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DEVOID OF ANIMAL LIFE. A Ceaseless Struggle Between Fire and Water in Antarctica. The antarctic is a continental land unique in the world.

Here, however, nature displays her forces on a scale elsewhere unknown. Over the millions of square miles of this antarctic continent ceaselessly continues a titanic struggle between the opposing elements of fire and water.

A CIRCULAR RAINBOW. A Singular Phenomenon Witnessed in the Mountains of India. One of those peculiar atmospheric phenomena, circular rainbows, was observed in India by Lieut. Wheelock about the middle of August, says the Chicago Journal.

BASEBALL IN THE DESERT. The Bedouins Were Badly Frightened by the Ball. Jimmy hit the ball, a slow one, and simply sent it out of sight.

A Sure Thing for You. A transaction in which you can not lose is a sure thing. Biliousness, sick headache, furred tongue, fever, piles and a thousand other ills are caused by constipation and sluggish liver.

DeWitt's Little Early Balm. Mrs. Dan Horner was taken to Portland on Saturday's train to be treated for appendicitis.

A Care for Bilious Colic. Resourse, Stevens Co., Ga.—I have been subject to attacks of bilious colic for several years.

A Gigantic Pear Tree. A famous pear tree, which had lived nearly six centuries, near Toulon, was destroyed recently by a violent wind-storm.

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LOCAL SQUIBS. J. B. Coe, representing J. K. Gill & Co., is in town today.

Back From the Grave. We cannot come, but we can often stay our progress thither. Disease, like everything else, must have a beginning.

Miss Julia Hart writes her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Hart, of this place, that she has been spending the summer at Port Jefferson, Long Island.

Send your address to H. E. Buehler & Co., Chicago, and get a free sample box of Dr. King's New Life Pills.

Heppner's business men have had a hard struggle to weather the storm of the past four years, and now if a little prosperity should come their way, it is much needed and nothing more that they deserve.

Dreadfully Nervous. For relief took your Karl's Clover Root Tea. It quieted my nerves and strengthened my whole nervous system.

W. E. Pryn arrived this morning from Hillsboro and will take 'Gone Sleem'n' place with the Heppner Light & Water Co., while 'Gone' is absent on a visit East.

Certainly you don't want to suffer with dyspepsia, constipation, sick headache, yellow skin and loss of appetite.

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WASTED BY WAR. Devastation of Cuba by the Continuing Armies.

A special dispatch from Havana to the Evening World gives a detailed account of the devastation which has been wrought throughout the island of Cuba.

"I came to Cuba on January 1," said Mr. Waldmann, "to buy tobacco. I found only 800 bales in Havana, all poor stuff, and decided to go to Santiago de Cuba direct by boat and return slowly by traveling through the country where I could, so as to pick up tobacco if there was any. Let me say there is none.

"The trade in the states is utterly misinformed on this point. I have been two weeks getting 49 bales and have searched the island from one end to the other. The crop coming up has been destroyed. There is a little patch here and there around a town, but the fields are laid waste.

"When I was in the city of Santiago de Cuba I got acquainted with some of the Spanish officers there. They were very polite and nice to me. They took me up in a tower and with a glass showed me the earthworks and fortifications of the rebel stronghold.

"Between Colon and Matanzas the whole country is burned up. All the villages on the line are destroyed, except two, and they have double stone walls around them and are well protected by troops.

"Around the ruins of every town were lots of soldiers and a crowd of poverty-stricken country people. Some of them were absolutely naked, all were nearly so. I saw a quantity of men wearing only breech-cloths. I wondered why these men did not go and join the rebels. I would rather die fighting than starve to death as they are doing.

"I can give you no adequate idea of the wretchedness of these people. Weak and naked, they are living, or rather dying, under pieces of bark placed leaning against trees. They crawl under this and lay in the mud and dirt.

"The Sultan at the Play. When the sultan wants to see a play he sends out for a company and attends the representation in his dining-room.

How a Train Sweeps Air Along. Interesting results of an investigation of the effect produced by a railroad train on the air through which it moves were presented at a recent meeting of the St. Louis Academy of Science by Prof. F. E. Nipher.

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THE WONDERS OF SCIENCE. LUNG TROUBLES AND CONSUMPTION CAN BE CURED.

The distinguished chemist, T. A. Slocum, of New York City, demonstrating his discovery of a reliable cure for Consumption (Pulmonary Tuberculosis), bronchitis, lung and chest troubles, stubborn coughs, catarrhal affections, general decline and weakness, loss of flesh, and all conditions of wasting away, will send THREE FREE BOTTLES (all different) of his New Discoveries to any afflicted reader of this paper writing for them.

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THE BOSS FEED YARD.—The first feed yard the teamster strikes in Heppner that is conducted by William Gordon, next door to the Heppner Gazette ranch. Mr. Gordon is accommodating, has a good yard and abundant facilities to take care of stock in first class shape.

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Notice of Intention. LAND OFFICE AT THE DALLES OREGON. Notice is hereby given that the following named settler has filed notice of his intention to make final proof in support of his claim, to wit: Jacob L. Young, Wesley W. Branham, both of Davidson, Oregon. Olof Bergstrom and Erik Bergstrom, both of Gooseberry, Oregon, on October 27, 1897. JAS. F. MOORE, Register.

Notice of Hearing of Final Account. IN THE COUNTY COURT FOR MORROW County, State of Oregon. In the matter of the estate of Wm. Cecil, deceased. Notice is hereby given that Peter Baerensson, the executor of the last will and testament of Wm. Cecil, deceased, has filed his final account in the office of the clerk of said court in said matter, and in pursuance of an order of the Hon. A. G. Bartholomew, judge of the above entitled court, said final account will come on for hearing and settlement on the 2nd day of Nov. 1897, at 10 o'clock a. m., the second day of the November term of said court, at the court house in Heppner, Morrow County, State of Oregon. On or before said time any person interested in said estate may appear and file his exceptions, in writing, to said account and contest the same.

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