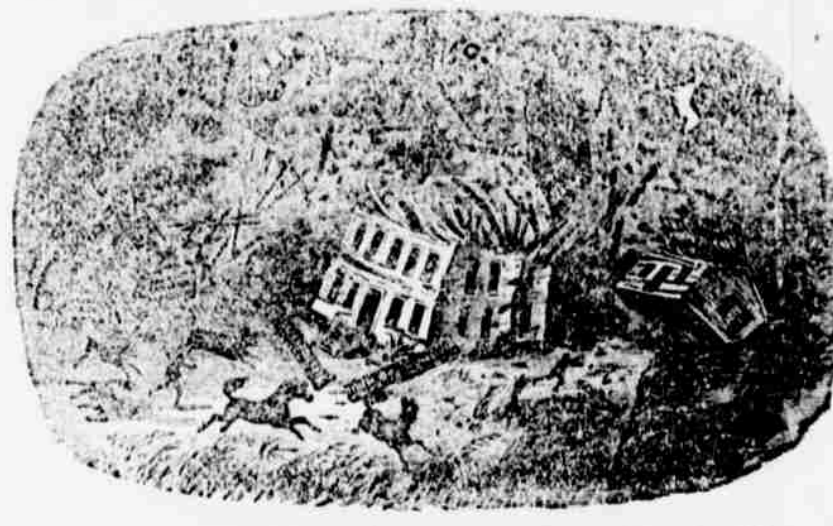


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HOW THEY ESCAPED.

A Bear Story Told By an Unterrified California Ranchman.

Not long ago a cow died in the vicinity of the Quinn ranch, near the head of Goose creek, south of Wagon Wheel Gap. It soon became apparent to William Quinn, owner of the ranch, that the carcass of the cow was being visited by a bear of very large dimensions and in company with Dell McClelland, Mr. Quinn decided to 'sit up' with the bear and endeavor to get a good shot at it by night. This was done, but owing to darkness the bear was not killed by shots fired. As the next resort, a large bear trap, weighing about seventy-five pounds, was procured and set near the dead 'critter,' and the trappers went to bed laughing at the trick they had played on the bear. The trap was chained to a pole eighteen feet long and eight inches through at the large end.

In the morning an examination of the premises about the dead cow showed plainly that the bear and a cub had been there during the night. There was a large track eighteen inches long and six or eight inches wide, and a small track, evidently made by a cub. The trap, however, was gone, and with it the eighteen-foot pole, and the disturbed condition of the ground showed conclusively that the bear had been caught in the trap. The trail, however, away from the scene was only the trail of the two bears—there was not a mark of dragging either trap or pole.

Mr. Quinn took up the trail, which he followed eight miles, without coming upon the bears, trap or pole. At the camp of Mr. Tom Carey, seven miles away, that gentleman told him how in the night, he had been awakened by the sound of something walking, with an occasional pause and heavy fall as if something had dropped.

Having no gun, Mr. Carey sat in his tent the balance of the night and endeavored to keep warm by poking wood into a sheet-iron stove. The trail was followed for a mile or so further and then lost. In one place the bears had passed through a heavy quaking aspen thicket, and had literally mowed a swath through the saplings, showing that the trap and pole were being taken along.

The natural inference was that the bear had been caught in the trap, had picked up the same with the pole, and started for the hills. The bear is an old offender in these parts, and Mr. Quinn hopes to find it yet.

A man just in from the head of the San Juan reports that he passed the bears on the Pagosa road, beyond Summitville, jogging contentedly along, each carrying one end of the pole, while the old bear was caught in the trap by the right front foot.

A PATENT FISHERMAN.

A Hint Which the Lazy Will Do Well to Consider.

One of the oddities of the Columbia river is the 'Williams' patent fishing wheel,' an automatic device of Walton, which stands on the Oregon side of the river about a mile below the famous cascade. The whole device consists of a jetty of rocks built out from the shore with an outside sluiceway in which the gigantic 'fishing wheel' constantly revolves. It is an undershot wheel and, having been built at a time when the river was remarkably low, can be raised or lowered according to the stage of water. The persons who built this large piscatorial device understood the habits and instinct of the salmon, the finny beauty for whose capture it was speedily erected, it being well known that in making their 'runs' they follow the shore line instead of taking to the center of the stream. A sluiceway to the six-kwator caused by the jetty has been built, and the salmon in attempting to go through this are caught in the net buckets that are fastened to the arms of the fishing wheel and safely deposited in a trough. This trough or gutter communicates with the 'round-up' pen on shore, where the 'catch' is canned and shipped to all parts of the world. Besides several hundred young fish unfit for canning, from 1,500 to 5,000 adult salmon are caught every day in this fishing novelty, and it is safe to say that there is not a more curious machine in the world to-day.

Do You Chew Your Pudding?

Our little Edith is five years old. She has golden curls and those far-gazing hazel eyes that seem sometimes to see visions. The other day at dinner her face was lighted with unusual beauty, and her dark eyes had a dreamy look which called to her fond mother's mind the line: 'Heaven lies about us in our infancy.' She longed to know what thoughts were in the childish brain to so soften and deepen the dark eyes, when Edith turned her sweet face and asked: 'Mamma, do you chew your pudding?'—Wide Awake.

A Queer Petition.

They tell of a man who was traveling through a sparsely settled section of the country, when night overtook him and a terrible thunder storm came up, so that he could only see his way by occasional flashes of lightning across his path. Finally there came a terrific peal of thunder which prostrated the fellow to his knees horrified, but springing to his feet he exclaimed, 'Lord if it is all the same to you, I would like to have a little more light and not quite so much noise.'

Did not Like Massage.

Mrs. Ponsonby, visiting Paris, is receiving her friends at a 'little evening,' and, thinking to have a pleasant change after talk, suggests to a guest: 'And now, M. Dubois, shall we have a rubber?' 'Ah, madame,' said M. Dubois, with perfect politeness, but pitiously, 'a thousand thanks, mais—je—je—n'aime pas le massage!'—Argonaut.

Castoria is truly a marvelous thing for children. Doctors prescribe it, medical journals recommend it and more than a million mothers are using it in place of Purgative, Bateman's Drops, so-called soothing syrups and other narcotic and stupefying remedies. Castoria is the quickest thing to regulate the stomach and bowels and give healthy sleep the world has ever seen. It relieves constipation, quiets pain, cures diarrhoea and wind colic, allays feverishness, destroys worms, and prevents convulsions, soothes the child and gives it refreshing and natural sleep. Castoria is the children's panacea—the mother's.

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Clerical Permits—1894.

The Burlington will issue half fare permits for 1894 to regularly ordained or licensed ministers or missionaries who are engaged solely in religious work. Requests should be made as soon as possible as it is desired that all clergymen have their permits by January 1st. The local ticket office is supplied with blank application forms.—A. COSOVEN, Agt.

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Mr. J. P. Blaize, an extensive real estate dealer in Des Moines, Iowa, narrowly escaped one of the severest attacks of pneumonia while in the northern part of that state during a recent blizzard, says the Saturday Review. Mr. Blaize had occasion to drive several miles during the storm and was so thoroughly chilled that he was unable to get warm, and inside of an hour after his return he was threatened with a severe case of pneumonia or lung fever. Mr. Blaize sent to the nearest drugstore and got a bottle of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy, of which he had often heard, and took a number of large doses. He says the effect was wonderful and in a short time he was breathing quite easily. He kept on taking the medicine and the next day was able to come to Des Moines. Mr. Blaize regards his cure as simply wonderful. For sale by Devo and Grice.

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- CHRISTIAN Church—Services Sunday at 10:30 a. m. and 7:30 p. m.; Sunday school at 12 noon.
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METHODIST Church—Services at 10:30 a. m. and 7:30 p. m.; Epworth League at 6:30 p. m.
LUTHERAN Church—Every third Sunday morning at 10 o'clock.
CATHOLIC Church—Services by appointment.
BAPTIST Church—No regular services. Sunday school (regular) at noon.
CHAPEL—Sunday school at 3 p. m. every Sunday.

SOCIETIES.

- W. U. W.—Each alternate Tuesday evening.
MEN Adhem Lodge No 186; I. O. O. F. Every Monday night.
ALANTHE Lodge No 29, Knights of Pythias Thursday evening.
W. C. T. U.—Modern Woodmen of America, alternate Wednesday evening.
VALLEY Lodge No 5, Fraternal Order of Progressors, first and third Monday of each month.

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all stations on the Burlington not over 200 miles apart at a rate of one fair and a third on the following dates: December 23, 24, 25, 30, 31, 1893, January 1, 1894. Tickets limited to return not later than January 3, 1894.—A. COSOVEN, Agt.

The ladies of the Congregational church will hold their 'fete of days' on Friday afternoon and evening in the building formerly occupied by Berg and Galusha. Come and see the fancy articles. Supper served for 25c, from 5 to 10 o'clock.

When in Riverton be sure and stop at the Banks house, \$1.00 per day. Livery in connection. By far the most pleasant place in Riverton

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Sheriff's Sale. Notice is hereby given, that under and by virtue of an order of sale issued from the office of C. R. Croon, clerk of the district court of the tenth judicial district, within and for Webster county, Nebraska, upon a decree in an action pending therein, wherein M. S. Sturgeon Plaintiff, and against Mrs. Adeline Crosby, Lillie Overing, and E. J. Overing, Defendants, I shall offer for sale at public vendue, to the highest bidder for cash in hand, at the court-house of the county, at Red Cloud, in said Webster county, Nebraska, (that being the building whereof the last term of said court was held) on the 15th day of December, 1893, at 11 o'clock A. M., of said day, the following described property, to-wit: Lots seven (7), eight (8) and nine (9) in block thirteen (13) Red Cloud, Nebraska.

Given under my hand this 10th day of November A. D., 1893. C. R. Croon, Sheriff. A. J. Tomlinson, Deputy. Geo. W. Barker, Plaintiff's Attorney.