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## PLANS FOR THE HANGING

**Gallows Will Be Erected in Northwest Corner of Portland Court Yard on Which Wade and Dalton Will Suffer the Death Penalty.**

PORTLAND, Dec. 26.—While the execution of Wade and Dalton is more than a month off, preparations are already being made for the execution. Sheriff Frazier intends to do his duty in this regard, although it is not a pleasant one, and unless his plans are changed, will be the one to put the noose around their necks and pull the cord which will open the trapdoor.

It is proposed to erect the gallows in the northwest corner of the courthouse yard, at the corner of Salmon and Fifth streets, north of the carpenter's shop. The gallows will be at the east end of this space of ground, and will have two traps, so that both men can be hanged at the same time. The floor of the gallows will be about eight feet from the ground, and the gallows will be altogether about 15 feet high. This it is estimated, will leave about 1500 square feet of available space, which will be ample, as the sheriff intends restricting the invitations.

As a matter of courtesy, invitations will be sent to all the sheriffs in the state of Oregon and to some in the state of Washington. In Portland, some doctors, officials from the police office and representatives of the press will be accorded privileges; but, outside these, the sheriff proposes to be chary of granting invitations.

Wade and Dalton are the same as ever, the former especially seemingly having no fear of his impending doom. They ate a good turkey dinner yesterday, and this morning were writing letters, probably more to pass the time away than for any other reason. Both men are of the Catholic faith, and this morning requested that the sisters be sent to them. This request was of course granted by Jailor Mitchell.

The hour for the execution has not yet been set, this being a matter discretionary with the sheriff, but it will probably be between 6 and 10 o'clock in the morning.

### Storms Playing Havoc.

SALT LAKE, Dec. 26.—Sleet and snow storms, accompanied by wind at some points almost reaching the velocity of a hurricane, have played havoc with train and the telegraph service in the Northwest. In the mountains west of Missoula the snow and sleet was blinding. The storm is still raging in the mountains, all trains are more or less delayed, while telegraph service is completely prostrated.

Spokane, Wash., as far as telegraph service is concerned, is completely cut off from the world. At Butte, Mont., the storm came from the west out of a clear sky, the snow driven by a fierce wind, being so thick that it was impossible to see across the street.

The storm apparently extended clear through to the coast, as last night Seattle, Tacoma, Spokane and other points reported terrific wind, and marine disasters were feared. Wires failed before any details could be obtained. The storm appears to be gradually working south. High winds are reported from Utah points today and every indication points to a severe blizzard in the intermountain region.

### To Have Credit You Must Be Insured.

NEW YORK, Dec. 26.—Acting under instructions of the annual convention, the business literature committee of the National Association of Credit Men has recently been collecting from leading credit men throughout the country views showing the necessity of merchants, manufacturers and all interested in mercantile pursuits carrying fire insurance as an essential to credit.

Quite a large amount of data on this subject has been received which will early in the new year be issued in the form of a pamphlet. It is stated that the committee will also eventually prepare a book which will be distributed to members of the association, and which will contain the results of their studies on carrying fire insurance.

## GOVERNOR JOHN ROGERS IS DEAD

**Executive of Washington Passes Away—He Had Been Ill Six Days With Lobar Pneumonia—His Successor, Lieutenant-Governor McBride, is a Republican.**

OLYMPIA, Dec. 26.—Governor John R. Rogers died this evening at 8 o'clock, after an illness of six days. This morning he began to sink and passed into a comatose state. He grew steadily weaker throughout the day. The collapse was a surprise to his physicians and family, as he rested better last night than he had during his illness. He took some nourishment this morning, but became unconscious about 9 o'clock.

The first symptoms of Governor Rogers' illness developed Friday. Friday afternoon at his office he contracted a chill. A fever resulted, and by 10 o'clock Saturday morning the governor began to complain of pains in his chest. The fever increased slightly and the pains became quite severe. Sunday the first reports of his condition were given out. It was announced that he was suffering from lobar pneumonia, the middle lobe of the right lung being affected. He was attended by Dr. Ingham, of Olympia. While he was acknowledged to be seriously ill his condition was not considered dangerous. The governor was known to be a man of regular habits and strong constitution and, although in one of his advanced years, pneumonia is never to be considered lightly, it was thought he would pull through.

The patient suffered a great deal of pain Sunday, but by 8 o'clock in the evening he was resting much more easily and passed a good night. Monday night his condition remained unchanged. Monday night was again passed comfortably, and Tuesday morning the governor rested easily and was in a cheerful frame of mind. On the same day the watchers by his bedside announced his condition to be satisfactory and the belief was expressed that he would recover. On Christmas he was reported to be still improving. State Labor Commissioner William D. Blackman, his son-in-law, who was constantly at his bedside, made the announcement that if the disease did not spread, and the time had then arrived when it should spread if at all, Dr. Ingham felt entirely comfortable concerning his patient. It was today that the first turn for the worst came and he died at 8 o'clock.

Governor Rogers will be succeeded by Lieutenant-Governor McBride, who was elected on the republican ticket. Governor Rogers was a democrat.

### He Is Not a Quitter.

NEW YORK, Dec. 26.—Edgar Stanton Maclay, who refused to resign as special laborer in the office of general storekeeper of the navy-yard, was summarily discharged today. Maclay went to the navy-yard as usual, prepared to resume his duties. Pay Director Putnam went to Maclay's desk, read him the telegram from Washington yesterday, and told him that he was dismissed. Maclay left the yard immediately. He said he would return at the usual time tomorrow prepared to go to work.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 26.—The civil service commission today notified Edgar S. Maclay, the historian recently employed in the Brooklyn navy-yard, that his removal from his position at that point was not in violation of the civil service act. This notification is contained in a letter written to Mr. Maclay by President Proctor, of the commission, and is a reply to an inquiry from him.

### Stock Feeding Begins.

BURNS, Dec. 24.—Stockmen have gathered their stock from the ranges and driven them to their feeding grounds. Most ranchers have commenced feeding for the winter excepting those that are plenty of pasture. Stock of all kinds is in the condition and hay is plentiful all over the country. Up to the present time there has been no snow to speak of and it is not expected until January.

Subscribe for The Chronicle.

That Clothing Sale we've been telling you about since early this month, is coming to a close soon. **Dec. 31st** is the last day. If for any reason you have neglected to provide yourself with suitable clothing—Men's or Boys—delay no longer. You will positively regret it if you do—for neither this store, nor any other, will hereafter offer the same inducements we are now making.

For a few days longer these prices will prevail—until **Dec. 31st.**

## Boys' Suits



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Could any offer come at a time more opportune than this?

The winter is before you—quite possible your boys' clothing is getting worn and shabby—should we have a storm with a flurry of snow he might possibly suffer for the want of a warm overcoat.

In the face of all these possibilities we say—any suit or overcoat—for large or small boy—at a reduced price.

Bring this list with you and select any.....

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- \$4 or 4.50 garment for..... 3.35
- \$5 or 5.50 garment for..... 4.15
- \$6 or 6.50 garment for..... 5.15
- \$7, 7.50 or 8.00 garment for..... 5.90
- \$8.50, 9.00 or 10.00 garment for..... 7.35
- \$12, 12.50 or 13.50 garment for..... 9.85

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## Storm Ulsters

ALSO

### Suits and Overcoats

For a few days longer at these special reductions.

In the next four days of this sale we expect to put the finishing touches on the most successful December clothing business this store has ever enjoyed. We have given values such as no one expected—even here. Skeptical people have come—and gone away satisfied. Satisfied with what they bought—with what they saw—and satisfied that we do just as we advertise to do—always.

- \$10 to 12.50 garments choice..... \$8.45
- \$13.50 to 15.00 garments, choice..... 10.65
- \$15.50 to 18.75 garments, choice..... 13.85
- \$19 to 24.00 garments, choice..... 16.85
- \$25 to 30.00 garments, choice..... 21.85



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### Four Killed in a Train Wreck.

SALT SPRING MARIE, Ont., Dec. 26.—The local express and a work train on the Canadian Pacific Railway collided last night between this place and Welshwood while running at full speed and four or more men were killed and several wounded.

### Your Face

Shows the state of your feelings and the state of your health as well. Impure blood makes itself apparent in a pale and sallow complexion, Pimples and Skin Eruptions. If you are feeling weak and worn out and do not have a healthy appearance you should try Acker's Blood Elixir. It cures all blood diseases where cheap Sarsaparilla and so-called purifiers fail; knowing this we sell every bottle on a positive guarantee. Blakeley, the druggist.

When your hair appears dry and to have lost its vitality it wants something to give it life and vigor. We have what the hair needs when it gets in that condition. We have the Crown of Science Hair Grower and Coconut Cream Tonic. They will cure dandruff and all scalp diseases. For sale at Fraser's barber shop. Price 50c and 75c a bottle.

### Of Benefit to You.

D. S. Mitchell, Falford, Md.: "During a long illness I was troubled with bad nerves, was advised to try DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve and did so with wonderful results. I was perfectly cured. It is the best salve on the market." Beware of counterfeits. Clarke & Falk's P. O. Pharmacy.

### Information Wanted.

The manufacturers of Banner Salve having always believed that no doctor or medicine can cure in every case, but cover having heard of your Banner Salve, we would like to know if there are any cases where it has not cured. If so, we will send you the money. Clarke & Falk.

Wanted: A few more bottles of Banner Salve. Apply to Mrs. N. Harris. 422 St.

### Brain Food Nonsense.

Another ridiculous food fad has been branded by the most competent authorities. They have dispelled the silly notion that one kind of food is needed for brain, another for muscles, and still another for bones. A correct diet will not only nourish a particular part of the body, but it will sustain every other part. Yet, however good your food may be, its nutriment is destroyed by indigestion or dyspepsia. You must prepare for their appearance or prevent their coming by taking regular doses of Green's August Flower, the favorite medicine of the healthy millions. A few doses aid digestion, stimulate the liver to healthy action, purifies the blood, and makes you feel buoyant and vigorous. You can get Dr. G. C. Green's reliable remedies at Blakeley's drug store. Get Green's Special Almanac.

If you want to retain your hair you have to keep your scalp clean. Soap will make your hair harsh, dry and crispy. Now we have two of the very best preparations for cleansing the scalp—Egg and Pine Tar Shampoo. It will leave your hair soft and glossy. Price, 25c and 50c a bottle, at Fraser's barber shop, The Dalles.

### A Poor Millionaire

Lately starved in London because he could not digest his food. Early use of Dr. King's New Life Pills would have saved him. They strengthen the stomach, aid digestion, promote assimilation, improve appetite. Sold by G. C. Blakeley, the druggist.

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