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The Weather.

Tonight and tomorrow, fair.

WHAT THE BOARD IS FOR.

It is unfortunate that the state board of health has seen fit to allow itself to be drawn into the medical war of which we treated yesterday. Possibly the person at Salem, who died under the treatment of an osteopath, might have lived longer, if treated by a practitioner of the regular school. But even if it be assumed that this was within the proper province of the board, it is nevertheless bad policy for the board to take aggressive action in cases of this kind. The people are demanding and expecting of the state board of health the prosecution of such investigations, and the establishment of such regulations as will decrease the ravages of typhoid and other infectious and contagious diseases. Agitation at two legislative assemblies has shown that public opinion will not support the attempt of regular physicians to declare by law that osteopaths shall not practice their professions. There is a demand that some liberty be left to the individual in the choice of the person who shall or shall not treat the disease of himself and members of his family. All attempts to curtail this liberty by invoking the aid of the law serve merely to prejudice the public mind against the regular physicians. When the state board of health was created there was no thought of its assuming the position of a prosecutor of healers not regularly licensed. This is a matter more properly within the powers and duties of a prosecuting attorney, and the state board of health will improve its usefulness by spending its time on questions involving the right to practice medicine. The right to pure water and pure food is a much more timely subject for investigation. —Telegram.

Strong's Restaurant

Use spring water on their tables. Why not go there and get something cool on these warm days.

Trib for sale at Daniel Fry's.

JOURNAL X-RAYS.

When Sam Morris plays ball it is "the music of the spheres."

There isn't a boy in town, but can tell you what the 30th of August stands for.

The bass fishing in the Willamette is good now. So are the bass; they won't bite on Sunday.

It is explained that the watermelon gets the water inside of it, because it is planted in the spring.

Physicians claim that typhoid fever lurks in well water—but if it is well water, how can it have anything the matter with it?

It looks like a man's freedom was somewhat curtailed, when he has to die according to the rules laid down by the state board of health.

When a stranger sees a lot of pretty girls riding in a car labeled "state prison," he naturally wonders what they have been sent up for.

What's the matter with the bicycle-sidewalk controversy. Nobody has had anything to say about it for three whole days; yesterday, today and tomorrow.

There is no panic in Wall street. That monogamy has resumed its normal condition. The big fellows find the fat out of the small ones, but it was only a small fry fry.

The pretty young ladies who accidentally hit the young fellow with a wad or two of paper on the way home from Portland Sunday night, may be pleased to know that he recovered without going to the hospital.

Mrs. Van Cereke, of Kansas, claims she lost a battle containing \$2500, while en route to St. Paul on a Rock Island train. Portland hasn't lost any of its talent either. The fellow who got it must have been from Seattle; that's the only real, bustling town.

A husband in Kansas undertook to beat his wife with a chair, and she shot him dead. This should be a warning to obstreperous husbands to use a baseball bat, or some other more handy weapon. No right feeling man will try to sit down on his wife with a chair.

ART OF JAQUET DROZ

Made Wonderful Automations a Hundred Years Ago

No one has Since Been Able to Duplicate any of His Wonderful Mechanisms

Few persons in the mechanical world have not heard of the automations of the famous Neuchatel mechanician of the eighteenth century. Most people would not know where to find automations of Jaquet-Droz. They are said to be in Russia, in England, and scattered here and there throughout the world. But the most remarkable of these masterpieces are in the possession of Henri Martin of Dresden, where they are the admiration of all those who happen to visit Dresden and are able to examine them. According to the information kindly furnished us by Mr. Martin the automations are in good condition and work as well as at the time when Jaquet-Droz exhibited them to the sovereigns of France, Spain and England, though now they must be put in operation by hand.

Almost Perpetual Motion.

One of this wonderful man's clocks went for a very long time without being rewound. This kind of perpetual movement was produced by different metals expanding and contracting at the same temperature. Another clock without being touched, answered the question, "What time is it?" It must be presumed that the breath of the questioner was sufficient by a delicate combination to put the mechanism in movement. Still another exhibited the hours, the minutes and the seconds, the center of the dial indicating the course of the sun through the zodiac, and the four seasons and the different phases of the moon in perfect accord with its evolution.

The dial was lighted at the time of the full moon, and the stars appeared and disappeared at the required intervals. This artificial firmament was covered with clouds the weather was unpleasant, or lighted if it was clear. As soon as the hour was struck a chime was heard. It played nine different melodies to which an echo responded. A lady seated on a balcony holding a book in her hand, accompanied the music with gesture and look, and from time to time took a pinch of snuff and bowed to those who opened the glass door of the clock.

Wonderful Mechanism.

When the chiming was ended a canary standing on the hand of a child whose gestures expressed admiration sang eight different airs. A shepherd came in his turn and played on the flute, and two children danced around. Suddenly one of the children threw himself on the floor in order to make the other lose his balance, and then turned toward the spectators pointing at his companion with his finger. Near the shepherd a lamb bleated from time to time and a dog approached his master to caress him and to watch over a basket of apples. If anyone touched the fruit he would bark until it was put back in its place. He presented one of his clocks to King Ferdinand VI, who was so delighted that he refunded the expense of the journey and paid in addition 500 louis d'or. The king assembled his courtiers in order to show them his acquisition. Among the automations was a clock with a shepherd playing on his flute and a dog guarding a basket of fruit.

"The dog," said Jaquet-Droz, "is as faithful as he is well-behaved. Let your majesty put him to the proof by touching one of the fruits in the basket." The king endeavored to take an apple, but the dog immediately threw himself on his hand, barking so naturally that a sound present in the room composed with all his strength. The courtiers thought that robbery was at work and fled precipitately, making the sign of the cross. The king and the minister of marine were the only ones to remain.

Scared the Court.

The latter asked the shepherd what time it was. As he did not answer Jaquet-Droz remarked smilingly that he probably did not understand Spanish, and begged his excellency to address him in French. The question was repeated in that language, and the shepherd replied immediately. The minister was frightened, and he too, hurried away. In consequence of this scene the Neuchatel artist, fearing that he might be arrested by the inquisition and burned as a sorcerer, begged the king to invite the grand inquisitor to be present. Jaquet-Droz took the clock apart in his presence piece by piece, showing him all the springs and explaining to him the action of the train. Probably the inquisitor understood little or nothing of the matter; nevertheless he announced the fact publicly that he discovered no magic and that the mechanism was moved entirely by natural means.

Three of these automations, whose

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perfection exceeded everything which had ever been known in this class of work, are the young musician, the draughtsman and the writer. A young woman seated at a harpsichord, executed several pieces of music with dexterity, without any person touching the instrument. The draughtsman, seated on a stool, made drawings with a pencil, sketched them correctly, and then shaded them. From time to time he raised his hand to examine his work the better, corrected some defect, and blew the dust from the paper. Henri Louis, having gone to Versailles, exhibited his automations to the king. The draughtsman, to the amazement of the whole court, sketched the portrait of the French king, with a laurel wreath on his head.

The Draughtsman.

Jaquet-Droz went over to England, he placed the draughtsman before the king and soon the hands of the automaton were actively at work, but the surprise of those present was boundless when they beheld, not the image of the king of France, which they had expected, but that of the English monarch. Of course, the portraits were not finished productions, but presented a general resemblance.

The draughtsman of Jaquet-Droz was not, however the most remarkable of the works created by the inexhaustible genius of the artist. Let one judge from the writer, seated before an isolated desk, without contact with any person. He would dip his pen in the inkstand and write, without dictation, slowly, it is true, but distinctly and correctly.

Each word occupied a suitable place at the desired distance from the preceding. When a line was finished he commenced a new one, leaving between them the necessary space. The movement of the eyes and the arms and hands were admirably imitated. The writer might even be interrupted. He stopped in the middle of a word if asked and wrote another.

Secret Undiscovered.

The means used by Jaquet-Droz for securing this result have remained unknown. The courtiers, scientists, and the most skillful mechanics have vainly sought to penetrate the mystery. It is needless to say that the writer performed only in the presence of Jaquet-Droz, which involves the idea of some action exercised by this artist. It has been supposed that he made use of a magnet concealed in his shoes or clothing. This idea was suggested by his habit of walking back and forth and turning sometimes to one side and sometimes to the other while the automaton was writing. Thus, perhaps being able to attract the hook toward the wheel with the aid of a magnet and cause it to return by the same force. The lords of the court endeavored, by means of other magnets of great power concealed in their clothing to disturb the working of the apparatus by their attitudes and movements, but in vain. The automaton wrote with the same accuracy. The writer is still in existence. It continues to write, provided the hook and the wheel are kept in action by the hand. The motive force used by the artist is a secret which, unfortunately, has been buried with him.—Scientific American.

Use Trib for Liquor habit.

Maine W. C. T. U. Conference

Old Orchard, Me., Aug. 11.—The conference and institute of the Woman's Christian Temperance Union which opened here today has attracted a host of leaders of the movement from various parts of the country. Mrs. L. M. N. Stevens, National W. C. T. U. president, and Miss Anna Gordon, national secretary, are among the participants. The program provides for the forenoon to be devoted to institute work and the afternoon to platform addresses by clergymen and other prominent speakers. Congressman Charles E. Littlefield, Rev. Dr. Smith Baker and Rev. J. W. Macgregor are among those expected to deliver addresses.

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HIGHLAND.

By T. L. Davidson.

To the hills, to the hills, away
Watching the clouds and the sun-
beams play.
Where the breath of the fir and the
oak trees green
Are bringing new life to this shimmering scene.

As I stand on the heights of the rugged red hills
And look to the valleys with their plains and rills
And the far Coast mountains in azure and blue
'Tis a sight worth seeing, where nature is true.

The green fields dotting the slant hills o'er
Are emblems of peace and man's great store
For wife and home and food for all,
When the snows shall come with their icy call.

Way up in the hills, where the balmy air
Is bringing new thoughts to the heart of care,
And the ozone fills the lungs with life
As we hide away from the marts of strife.

What visions of beauty are spread to the view
In scenes like these, where every thing new
Is luring us on 'till the heart's desire
Becomes intense as the flaming fire.

Hail, Highland, Hail, with thy many vales,
Where the gruesome savages told their tales
Of the slaughter of men and beasts in war
Before the white man came from afar.

The schoolhouse rings, with the children's glee
As I sing this song, as I wander free
The war-whop ceased when the whiteman came,
Hail, Highland, Hail; Peace shall be thy name.

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