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ACCIDENTAL GREATNESS.

It is a trite saying that many valuable discoveries have resulted from mere accident. The history of the arts and sciences has demonstrated the truth of the proposition.

A sudden impulse, an idea, an inspiration if you choose to call it, that may have had its origin in an accident but for which the world would have remained ignorant of the genius, may even of the existence of some man of marvelous literary ability.

Shakespeare's wild ways when a youth brought him into disgrace in his town, causing him to abandon his trade of wool carding and to join a company of players.

A sentence uttered by Moliere's grandfather led the young man to turn from a life of dissipation and prepare for the stage.

Instances like these may be multiplied indefinitely; in fact the history of men of letters abounds in them, and one who reflects on the subject at all cannot fail to come to the conclusion that poets, philosophers and historians, as well as inventors, have frequently been started on the road to fame by accident.

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"Tristram Shandy" he offered it to a publisher for £50, but the offer was declined. The sermon in that eccentric work had been published years before, but it found neither purchasers nor readers.

Gambling on the Cars.

A railroad man told a reporter the other day the following incident of travel on the O. & C. railroad: "I was coming from Portland last week," said he, "when I became acquainted in a Pullman car with a tourist from New York."

The Baby Crop.

The statement was recently published that a woman at Corsicana, Tex., had given birth to six children, and it was followed by the news from Milbury, Mass., that Mrs. Frank de Groote of that place had given birth to four girl babies.

All For Christianity.

It is probable the co-workers of Moody, Studd and Burke, will return to this city after a short time. It might be stated in relation to these diligent workers that they are performing this work of evangelizing from purely religious motives.

A Fine Piece of Work.

The West Shore for January is to be one of the finest issues that successful journal has known. This edition is to be devoted to Salem and many superior illustrations, have been prepared for it.

MARRIED.

TOWLE-JUDSON - At Turner, Monday, Dec. 31, Josiah Towle and Miss Alice M. Judson, Rev. F. H. Calder officiating.

PEHERSON-CLARK - In Salem, Wednesday, Jan. 2nd, at 5 p. m., O. M. Peherson and Ottella Clark, Rev. P. R. Burnett officiating.

THE FARMERS' INSTITUTE.

Program For Their Session in This City January 3-4.

Beginning at seven o'clock this evening the Farmers' Institute will hold a session in the senate chamber of the Capitol, in this city.

The first one was conducted at Corvallis, and the remaining ones will be at Roseburg and Hillsboro. There are to be four sessions during the meeting here.

This meeting should not be confounded with the Farmers' Congress which meets in this city on the second Monday of January.

FRIDAY, 9 A. M. Music: Grasses and Meadows - Rev. O. Dickinson; The Dairy Cow and Butter Making - W. W. Baker.

FRIDAY, 2 P. M. Music: Success With Strawberries - A. F. Davidson; Dairying - Hon. Thos. Paulsen; Bee Culture - Prof. W. W. Bristow; Guernsey Cattle - J. Minto.

FRIDAY, 7 P. M. Music: Fruit Culture - S. A. Clark; Co-operation Among Farmers - J. B. Botse.

Brooks - Robertson Wedding.

After the ceremonies at the church on New Year day, the bride and groom, together with the relatives of the two parties and a few friends were most royally entertained at the residence of the bride's aunt, Mrs. Ellen Bagley, and at which time the happy young couple received a number of beautiful and appropriate presents.

"After Swinburne."

"Mine eyes to my eyelids cling thickly, My tongue feels a mouthful and more, My senses are sluggish and sickly, To live and to breathe is a bore."

After Swinburne these lines may be, a long way after for that matter, by what a description of the man whose bowels are constive, liver disordered, blood out of sorts.

Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription cures all those peculiar weakness incident to females.

Can you imagine any ailment that will make a good natured person so peevish, dissatisfied, ill tempered and cranky as biliousness? There is no reason, whatever, why anyone should suffer from indigestion, dyspepsia, torpid liver and loss of appetite, when Dr. Henley's Dandelion Tonic, which everyone knows is a certain cure, can be so easily obtained.

Another house for sale on the installment plan (10 cents per payment) by the Capital Adventure Co. A nice summer resort is this, constructed of boxes of bluing at 10c per box.

Nasal Catarrh is probably one of the most disagreeable ailments that a person can be afflicted with. If DuRoi's Specific is used with a douche or even sniffed up the nose, according to directions, morning and evening, a radical cure can in most cases be effected.

STATE OF OHIO, City of Toledo } Lucas County, S. S.

Frank J. Cheney makes oath that he is the senior partner of the firm of F. J. Cheney & Co. doing business in the city of Toledo, county and state aforesaid, and that said firm will pay the sum of one hundred dollars for each and every case of catarrh that cannot be cured by the use of Hall's Catarrh Cure.

Sworn before me and subscribed in my presence, this 6th day of December, A. D. '88.

A. W. GLEASON Notary Public.

Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally and acts directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. Send for testimonials, free.

La Grande wants a street railway. Gardiner is to have a new saw mill.

Never Give Up. If you suffer with asthma, bronchitis, or any other disease of the throat or lungs, nothing can surprise you more than the rapid improvement that will follow the use of Santa Abia.

W. D. Sult, Druggist, Bippus, Ind., testifies: "I can recommend Electric Bitters as the very best remedy. Every bottle sold has given relief in every case."

Jacksonville is indulging in a revival.

The Verdict Unanimous.

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Lakeview wants to incorporate as a city.

TO CONSUMPTIVES.

The undersigned having been restored to health by simple means, after suffering several years with a severe lung affection, and that dread disease consumption, is anxious to make known to his fellow sufferers the means of cure.

Baker City is to have a telephone system.

A Woman's Discovery.

"Another wonderful discovery has been made and that too by a lady in this county. Disease fastened its clutches upon her and for several years she withstood its severest tests, but her vital organs were undermining and death seemed imminent."

Jacksonville public schools have 170 pupils.

Are We to Have Another War?

Some political prophets aver that we shall. Be that as it may, the battle waged by medical science against disease will never cease until we arrive at that utopian epoch when the human family shall cease to be afflicted with bodily ailments.

The total taxable property of Union county is \$4,576,765.

An Absolute Cure.

The ORIGINAL ABIEPTIN OINTMENT is only put up in large two-ounce tin boxes, and is an absolute cure for old sores, burns, wounds, chapped hands, and all skin eruptions.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

Advertisement for Boots and Shoes, featuring an image of a boot and the text 'BOOTS SHOES'.

Advertisement for WM. BROWN & CO. Dealers in Leather and Findings! CASH PAID FOR Wools, Hides, Pelts and Furs.

Advertisement for Fruit Farms of Ten to Forty Acres!!! CONVENIENT TO TWO RAILROADS. The soil and location are especially adapted to growing PEARS, PRUNES, AND OTHER FRUITS.

Advertisement for The Very Best Land For Fruit Growing!!! ONE HOURS DRIVE FROM SALEM. The canneries of SALEM, WOODBURN and ALBANY are at easy of access.

Advertisement for THE BEST STOCK OF STOVES IN THE CITY IS AT R. M. WADE & CO'S 282 to 286 Commercial Street, SALEM.

Advertisement for GARLAND STOVES AND RANGES. Garland Stoves, Charter Oak Stoves, Brighton Range AND MANY OTHER LEADING STYLES.

Advertisement for KRAUSSE & KLEIN'S BOOTS AND SHOES. It will be to the people's interest to examine their stock of Shoes and boots before buying.