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"My wife was so ill that good physicians were unable to help her," writes M. M. Austin, of Winchester, Ind., "but was completely cured by Dr. King's New Life Pills." They work wonders in stomach and liver troubles. Cure constipation, sick headache. Twenty-five cents at Tallman & Co.'s drug store.

Long Headed.

"Gosh ding that Hiram Sellers!" exclaimed Farmer Pinchbeck. "Charged me 11 cents a gallon for two gallons of 'em. But I'll fix 'em."
"What you goin' to do?" inquired his wife.
"Goin' to write to Mr. Rockefeller an' see if I can't git it cheaper dealin' with him dirreck!"—Philadelphia Press.

What Shall We Have for Dessert?

This question arises in the family every day. Let us answer it to-day. Try

Jell-O,

a delicious and healthful dessert. Prepared in two minutes. No boiling! No baking! Add boiling water and set to cool. Flavors:—Lemon, Orange, Raspberry and Strawberry. Get a package at your grocers to-day. 10 cts.

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Have some good farms for sale.

A FORGER CAUGHT

PASSED A CHECK FOR \$2250 AT WESTON.

Captured at Nampa, Idaho—is Supposed to Be a Member of an Organized Gang Operating in the Northwest.

Sheriff T. D. Taylor arrived in town on the belated No. 1 passenger train today with a man giving his name as John McCabe, who is wanted here on the charge of forgery.

McCabe is supposed to be the man wanted in Weston for passing a check for \$2250. As soon as the word was received that a forged check was passed the sheriff got a description of the man and sent them broadcast over the country.

Wednesday morning the sheriff received a wire from Nampa, Idaho, saying that a man giving his name as McCabe and answering the description of the man wanted here, had been arrested there. It was further stated that the man had practically confessed to being the forger wanted here. The sheriff then wired to know if the man would return without requisition papers and was answered that he would. On this information Sheriff Taylor left Wednesday evening for Nampa to secure the alleged forger and returned this forenoon with the man.

McCabe, it seems, went to Weston last week and forged a check for \$2250, signing a fictitious name to it, and succeeded in passing it off. From there he went to Boise, Idaho, where he was arrested as a vagrant and given time to get out of town. It was not known then that he was wanted here, but when he reached Nampa the chief of police picked him up and notified the officers here.

McCabe is supposed to be one of the organized gang, of forgers working throughout the Northwest. For the past several months there has been an epidemic of check forgery and each time the criminal has succeeded in getting out of town without being apprehended. McCabe may prove to be mixed up in other forgery cases, and it is hinted that his arrest may be the means of causing more of the gang to be run to earth.

PIONEER MOVES AWAY.

Theodore Harm, of North Fork, Sells His Farm and Settles in Grand Ronde.

The many fishermen and sportsmen of Pendleton and the neighboring towns, will learn with keen regret that Theodore Harm, who has resided for 15 years on North Fork, five miles east of Wilbur Station, has sold his home in the mountains and removed to La Grande. Mr. Harm's home has always been the objective point for sportsmen and camping parties from this city. His genial good nature and ready hospitality has endeared him to every man who has dragged his tired feet over the Blue mountain ridges on a hunting or fishing trip.

Mr. Harm settled in the deep canyon of the creek, with towering mountains on either side and converted the narrow bottom lands into a veritable flower garden. He raised vegetables in such abundance that he could not dispose of them, and the butter from his dairy was in greater demand than he could possibly supply.

He manufactured currant and elderberry wine for home use and made his Umatilla county home as nearly an imitation of his old German home as possible. The best wishes of a host of friends go with him.

He will be missed on North Fork and in Umatilla county, and will always be a welcome visitor.

Negroes Don't Migrate.

There were 6,500,000 colored persons in the United States in 1880, 7,500,000 in 1890 and 8,800,000 in 1900. A "general movement" of colored inhabitants from one state to another or from one section of the country to another, due to economic, political or hygienic reasons, has been declared to be in progress at intervals of two or three years, since the close of the civil war. But the figures of each succeeding census prove that the colored population of the United States is by no means migratory; it changes little year by year except as the result of the ordinary increase in population. Various ambitious projects of leaders to "colonize" certain states have failed entirely. In Kansas, for instance, there are only 9000 more colored inhabitants than there were 20 years ago, though Kansas has long been the mecca for many colored colonizers.—New York Sun.

Crops in Porto Rico.

The agricultural development of the island has been satisfactory, according to Secretary Hitchcock's annual report. In 1901 the area of the sugar cane fields amounted to 91,000 acres, and the crop produced was, approximately, 95,850 tons. It is estimated that the crop for the present year will be 105,000 tons of sugar. With the establishment of some large new factories the plantations are considerably increasing, and it is expected that within a few years the sugar product of the island will be twice as much as at present. The area covered at present by producing coffee trees aggregates approximately 166,000 acres, yielding annually an average of 24,230 tons. The work of restoring these groves, which suffered greatly from a hurricane in 1899, has made substantial progress since.—Washington Post.

Village Swain—Lovely moon, ain't there, Sally? Sally (revisiting her home)—Nuthin' to what we 'as in town!—Punch.

WAGE SCALE ADOPTED.

La Grande Organizations Formulate Scale for Direction of Workmen.

La Grande, Dec. 12.—The following scale has been adopted by the Federated Trades of La Grande for the following year:

That a day's work shall consist of 9 (nine) hours, all legal holidays, night and Sunday work, shall count as double time. Overtime shall consist of time and a half from the hours of 5:30 to 8 p. m.

That all brick and rock men counted as mason tenders, and all other classes of helpers on buildings, with the exception of excavating work, shall receive for their labor the sum of \$2.50 per day.

That all mortar and concrete mixer men to receive for their labor the sum of \$3.00 per day.

That tar roofing work shall be included in the line of the \$2.50 per day schedule.

That the following scale is to take effect the first of the year and continue in force for one year.

Over-drawing the Account

Every hour in the day you are using up nerve force, body tissue, blood cells, energy—everything that means health. Always taking away, always borrowing—do you ever pay it back? The thin body and pale blood say no; the reserve force is about gone. There is a general weakness and the body is run down. You have over-drawn your account; you must make up the deficiency, but how?

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Fancy bordered and colored silk handkerchiefs. A very large line at very low prices—25c, 50c, 75c, \$1.00.

A chance to blow yourself. Silk handkerchiefs for 12 1/2c.

A complete stock of imported linen with all width borders—25c, 35c, 50c, 75c, \$1.00

One-half dozen good linen in a fancy box. A good present—\$1.50.

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Suspenders—A very large line of fancy silk in the latest colorings 75c, \$1.00, \$1.25, \$1.50.

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Umbrellas—Fine black silk with nice handles—\$2.50 to \$6.

Suit Cases—Men's leather cases, 22, 24, 26 inch—\$6 to \$20.

Gloves—Dent's fine kid dress gloves, heavy and medium weight—\$2.

Suit Cases—Ladies size 22 inch. Plain and fitted—\$12 to \$20.

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