HE WANTED TO BE HANGED.

It Broke His Reart Because His Shi Wasn't Londed.

At Cimarron, N. M., an officer came aboard of the train with a prisoner whose head was bandaged, his right arm in a sling and who limped painfully on his right leg. He was both handcuffed and shackled, and as the pair sat down

"Now, Tom, be a man and brace up," kindly chided the officer.

sobbed the other. "It's the fust time I never forgive myself."

"All of us are liable to make mistakes."

"Yes, of course, but I orter knowed better. Why, Jim, a born fool would 'a' had more sense than that! Here I am,

"Can't say I blame ye much," said the officer, after a pause; "but it orter conthree officers and winged half a dozen." "Yes, that's some consolation, but it don't excuse me fur bein a fool!"

"To what does the prisoner refer?" I asked the officer, unable to restrain my curiosity any longer.

"Why, stranger," replied the prisoner as he looked up with tearful eyes, "Jim was after me for sheetin a man over at Faos. Mebbe I hadn't orter done it, but he wasn't much of a man and was in mighty poor health at that. I knowed the warrant was out and in Jim's hands, lifornia this morning. and I knowed Jim had camped on my trail, but I bunks down in the chaparral about ten miles from here as serene as an old wolf. I cleans my shooters and forgits to reload 'em. I gits my feet to the local this morning. the fire and my blankets around me and goes in fur a long snooze. Hain't 1 right, Jim?"

"Yes, Tom, ye ar'," replied the officer.
"Jim follers the trail and diskivers me, and jest arter daylight he creeps in on me and yells fur hands up. I grabe my guns and begins to pull triggers, and while I am foolin with empty cylinders Jim bores three holes into me and I am dished!"

"Then you neglected to relead your

revolvers, ch?" "That's it, and that's why I weep. Just think of it! I can't make it out! For ten years I'd stood the crowd off and gone my way, and then I had to play fool! If them guns had bin loaded Jim would now be coyote fodder out in the chaparral and I'd be gallopin around on my cayuse. Hain't it so, Jim?" "Every word of it. You'd 'a' killed

me for sure.' "It's too bad!" I couldn't help but

"Don't, stranger, don't pity me!" gasped Tom as his tears dropped on his "I'm so busted up and broke down that I want to be hung right away | "Which do you choose," she said, she yer man or rob yer stage or steal yer hoss if you want to, but after ye do it don't go and make an infernal ass of kindly wipe my weepin eyes with yer coat tail and sorter gin my nose a chance to blow a few times?"-New York Herald.

Arrived at an Understanding. A modest and small sized man occupied a seat on an electric car. A robust

woman, who clung to a strap directly in front of him, looked at him reproachfully now and then till he could stand it no longer. Finally he said to her: "Madam, I would cheerfully give up my place to you, but in my judgment

you would not be able to sit where I am sitting." She said it was all right, and cheerfully waited till somebody got up and made it possible for the slim man to

move along.—Buffalo Courier. What It Looked Like.

A friend of Mr. George Gould sent

him a book and with it his card. "I am glad you sent your card," said Mr. Gould, "for not long ago a friend sent an oblong cake of maple sugar without any notification, and the butler took it into the cellar and put it in a pail of water, thinking it was dynamite."-New York Evening Sun.

That Spiral Stud.



Mrs. Harrigan-Sure, sor, an yez be afther l'avin yer breastpin in yer shirt, an divil a bit could Oi ofron all the kinks out av it .- Jewelers' Weekly.

Not Up to the Standard. "That play won't stand modern criticism."

"Why not?" "The story is too probable."-Detroit

Sought After. He-I have played a great deal, but I never have been successful at poker. She-You must be very popular .-

Correspondence.

HADLEYVILLE, Or., April, 1863. EDITOR GUARD: I will jot you coeded to business by electing a board J. Casebeer, T. M. McCullock, W. T. Kazer and T. N. Duckworth. The directors in the near future will hold a Verily, silence speaketh stronger than and treasurer, and to appoint a comin the seat behind me the prisoner shed mittee to solicit subscriptions to the re-"I'm a-tryin to, Jim, but it's no go," their shares to make it a success.

was ever caught that way, and I kin ance we initiated three candidates and the coming summer. "C. H." for enhave a class of six more for the next terprise, will be published in due time. We there is something wrong with the will hold a grand union picnic at the management of the weather. shot in three places and goin to be bung Palestine church, on the fourth Satur- Uncle Ike Barciny, of Pleasant Hill, by the neck probably, when thar ain't day in May, 1863. Everybody invited, called on friends here while on his way the least excuse fur it! I can't help but for we intend to have the best speak to and from Eugene last Friday. ing in the state, and the best vocal music in the county. Mr. Editor it is his parents near Creswell Sunday. sole ye t' remember that you hev killed | raining now but if it quits, come to the

F. M. NIGHSWANDER.

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Daily Gmard, April 5. Commissioners Parker and Perkins

are in town. B. F. Mulkey, of Dallas, spent last

night in Eugene. Dr. C. E. Loomis returned from Cal-

G. M. Jackson, of Junction, was in

town over last night. Wm. Preston went to Portland on

C. A. Schilbrede, a Rosburg attorney was in Eugene this morning.

Capt. P. C. Noland, of Creswell precinct was in the city today.

A. Perkins and E. C. Palmer of Drain were in the city today. J. W. Withrow went to Portland

this morning to stay several days. Mrs. W. C. Yoran and child have been visiting in Portland this week. Geo. W. Riddle, county judge, of Douglas, was in town over last night. Mrs. H. D. Norton and child went to Junction this morning for a short

Hon. E. P. Coleman, of Coburg, is in town today. He inform us that Uncle Bob Cochran is still slowly improving. The physician in charge think he will regain his power of speech to a limited extent.

Which Do You Choose?

said.

red?"

"I've made my choice," be said, he said. Though neither the leaves nor cherries

The cluster fell from her finger-tips, And a kiss was pressed on her rosy lips.

[Florence Josephine Boyce, in the April New Peterson Sample Copy.

Call at the Guard office and examine a sample copy of the Chambers' Encyclopsedia which is offered as a premium with the GUARD and New York World at a cost of \$2.10 above subscription

J. W. Johnson, of the state university, has resigned the presidency cessful career. His resignation is a source of regret to the friends of the school and certainly the fact that he has been prompted to take this step owing to ill health is received by the professor's many friends throughout the state with deepest sympathy. His resignation was accepted with reluctaance by the board of regents and he was elected to fill a chair in the faculty, which will not require so much responsibility and be such a task upon his health. His resignation takes effect next September, and we trust the board of regents may be able to secure a man who will prove as ac- with his father Sunday. ceptable as Prof. Johnson has been | Wm. Renfrew has gone to Wasco to the patrons of the university.

The Chicago board of aldermen meetings at Unity school house. There have prohibited the further con- were three joiners Sunday. struction of all buildings in that We are glad to learn that Mrs. S. C. city over ten stories high. But Doty is improving. when a brick falls from even the Mrs. R. C. Keeney has commenced tent story as it did the other day school at the Veach school house. repairs and strikes the head of a hound shot the other day by some bad did W.S. Weed, the owner of the is preparing to set our quite a large Northwestern Druggist and the yard of hops. Chicago Graphic.

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Goshen Items.

April 4, 1893.

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John Parker delivered some 240 down a few lines from this section. bushels of first class Burbank potatoes On Tuesday the 28th day of March, at the depot here for Ax Billy a few On Tuesday the 2stn day of states, at the depet here for the the shareholders of the Elmira Grist days ago, for which he received 50 Gital, and in the next room, No. 18,

of five directors as follows: J. F. Kirk, their future home in California. We are sorry to see them leave us.

words.

Uncle Dan Hunsaker, of Dexter, was the shareholders willing to double visiting relatives here and at Eugene.

meeting. We passed a resolution in Some of our farmers are endeavoring relation to the county finances which to persuade themselves to believe that

Chas. Smith and wife visited with

was in Goshen Sunday.

this vicinity the first of the week. Mr. and Mrs. Perry Monroe, of Plea-

sant Hill, visited friends here Monday. Mrs. W. D. Keeney began a term of school in what is called the Poverty Ridge district on the Middle Fork river, Monday, and thus Will is left a "Imtch."

Born, near Goshen, on Eden farm, on Wednesday, March 29, 1893, to Mr. and Mrs. Frank Hyland, a ten pound Company, Superintendent Fields sent sess. And although he groaned in an son. When Grandpa Hyland learns that he is to be christened "Bernum" 'twill doubtless fill our ex-commissioner's heart with joy.

Creswell Sunday.

Mrs. J. C. Wilson has been quite indisposed.

Miso Lena Callison, of Tay, was a passenger from this place to Cottage Grove on the local Friday. She was to begin a term of school on Mosby Creek Monday.

Not to revel in poetry and section Do we come with these simple lines,

'Its but to divulge an honest prediction Called forth by unmistakable signs. If the Creswell correspondent "Cyclone"

Doesn't stop his little weekly fass, And let his brother scribes alone, Our mind pictures matters thus;

A certain hop yard the site of a scene Terminating in a whiriwind of sand, Leaving Creswell short of a poetry mass

And Uncle Alex Eaton minus a "hand." She Befused to Live With Him

OAKLAND, April 3 .- About 9:30 this morning Carl Rock came to the house away from him through the front door the swag. but before she could do so he shot her again in the head. Rock then ran out his head and fired. When the officer married. They have two children, one a girl 5 years and a boy 2 years of Portland Daily Dispatch: Prof. age. About a month ago the woman iversity opened, and the institution about 40 years of age. Among his morning. has had a most prosperous and suc- effects was a scaled letter to the California Democrat. Rock and the woman are said to be cousins.

Fall Creek Items.

Rainy weather,

School commenced at Jasper April 3, with R. G. Callison as teacher. Miss Lena Callison has gone to Cot-

tage Grove to commence school. Wilson Vench was visiting friends on the creek on Sunday last.

Mesers. George Young and Arthur Hartman have a contract for cutting 30,000 hop poles for Eugene

parties. Robt. Young and lady were visiting

county, eastern Oregon. Rev. Sweeney is holding a series of

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son, listens to all that is said, and oceasionally, representing simself to be a fellow patient, converses with the "hero of Yoncalla" concerning his great

train saving experience.

His Wounds Slight.

PORTLAND, April 2.- Gorge E.

Richardson, the man who flagged the

north-bound Southern Pacific passen-

sits a Pinkerton detective who ob-

serves every one who visits Richards

"Richardson is not a sick man," mainder of the stock, which is about in the village Sunday for the purpose said Dr. Geo. F. Wilson to a Telegram \$2,800. There are quite a number of of taking Mrs. H. home who has been reporter today, and I do not think he Estimated value of school bears any injuries save of the most su-Henry Mathews, the rustler, has con- perficial nature. The knife wounds Estimated value of school At the last meeting of Liberty Alli- tracted for the building of a large barn went only through the skin, and no cavities were penetrated. After Rich- Estimated value of school apardson was brought to the depot I examined him. My first step was to feel of his pulse. I found the beat normal, and made mental comment that something was wrong. We brought him to the hospital, where he was placed on yer, 4 log and 11 frame. the table. He did not lose a drop of blood while we took two stiches in the cuts in his breast and in the one at the lower ribs. These were perpendicular cuts and could in no way, being across Total amount of funds raised Marcus Kelley, of Creswell precint, the ribs, penetrate the cavity. After that, as he complained of his back. I Mrs. David Matthews, of Dexter, lifted him to the floor, to see if his spent a short time with relatives in spine was injured. Against this he Total amount in cierks entered a vigorous protest, but he stood upright on the floor showing that his

spine was not injured. "In my report to the company I noted all these facts, and I must say following: that I do not like the idea of being imposed upon, or that I should be called out to be mere scratches, which he the election of Colonel John L. Mitch-

to doctor a man who is not sick," DETECTIVES EMPLOYED. As soon as Dr. Wilson sent his refor Superintendent Minster, of the agonizing manner all the way to Port- Washington, April 4.—The presi-Pinkerton agency here, with whom he land, an examination showed him to dent sent to the senate the following Mr. Jack Eaton was down from Mr. Minster, who immediately detail- sized lump on his head. His story land; Bartlett Tripp of South Dakota, Friday night to the scene of the supment of Conductor Lee Hendricks and ter to Greece, Roumania and Servia. posed attempt at train wrecking, while the brakesmen of that train who say Consuls: James E. Neal of Ohio, at the other was sent to the hospital, that nothing of the kind happened. where he was given the room next to that occupied by Richardson. The the scene, (which is near Mr. Warner's detective is known as the patient of a place in Yoncalla valley) as soon as prominent physician, and it is given possible after receiving the news, state out that he is troubled with tuberculo- that there was an impression in the soft sis. Here he keeps close watch upon ground beneath the trestle which the hero, whose clothing has all been might have been made by Richardson taken from the room, presumably to be in falling. The bar and wrench

cleaned. INSTRUCTIONS TO ARREST. mediately began work, and their re- ground. This was near the end of the ports are sufficient to indicate that trestle where it is only about twelve they have traced the crime to its feet high, while in the center it is twice perpetrators, and their deductions are that distance. There were bloody protest against the appointment of that the rail was not displaced for the finger prints on one of the timbers, but purpose of robbery nor to "play even" no blood stains whatever could be or. They strongly endorse Colonel J. on the railroad company. The theory found along the route where Richard-"The verdant leaves or the cherries where Emile Schnidrathscheim was is that it was prearranged that the rail son claimed to have dragged himself. keeping house for C. W. Kanauth, a should be displaced, and then that one bleeding and exhausted. yerself by goin to sleep with two empty guns under yer head. Jim, will ye While an arch smile parted her rosy turn and live with him. When she extreme violence, and then he should with the fact that train robberies are refused he raised a pistol which he carried in his hand and shot her in the the company would reward him hand-

Yesterday afternoon Sheriff Noland The Earth Will Fall Out of Balance. of Lane county, telegraphed Sheriff of the back door and down into the Kelley to arrest Richardson, as enough cellar, where he placed the pistol to evidence has been secured to warrant such a step. Sheriff Noland also asked reached him he was just gasping his whether Richardson could be moved last. The woman is still alive and at present. Sheriff Kelley at once on the still alive and at present. Sheriff Kelley at once on the still alive and at present. Sheriff Kelley at once on the still alive and at present at present on the still alive and at present of the still alive and at present on the still alive at the s conscious, but is very weak. It appears that the man and woman have been living together in San Francisco.

Mrs. Wakeman, matron of the hospilis this: Every 20,303 years the globe been living together in San Francisco tal, and learned that removal would changes its north and south poles on account of the attraction the earth has rocks and clubs. The company did not endanger Richardson's life. However, he replied to Sheriff Noland that strongly attracts one of the poles and one a girl 5 years and a boy 2 years of age. About a month ago the woman left Rock because he wanted her to Therefore the officer was expected here. This being the case, it only takes the short space of 20,000 possession of the field.

Therefore the officer was expected here years for the double attraction to case. support him and the children, and this morning; but as he did not arrive suddenly "flops" 90 degrees. Mr. he will probably come or the Roseburg Wheeler says that one of these grand owing to failing health. He has Knauth. Ever since that time he has local this evening, and Richardson held the position ever since the un- been trying to get her back. Rock was may be arrested tonight or tomorrow

Superintendent Minster held lengthy consultation this morning with Superintendent Fields. The detective assured the superintendent that bilked nearly everybody he came in state legislature met at noon. It conand that all the guilty men will soon be under arrest. This morning Superintendent Fields received a dispatch from the district attorney of Dougias county, asking if sufficient evidence county, asking if sufficient evidence thands, and for a time the credulous thands. had been secured there to warrant the arrest of Richardson. As Mr. Fields not yet received Mr. Minster's report, he replied negatively.

DESTROYED AT SEA.

The Ship King James Burned 200 Miles Off of San Francisco.

Part of the Crew Saved.

tion light house that yesterday the fourmasted steel ship King James, coal laden from New Castle, England, to Harris, assisted by Drs. T. W. Harris, while the building was undergoing W. E. Wilmot had a valuable fox two hundred miles off San Francisco. formed a successful surgical operation citizens of this county concluded to in-Vesterday a boat containing first mate, on a 6-year-old boy of J. P. Calloway, vest in "green goods." They journeyed man below, it will kill him as it

J. I. Barbre, our wide a wake farmer, Point Conception light house. An afternoon. The right leg was ampumade them a present of about one other boat containing the captain, 13 tated just above his knee. The opera-thousand dollars and received a box men, two apprentices and the captain's tion became necessary on account of of sawdust for their hard cash. Verily son are missing.

Important School Statistics.

County Superintendent Sievenson's annual report to the State Superintendent contains the following Items:

6,610

morning, occupies room No. 20 on the No. of persons between the ages of 4 and 20 in county ... No. of resident pupils enrolled in public schools during the year ...

> Average daily attendance No. of applicants for teachers certificates during the year. No. of teachers holding certificates in the county ... Average wages paid teachers

per month....

hands .

houses and grounds. 78,638 52 furniture.

paratus..... No. of organized school districts, 142. No. of school districts making annual reports, 140.

No. of school houses built during the

No. of school houses in the county, 18 log and 115 frame. No. of legal voters for school purpos

for school purposes... ..\$61,222.26 Total amount of funds disbursed for school purposes.. 58,468 95

More About the "Hero."

The Roseburg Review contains the

peculiar weapon, to say the least, for judgeship by 4000 majority over Judge port to the Southern Pacific Railroad such cold blooded desperadoes to pos. Wedd, rep. held a long consultation. The result be but slightly injured, his "terrible" nominations today: James O. Broadwas that the case was turned over to beating having caused but one small head of Missouri, minister to Switzered six of his best men upon the case, about being put off the freight in the minister to Austria-Hungary; Eben Five of these detectives were sent evening is false according to the state. Alexandria, of North Carolina, minis-

Sheriff Miller and others who visited at Valparaiso. stolen from the Yoncalla section house) with which the rail was re-The detectives who went south im- moved, were lying close by upon the

wrecks have caused the man's story to St. Paul Railway and mechanics and right temple. She attempted to get somely, and the crowd would divide be disbelieved by a majority of those best acquainted with the facts.

We clip the following from the Louis Republic, of recent date:

"Marshall Wheeler," one of the best "flops' occurred 6000 years ago, at the southeasteriy direction, visited this

This is the same individual that spent nearly a year in Eugene, and contact with, the GUARD being a nota- sists of 97 democrata and 4 people's were plentiful. Among the bills left behind was a large one at the hotel when run by S. Munra, and another to our friend, H. R. Kincaid, for printing a large pamphlet descriptive of the "third motion."

FIRST-CLASS BILK.-The Browns ville Times tells of a fellow recently jugged in Albany: This week our town was visited by another bilk. This time it was a little Italian who gave his name as Wm. Spores. He arrived in town about 11 o'clock Friday night and left between Tuesday and Wednesday, leaving the Hotel Browns-ville in the "soup," so to speak. He has two or three mouth organs, which LONDOC, Cal., April 4.—The start-ling news has reached Point Concep-which to buy whisky.

Daily Guard, April 5. SURGICAL OPERATION.-Dr. J. W. Sun Francisco had been burned at sea J. E. Payton and F. W. Prentice per- is leaking out that two well known so apprentices and 13 men landed at of Spencer creek, in this city yesterday to New York, met the goods men and bone disease of the lower limb.

UNCIPAL ELECTIONS

Many Pies Elect Their City Officers.

Chicago Democratic.

4,807 CHICAGO, April 4.—Carter H. Harrison, dem., has been elected mayor by 20,000 plurality, and the emtre city

St. Louis and Kansas City cleet re-186 publican officers,

In Michigan the cities are divided. The democrats carry Helena, Mont. Nebraska towns generally voted for license.

CLEVELAND, O., April 4.-Canton, O., elects a republican mayor for the first time since 1880. The democrats get the council. At Youngstown the democrats won a sweeping victory. At Findlay there was a republican victory. At Masillon the democrats wen, At Akron the democrats elected every officer but the marshal, their candidate for mayor having 11 plurality.

TIRED OF POPULISTS.

Kansas City, April 5., I a. m .- Returns from elections throughout the state indicate a most sweeping victory for the republicans and a strong change of sentiment against the populists.

A Democratic Congressman in

Wisconsin. MILWAUKEE, April 4.-P. J. Summers, dem., was elected to congress in this district over Theobald Ottjen, rep., by about 1200 majority. The Richardson's wounds have turned election is to fill the vacancy made by now states were made with a pen knife ell to senate. Judge Newman, dem., in the hands of one of the robbers, a is probably elected to the supreme

Liverpool; Jas. M. Dobbs of Georgia.

A Strike Paiture.

CHICAGO, April 4.—The threatened trike of a thousand Union World's Fair carpenters today, to enforce demands for discrimination against nonunion men, proved a failure, less than a hundred men quitting. Their leaders claim this is owing to a misunder-

Against Ends.

ALBUQUERQUE, N. M., April 4 .-Democrats of this territory universally William Eads, of Missouri, for govern-W. Albright of this city.

Fought Like Demons.

Wist Union, Iowa, April 4.-A terrific battle took place at Jackson Junetion, 20 miles from here, between employes of the Chicago, Milwaukee and farmers. Miles McGovern and Peter Myers determined to build a warehouse in spite of orders from the railway to the contrary. This noon the company sent 75 men to lay rails on the building site to prevent building. McGovern and Myers and a band of farmers terribly injured, one of whom will die. The men became wild and fought like not want to make a shipping point at the junction. The railway is now in

Earthquake in California

SAN BERNARDINO, Cal., April 4 .-A heavy earthquake, moving in a time set down by the geologists as the city at 11:40 a. m. today. No damage 'glacial epoch.' " was done.

A Floridian Affliction.

TALLAHASSE, Fla., April 4.-The

SALT LAKE, April 4.—The semi-annual conference of the Mormon church began today. The dedicatory ceremonies of the new temple begin April 6, and run to April 18, inclusive.

A Faint Frotic. GRESHAM, Va., April 4.-A negro

Judge Beady's Will. PORTLAND, April 4.- The will of the late United States District Judge He Deady was filed for probate today. The will is very brief and the entire estate, valued at fifty thousand dollars is left to his widow. After her death it is to be equally divided between her

Independence West Side: The fact the crop of suckers never die.

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F. L. CHAMBERS. | Deep moor sen sees away, as present years and present a second years are presented by the present it in a hundred years.

TRIX.

F. L. Chambers.

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Cleveland's Nominees.