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DECEMBER THIRD

A Date that Will Never be Forgotten by One Woman.

I will never forget the third day of December, 1897, as long as I live," said Mrs. H. A. Fletcher, of No. 233 W. Hancock street, Manchester, N. H., a reporter recently.

"For on that day," she continued, "I received a shock of an apopleptic character. It was so severe that the sight of my right eye was affected, causing me to see objects double. I was confined to my bed about four weeks, at one time being told by the doctor that I could not get well. When I could leave my bed I was in such a nervous state that I could not sleep at night. I would get up and sit on a chair until completely tired out and then go back to bed and sleep from exhaustion."

"Nothing seemed to help you?" ventured the reporter. "Nothing that the doctor gave me did much good," replied she. "After being under his care for six weeks and not seeing any improvement, I gave up hope until my sister, Mrs. Loveland, of Everett, persuaded me to try Dr. Williams' Pink Pills for Pale People. I began taking them with the result that I experienced relief the second day. The first night after taking the pills I lay awake only a short time and the second night I rested well. From that time I slept well every night and soon got well and strong."

"My niece has taken these pills for weak nerves and poor blood and found them very beneficial." "In order that there could be no doubt as to the genuineness of her statement Mrs. Fletcher made affidavit to it before William W. Forbes, a notary public, at Manchester on July 30, 1901."

Dr. Williams' Pink Pills for Pale People will not only effect a cure in cases similar to the one above but, acting directly on the blood and nerves, are an unfailing specific for such diseases as partial paralysis, St. Vitus' dance, sciatica, neuralgia, nervous headache, after-effects of the grip, palpitation of the heart, pale and sallow complexion and all forms of weakness in either male or female. Dr. Williams' Pink Pills for Pale People are sold by all dealers, or will be sent postpaid on receipt of price, fifty cents a box, or six boxes for two dollars and fifty cents, by addressing Dr. Williams' Medicine Company, Schenectady, N. Y.

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LATEST DISPATCHES

THE LATEST FROM TRACY.

PORTLAND, Aug. 5.—It is reported, upon what seems to be the best of authority, that Tracy has at last been run down and his murderous career ended. He was not content with escaping the fate his terrible misdeeds deserved, but preferred a notoriety that would live in criminal history. According to latest rumors Tracy was shot and badly wounded by Sheriff Cudjhee, and preferring death to capture he turned his weapon upon himself and "shuffled off this mortal coil."

SPOKANE, Aug. 5.—With three posse hot on his trail and a fourth being organized in this city to join the hunt, the outlaw and murderer Harry Tracy is still at large. The officers, while they cannot definitely locate their man, believe they have his trail, and know within a few miles of where he is lying in wait for darkness to make another sneak. After being seen at Wenashee Tracy worked gradually northeast, and all indications pointed to an attempt to enter the Colville Indian reservation at or to reach the international boundary line. But the outlaw fooled his pursuers, and has taken a southern turn, and is now supposed to be in hiding in the rough Lake Creek country somewhere between Odessa on the Great Northern road and Wilbur, on the Central Washington. The last report which is taken as authentic is that Tracy or a man answering his description was seen about two and a half miles north of Odessa about 9:30 last evening by Mrs. Craben, a farmer's wife. The man was riding one horse and leading another and carried two rifles. As he had been seen between Wilbur and Harrington, inquiring the way to Harrington, it is supposed he got on the wrong road and struck Odessa considerably west of Harrington. His direction when seen last night was north, indicating that he had turned on his tracks and was making for the unsettled country around Lake Creek. Last night an attempt was made to waylay the outlaw. Posse got ahead of him and were stationed along the different roads which it was thought he might travel. Sheriff DeBolt was in ambush on one of the roads between Wilbur and Harrington, but the outlaw took a fork leading to the south and missed the trap. Sheriff Gradner, of Lincoln County, is at Harrington today; Sheriff DeBolt, of Douglas County, is at Beardon, while Sheriff Cudjhee of King County and Sheriff Doust of Spokane are also working in that neck of the woods.

A FIERCE BATTLE AT PANAMA.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 5.—A cablegram from Panama gives news of a fierce battle that was fought between the Colombian revolutionists and the government forces at Agria Dulce. The results of the battle are unknown, but the government forces claim a victory.

THE KING VIEWS YACHT RACE.

COWES, England, Aug. 5.—King Edward has almost recovered his health, and today he was present at the regatta at this place and saw the races from the deck of the Imperial Yacht. He takes great interest in the races and he will remain here for several days.

STORM WRECKS WORLD'S FAIR BUILDING.

St. Louis, Aug. 5.—The western part of this city was swept by a heavy wind storm early this morning, wrecking many buildings, among them being the World's Fair Industries building, which had the east side smashed in.

Some of Our Bargains.

- Foot Hill Fruit Farm—21 Acres—30 acres in cultivation... Grain Ranch—160 acres in a square... A Cranberry Orchard—126 acres orchard land...

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UNION LIVERY, FEED SALE Stables, JACKSONVILLE, OREGON

A NEW ESTABLISHMENT. Will McDaniel has opened a neat cigar, confectionery and fruit store in Ryan's building, Jacksonville, and keeps a complete assortment of the best of everything in his line.

A GRUESOME DISCOVERY

In a Spring Near Jacksonville—A Suicide Committed. Coroner Pickel was on Saturday notified that a man had been found dead in a spring situated on the Beck place, in Poorman's creek district, about three miles south of Jacksonville, and immediately proceeded to the scene. It developed that it was the body of Henry, an aged negro who had been living in that vicinity for sometime past. It was discovered by John Carter, a son of S. C. Carter, who was just taking possession of the ranch, and had probably been in the water eight or nine days. The remains were removed to the undertaking parlors of David Linn, where an inquest was held. The testimony produced to the jury indicated that it was a case of self-destruction. The deceased had been in poor health for sometime past and was an object of the charity of some of the people living in the neighborhood. He had been informed by one of those who furnished him with food that he could do so no longer, and upon being advised to go to the county hospital he gave an unsatisfactory reply. Henry then doubtless planned to destroy himself, as he was missed soon afterward. The spring in which he was found is about eight feet deep and has six feet of water in it. It is covered with plank, which has an opening in it just big enough to admit the body of a man.

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The Southern Oregon State Normal School is making thorough preparation for the coming year's work. The buildings are being remodeled and repaired, and extensive additions to the chemical and physical departments are being made.

RETAIL MARKET REPORT.

- The following quotations were made up this afternoon, and is an impartial report of the prices paid by Jacksonville dealers: Wheat—75c per bushel. Flour—\$1.70 @ \$1.80 per 100 pounds. Oats—36c per bushel. Barley—Rolled, \$1.25 per cental. Hay—Per ton, baled, \$18. Potatoes—\$1.50 @ \$2 per hundred. Onions—2 cts per pound. Butter—35c @ 36c per roll. Beans—3c @ 5c per pound. Lard—15c per pound. Eggs—20 cts per dozen. Sugar—D. G. \$4.75 @ \$5.25 per cwt. Poultry—\$3.00 to \$3.50 per dozen. Hams—16c @ 18c per pound. Shoulders—12c per pound. Side Bacon—15c @ 20c per pound.

Rates Again Reduced.

Before you make definite arrangements for that trip east let us quote you rates via the Illinois Central Railroad. Our rates are the lowest to be had, and it will pay you to write us. If you haven't time to communicate with us tell the agent from whom you purchase your ticket that you want to travel by way of the Illinois Central, and you will never regret the trip.

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LOSING FLESH In summer can be prevented by taking Scott's Emulsion.

COUNTY RECORDS.

Matters of Importance Transacted at the Court House. REAL ESTATE. Delphia Bryant to Chas Bateman, 1 acre, sec 14, twp 39, r 1 e; \$50. R G Harrel to B R Stevens, 6525 sq ft land near Ashland creek; \$150. Al Peck to Sarah E Richards, 1 acre land in Ashland Homestead Assn; \$1. A Pool to A J Daley, parcel of land in D L C No 45, twp 39, r 1 w; \$50. J L Downing to Elizabeth J Van Sant, 2 acres in D L C No 40, twp 39, r 1 e; \$350. Lydia Powell to Geo W Grow, 1 int in lots 1-2, blk 64, Medford; \$60. Richard Beswick to Jonas Fattig, 1 int acre, sec 6, twp 39, r 1 e; \$1. Richard Beswick to J C Parslow, 1.10 acre sec 5, twp 39; \$400. B F Reaser to E M McIntire, lots 32-33, Highland Park add, Ashland; \$200. Barbara Horn to C R Ray, e 1 of w 1 of the sec of sec 33, twp 36 r 3 w; \$100. Charlotte Frost to Henry L White, lots 21-22, blk J, R R add to Ashland; \$650. Geo W Trefren to Thos Lovese, lots 22-23, blk Q, R R add to Ashland, and portions of lots 20-21; \$1231. C S Inglerock to C W Martyr, e e three-fifths of lot 35, Pracht's add to Ashland; \$200. E S Pennick to O W Kellogg, 320 ac in sec 16, twp 34; \$700. Rebecca Eggleston to Charles J Kibbe, bond for deed to 1.20 acres in twp 39, r 1 e; \$300. Anna E and Ida M Hargrove to L M Goodwin, bond for deed to e 1 of e 1 of sec 9, twp 39, r 1 e; \$1000. Dossie Bressler to Louisa A Trefren, lot 4, blk 12, Ashland; \$40. John W Prall to C R Ray, lots 1-2 and sec 2 of sec 15, twp 36, r 3 w; \$800. Adella Palethorpe to Geo H Palethorpe, power of attorney. James T Blevins to Francis M Blevins, sec 2 of nw 1 of sec 28, twp 36 s, r 3 w; \$1. W S Barnum to Bertha S Barnum, lots 9-10-11-12, blk 22, and lots 14-15, blk 3, lot 9, blk 24; lots 4-5-6-7-8-9, Barnum's add to Medford, also lot on 7th street, Medford; love and affection. Ellen H Wagner to Albert E Kinney, one-tenth acre land in Ashland; \$50. William Lindsay to E E Throop, parcel of land in blk X, R R add to Ashland; \$10. MINING LOCATIONS. Willard and James Eaton and Frank Lawrence, quartz claim "Windfall," Gali's creek, July 28. G W Donnell, placer claim "Steam Shovel," Jackson County Mining district, July 25. Frank H Ray, placer claim "The Century," Table Rock Mining district, July 31. Hilda Salstrom gives notice of appropriation of water out of Rogue river to be used for milling, electrica and mining purposes, July 15. W. H. Honan, quartz claim "Extension and Horseshoe," Jackson County Mining district, July 19. O John Moist, quartz claim "Fourth North Extension of Whale," Jackson County Mining district, July 29. PROBATE COURT. Estate of Adaline Dews; will admitted to probate. Oliver Dews appointed executor; estate valued at about \$1500. Estate of Edwin Brown, inventory and appraisal approved, Aug. 1st, 1902. General Debility Day in and out there is that feeling of weakness that makes a burden of itself. Food does not strengthen. Sleep does not refresh. It is hard to do, hard to bear, what should be easy, -vitality is on the ebb, and the whole system suffers. For this condition take Hood's Sarsaparilla. It vitalizes the blood, gives vigor and tone to all the organs and functions, and is positively unequalled for all run-down or debilitated conditions. HOOD'S PILLS cure constipation, 5 cents.