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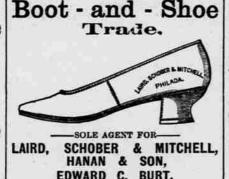
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Ward Douglas, a Prominent Insurance Man. Under Arrest.

Douglas Says the Motive is Blackmail. Disastrous Fire in San Francisc

pecial to the TIMES-MOUNTAINEER: WALLA WALLA, Dec. 28.-Ward Dougas, an insurance man, was arrested yes terday afternoon on a charge of attempt to commit rape on Miss Fannie Turner, Transact a General Banking Business

Several People Perish.

leave the city. He says that he can esnands have have been made on him for Ad Sight Exchange and Telegraphic Transfers sold in New York, Chicago, St. Louis, San Francisco, Ortland, Seattle and Walla Walla, W. T., and va-lous points in Oregon and Washington Territory. hush money; that he had already paid a

Prosecution claim that he persuaded mediately assaulted her, tearing her clothing and wounding her, she fearing to make an outery because of his threats. When she finally escaped she went to the house of a friend and had her clothing repaired before she returned home

The case is set for Monday at 10 a. m. It excites exceedingly great interest in this vicinity, as parties are well known.

San Francisco, Dec. 27 .-- A disastrou fire occurred about 10:30 to-night in the old St. Ignatius church building on Market street, opposite the Baldwin hotel. The first two stories of the building were occupied by the New York Furniture company, the Carner Dove Priniting ompany, and a number of private offices while the third floor was occupied by furniture store. It spread with great

rapidity, and an old lady, Miss Copeland, was overcome by smoke and fell into the flames and perished. ber, was badly burned. Jack McAuliffe, a fireman, was precipitated to the ground | to death. by the breaking of a ladder and received probably fatal injuries. Another fireman was slightly injured by falling walls.

The i building was completely gutted, and is it thought the loss will exceed

Mrs, Crowell, was also found near that of Miss Copeland. Miss Copeland and Ida peace. were burned beyond recognition.

THE JESSUP MASSACRE, JESSUP, Ga., Dec. 27 -Quiet reigns, the last of the volunteer military has been withdrawn and the town is in charge of the civic authorities, who have complete control. No bodies have been found number only six, three whites and three blacks. At no time was the affair a riot In its inception the half-breed negro and Indian, Bob Brewer, defied arrest, killed two whites and wounded a third. Mayor Hopp's call for troops was unnecessary, and aggrevated the situation. The news spread throughout the country, and hun-dreds of irresponsible parties flocked to town on trains from every direction. The leading spirit in the outrages com mitted after dark on negroes was a light-ning-rod-agent from Cincianati. Jessup's citizens were not connected with the whippings, and deplore the lawless acts. Brewer has four followers, all well armed, and they may in retalistion kill but will not dare to attack Jessup. They will themselves be killed eventually, as

they are hunted by hounds. RED-HOT OKLAHOMA CAMPAIGN. OKLAHOMA CITY, Dec. 27 .- Two troop of United States cavalry that had been sent fron Fort Reno by command of Gen-eral Merritt, commanding the department ot the Missouri, arrived this morning impossible for the people to disguise their feelings of insecurity. Almost every house is an arsenal, and every male citi zen carries a revolver. The election of next Monday is anticipated with appre-hension, although the troops will doubtless prevent any serious rioting.

The Kickspoos, the political opponents of the Seminoles, held a meeting to-night to discuss their grievances. No disorder BIG FALURE IN ELLENSBURGH. CHICAGO, Dec. 27.—An Inter-Ocean special from Ellensburgh, Wash, says: Lloyd & Co, the chief mercantile firm in after executing chattel mortgages on their stock in favor of Tacoma banks. The principal creditors are in St. Paul, Chicago and New York. The liabilities

will exceed \$150,000.
TACOMA, Dec. 27.—The assignment of Lloyd & Co., of Ellensburgh and former merchants of this city, excites much surprise. Their indebtedness here was small, and in favor of Garretson, Pratt & Woodworth, Reese, Redmond & Co., and the Citizens' National bank. Before the assignment the firm executed a chattel mortgage of its stock of merchandise to the Citizens' National bank, of this city, First National bank of Pertland, and Kelly, Dunne & Co.

THE SIBERIAN PACIFIC RAILROAD. OTTAWA. Ont., Dec. 27.-N. S. Krong-licoff and A. B. Kondsatvitch, Russian civil engineers, are in the city, en route from Japan via Buttsh Columbia to Mon-treal. They were sent to Canada by the Russian government to inspect railway great railway through Siberia, which, with waterways, will give Russia complete communication between St. Petersburg and the Pacific ocean.

They chose the Canadian Pacific railway as a model on account of its great length and of the marked similitude of British Columbia's mountain regions and the plains of Manitoba to those of Siberia. They will go to Montreal to obtain fur-

THE OLD CHUCH FIRE. SAT FRANCISCO, Dec. 28 .- The identity of the unfortunate women who lost their lives in the fire at the old St. Ignatius tragedy. fully established to day. They are Miss Abigail Copeland, a native of Massachu age. and Miss Ida Platt, a native of Califorcia, 19 years of age. The body of charged with the murder of young Rob-Miss Copeland was so charred that the ert Martin. They were tied to trees on only means of identification was through the roadside, their backs to the saplings. a plain gold ring she wore on the third finger of her left hand. She was an employe of Dr. Rogers, who had an office in the building.

Mrs. Crowell was suffocated to death by

the roadside, their backs to the sapings. A rope was passed around the trees and the bodies of the men. When shot, the weight of their bodies had swung them down on the ropes, and thty occupied all sorts of grotesque and revolting positions.

smoke, and the fire was extinguished before it reached her body. She had not gone to bed when the fire broke out, and she lost her life saving her 18-year old son, William Crowell.

Miss Platt has relatives living in Livermore. She was employed in the Electric aundry and had only gone to bed when the fire broke out. She was considerably burnt about the body and face.

The financial loss is estimated to-day JUDGE L. B. ISON IS DEAD

Union, Or., Dec. 28 .- A telegram just received from Baker City announces the death of Luther B. Ison, associate judge of the Sixth judicial district of this state. Judge Ison has been sick the past eighteen months with cancer in the stoms and sought in vain to find relief. The last few weeks he placed himself entirely in the charge of a Christian science advocate of Baker City, but while it was given out that he was growing better, his triends knew that he was gradually dying and are not surprised to learn of his death. His death leaves a vacancy that will have to be filled by appointment of Gov-ernor Pennoyer. With the expectation of his death occurring there has been some figuring upon the probable successor. Judge Courtney has been spoken of as the possible appointee, but it is said he cannot carry his party strength with him. The appointment is expected from either Baker or Union counties. Hon. Thomas Crawford is spoken of in the latter county, and could be prevailed upon

CHARLESTON, W. Va., Dec. 28,-A ter rible accident occurred this morning on the Chesapeake & Ohio road at White lace. Details have been very hard to get, the only accounts being received by specials to the Gazette. One of these, rom an eye witness, says: Vestibule train No. 3, on the Chesapeak & Ohio, left the track two miles west of White Sulphur springs, at 7:20 this morning, ple and injuring about twenty-five. The accident was caused by the rails spread-

running at the rate of forty to fifty miles an hour. The wreck occurred on a fill, over Jary's run, which is 190 feet high, said to be the highest fill in the United All the killed were in the smoking car which was telescoped by another car. Every person in the car was killed except the conductor, who, though terribly in-

jured, may recover. SLAIN BY MASKED MEN. CHARLESTON, S. C. Dec. 28 -A mob o several bundred men went to the pail at morning, overpowered the jaster and took out eight negroes charged with murder. These were Ripley Johnson and Mitchell Adams, charged with murdering a man named Hefferman, and six others charged Another lady, in attempting to rescue with the murder of young Martin. The prisoners were taken out of town and shot

company the lynchers. The whole thing was conducted in a very skillful manner, the citizens of the town not knowing anything about it. A great many negroes are collected at The body of a washerwoman, who was the scene of the lynching, and more known as Ida, and who used a room with trouble is anticipated. The governor has

been appealed to for troops to preserve FATHER BURCHARD DEAD.

San Francisco, Dec. 27 .- Rev. Father Burchard, a well known Jesuit priest, died at St. Ignatius college this morning from fatty degeneration of the heart. The silver jubilee of Father Burchard's ordination was celebrated August 5, 1881 at The Dallrs, Or., and on this occasion he was presented with a silver chalice by clergy and laity of the Oregon parish.

During the twenty-eight years of his career on this coast, deceased gave missions and lectures in all parts of Californis, Oregon, Washington, Ideho and

RAVISHED HIS PRETTY DATIGHTER. TACOMA, Dec. 28,-James B. Hinchey a lumberman residing south of Carson's mill, was arrested this evening on a charge of ravishing his 13-year-old daughter, a remarkably pretty and intelligent girl. The complaint was issued upon the oath of the mother and wife, a lady of prepossessing appearance.

When arrested Hinchey was drunk and attempted no explanation of the terrible accusation. The outrage took place to day, though the girl, upon being ques

tioned by her mother, says that similar violences have been used by her father in the past. He was committed to jail in the absence of \$10,000 bail. DEATH FROM COCAINE SPOKANE FALLS, Dec. 28 .- A physician died at a hospital this evening from the effects of an overdose of cocaine admin-istered with his own band. His name was George D. Parmley, one of the most prominent physicians of this city. He was 34 years old, a graduate of the col-lege of Physicians and Snrgeons, New York City, and was known as one of the

SORROW OF DOM PEDRO. Орокто, Dec. 29.- Dom Pedro has received many telegrams of condolence on the death of his wife. Among them was When it became evident that the end was rapidly approaching, the ex-empress was advised to summon her confessor. Although in great agony, she replied: "Yes, but we must await the emperor; he

Her last words were: "I regret that my children and grandchildren are not around me that I might bless them for the last time. Alas, Brazil! Brazil! that beautiful country! I can never return Dom Pedro arose early this morning

and attended mass. He was greatly de jected, and so weak that his doctors were obliged to support him. Much anxiety is felt for his condition. When Dom Pedro arrived at the bedside of his dead wife he knelt and kissed her forehead. He appeared unable to move, and did not speak for twenty min utes. Then he said: "I have experienced the most bitter trial God could inflct upon me. Her faithful and affectionate companionship has sustained me for forty-

ix years. God's will be done." Then, noticing his wife's eyes still open, he commanded himself and exclaimed: "Is st possible that those dear. kind eyes will never again brighten when they see me?" Having closed the eye-lids, he reverent'y kissed them. He then asked to be alone, and so remained for a long time, after which he became calm and asked the attendants to keep all quiet until the Lisbon fetts had ended. The news had, however, aiready been sent everywhere. ther data from the Canadian Pacific rail-MURDERED AT THE STAKE.

COLUMBIA, S. C. Dec. 30 .- The coroner's inquest upon the death of the eight negroes lynched at Barnwell, was held Saturday night at the scene of the church, on Market street last night, was a terrible sight the jurymen fully established to day. They are Miss looked upon. On the left side of the road were the bodies of Ripley Johnson and Mitchell Adams, charged with the setts, 63 years of age; Mrs Anna J. Cro- and Mitchell Adams, charged with the well, a native of New Jersey, 36 years of murder of Hefferman, and on the opposite side were the bodies of six pegroes,

The frightful character of the wounds was shown by the testimony of the phy sician at the inquest, and is in brief as follows; Henry Ferz, ten balls in body. age 24; Peter Bell, one ball in the back of the neck and the base of skull, age 70; Harry Johnson, four balls in the body, age 45; Rrfe Morall, six balls in the head

and body, either of which would have been fatal, age 60; Judge Jones, eight balls, one in the brain, age 28; Robert Phœnix, four balls in the body, age 23; Ripley Johnson, eight balls in the body, one in the face, age 30; Mitchell Adams five balls, one through the brain, age 35. On this testimony the jury returned a verdict that the eight men had come to their deaths from gunshot wounds in flicted by some party or parties unknown THE COFFIN OF ELEVEN PEOPLE IN NORTHERN MICHIGAN.

DETROIT, Dec. 29 .- A Tribune's special from Hancock, Mich., says: A calamity not surpassed in the annals of the cour try, occurred at 3 o'clock this morning at Hurontown, A family named Gross consisting of the parents and eight children, with a visitor, were consumed in a burning dwelling. Theodore Gross and wife returned from a dance near by at 2 o'clock. At 2:30 a son, Theodore, jr., returned from the Huron stamp mills, where he is employed. He went into the house and to bed. Shortly after, he was awakened by his

oming from an adjoining room, occupied by their three sisters and three little prothers. They ran to the door and found the room a mass of flames. Smoke and fire were ascending the stairway, and the boys escaped by jumping abrough the window. They reached the ground, seriously cut by glass and but scantily clad. One attempted to enter the house on the ground floor, where the father, mother and two children slept, but was driven back by the flames that enveloped the building. In the course of three hours a search ng party went over the ruins and discov-

ered the charred remains of eleven bodies distinguishable only by the size of the or.es. They were gathered in a sleighbox and deposited in a public hall. SEATTLE MAN STARVES TO DEATH WITH

\$2500 IN POCKET. SEATTLE, Dec. 30 .- The strange case of a man starving to death with securities that represented \$2500 in his possession occurred in Seattle this morning. Di Grant, health officer, was called to the Windsor lodging house to attend a mau who was supposed to be dying. On arriving at the house the found the man in an unconscious condition, what is known as the death rattle

already being present. The patient was at once removed to Providence hospital, There was no fever or evidence of any lisease present, but everything tended to show that the man was starving to death The proprietor of the lodging house said that to his certain knowledge the man, whose name was Charles McHugh, had eaten nothing for over a week. An attempt was made to force McHugh to partake of some nourishsment, but without avail, and early this morning he died. He has no friends, as far as known, in Scattle, and no reason can be given for his singular conduct, for everything goes to show that it was a case of suicide by

starvation. NEW YORK, Dec. 30 .- A letter to the Tribune from Paris says: It has been discovered that for a number of years past a beggars' trust has existed in Paris. This news has spread alarm to many house-holds which have been victims of misplaced charity and have opened their oors to sneak thieves and pilferers. The trysting-place of this corporation, so called, has been discovered by the chief of police, into whose hands have fallen documents containing much valuable information as to a regularly organized beggars' guild, with headquarters in an old rickety building on one of the dirty lanes of squalid Montmatre.

GRANT COUNTY. Items Gathered from the Column

of the Grant County News. Generally cool and stormy. School is in vacation till after the holiday a half feet of snow-more than they have had for two years, and it was needed to

public by Gov. Pennoyer, and purchased an official seal, but the very first document that came under his hand and seal broke the latter short off, necessitating the send-

man for joint senator for this district. Can we afford to entrust that important mission Prairie City correspondence: Bill Johnson, of Sumpter, came to Prairie last week. He says the Cracker creek quartz mill has started up and is running night and day; he says there will be another mill built at the Columbia mine next summer, so we may look for lively times at that camp in the

We copy from an exchange the followng; "Any person who can give any infor-mation concerning one John Tope, a travel-ing dentist, who died somewhere in Oregon or northern California, some four years ago will conter a favor by addressing the under anxious to learn something of his deatl anxious to learn something of his death, and is willing to reward anyone who can tell her about her son. Address R. F. Clark, Verdugo, Los Angeles county, Cal." As a traveling dentist named J. H. Tope died in the vicinity of Hamilton or Monument about that time perhaps some of the residents of that portion of Grant county might be able to give the desired information.

THE DALLES, Dec. 30, 1889.

How pleasant life is when we not only try to make it endurable but pleasant for each other, as I had a happy illustration yesterday, through an invitation to attend a sacred concert and Christmas tree by the Gesang Verein in the K. of P. hall, where the members and their families gathered to Mrs. Mary B. Harris. Now, James, if this little notice should eath the glimpse of the wheteanous to an ansatz R. Harris, a tall, heavy man, with dark hair and eyes. The letter concludes with these words: "He ran away from Coruing, Iowa, leaving debts, and not a cent for his wife to live on." The letter is signed by Mrs. Mary B. Harris. Now, James, if this little notice should eath the glimpse of each other, as I had a happy illustration commemorate the day.

The exercises were opened by President Chas. Schmidt introducing Theo. Printz who delivered an address of welcome, folwho delivered an address of welcome, followed by the president presenting a beautiful gold headed cane to their instructor, Maj. A. Bettingen, in a neat speech, who responded with some feeling and much surprise at their testimonial. Then followed songs by the class, which showed marked interpresent for the short time then improvement for the short time they have been organized, interspersed with refresh-ments. Then came the chiklren's time, as they gathered around a fine well-loaded tree in the center of the hall and received their presents with the bright smiles and cheery laughter to make an old batchelor envious.

One of the jems of the occasion was an address of welcome by little Annie Stubling, in a clear voice and excellent German. Bucklen a Arnica Salve.

From Saturday Daily. The weather is mild and spring-like. The last rose of summer has withered Mr, Arthur Coffin, wife and daughter are in the city.

Theodore Helms, living fifteen miles from Dayton, Wash., was killed by a falling tree It is related that Jack Stanials with his little ash pan spoiled the coasting on Union street. Let his name be praised. O. D. Taylor has received an offer of \$100,000 for his property in Rockland There are valuable fishing interests in conection with the land.

Indian Agent Moorhouse and the chiefs who accompanied him to Washington to in-terview the great father, returned to the Umatilla agency last Monday. The sleigh between The Dalles and Goldndale tipped over yesterday in rounding curve on the grade coming down the mountain. No one was injured.

date used a sleigh yesterday for the first time. From the Columbia river to the mountain the sleighing was very poor. Ice has formed so far to the depth of two and a half inches. The people desire more cold weather so as to procure an abundant

The stage between this city and Golden

In Astoria Christmas day they varied th solemnities of the occasion by a little stab-bing affray in one of the saloons. The people must have been very drunk as no one was fatally injured.

Yesterday morning at Waitsburg John Turner, while intoxicated, fell from the balony of a hotel, a distance of fifteen feet. njuring him so severely internally that it thought he will die. Edward Gibbs, living on the Blalock anch below Walla Walla, was returning

ome last Thursday night when his horse fell on him, resulting in mashing his right knee. He is at the hospital. The annual meeting of the board of trade will be held in the council chambers Monday evening. A full attendance is requested, as matters of the greatest importance to the city and vicinity require action.

Yesterday morning the British ship Clan Mackenzie, while at anchor three miles beow Kalama, was run into by the steamship Oregon, and sunk in six fathoms of water. Two sailors were killed outright, and others badly injured. We have been afforded the pleasure of perusing the columns of *The Maryland* Journal and the Baltimore Advertiser, dated

August 20, 1773. This paper is the property of Mr. R. Minshull, of this city, and is n a good state of preservation. Nellie Bly, who is racing against time, arrived at Singapore, India, last Thursday, and will reach Hongkong four days ahead of her schedule time. She has completed half of her journey around the world i hirty-two days. Marcil Bernier died at his home, on Newukum prairie, near Chehalis, Thursday, sged 69. He was the first white child born

in Washington, then Oregon territory. He was born near Walla Walla, moved to Brit-Articles of incorporation were filed yesterday in the secretary of state's office, at Salem, by the Palace Hotel Company. J. W. Morrow, C. A. Rhea, Thomas Quaid, Henry Blackman and J. B. Natter are the

incorporators; place of business, Heppner, Morrow county; capital stock, \$40,000, in The affair in Walla Walla which has been mentioned mysteriously in the Oregonian for some days has at last come to light The name of the prominent business man who attempted rape is Ward Douglas, and the young lady who resisted his assault, Miss Fannie Turner. The matter is now in the courts and will be thoroughly investigated.

McMinnville Register: Tuesday evening about 5 o'clock, the citizens of Monmouth were thrown into a state of excitement over the startling news of the sudden death of Mrs. H. W. Waller, wife of Rev. Waller, Mrs. Waller was to all appearances in the best of health up to the time she was last seen alive. About 5 o'clock in the evening she went to the stair-way and called to he daughter, who was up stairs, to come and look after some work. When the daughter came down stairs, a few minutes later, she was horror stricken to see her mother sit-ting in a chair, dead! She quickly gave the alarm, but the soul of the body had fled, and life was no more. The family are all

well known in this city. Goldendale Sentinel: Rev. J. W. and Eugene Helm disappeared from Ellensburgh on Dec. 20th, and for a week their friends not having any intimation of their intended departure. It was subsequently learned that Rev. J. W., had come to Columbus in this county, and of course is all right, and it is presumed that Gene is also.

is soon out of sight and a scrapping match is liquidated by full sayment of a tine. East Oregonian: Thursday morning another sucker, who hailed from Shoshone, was roped in by the two confidence men

Wednesday night at about 9 o'clock, while Marshal Singer and Deputy Marshal J. B.
Long were in the act of taking David Bond
to the city jail at Brownsville, E. J. Montgomery and some others attempted to rescue the prisoner, and after several blows had been struck all around, some of the reshad been struck all around, some of the res-cuers commenced firing pistols, and Deputy Long drew his weapon. The result is that young Montgomery received a bullet in the neck, just missing the jugular vein. At last accounts the bullet could not be fcund, as it ranged downward. The man was resting easily last night at the Arlington hotel, and it is to be hoped the wound may not prove fatal. Bond was lodged safely in jail, however. As usual, whisky is the cause.

Waitaburg Times: We are in receipt of a slittle notice should catch the glimpse of your runaway eye, bear in mind that you are doing a great wrong to one whom you vowed to love, cherish, provide for and protect, and remember, too, that for such a crime as forsaking a wife, the great God of the universe will hold you accountable at the last day. Repent and forsake your evil ways and return to the companion of

W. W. Journal: On Wednesday morning a well dressed, clean shaved man, about 25 years of age, weighing about 180 pounds, and withal a good looking man, went into J. H. Morrow & Co's store at Waitsburg. He gave his name as W. M. Smith, and wanted to cash a note on Eli Rose for \$180. He also had another note on Mr. Rose for \$300. As an inducement to get the note cashed, he expressed his intention of trading in the store to the amount of \$40 or \$50. The cantata next Saturday evening will be the choicest ever given in the city. Saked about the note, he was astonished asked about the note, he was astonished to retake their bunch of horses, but were cruelly maimed, killed and left with a brutal note of warning on each breast. The gang came to own the basin, which is a hundred miles long by sixty wide, and contains 4000 neonless.

Mr. Grant Mays, of Antelope, is in the

zero at Prinevill well in tune to-day

A tin mine is reported to have becovered in Klamath county. The snow storm yesterday evening general east and west of this city. The thermometar was 20 degrees above

hope the board of trade will take new life for 1890. Both east and west-bound trains, due

If the sidewalks are cleaned of snow now

Mr. W. G. Woodworth, who spent the holidays with his parents in Salem, returnd yesterday. Miss Laura Burgess, of Bakeoven, is in the city. She is en route to Forest Groye, where she is atttending school.

Portland yesterday, was near Oneonta. 1t delayed the train only a few hours. Mr. W. D. Davis injured his hand quite severely while going from this city to Prineville. He is recovering quite rapidly. Winter comes but once during the year in this latitude, and we can stand two or three weeks of snow and freezing weather. Rev. A. Horn will hold services in the German language in the Methodist church at half-past 2 in the afternoon next Sunday. All are invited.

Review: A young blizzard prevailed on Willow creek last Saturday, sweeping the snow off the ground on high points and piling it up to the depth of four feet in sheltered places. Our German fellow citizens had a Christmas tree at Schanno's hall last evening, and, as usual, enjoyed themselves. A

graphic account of the affair. Mr. A. W. Hart, who died in this city Dec. 24th, immigrated to Oregon in 1845, and was one of our oldest pioneers. He was well known to many of our citizens, and resided here for many years. The east-bound freight yesterday met with an accident at Troutdale, in which the caboose was thrown off the track. The train laid there seven hours before every-

hing was placed in proper position. The Christmas tree at the parochial school of Rev. A. Horn, on Ninth street, was a yery successful affair. The children were well satisfied with the presents, and ap-The east-bound flyer was three hours late yesterday. In coming out of East Portland of the Union Pacific will be moulded in Omaha, Neb., after the 1st of January, 1890. This will reduce the work at the table of the Union Pacific will be moulded in Omaha, Neb., after the 1st of January, 1890. This will reduce the work at the pilot struck an obstruction, and it was broken badly. This necessitating sending back to Albina for another locomotive and

C. D. Emerick ran off with Belle Mulkey not, and would be very glad if the building room Umatilla county several months since from Umatilla county several months since and went to the Sound, where he deserted deserted girl and make an effort to punish The skating club have a force of men em-

oloyed damming Mill creek at the railroad oridge. As soon as the pond is completed, an admission will be charged, and none but bridge. As soon as the pond is completed, an admission will be charged, and none but members will be allowed to skim over the surface of the congealed element.

Cruelty to animals is a crime of which no gentleman will be guilty. To tie a horse mail in.

Ochoco Review: A correspondent writes from Upper Crooked river that, during her slumbers, a young lady of that section nearly broke her little finger off endeavor-ing to poke it through a knot hole while dreaming she was trying on an engagement ring. If there are any bachelors in that

Ellensburgh Register: A chronic drunk shuffled off the mortal coil this afternoon in a saloon on Third street while in a chair. He fell asleep and when bystanders tried to

last, however, and died game. Saturday night an accident occurred on the toboggan slide, resulting in slight inju-ries to three ladies. Mrs. J. Smith, Mrs. Lochhead and Miss Gertrude Myers came was roped in by the two confidence men who have been operating several days in Pendleton. He was induced by them to enter a saloon, and a "sure thing" dice game followed which resulted in his losing \$30. He notified the officers, but the villains smelled a rat and were soon off and away for other fields. Search for them has resulted fruitlessly. Miss Myers with uncommon pluck, while the others were being attended to, took the toboggan up the slide and delivered it to its owner. The ladies will be well in a day or so, and may congratulate themselves that the accident was not serious.

Last day of 1889. Good morning 1890. A Happy New Year. Make your new resolutions. "Three Bears" Saturday evening. Common council meets this evening There have 111 inches of anow fallen th There is about two feet of snow in

City Marshal Gibons 18 confined to om by a severe attack of sickness. There was a quorum at the meeting of the board of trade last night. This is encour-

38 above.

The cantata of the "Three Bears" is postponed until Saturday evening at the old

The settlers only quietly grumbled when

aging.

balmy as spring.

Miss Lena Morgan, of Portland, is visiting at the residence of Miss Jeannette Wilams, in this city. Mr. B. F. Vogt, of Sprague, Wash., in the city spending the holidays with his par-ents and friends. his two grown sons attempted to retake their bunch of horses, but were cruelly maimed, killed and left with a brutal

main there the rest of the winter, there be- his lethargy he found himself in Ellensburg one of the most surprised and crest-falle club swingers that could be imagined.

There were no freight trains yesterday from either division. Two freights arrived this morning, and the road is again A crowd of the small boys and girls went through the streets to-day in a happy style. They made Rome how! for a short time

If this is the last day of the year, Ad. Keller, of the Oro Fino has the same brands of excellent wines, liquors and cigars as hertofore, and will constantly keep them on When the ice pond of The Dalles Skating club is in successful operation, the toboggan slide will have a successful competitor, and

a center of attraction unsurpassed any Avalanche: A man named Newman was here very early this morning, were several hours late.

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A large band of sheep are in the corrall adjoining the Diamond flouring mill. They were purchased by Mr. R. E. Saltmarshe, and will be shipped to Chicago to feed the people of that city. A school exhibition will be given at th Three Mile school house next Saturday

night. The programme will consist of

songs, declamations, essays, etc. All are invited to be present. The Dalles "Y's" desire to extend their sincere thanks to all who aided them in making their fair a success. Especial thanks are due Prof. Birgfeld and band who so willingly contributed the music. An evergreen tree on Second street, standing on the sidewalk, was loaded down with old boots, shoes, pipes, etc. last night. It is presumed the hoodlum element desired to present their compliments to the people generally.

Engineer Carrington, who was injured in the Blue mountains last June by a hog-engine turning over on him, is now conductor on the Heppner branch. He is not able to do much work on a locomotive, and the pany gave him a train.

Notwithstanding the chinook wind last night, the sleighing is most excellent to-day. Mr. Frank Epp, the driver of Mr. there are in the city. He doesn't ca the snow lasts till April, it is all right. The rotary steam plow was called in requisition Sunday night. She left the track at Haynes' spur, and this caused a delay of a short time. This plow is the effectual arbitrator between a snow blockade and open communication, and it soon resolves the problem in favor of an open railroad track.

Mrs. C. B. Taylor, of Erskineville, in going to Grant Sunday met with quite a serious accident. She had her babe in her arms, and the horses becoming frightened, in order to save the infant she suffered in bad fracture of the arm. Dr. Hollister was called, and says he is confident that he can save the limb.

owing to the storm. The driver and one passenger laid out all night near the summit of the mountain, and were only kept from

to a street post this freezing weather, and leave him exposed to the elements for hours at a time betokens a brute and a fool. We hope we shall not have occasion to make further note of such treatment.

A civil case was tried before Justice Lang in this city yesterday, in which John Parker of Hood River west plaintiff and H. C. Coe, defendant. The suit was for \$117 on a running account for several years. It was tried of Hood River was plaintiff and H. C. Coe, defendant. The suit was for \$117 on a running account for several years. It was tried by a jury, consisting of Messra. C. Stubling, A. Bunnell, A. C. Pheips, H. K. Page, J. H. McDonough, Emile Schanno. The attorneys for plaintiff were Dufur & Watkins, and Story & Bradshaw for defendant. The jury rendered a verdict for plaintiff for \$37. Pendleton Tribune: The work on the Yellow Jacket division of the Long Creek wagon road has been completed, and that thoroughfare is now open from Pendleton to Camas Prairie. There are but two divisions of the road to be completed. These are those for which Case and Smith have the such an experience.

Minnie Foss, an erring girl from Ellensburgh, was found in Pendleton Friday by Sheriff Brown, of Kittitas county. She was led astray by L. M. LaPointe, a real estate dealer of Ellensburgh, who was forced to marry her, but afterwards completed to the contracts. There are two miles of the former contracts. There are two miles of the former contracts to be finished, and about three and a quarter miles of the latter. The length of the road as completed is about 17 miles, extending from Pendleton to the Umatilla county line.

Mayor Henry Blackman received a telegram from the Empire Well Augur company last Monday, says the Gazette, stating that the contract to bore a well at Heppner had been accepted, and that the machinery had been shipped. From this public by Gov. Pennover, and purchased an official seal, but the very first document that came under his hand and seal broke that came under his hand and seal broke the latter short off, necessitating the sending for a new seal.

Friends and fellow citizens of one of the political parties, wake up and secured the nomination of a Harney or a Grant county man for joint senator for this district. Can man for joint senator for this district. Can we afford to entrust that important mission

Heppner had been accepted, and that the was found that death had claimed him for his own. He was an aged individual and had tarried lo these many years at the shrine of Bacchus. It is pleasing to the many friends of good water and drinkers, but the press and the people of the place have so worked things that if a man rather than suffer the humiliation of defeat, he sat himself down by the side of a barrel and died. He staid with it to the last, however, and died game. will prove to be a great help to growing Heppner, and, as one influential citizen said: "When that augur arrives at Hepp-ner, property in every quarter will have ad-vanced twenty-five per cent."

An exchange says: Did you ever stop to think what a tireless letter writer a good local paper is? Week after week, reaching into year after year, it goes on telling of the marriages, births, deaths, and the coming and going of the people of our town, business success or failure, accidents, crops, improvements, meetings, in fact, events of all kinds. All is a grist that comes to the hopper of a good local paper. Why, if you all kinds. All is a grist that comes to the hopper of a good local paper. Why, if you were to undertake to write a letter every week to your absent friend and tell half the news that your local paper gives, you would soon give up in despair. The supposed pleasure would become tiresome, and the letters grow shorter, farther apart, and finally quit. Why the difference? Because finally quit. Why the difference? Because with a newspaper it is business. People in a live town recognize this and take pleasure in giving the editor news items you would never learn.

prospector just back to Cheyenne, says that a reign of terror was terminated by the shooting of several men and the hang-ing of eleven. A lawless band, led by a desperado called Kettle Jack, was the cause of the trouble, and punishment was Mr. John Lewis, manager of the foundry in this city, is very sick at his residence.

Miss Maria Cavaline, of Portland, is visiting her sister, Mrs. C. E. Morgan, of this city.

There was a quorum at the meeting of the board of trade last night. This is encouring. Being re-entorced by kindred spirits, they established a veritable moun-The mercury last night stood 16 above spirits, they established a veritable moun-zero; but this morning at 6 o'clock it stood tain castle, building a fine log house in Last night a chinook wind came out of the west, and this morning the air was as balmy as spring.

Last night a chinook wind came out of the west, and this morning the air was as would drive off stock from the range and dare the owners to interfere. Frequently were always worsted. An old man and

Bucklens Acraica Salve.

The best salve in the world for cuts bruisses, sores, ulcers, salt rheum, feve-sores, tetter, chapped hands, chilblains corns, and all skin eruptions, and positively curse piles, or no pay required. It is guaranteed to give perfect satisfaction, or money refunded. Price 25 cents per box. For sale by Snipes & Kinersley.

Elegant New Dining Cars

Will run daily, commencing Aug. 25, over the Oregon Railway & Navigation Co., Oregon Short Line and Union Pacific Ry., between Portland and Missouri River. The cuisine and service are unexcelled.

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The little daughter of Col. J. B. Crossen was very sick yesterday. To-day, we are glad to learn, she is much better.

As to-morrow will be New Year's day, the Times-Mountainner will same from this office.

Localizer: One of North Yakima's policemen became somewhat fuddled by repeated does of tanglefoot and concluded to lie down in a caboose standing on a side track until he felt better. When he awoke from the same skelk Ephram got \$35 worth of goods out of the Pioneer Supply Depot, upon the very same "modus operandi." Of course, the fellow skipped out for Walla was very sick yesterday. To-day, we are glad to learn, she is much better.

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