

FAMILY OF 11 FIGHT BLIZZARD

Extreme Case of Destitution and Exposure Reported From St. Paul.

(United Press Leased Wire.)
St. Paul, Dec. 17.—Exhausted, half frozen and nearly starved, Levi Frank, his wife and nine children are in this city after fighting their way for 400 miles down the Mississippi in open boats during the recent storm which culminated Friday night in a blizzard. During the blizzard their rowboats became stranded on an island, and the family were nearly dead from five days exposure when they were rescued.

Frank is in a precarious condition from sickness brought on by his attempt to swim from the island to shore to summon assistance, and his daughter Lella is in a hospital suffering from pneumonia and typhoid fever.

Frank lived at the headwaters of Pine river. When the timber disappeared his means of livelihood was gone, and he determined to return to relatives down the river. Lacking money to transport the family by train, boats were built and they undertook the journey in them.

They tell pitiful stories of nights and days in fearful storms on the river. When the blizzard struck them their provisions were practically exhausted. All were living on short rations except the youngest, when a farmer sighted them from the shore and came to their aid.

NEW STAMPS BOUGHT FOR OREGON MINE

Fifteen stamps are in operation and 10 additional stamps are being installed at the Greenback mine, at Placer, according to J. P. Anderson, manager of the mine, who is in Portland for a few days on business for his company. Twenty men are employed regularly at the mine and a number of extra men are now engaged in overhauling the plant and preparing for enlarging the output next year.

Prospects were never so bright around Grand Pass," said Mr. Anderson. "That a great mineral belt exists in that section no one doubts. Year by year the effort to secure the mineral is more scientific and businesslike. The district is getting over the effects of misrepresentation and the effort to develop mines instead of prospects is being made in good faith. Southern Oregon will profit immensely by the mines now being worked.

"The Greenback mine has already given up fortunes, while some of the placer diggings have been and still are tremendously rich."

"Dry" Record at Dayton.

(Special Dispatch to The Journal.)
Dayton, Wash., Dec. 17.—Comparison of justice and police court records for Dayton before and since the town was placed on the "dry" list last June has just been made by Prosecuting Attorney R. M. Sturdevant, showing a marked decrease of cases. In his report Prosecuting Attorney Sturdevant says: "I find that from June 16, 1908 to December 1, 1908, 49 cases were tried in police court, while for the same period this year, 16 cases were tried. In 1908 most of the cases were for drunkenness or other petty charges due to liquor.

Companies Incorporated.

Salem, Or., Dec. 17.—Articles of incorporation were filed in the office of the secretary of state today as follows: Alliance Film Service, principal office; capital stock, \$25,000; incorporators, F. W. Jewell, Havelock Sinfield and J. G. Wilson.

BREAKS A COLD IN A DAY

And Cures any Cough That Is Curable. Noted Physician's Formula.

This prescription is one of the very best known to science. Any good druggist has the ingredients or will get them from his wholesale house, any one can mix them.

Mix half pint of good whiskey with two ounces of glycerine and add one half ounce Concentrated pine compound. The bottle is to be well shaken each time and used in doses of a teaspoonful to a tablespoonful every four hours. The Concentrated pine is a special pine product and comes only in half ounce bottles, each enclosed in an airtight case, but be sure it is labeled "Concentrated."

Chamberlain's Cough Remedy has become famous for its cures of coughs, colds, croup and influenza. Try it when in need. It contains no harmful substance and always gives prompt relief.



Saturday SPECIAL!

This hard wood Rocker in golden oak finish, exactly like cut. Regular \$3.75 value. Special for Saturday only—

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Watch for our every Saturday Specials.

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COMPLETE HOUSEFURNISHERS
85-89-91-93 Russell Street, Bet. Mississippi Avenue and Delay.
The Store Where Your Credit is Good.



Marguerita Artman, Leading Lady in German Plays.

IMMIGRATION QUESTION

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to say, because if I did, it would prove expensive and perhaps block them. As to plans matured, the people already know, and in regard to the Deschutes line I can only say that its ultimate terminal will be ascertained when the line is completed.

"I was here in June of this year, but many moves have been made since, and my intention is to remain in the city possibly until noon Saturday. That will give me opportunity to look around. Our party arrived after dark and had no chance to see anything of the city or immediately surrounding country."

WOMAN KILLED IN TRAIN WRECK

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Santa Fe limited train No. 4 crashed into the rear end of overtaking passenger train No. 8 late yesterday. None of the injured according to the statements of the railroad officials, was fatally hurt.

Blame for the accident is attributed to a flagman who neglected to flag the limited when train No. 8, which was behind its schedule, stopped at Winona for orders.

Home-seekers at Hood River.

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Freight Engineer Killed.

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Your Opportunity.

The Boston Sample Shoe store is selling men's and women's sample shoes for \$2.50, well worth \$3.50 to \$5. Rooms 300-304 Dekum building, Third and Washington.

Defunct Bank's Property Sold.

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VIOLET ASQUITH IS PROSTRATED

Premier's Daughter Grieves Over Death of Fiance—Poet Watson Scored.

(United Press Leased Wire.)
London, Dec. 17.—With one of the greatest political battles England has known raging throughout the kingdom, Premier Asquith, leader of the Liberal party, today practically abandoned the campaign and left London for Winchester, where he may be at the side of his stepdaughter, Violet, who is prostrated over the death of her fiance, Honorable Archibald Gordon.

Gordon, the son of the Earl of Aberdeen, succumbed yesterday to injuries sustained in an automobile accident November 28. Violet Asquith was with him when he died.

So poignant is the grief of the premier's daughter that public sentiment against William Watson, the poet, who branded her "the woman with the serpent's tongue," and accused her of being incapable of feeling, has been fanned into rage and denunciations are frequent.

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A. B. Steinbach & Co.

—THESE HOLIDAY SHOPPING DAYS are a busy time for all of us and of you who have to buy Christmas presents for Men and Boys are probably at this moment engaged in a more or less frantic attempt to decide "what he'd like." We know, and we've got it here for you.

Sensible Christmas Gifts

—FOR—

Men and Boys

Gloves	\$1.00 to \$2.25	Pajamas	\$1.50 to \$5.00
Silk Hose	\$1.00 to \$1.50	Night Robes	50¢ to \$5.00
Fancy Hose	35¢ to 50¢	Sweater Coats	\$2.50 to \$5.00
Dress Shirts	\$1.00 to \$4.00	Bathrobes	\$5.00 to \$15.00
Fancy Shirts	\$1.00 to \$2.50	Smoking Coats	\$5.00 to \$15.00
Cuff Links	50¢ to \$3.00	Collar Bags	\$1.00 to \$1.50
Scarf Pins	50¢ to \$2.50	Silk Hats	\$6.00 to \$8.00
Silk Suspenders	\$1.00 to \$2.50	Opera Hats	\$6.00 to \$8.50
Linen Handkerchiefs	25¢ to 50¢	Youman Hats	\$5.00
Silk Handkerchiefs	50¢ to \$1.00	Stetson Hats	\$4.00 to \$10.00
Fancy Handkerchiefs	25¢ to 50¢	Brook Hats	\$3.00
F. D. Protectors	\$1.50 to \$2.50	Silk Mufflers	\$1.00 to \$3.00

—Our display of Holiday Neckwear embraces every new style and coloring; you can indulge your luxury in pattern and quality here to any limit at prices from 50c to \$2.50

—Special Christmas exhibit of Men's and Boys' Suits, Overcoats and Cravenettes at our usual modest prices

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You'll find here just the article suitable for the present you desire to make, whether it be for a woman, man or child, and all at most reasonable saving prices.

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Women's Felt Juliets 98c

One piece, all wool felt, high back and front, trim'd with black fur; some have ornaments. Very flexible soles. Colors are red, black, wine, green, gray, brown. All sizes, 3 to 8. Black Fur Trimmed Juliets, special, all sizes **98c**

LARGE NEW SHOWING OF LADIES' NEW HOLIDAY

Neckwear, Collars, Tabs, 15c to \$1.75
Handsome new styles and big assortment.

All Wood to Burn at Cut Prices
Impense assortment of boxes and piacquets to select from.

Santa Claus in Our Toy Department Saturday, 2 to 5 P. M.—Bring the Children

Cut Glass 25 Per Cent Off

Rich sparkling Cut Glass in large assortment at 25 per cent discount.

8-inch Bowls at **\$2.63**
6-inch Nappies at **\$1.32**

Our Big Basement Toy Department
Is showing the most complete assortment of Dolls, Toys, Games, Wagons, Doll Carts, etc., etc., ever shown on the east side.

Men's Holiday Neckwear, 25c, 50c, 75c
Very elaborate showing of the best new styles and colors.

Great Sale Samples---Toilet, Comb and Brush Sets, Military Brushes, Etc.
ALL MARKED
25 to 30 PER CENT OFF

Regular prices. A complete sample line from a big wholesale concern, comprising a big assortment of Comb and Brush Sets, Military Brushes, Manicure Sets, Toilet Sets, Shaving Sets, etc. Only one set of a style. Prices range **\$1.25 up**.

Men's Holiday Slippers, 75c, \$1.00, \$1.25, \$1.50, \$2.00

All noteworthy values and styles that are especially appreciated by any man. Black or tan. Everett, Opera or Romeo styles.

Men's Bath Robes \$3.50 and \$5.00
Men's Smoking Jackets \$5 and \$6

All Morrison Bridge cars pass our store. R. S. East Side Line one block away.

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