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## LOCAL BREVITIES

Dr. Thompson, Monday, Dec. 5. Beaver hotel until 4 o'clock p. m. 11-2

Mr. and Mrs. Belden Owen, (Martha Shinn) of Medford were visiting friends in Independence this week.

The Sunshine class of the Baptist church will hold a candy sale at Calbreath & Jones Saturday, November 26.

### MATTER OF DEATH IN DOUBT

Authorities Puzzled as to Whether Man's Being Pronounced Dead Makes Him Legally So.

Al F. Williams, United States district attorney for Kansas, received a letter a short time ago asking his opinion as to the status of a person upon whom a death sentence has been executed, who has been legally pronounced dead, but afterwards regains consciousness and recovers.

The case cited was that of five bandits who were convicted of highway robbery in the province of Cagayan, Philippine Islands, and sentenced to die by the old Spanish method of strangulation. After the execution the five bandits were placed on the floor of a church to await funeral rites in the morning. In the night three regained consciousness. Two of the three died "again" in a couple of days, but one recovered, although left in a deformed condition.

The questions asked are whether the bandit who lived could be strangled again, or, if he could not, would the fact that he was legally pronounced dead prevent his being tried in the courts if he committed another crime. Mr. Williams wrote an opinion to the inquiring person, declaring that he believed that an order could be obtained from the court setting aside the first execution as having never been performed and another one ordered.

His opinion was that if the bandit were not killed, finally, he could be held amenable for other crimes, although legally he was not in existence. "Of course," Mr. Williams said, "you will probably find as many lawyers and judges disagreeing with my opinion as concurring."

### FLED FROM CHEESE BARRAGE

Commander of Brazilian Warship Thought Some New Kind of Bomb Was Being Used.

Probably the strangest and most curious use to which cheese was ever put occurred in a naval battle between Brazil and Uruguay in the mid-Nineteenth century, records the Intelligencer.

The Uruguay ship, commanded by Captain Coe, in the midst of the battle became exhausted of shot. A lieutenant reported the facts to Coe.

"Powder all gone?" asked Coe.

"No, sir; lots of that yet."

"We had a darned hard cheese—a round Dutch one—for desert at dinner today; do you remember it?" said Coe.

"I ought to; I broke the carving knife in trying to cut it, sir."

"Are there any more aboard?"

"About two dozen. We took them from a drawer."

"Will they go in the 18-pounders?"

"By thunder, commodore, but that's the idea! I'll try 'em."

And in a few minutes the bombardment from Coe's ship reopened, and the enemy found more shot flying over their heads. At last one shot struck the mainmast, scattering the bits of cheese far and wide. Then another came. Then four or five more slipped against the sails. The enemy commander, unable to decide what was happening, and thinking that a new kind of bomb was being used on him, became terrorized and ordered his boat to back away. Little did he know that he was retreating from a barrage of Dutch cheese.

### ITALIANS DODGING TAXES.

Ingenious methods are invented in Italy to avoid paying the luxury tax. The tailor approaches one mysteriously when his suit is finished and asks if he wishes to have a bill when he pays for it, in which case he will have to add \$30 luxury tax. "If, however, you like to give me the money for the suit here and now I will give you the suit, and we will say no more about making out a bill," he adds. A foreigner was buying some lace in a Roman shop which cost \$24, and, to her surprise, the owner of the shop said: "Would you like me to make you a bill for \$3.80 (the luxury tax begins on articles over \$4) and then if you will give my little girl a present of \$20 that will make things right. Why should we either of us pay money to the government that we are not obliged to pay?"

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16 Lbs. Sugar <b>\$1.00</b>	Crystal White Soap <b>5c</b>	4 Lbs. Fancy Navy Beans <b>25c</b>	Cor Meal <b>29c</b>	1 Lb. Can Salmon 2 for <b>25c</b>
5 lbs. Macaroni <b>34c</b>	9 lbs. Crisco <b>\$1.56</b>	Citrus <b>25c</b>	1 Gal. Can and Maple Syrup <b>\$1.30</b>	Large Pkge. Albers Oats <b>25c</b>
No 2 1-2 Tomatoes 2 for <b>25c</b>	Campbell Tomato Soup <b>10c</b>	100 Ls. Fancy Potatoes <b>\$2.25</b>	Royal White Soap <b>4c</b>	1 Gallon MarshMallow <b>99c</b>
Flap Jack Flour <b>27c</b>	Buc kw heat Prepared <b>28c</b>	Tillamook Cheese <b>33c</b>	Home Made Mince Meat <b>15c</b>	White Wonder <b>4c</b>
Best Cream'y Butter <b>48c</b>	Peanut Butter <b>50c 5 lb.</b>	Fresh Soda Crackers <b>13c lb.</b>	Fancy Bacon Back <b>24c lb.</b>	No. 5 Pure Lard <b>67c</b>
Lenox Soap 10 for <b>33c</b>	Palm Olive 10 for <b>79c</b>	Kellog's Corn Flakes <b>11c</b>	Graham Crackers <b>19c</b>	Fancy Breakfast Bacon <b>33c lb.</b>
1 Gal. Amb'r Karo <b>58c</b>	1 lb. Claumet Baking Powder <b>29c</b>	Vim Flour <b>\$1.90</b>	Post Toasties Package <b>11c</b>	Tall Can Oysters <b>22c</b>
Shrimp <b>23c</b>	Green Tea in Bulk <b>52c lb.</b>	Cream Oil Soap 10 for <b>77c</b>	D. C. Flour <b>\$1.45</b>	Shredded Wheat <b>15c</b>
2 A & H Soda <b>15c</b>	Black Tea in Bulk <b>47c Lb.</b>	2 25c Cans Royal <b>43c</b>	4 lbs. Rice <b>25c</b>	10 lb. Sack Oats <b>53c</b>
	5 Lbs. Tapioca <b>35c</b>	Lipton's Tea 1 1/2 Pk. <b>42c</b>		

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