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RETARD INVENTIONS.

Erasmus Winman, on the subject of telegraphs and telephones, in an address recently said, among other things, that it was a great blessing that the telegraph and telephone were early discovered.

DREAMS OF A HASHEESH SMOKER.

Science describes the experiences of a gentleman who placed himself under the influence of a hashesh. He smoked it until he felt a profound sense of a well-being, and then put the pipe aside.

During the last session of congress the sum of \$200,000 was appropriated for the establishment of a zoological garden in Washington.

THE WORLD AND CHANCE. How often might a man after he had jumbled a set of letters into a bag bring them out upon the ground before they would fall into an exact poem, yea, or so much as make a good discourse in prose.

A QUESTION of geographical interest arises out of the bursting of the Johnstown dam. The plains of the Unger Indus are said to be strewn with angular blocks—not rolled by ordinary river action—and their presence has been explained by the supposition that huge land slides, having from time to time formed dams across the mouths of mountain gorges in lower Cashmir, created temporary lakes, and that when these pent-up waters, overtopping the dam, let themselves loose, they were mixed with sufficient earth to form a flood of density enough to carry with it debris equal to glacial moraines.

Very Good.

The following was "swiped" from an exchange: "I would flee from the city's rule and law—from its fashion and bosoms cut loose—and go where the strawberry grows on the straw; and the gooseberry grows on the goose; where the catnip tree is climbed by the cat as she clutches for her prey—the guileless and unsuspecting rat, on the rattan bush at play. I will watch at ease the saffron cow and the cowlet in their glee, as they leap from bough to bough on the top of a crowslip tree; and list while the partridge drums his drum, and the woodcock chuckles his wood, and the dog devours the dog-wood plum in the primitive solitude. Oh, let me drink from the moss-grown pump that was hewn from a pumpkin tree! Eat mush and milk from a rural stump, from form and fashion free—new gathered mush from the mushroom vine, and milk from the milkweed sweet—with luscious pine apples from the pine! Such food as the gods might eat! And then to the white-washed dairy I'll turn, where the dairymaid hushing lies, her ruddy and golden red butter to churn from the milk of her butterflies; and I'll rise at morn with the earliest bird, to the fragrant farm yard pass, and watch while the farmer turns his herd of grasshoppers out to grass.

Apples For Pigs.

A prominent fruit grower who used to feed about 300 hogs each year, said that he always feeds his hogs plenty of apples and he never lost a hog with cholera, and he believes it can be prevented by eating apples. If it is not convenient to give the hogs the orchard it will be found profitable to gather up all the wind-falls and apples not used and feed them, attending to it daily.

Birds Indispensable.

The more this subject is investigated, the more convincing are the facts in favor of the birds. The vast amount of good done by these little beings is quite surprising. A large number of birds in any place means the daily destruction of vast numbers of insects. These industrious little creatures work every day and usually all day, continually on the lookout for insects. Buffon tells how the Isle of Bourdon was overrun with locusts accidentally introduced in the soil in which certain plants were bedded. A few pairs of the Indian grebe (similar to the crow blackbird) were introduced and soon brought the locusts into subjection. The colonists, seeing these birds at work boring into the ground after locusts, thought it was grain they were after, and destroyed them all. The locusts soon increased to such an extent that more grebe were introduced and protected by laws, and the insects were soon brought under control again.

The World and Chance.

How often might a man after he had jumbled a set of letters into a bag bring them out upon the ground before they would fall into an exact poem, yea, or so much as make a good discourse in prose. And may not a little book be as easily made by chance as this great volume of the world? How long might a man be sprinkling colors upon canvas with a careless hand before they could happen to make the exact picture of a man? And is man easier made by chance than his picture? How long might twenty thousand blind men, who should be sent out from several remote places in our country, wander up and down before they would meet upon the Rappahannock and fall into rank and file in the exact order of an army? And yet this is more easy to be imagined than how the innumerable blind parts of matter should rendezvous themselves into a world.

Picnic Courtship.

When summer fair her claims display And wild flowers gem the lawn, And minstrel are woodland ways With songbirds' melodies, The gentle maid, in white arrayed, Then to the picnic goes, And help to make the lemonade And serve the entard pies, She walks with John o'er mead and fen And plucks the daisies white And hears his vows of love and she Returns "engaged" at night.

"SCRAPS."

Give work rather than alms to the poor. The former drives out indolence, the latter industry.—Burke.

The question is asked, what is the difference between worsted cloth and woolen cloth? The answer is: Worsteds are composed of wool that has been carded and combed, while woolen goods are composed of wool that has been carded but not combed.

A sharp fadist is making a good income by advertising a sure method of killing all insects. When you send him 50 cents you will receive a printed card on which are these words: "Get your insects to smoke cigars, and they will die in an hour. So long."

Bessie—You refused Mr. de Tompe? Why, any other girl would jump at an offer from him. Maud (just graduated)—Oh, I know his handsome, but I could never marry such an ignorant man. Why, I asked him a few questions about the differentiation in protoplasmic molecular vibrates, and do you know all he said was, "I suppose so!"

It is soberly related that a youthful married couple whose house has recently been glorified by the addition of a fashinette of the beautiful little mother decided to have the christening service at home. A venerable minister was called to officiate. He took the babe in his arms very affectionately and addressed a few words of advice to the young parents. "See that you train up this child in the way that it should go; that you surround him with the best influences, and that you give him a good example. If you do so, who knows but he may become a John Wesley or a George Whitefield? What is his name?" "Nellie, sir" replied the mother.

Solves a Great Mystery.

The belle in the choir often brings more people to church than the bell in the steeple.

Take Hood's Sarsaparilla 100 Doses One Dollar

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His Preference.

"We have elegant water here," said a Chicago merchant to a visitor. "Yes." "It can't be beat in the country." "Perhaps not; but I prefer Cincinnati water." "Why?" "Because it's so poor that nearly everybody gives you beer."

Electric Bitters.

This remedy is becoming so well known and so popular as to need no special mention. All who have used Electric Bitters sing the same song of praise.—A purer medicine does not exist and it is guaranteed to do all that is claimed. Electric Bitters will cure all diseases of the Liver and Kidneys, will remove Pimples, Boils, Salt Rheum and other affections caused by impure blood. Will drive Malaria from the system and prevent as well as cure all Malaria fevers.—For cure of Headache, Consumption and Indigestion try Electric Bitters—Entire satisfaction guaranteed, or money refunded.—Price 50 cts. and \$1.00 per bottle at Daniel J. Fry's drugstore.

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Bucklen's Arnica Salve.

The best salve in the world for cuts, bruises, sores, ulcers, salt rheum, fever sores, tetter, chapped hands, chilblains, corns and all skin eruptions, and positively cures piles or no pay required. It is guaranteed to give perfect satisfaction, or money refunded. Price 25 cents per box.

Sunday school teacher—We are told here that the prophet reat his clothes. Why did he do that? Tommy Spaulding—Perhaps he couldn't afford to buy 'em.

How's This?

Whoever One Hundred Dollars reward for any case of Cataract that cannot be cured by taking Hall's Cataract Cure. F. J. Cheney & Co., proprietors, Toledo, O. We, the undersigned, have known F. J. Cheney for the last 15 years, and believe him perfectly honorable in all business transactions, and financially able to carry out any obligations made by his firm.

The Sahara. M. Terry, one of the engineers on the Sahara railroad, now being constructed by France, reports a curious discovery of great archeological value. Coming upon a mound of sand, he had dug into and found a tower, which proved to be the top of a dome, and digging deeper, the tower proved to belong to a mosque entirely embedded in the sand.

Drummer (joking with fellow traveler on an Illinois railroad train)—I was in Pekin on Monday, in Cairo on Wednesday, Paris to-day, and to-morrow I'll be in Chicago. That's rapid transit for you. English Tourist (not posted on Illinois towns, matters to himself), Begad, what a Metchausse!

The immediate symptoms of Dyspepsia, or Indigestion, are a distressing sense of weight, oppression and fullness in the stomach, heartburn, loss of appetite, foul breath, belching, flatulency, nausea pains in the shoulders and breast. Dr. Henley's Dandelion Tonic promotes healthy digestion and removes all unhealthy symptoms. Sold by D. W. Mathews.

The man who bequeathed half of his estate to his wife "as long as she remained single after his death," with a provision that the other half be given her in case she married again, "as it costs more to keep two than one," was a daisy.

The Age of Modern Man. People are fond of saying that "Auntie is growing wiser and weaker." But is it really so? Let us glance at the facts. According to the latest statistics there are more centenarians now living than at any previous time in the history of the world. Why? Because of the great discoveries in medical science which afford him immunity from diseases that formerly devastated mankind.

A Liberal Request. Landlady—My poor father died ten years ago to-day. Sympathetic Boarder—Indeed! What business was he engaged in? "He was the owner of an extensive dairy." "Ah! And I suppose that he bequeathed to you the butter you have been using for several months. Visitor—That engine acts very queerly, it seems to me. Engineer—Quite likely, sir. It has an eccentric rod.

An Automatic Novel Reader. It is suggested that, among other things, the phonograph may be used as an automatic novel reader, with each character speaking, as it were, in propria persona. That is, the phonograph may be produced with the various voices as in nature, all the reflections of persons, sorrow, sympathy, ridicule and sarcasm, and songs, etc., uttered to it originally by professional elocutionists, dialecticians and singers.

The Best Residence Localities In the city of Portland and other prosperous towns are those owned by men or corporations who have the disposition and ability to improve them.

HIGHLAND ADDITION

-IS OWNED BY-

THE OREGON LAND COMPANY!

And this Corporation is determined to

Make It The Most Attractive Addition

Of Oregon. They have at this time fifteen teams employed and the contemplated improvements have scarcely begun. It is intended to make the drive leading from Commercial street through Riverside and Highland additions and around Highland Park

THE FINEST DRIVE IN THE STATE

Of Oregon. The line of the Salem Street Railway Company runs through the middle of this addition, and no lots will be more than two blocks distant from the line. Highland Park will in the near future be

THE MOST POPULAR RESORT

ABOUT THE CITY OF SALEM.

Lots in Highland Addition are High and Dry and Well Located; Most Excellent Drainage

The soil is black and rich. From all points a fine view is obtained of the public buildings and our highest mountain peaks. Arrangements are already being made for the location of two churches in this addition, and a number of residences are soon to be built. Buildings only of the best class will be permitted. Residence lots within the limits of the city of Salem are worth on an average over \$1000. We can sell you better lots in Highland addition for one-third of the money, and being directly on the line of the street railway they are practically not half so far from the public buildings and the business part of the town as the majority of the so-called "inside lots."

Buy a Lot in Highland Addition for Three Hundred Dollars,

And let some other fellow pay \$1000 for an inferior lot not so well located. With the difference of \$700 you can build a beautiful cottage, or put it out at a rate of interest that will buy you nearly two thousand street car tickets every year.

OVER 6,000,000 people believe that it

Ferry's Seeds

SEE HERE! If there is anyone in the whole state of Oregon who wants to return to the east he should read this advertisement: "Who is H. H. Warner, of Rochester, N. Y., whose Safe Remedies, especially Warner's Safe Cure, have attained such success and celebrity at home and abroad?"

A PUBLIC BENEFACTOR.

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The question is inspired as much by affection as curiosity, since through his instrumentality hundreds of thousands, in both hemispheres, have been restored to health and happiness.

Hon. H. H. Warner, then, is a leading and honored resident of Rochester, not only, but a prominent and influential citizen of the United States.

The yellow fever scourge in the South, the Ohio floods, the fire disasters of Rochester and other cities awakened his profoundest sympathies and in each instance his check for from \$500 to \$5,000 swelled the several relief funds.

His charities are as ready and magnificent as his enterprises and public spirit are boundless.

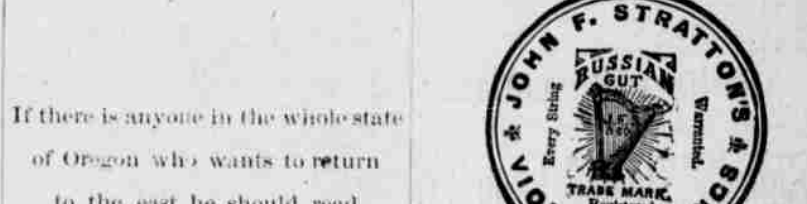
The world has need of more such men.

An incident led him into the manufacture of medicine. Seized some twelve years ago with what the ablest physicians termed fatal kidney disease, he was miraculously restored to health by what is now known as Warner's Safe Cure.

The merit of a production is in exact keeping with the character of its producer. An honest and reliable man himself, Mr. Warner makes honest and reliable medicines—a fact abundantly attested by their phenomenal efficacy and popularity.

JOHN F. STRATTON & SON

Importers and Wholesale dealers in MUSICAL MERCHANDISE, New York, 43 and 45 Walker St.—John F. Stratton's Celebrated Russian Violin strings, the Finest in the World.



Our Guarantee—if a dealer receives a complaint, (which he believes to be honest) from any musician to whom he has sold any of these strings, he is authorized by us to give him another string without charge, and all such loss will be made good by us to our customers, without quibble or question. (Beware of imitation.) Dealers will please send for descriptive catalogue. Trade supplied at lowest price.

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