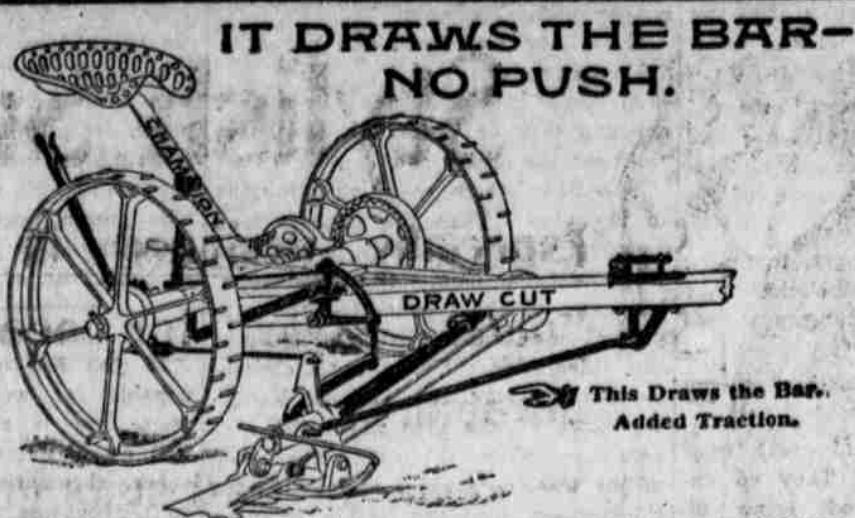




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X-RAYS

Will those California earthquake experts please tell what slipped to cause the quake along the south shore of Lake Erie Wednesday?

That Portland relief committee, immediately it was appointed, became greater than the citizens who created it, and states flat-footed that it will not carry out the wishes of the people, or let go of "de mon."

Experiments show that between the ages of 20 and 30 years, among students, 40 percent of the males and 37 percent of the females talk in their sleep. The difference is caused by the women doing their talking while awake.

Those earthquake sharps in California remind us of the old farmer's description of a geologist. He said "the geologist reminded him of a gnat on the back of an elephant formulating an opinion as to the interior construction of the animal from the appearance of the hide."

Those earthquake savants who place the cause of the earthquake to a slip in the mountains, will now please get up on their hind legs and explain the earthquake in Wisconsin, the recent one in Japan and the one Wednesday in Wales. The truth is the wisacres have mistaken effect for cause.

There is the sum of \$58,000 cash in the hands of the Portland committee, available for the relief of San Francisco sufferers, and contributed by

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State News

The Postal Telegraph Company have opened an office at Springfield. Granville Fisher, a Lane county pioneer, died at Klamath Falls June 20th.

B. F. Matthews, a pioneer blacksmith and Indian War veteran of Douglas county, died at Roseburg Tuesday morning, aged 68 years.

Walter Combs, of Eugene, who recently took the examination for the cadetship at the Annapolis naval academy, has successfully undergone the physical tests, and entered the school.

Mrs. F. M. Redfield, a prominent Albany lady, died at her home there Wednesday. She leaves a husband, two sons, Charles and Memory Redfield, and two daughters, the Misses Ina and Ethel Redfield, of Albany.

The U. of O. board of regents are discussing the matter of certain members of the faculty taking too much interest in politics. The board is said to be determined that the members of the faculty must hereafter attend strictly to their duties, and do away with politics. If resignations are not asked for, the offending members will probably be given directions as to their future course in political campaigns.

Acute Rheumatism.

Deep tearing or wrenching pains, occasioned by getting wet through; worse when at rest, or on first moving the limbs and in cold or damp weather, is cured quickly by Ballard's Snow Liniment. Oscar Olson, Gibson City, Ill., writes, Feb. 10, 1903: "A year ago I was troubled with a pain in my back. It soon got so bad I could not bend over. One bottle of Ballard's Snow Liniment cured me." For sale by D. J. Fry.

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At the Variety Store, Court St. 523-3

Cotton Mill Men to Organize.

Greenville, S. C., June 28.—The cotton mill men of South Carolina, who recently formed an association, which represents 2,500,000 spindles, will hold a meeting here this afternoon for the purpose of completing their organization and electing officers for the coming year. Resolutions, reducing the hours of work from 66 to 60 have been adopted by the organization.

Death from Lockjaw

Never follows an injury dressed with Bucklen's Arnica Salve. Its antiseptic and healing properties prevent blood poisoning. Chas. Oswald, merchant, of Rensselaersville, N. Y., writes: "It cured Seth Burch, of this place, of the ugliest sore on his neck I ever saw." Cures cuts, wounds, burns, and sores. 25c at J. C. Perry's drug store.

EXHIBIT OREGON CHERRIES

Great Meeting of Horticultural Society in Salem July 6 and 7

At a meeting of the Greater Salem Commercial Club, held last evening, it was decided that the organization should assist in making the cherry meeting to be held here July 6 and 7, a tremendous success. While the meeting is to be under the auspices of the State Horticultural Society, the Commercial Club believes Salem should heartily welcome the visiting fruit growers and horticulturists, who will be here from various parts of the state.

The meeting was called to order by Chairman Frank Derby, and Mr. McDonald, who has taken a keen interest in the cherry meeting, addressed the club as to what he thought the organization should do to make the meeting a success. He stated that it was only after most persuasive arguments that the State Horticultural Society decided to hold its mid-summer session in Salem, as many other towns wanted the opportunity to entertain the state organization.

It seems that an impression has gotten abroad that Salem is not very enthusiastic over meetings of that character, and that the attendance at such gatherings, when held here, is never what it should be. To flatly contradict this report, Mr. McDonald was of the opinion that the Commercial Club should lend a helping hand, and make the affair a success.

George W. Weeks spoke in the same vein and hoped that especial efforts would be made on this particular occasion.

H. B. Thielson expressed his approval of having the Commercial club take an active interest in the meeting, and that committees should be appointed to take charge of the work at once, and to assist the committees of the local horticultural society, which have already done some earnest work in getting contributions for the premiums to be offered to the successful participants in the cherry exhibit. The committee chosen consists of Messrs. Derby, Turner and Thielson.

L. M. Gilbert expressed his belief in publicity, and to that end a committee on advertising was chosen consisting of Col. E. Hofer, I. A. Manning and L. M. Gilbert.

The following ladies will be requested to act as patronesses of the meeting: Mrs. Claud Gatch, chairman; Mrs. M. McDonald, Mrs. T. T. Geer, Mrs. Homer H. Smith, Mrs. T. G. Halley, Mrs. H. B. Thielson, Mrs. Chas. A. Murphy, Mrs. E. Hofer, Miss Calista Moore, Miss Helen Calbreath, Mrs. B. O. Schucking, Mrs. A. M. Cannon, Mrs. J. A. Carson, Mrs. H. S. Poisel, Mrs. N. H. Looney, Mrs. Lloyd T. Reynolds, Mrs. T. J. Clark.

They will be asked to provide for the decorating, and to act in welcoming the guests during the sessions.

A letter was read from Senator Fulton, showing how unfair treatment Oregon had received in the matter of making the appropriation for reclamation work. The letter suggested means of obtaining better recognition of Oregon's rights.

A motion was passed that the matter be handled through the Oregon Development League, and that the president of the local organization take up the matter with the executive committee, and, if necessary, call a special meeting of the league to confer with the Oregon delegation.

Mr. Thielson moved that the club appoint a committee to confer with the secretary of state as insurance commissioner, to have him procure reliable information as to the status of the insurance companies doing business in this state, and to examine their manner of settlements with California policy holders, and especially those of San Francisco.

It was thought that the exhibit should be held in a convenient and suitable place, and it is expected that the Grand Opera House will be secured instead of the council rooms. A committee was appointed for that purpose.

Fourth of July Excursion Rates.

One and one-third fare for round trip. Dates of sale: July 2d, 3d and 4th; continuous passage each direction; final return limit July 6th.

WM. M. MURRAY, A. G. P. A.

Advertising Creates Value



One of the receivers of the National Salt company testified in court that a certain trademark was considered "a valuable asset," as it was the brand of salt that brought the highest price and had a good market.

Asked how this salt was different from other salts sold by the company, the receiver, hesitating, admitted that there was no difference; that they all came out of the same kettle. When the court then inquired what caused the high price and good market for this particular product the witness replied:

"Simply the extensive and attractive advertising the brand got."

One thought suggested by this curious confession is the testimony it bears as to the efficacy of advertising to create "a valuable asset," even where, as in this case, the product was not quite candid about the quality of the goods.—New York Herald.

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BRIGHT BUSY TOWN

Brownsville Property Changing Hands--Opening for Jeweler

Ralph Robinson has purchased of Wm. Law his residence property in South Brownsville. The sale was consummated by the Brownsville Real Estate Co., R. W. Tripp, manager. Mr. Robinson is a progressive farmer and stock raiser, and owns a 1000 acre stock ranch four miles east of Brownsville; he has great faith in a good future for this vicinity.

H. W. Freeze, our jeweler and optician, who has been with us for the past two years, is closing out his stock and preparing to go east soon. This will leave Brownsville without a jeweler, and should be an attractive opening for a young man wishing to start in business for himself. Mr. Freeze has arranged to put in a year under Chicago and Boston tutors in post-graduate work in ophthalmology, after which he will return to Oregon.

Sure Cure for Piles.

Itching piles produce moisture and cause itching, this form, as well as blind, bleeding or protruding piles, are cured by Dr. Bosanko's Pile Remedy. Stops itching and bleeding, absorbs tumors. 50c a jar at druggists, or sent by mail. Treatise free. Write me about your case. Dr. Bosanko, Philadelphia, Pa.

Sale of Historic Chateau.

Paris, June 28.—The Chateau of Villefrance will be sold at auction today. The castle was bought a few years ago by an English syndicate and used as a hotel and club. It was in one of the halls of this castle that the deputies of the municipalities of Dauphine met on July 1, 1788, and hastened the revolution by demanding the convocation of the General States. It is situated southeast of Grenoble and was long owned by the Casimir-Périer family.

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