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JIM-JAM VALLEY.

Strange and Terrible Features of a Mirage in Southern California.

"In the secluded Jim-Jam valley, of the San Bernardino mountains, remarked Joe Joachinson, the pioneer of the San Bernardino, to a reporter of the San Francisco Examiner, 'there are the most marvelous mirages known to the world.'

"The wonderful mirages of the Mojave desert have been talked about a great deal, and they are entitled to all the prominence they have had. But those of the Jim-Jam valley are far more wonderful than these.

"It is called Jim-Jam valley because of the strange things seen there, and I defy any man, however sound of mind he may be, to go in there and not think he has got 'em before he gets out.

"This valley is about twenty-five miles long by fifteen wide. It is uninhabited. It is bordered by the main San Bernardino range on the east and by a spur of the Sierra Magdalenas on the west. There is no well-defined trail through the heart of it. The valley is a desert. The surrounding mountains are terribly jagged. Altogether the surroundings are very weird and forbidding.

"Leaving Fisk's ranch on a trail at the foot of the Sierra Magdalenas, you climb an easy grade to Dead Man's pass, the entrance to the valley.

"Go on in and pretty soon you see lakes and running rivers, and green borders, and flying water fowl. Willows spring up here and there and in the distance you see water lilies.

"What you behold contrasts finely with the rugged mountains, and you are charmed with it, and go on thinking you have struck an earthly paradise. Indian camps appear in view, and the oarsmen propel fantastic craft upon the waters. Advancing still further, you see dim outlined forms you can hardly express in words.

"Sombre countenances gleam at you from the air above. The lakes and rivers and pallid face shift and change before your eyes. Sometimes a dozen of the more or less dimly outlined forms may be seen, and the pantomime reminds you of a strange hobgoblin dance.

"Sometimes a storm brews in the valley, and then the scene is all the more terrible. Forked lightning blazes about, and strange uncouth animals, differing from any you have read about, are to be seen there.

"These phenomena are seen for a stretch of about fifteen miles up and down the middle of the valley principally, and they have been viewed by a great many people. They cannot understand why the forms of the mirage, if such it may be called, are so much more strange than on the Mojave desert.

"Everybody is in awe of the valley, and there are mighty few men, however nifty they may be ordinarily, who care to go there much."

A Good Word for Oregon.

The New York Sun in a recent issue says: 'What a glorious country we have! What a bounding resource we enjoy. Here are the dispatches from Oregon about the opening of new timber ranges in the Cascade mountains. We are told that the Cascades, which have been opened up by a new railroad, are covered with magnificent forests of majestic growth, forests of cedar, larch, fir, myrtle, laurel, oak, ash, sugar, pine, cabinet maple, and other valuable trees that are ready for all uses known to the arts, and that constitute a variety of lumber surpassing that found in any other part of the United States, even Michigan, Maine or Georgia. We are also told that mineral belts of coal mines have been discovered in the same region, and that the fertile farming lands but await the hand of industry to give abundant crops of cereals. We are disposed to believe these wonderful reports from Oregon. All that the state requires for the speedy development of its resources is population. It can sustain twenty million of people besides the half million now living there.

"Pat, have ye seen Terry this mornin'?"

"Terry? What Terry?"

"Dysentery, ye fool," yelled Mike with delight.

"Well, this is a purty good sell anyhow," said Pat, "but whisht, here comes Jimmy. Ye say nothin' now and watch me sell him warras than I war. Heow air ye Jimmy, and have ye seen Terry this mornin'?"

"What Terry?"

"Why—um—ah—um—ah—um—ah—diarrhea, ye dand fool.—Argus.

You Cannot do Better Than call at the Grange Store, 126 State street, if you want a good tea or anything else in the grocery line. Don't fail to look at the White Cross Extracts, the best in the market.

A Good Cup of Coffee Is a great attraction for a restaurant. The coffee drawn from Hellenbrand's Patent Coffee Machine is one of the most Great Attractions of his eating parlors. Thousands of cups of his excellent coffee are sold every week. And as for oysters and meals he cannot be equalled in the state.

LIVE LODGE No. 18, I. O. O. F., meets in Odd Fellows' Hall up stairs, Corner Commercial and Ferry streets, every Saturday at 7:30 p. m. JAS. WALTON, Secretary.

A Seasonable Hint. Genuine new buckwheat flour, and a fine article of table syrup, at the Grange store, 126 State street, Salem.

Persons wishing to improve their memories or strengthen their power of attention should send to Prof. Louisette, 237 Fifth Ave., N. Y. for his prospectus post free, as advertised in another column. No 8, St. W. Cox.

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S. J. McCORMICK, Editor Catholic Sentinel.

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Townsend, Ar. 11:48

McKenzie, Ar. 11:40

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Specialties in Table Luxuries, Fine Tea, and Coffee, Creamery Butter, Cream Cheese, etc.

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A CARD: For three years I have been a sufferer from various ailments, and for the past ten years I have been a sufferer from chronic rheumatism and nervous debility. In this condition I came to Drs. Darrin, and I am happy to say I have been restored to health again, and I cheerfully recommend them to the public.

MRS. J. MARTIN, Olex, Oregon.

SORE EYES CURED.

EDGEMO, OR. Feb. 23, 1889. MR. EDITOR: My little girl 5 years old has been for the past eight or nine months afflicted with granulated conjunctivitis, complicated with ulcers on the eye ball. I had her treated by some of the most prominent physicians in Chicago, where I resided before coming here, but without success. The child was getting worse every day. Hearing of Drs. Darrin, I consulted them in regard to her case, and now, after three weeks, she is pronounced practically cured. Refer to me at Springfield, Oregon.

D. J. Graham.

CROSS EYES STRAIGHTENED.

SALEM, OR., January, 1889.

TO THE PUBLIC: It affords me pleasure to say that Drs. Darrin cured my little girl, 11 years old, of a very bad cast or cross of the right eye. The eye was straightened as good as ever in two operations. The eye had been in a crossed condition for more than seven years. This is not intended for an advertisement, but as an expression of gratitude due to Drs. Darrin for their careful and proficient work.

J. B. TICHENOR.

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EDITOR—Dear Sir: I have been troubled with deafness for over fifteen years. I applied to the Drs. Darrin, and after a few treatments by their wonderful electro-magnetic method of treatment, my hearing was entirely restored, and now I can hear my watch tick for the first time in many years. I can be restored to and seen in regard to my case at any time at Howell Prairie, or address me at Macleay, Oregon.

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E. Balldridge Munday Esq., County Atty., Clay county, Texas, says: "Have used Electric Bitters with most happy results. My brother also was very low with Malaria fever and Jaundice, but was cured by timely use of this medicine. Am satisfied Electric Bitters saved his life."

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This great remedy will ward off, as well as cure all malarial diseases, and for all kidney, liver and stomach disorders stands unequalled. Price 50c and \$1. at H. W. Cox's.

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THE BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS for the sale of school and university lands, and for the investment of the funds arising therefrom for the State of Oregon, invite sealed applications for the cash purchase of that portion of the Myers addition to the city of Salem yet belonging to the state and containing fifty acres, more or less, including streets. The right to reject any and all bids is reserved by the Board.

Bids will be opened at 2 o'clock p. m. at a regular meeting of the Board on Tuesday, March 20th, 1889.

SYLVESTER PENNOYER, 622 W. MORRIS,

G. W. WEBB,

Board of Commissioners.

NAPOLEON DAVIS, Clerk of Board.

PROFESSIONAL CARDS.

J. J. JENNINGS D. D. S.—DENTIST—Office in the New Bank Block, Commercial street, Salem. Sign of the big tooth.

PHYSICIAN—MRS. DR. M. E. MCCOY, physician and surgeon, has located and taken rooms over Squire Parker's grocery store. Chronic diseases a specialty. Consultation free. 12-21-89

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—Something is Going to Drop at— BODWELL'S NEW SHOE STORE,

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We contemplate a change of business soon, and will therefore make Sweeping Reductions in certain line of Boots and shoes in order to reduce our stock to a minimum. We want Money! You need Boots and Shoes. Come and examine goods and prices and see if it will not pay you to lay in one or two years supply at the prices we offer.

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That ever came to Salem. Also our stock of boots and shoes, hats, laces and embroideries is very complete and will be sold at our usual low prices. Come and see us.

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NOTICE.

P. J. LARSEN, THE RELIABLE Wagon maker, has moved to 45 State street, having removed his shop from the old stand, 310 Commercial street, on account of the erection of the new brick. Mr. Larsen will be pleased to see his old customers and as many new ones as will share their patronage with him, at his new location. All work guaranteed. Next to Seiber's & Pohl's shop. 1-27-89.

THE OLD RELIABLE

Blacksmith and Wagon maker, John Knight is now fully established at his new quarters on Liberty Street. He uses all the new methods in his art and makes a specialty of diseases of horses, feet. Frank Lynch has charge of the wagon department and does a general repairing business. These gentlemen are too well known for us to try and recommend them as Mr. Knight has been here for 15 years.

BLACKSMITHING and HORSESHOEING

SCRIBER & POHLE

Have moved to 37 and 39 State street, where they are now ready for work. All our old patrons and friends are invited to call and see us. In our new location, we are better prepared for work than ever having secured more room. 10-1-89.

BLACKSMITHING and WAGONMAKING.

JOHN HOLM, THE OLD RELIABLE

Blacksmith, has removed his shop to corner of Commercial and Chemekete Sts., where he is ready to serve the public. Having associated with him Mr. R. Bantion, an experienced wagon-maker recently from Portland, he is now prepared better than ever to do all kinds of wagon and carriage making and repairing, all kinds of blacksmithing and shoeing, and a general horseshoeing business. He has all kinds of shoes, steel, trotting, hand made, etc., and fits them in a scientific manner. Special attention given to the construction of wagons and carriages. Remember the place, opposite State Insurance building.

I am prepared to turn out fine hand-made buggies, wagons, etc., on quick time and in the best style. Call and see some of the gigs I have made, and when wishing to purchase you will know where to apply.

—E. S. Lamport.—

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