road, is the owner of a band of 1100 turkeys that seem to have suicidal inclinations. Already thirty-six of the birds have come to a tragic end by permitting nesting trains to run over them. Watch is being kept on the birds for fear that they will all display signs of self-destrorying inclination.

The Southern Pacific tracks run through the Bell ranch. Mrs. Boydston and her neighbors have witnessed a number of turkeys fly straight at the sides of a passing train. The blow stuns the bird and in falling is drawn under the train and, of course is killed.

The voluntary death of the birds is the talk of the neighborhood. Most bands of turkeys are scary and stay away from moving objects. Last week eight of the birds lost their lives in this manner while the owner of the fowls and her friends witnessed the unheard of action of the birds.

What particular fascination a moving train seems to have for the turkeys is a matter which is causing some serious thinking among those who have had time to discuss matters educational.

Earthquake in Mexico

Mexico was badly shaken up on the 15th, resulting in the loss of many lives and the destruction of much property in all parts of the country. At Mexico City the quake caused a panic but did no considerable damage. It is reported that President Madero laughed as he stood at a window of the capitol watching the people run in fright when the earth began to shake.

A \$250,000 Orchard Deal

The largest orchard deal in the Rogue River Valley has just been consummated. Dr. F. C. Page has sold the famous Suncrest orchard near Talent to H. R. Cambell—a capitalist with large property holdings in Milwaukee and Minneapolis—for a quarter of a million dollars. He will probably subdivide it as it was planted in that view.

The property contains 31,000 trees covering 461 acres—of which 140 acres in full bearing is said to be the most perfectly grown block of trees in the Pacific Northwest. There are also 300 acres of young pear trees of which 100 acres have peach fillers.

The equipment of the property is ideal—having a large ranch house, two barns, packing house, teams and a full line of machinery necessary for its care. The fall work has been carried on consistently and the ranch is now in perfect shape. The location is one and a half miles from Talent and the sloping hillside gives it not only perfect soil and air drainage but overlooks the valley for miles.

Patterson ranches, now the Suncrest orchards—have been known for years among the greatest producers of agricultural products in the valley. As a fruit ranch the Suncrest orchards is now and will be in the future one of the great show places that will command the attention of the public. Ashland Record.

Investigates Sugar Rise

Washington, Dec. 15.—An investigation to determine why the price of sugar was increased several cents a pound last Summer was begun today by the House committee appointed to investigate sugar conditions.

Letters were sent to all the cane and beet refineries in the United States requiring sworn statements showing the cost of refining per year for the last five years, the cost of each consignment of raw sugar purchased this year, the amount of raw sugar on hand July 1, 1911, and its cost. The amount of raw sugar contracted for and not delivered July 1, 1911, with dates of delivery, and the number of pounds of refined sugar in stock or owned by the refiners July 1.

The beet sugar companies also are

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Woman's Outfitter Lakeview, Oregon

required to tell the number of tons of raw sugar were contracted for prior to July 1, and that the sharp rise in price during the Summer resulted in large profits for the refiners.

Many members of the special committee, of which Representative Harwood, of Georgia, is chairman, have expressed the belief that all stocks of

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