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CRIMES AND CASUALTIES.

Victims Acts of Lawbreakers and Losses by Fire and Accidents.

An aged Mexican fell out of bed at Sonora and broke his neck.

Fireman A. W. Patrick fell from his engine near Ripon, Cal., and lost his life.

By the sinking of the tug Pearl B. Campbell in Lake Superior seven men were drowned.

A fire at Rutherford, N. J., destroyed half a dozen buildings. The loss is about \$100,000.

An organized band of cattle thieves has been operating in San Luis Obispo county. Several arrests have been made and more are to follow.

Charles Kitchen, a young reprobate, is wanted by the San Francisco police. He choked and robbed his mother when she refused to give him money.

DeWitt's Little Early Risers for biliousness, indigestion, consumption. A small pill a prompt cure. Geo. H. Haskins, druggist.

H. B. Crockett, a well-known saloon man at Seattle, shot and killed George White, colored, in a row over a race going for his hip pocket when he fired.

The sensational affidavit made by Clifton E. Mayne, which gives the history of the corruption of the San Diego council in the interest of Mount Tecate Water company, has been made public.

Piles of people have the piles, but DeWitt's Witch Hazel will cure them. When promptly applied it cures scalds and burns without the slightest pain. Geo. H. Haskins, druggist.

R. H. McDonald, Jr., is on trial at San Francisco for embezzlement. He is charged with extracting \$20,000 from the Pacific bank, of which he was vice president, after the doors had been closed.

Miss Lillie Weddle, aged 16, of Jefferson, Or., drank carbolic acid with suicidal intent because her parents refused to let her marry the young man of her choice. They wished her to marry another.

L. B. Frasier, V. L. Frasier and F. Harvey of Potter valley, Mendocino county, have been arrested for alleged cutting of timber on government land. The accused parties were released on bail of \$500 each.

One Minute Cough Cure is a popular remedy for croup. Safe for children and adults. Geo. H. Haskins, druggist.

Emma Davis, the sixth victim of the fire in a tenement at St. Louis on Oct. 29, died a few days ago. She made an ante-mortem statement that she was the common law wife of the late Thomas Hanna, a millionaire, whose estate owns the building that was burned.

Frank J. Cahill of Madera went after a load of wood and took a loaded shotgun along. He stood the gun on the butt with the muzzle pointed toward his shoulder. It putting on the brake he discharged the gun with his foot and the charge struck him under the arm, causing his death.

No excuse for sleepless nights when you can procure One Minute Cough Cure. This will relieve all annoyances cure the most severe cough and give you rest and health. Can you afford to do without it? Geo. H. Haskins, druggist.

William Curtis, aged 80 years, residing at Mission, San Bernardino county, was attacked and severely gored by a vicious bull. The animal made several rushes at the prostrate man, but as his horns were sawed they did not tear the victim. The old man suffered severe internal injuries.

Robert E. Curtis, son of a prominent San Francisco dry goods merchant, almost succeeded in killing himself at Los Angeles. Curtis was drinking beer in a saloon and the drunken stupor into which he had fallen was discovered to have been due to morphine poisoning.

A Household Treasure. D. W. Fuller, Canajohar, N. Y., says that he always keeps Dr. King's New Discovery in the house and his wife has always found the very best results follow its use; that he would not be without it, if procurable. G. A. Dykeman, druggist, Catskill, N. Y., says that Dr. King's New Discovery is undoubtedly the best cough remedy; that he has used it in his family for eight years, and it has never failed to do all that is claimed for it. Why not try a remedy so long tried and tested. Trial bottles free at Geo. H. Haskins' drug store. Regular size 50c and \$1.

W. J. McGeorge, a popular young druggist of Eureka, was accidentally shot while duck hunting. With two companions he was in a boat. Milton Bohall, one of the party stepped out of the boat to recover a bird, and in taking his gun from the bottom of the boat the hammer caught on a cord attached to the rowlocks. The gun was discharged and the load struck McGeorge in the left arm, near the shoulder. The wound is probably fatal.

Charles Montgomery surrendered to the sheriff at Eugene City, Or., the other afternoon, saying he had killed Hiram Hall a mile from town in order to escape being robbed. Hall's body was found where designated by Montgomery. Montgomery had apparently been under the influence of Hall for several weeks and was induced to mortgage his land to get money for both to use in the Siletz Indian reservation lands. Three hundred dollars had disappeared and Montgomery thought Hall had stolen it and was trying to get \$200 more.

If suffering with piles, it will interest you to know that DeWitt's Witch Hazel salve will cure them. This medicine is a specific for all complaints of this character, and if instructions (which are simple) are carried out, a cure will result. We have tested this in numerous cases, and always with like results. It never fails. Haskins, druggist.

The bank at Ferris, Cal., has closed its doors because of inability to realize on securities.

The annual poultry show will be held in Mechanics' pavilion, San Francisco, commencing on the 17th inst.

Prominent Republicans are already arranging for hotel accommodations at St. Louis during the national convention. Speaker Reed and Governor McKinley have engaged headquarters.

Ground has been broken in Greenwood cemetery, New York, for a mausoleum to be built by John W. Mackay for the remains of his son. The structure will be one of the finest mortuary chapels in the country. The architect's plans show a duplication of the Fair mausoleum at San Francisco.

A short time ago Victor Ottmer of Healdsburg, Cal., committed suicide. He was engaged to be married and now his fiancée, Miss Jennie L. Campbell, claims his estate and has asked for letters of administration. Ottmer's parents are living and they will fight the girl's claim.

The Shakers have made a great hit. Their Digestive Cordial is said to be the most successful remedy for stomach troubles ever introduced. It immediately relieves all pains and distress after eating, builds up the feeble system and makes the weak strong.

The fact is, foods properly digested are better than so called tonics. The Cordial not only contains food already digested but is a digester of other food. Food that is not digested does more harm than good. People who use Cordial insure the digestion of what food they eat and in this way get the benefit of it and grow strong. The little pamphlets for free distribution, contain much interesting information on the subject of dyspepsia.

Laxol is not a mixture of drugs. It is nothing but Castor Oil made palatable.

W. T. Weber of Burlington, Ia., is in San Jose in the interest of Eastern capitalists who wish to build an electric railroad from San Jose to Saratoga. He says if the people along the proposed route will subscribe \$90,000 the line will be constructed and in operation within a year and a half.

The California Protective association, which embraces in its membership the wholesale and retail liquor dealers of Los Angeles, is vigorously after the local drug stores which are alleged to be selling liquor without paying license into the city treasury. The liquor dealers want the druggists to pay a license of \$20 per month.

Stanford university is in a state of suppressed excitement over the dismissal of one student and the probable severe disciplining of three others for cheating in examinations. The students involved are Miss McCall of '99, daughter of State Senator McCall; Spencer of '97, manager of the Junior Annual; Mills of '99, president of the freshman class, and Ayer of '98. Others are being investigated.

Try Electric Bitters as a remedy for your troubles? If not get a bottle now and get relief at once. This medicine has been found to be particularly adapted to the relief and cure of all female complaint, exercising a wonderful direct influence in giving strength and tone to the organs. If you have loss of appetite, constipation, headache, fainting spells or are nervous, sleepless, excitable, melancholy or troubled with dizzy spells, Electric Bitters is the medicine you need. Health and strength are guaranteed by its use. The large bottles only fifty cents at Geo. H. Haskins' drug store.

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PERSONAL

Samuel Gompers was elected president of the American Federation of Labor at New York.

John A. Goldsmith, the well-known trotting horse driver, died at New York the other day.

Dr. S. E. Knight, one of the best known physicians of Stockton, has deserted his wife for Mrs. Leoni Okey.

W. A. Vanhorn admits that it will not be long before he retires from the presidency of the Canadian Pacific railroad.

Dr. J. C. Moore, president of the defunct Commonwealth National bank of Manchester, N. H., has surrendered to his bondsmen.

Senator Don Cameron of Pennsylvania has announced that he will retire from politics at the expiration of his term of office next year.

W. H. Harvey, the advocate of free silver, who is better known as "Calm," has launched his new political party at Chicago. It is to be known as "The Patriots of America," and its especial mission is to advance the cause of free silver, as well as to eliminate selfishness from politics. The national officers are: W. H. Harvey, first national president; Charles H. McClure, national recorder; James F. Adams, national treasurer.

An official test has been made of the battery of dynamite guns which are to protect the entrance to San Francisco bay, and the board of inspectors will recommend the acceptance of the battery. Large crowds watched the tests last week and when the dynamite shells exploded in the water or on the bluff across the channel the spectators shuddered to think what the result would have been had a vessel stopped one of the shells.

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zimer ripper, a young man who has been studying in the office of a Sacramento law firm, adopted a unique way of regaining the affections of his sweetheart, who it is claimed had transferred her favor to his half brother. As soon as Pipper discovered this, it is said he purchased a quantity of morphine at a drug store, retired to his apartments and swallowed or claimed to have swallowed the drug. He then sent for the girl and a doctor, and he told her that he would not permit the physician to save him unless she returned to him. The girl promised, and the doctor used a stomach pump, and now the lovelorn youth is alive and well.

A suit filed in the United States circuit court at Tacoma recalls the Paris scandal of five years ago in which Colonel and Mrs. C. P. Ferry of Tacoma figured as principals and later were divorced. Mrs. Ferry has commenced an action to have declared void a release made by her to Ferry when the divorce was obtained, by which she accepted \$50,000 in full settlement of her interest in their property. She declares now that the property was worth \$900,000 at that time and alleges that the settlement was procured by fraud and misrepresentations made to her by Ferry and J. B. Metcalf, a lawyer who acted for her and whom she makes a party to the suit. She charges collusion by which she was led to believe that the property was worth only \$130,000. The estate lies in Oregon and Washington. She claims one-half of the property in Washington and one-third of that in Oregon, being the wife's portion under the laws of each state.

Wife—Here's an account of a man who shot himself rather than suffer indigestion. Husband—The fool! why didn't he take DeWitt's Little early risers? I use to suffer as bad as he did before I commenced taking these little pills. Geo. H. Haskins, druggist.

City Attorney Wickersham created a sensation a year ago by bringing a damage suit for \$1,000,000 against the Tacoma Light and Water company and C. B. Wright, a Philadelphia millionaire, alleging that the company defrauded the city of Tacoma to that amount in selling it a light and water plant in 1898 for \$1,750,000. Misrepresentations and fraud preliminary to the sale were alleged. A jury has been secured and the case will now be tried.

William J. Peall, founder of the town of Bethlehem, Santa Clara county, and well known in several sections of the state as a real estate dealer, has filed a petition in insolvency. His liabilities are \$26,000, of which \$24,000 is a judgment in favor of the estate of C. Freyschlag and a joint note with Freyschlag of \$15,000. The assets are the office furniture, valued at \$25, exempt from execution. Depression of business is the alleged cause.

When Baby was sick, we gave her Castoria. When she was a Child, she cried for Castoria. When she became Miss, she clung to Castoria. When she had Children, she gave them Castoria.

The stockholders of the American Tobacco company are very anxious for an explanation from the directors of what has become of the big surplus of more than \$8,000,000 and the apparently sudden contraction of earnings which led the management to pass the next quarterly dividend on the common stock, although the vague statement issued recently stated that there would be a surplus of \$1,250,000, or nearly 7 per cent, after paying the dividend on the preferred stock.

Jonathan Tice and George G. Smith, well known citizens of Portland, are under arrest on a charge of forgery. In conjunction with F. C. Moffit and G. W. Edgar, they are charged with the forgery of the will of Nancy M. Love for the purpose of defrauding Lewis Love, her husband. Moffit is serving a sentence in the penitentiary for forgery, and Edgar, who is an attorney, jumped his bail while awaiting an appeal to the supreme court, he also having been convicted of forgery. The Love estate is valued at \$135,000.

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Knights of the Maccoones.—Triumph Ten No. 14, meets in regular review on the 2d and 4th Thursdays of each month in A. O. U. W. Hall at 7:30 p. m. Visiting Sls Knights cordial ly invited to attend. W. M. SIMMONS, Commander. S. S. PRINZ, R. K.

A. O. U. W.—Lodge No. 98, meets every first and third Wednesday in the month at 8 p. m. in their hall in the opera block. Visiting brothers invited to attend. W. C. CARMER, M. W. J. W. LAWTON, Recorder.

W. R. C.—Chester A. Arthur Corps No. 24 meets second and fourth Friday of each month at 2 o'clock p. m. in Woolf's hall. Mrs. SARAH I. SOUTHERS, Pres. Mrs. M. E. DAVIS, Sec.

K. of P.—Talisman lodge No. 31, meets Monday evening at 8 p. m. in A. O. U. W. hall. Ways welcome. Mrs. W. C. CARMER, M. W. I. M. MULLER, K. of R. and S.

I. O. O. F.—Lodge No. 85, meets in I. O. O. F. hall every Saturday at 8 p. m. Visiting brothers always welcome. Z. MAXEY, N. G. A. S. BLITON, Rec. Sec.

I. O. O. F.—Rogue River Encampment, Lodge No. 30, meets in I. O. O. F. hall the second and fourth Thursdays of each month at 8 p. m. ISAAC WOOLF, Scribe.

Oliva Rebekah Lodge No. 28, meets in I. O. O. F. hall first and third Tuesdays of each month. Visiting sisters invited to attend. Mrs. ADDIE VANANTWERP, Pres. MISS MAMIE NICHOLSON, Rec. Sec.

A. F. & A. M.—Meets first Friday on or before full moon at 8 p. m. in A. O. U. W. hall. W. I. VAUTER, W. M. G. W. LIPPINCOTT, Rec. Sec.

G. A. R.—Chester A. Arthur Post No. 47, meets in Woolf's hall every second and fourth Fridays in each month at 7:30 p. m. W. T. KAME, Adjutant.

I. O. G. T.—Meets Tuesday night at 8 p. m. in A. O. U. W. hall. J. L. WIGLE, C. T. JUSTIN WIGLE, Rec. Sec.

W. C. T. U.—Meets every Wednesday after noon in the Halley Block. Mrs. ROSA DEGRUIT, Pres. Mrs. ROSA DEGRUIT, Sec.

Young People's Reading Circle Tuesday evenings of each week, under the auspices of the Epworth League.

F. A. & I. U.—L. L. Polk lodge No. 365, meets every Saturday at 8 p. m. J. H. SMITH, Pres.

CHURCHES OF MEDFORD.

Saint Marks Episcopal: Sunday School meets at Episcopal Church every Sunday morning at 10 o'clock. Rev. Wm. Hart, Rector; S. S. Peitz, Superintendent.

Methodist Episcopal Church—Ewing. Gittins, pastor. Services every Sunday morning and evening at usual hours for church services. Epworth League meets at 6:30 p. m. Sunday. Sunday school at 10 a. m. Prayer meeting Thursday evening. Pastor's residence South B street.

Presbyterian Church—Rev. A. S. Foster, pastor. Preaching at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. Sunday school at 10 a. m. Y. P. S. C. E., 6:15 p. m. Junior Endeavor Society at 3 p. m. Sunday. Prayer meeting on Wednesday evening at 7 o'clock.

Baptist church—W. C. Jenkins pastor. Worship and preaching every Sunday morning and evening at usual hours for church services. Covenant meeting on Saturday at 2 o'clock preceding each first Sunday. Prayer meeting on Wednesday evening. Baptist Young People's Union meets at 6:30 on Sunday evening. Sunday school at 10 a. m.

Christian church—Corner of Sixth and I streets. Preaching at 11 a. m. and 7 p. m. Sunday school at 10 a. m. Junior Endeavor at 3 p. m.; Y. P. S. C. E. at 6:30 p. m. Prayer meeting every Thursday evening. Ladies Missionary Auxiliary to C. W. B. E. first Thursday 7:30 p. m. each month. Choral Union every Friday at 7:30 p. m. The people welcome. Ed Fisher pastor. Resides at the church.

Methodist Episcopal Church South—Rev. Jno. L. Jones, pastor. Services at 11 a. m. and 7 p. m. on the 1st, 2nd and 3rd Sabbath; Sabbath school at 10 a. m. and Epworth League at 6 p. m. every Sabbath at Medford. Services on 4th Sabbath at Soda Springs at 11 a. m. and 11th Creek school house at 3 p. m. A hearty welcome to all.

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