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A COLORADO OUTLAW.

The Bars of a Victim Tendered in Payment for the Drinks

John Alfred Slade, the noted outlaw and highwayman, used to wear a beaded and gaudily-colored buckskin suit which cost \$250. Slade's exploits are well remembered by all the old-time settlers in the west. At one time he became involved in a difficulty with a Frenchman named Jules, an Indian trader, who had spent the greater part of his life among the Indians of the plains.

Upon the establishment of the overland line of stages to California Jules was much incensed, as he claimed it was an innovation upon the rights of the Indians and the traders, and would bring too many whites upon the plains. He waged incessant war upon the overland line, with the aid of Indians and half-breeds, by running off stock and committing other depredations, which were continued without restraint until John Alfred Slade appeared upon the scene as a division agent from Kearney west. This man was a refugee from justice, having killed a man in his native county of Clinton, Ill. Soon after taking charge of the division Slade became the terror of the road, and his bold and reckless daring involved him in numerous quarrels with stock thieves and others. His quick aim and steady nerve sent many a desperado to a bloody grave; in fact, he sought quarrels, and to use the parlance of the times, "always got his man." A deadly feud existed between Jules and Slade, and the former resolved on his (Slade's) death. Knowing that on a certain day Slade would come down the road on the overland coach, Jules laid for him at the station, and as the former alighted from the coach, fired upon him with his gun both barrels of which took effect, and as his enemy lay writhing upon the earth, poured the contents of his dragoon pistol into his body. Then mounting a horse, Jules rode into the mountains, fearing the vengeance of Slade's friends.

Strange and unaccountable as it may seem, Slade was found to be alive and was carried into the station, and, though lingering on the point of death for months, he recovered from his wounds and laid his plans for the capture of his enemy, who was finally hunted down and taken to Bovey's Station. The names of the captors of Jules were Nelson, Vaughn, John Fry, and another man, who is now a resident of Montana. These three men, having secured Jules, sent a messenger for Slade, and the bloody men again met face to face. This time, however, Slade had the drop, being heavily armed and with the three armed captors of Jules at his back. Well knowing his doom was sealed, Jules stood up and demanded half a chance for his life. "You gave me no show," retorted Slade, "but take this and defend yourself," handing the Frenchman a pistol which he knew well would not revolve—and the next instant sent a ball through the forehead of Jules near the top of the skull, who reeled and fell. Slade and his party then returned to the next room to take a drink, but upon returning found the prostrate Frenchman gone. Horses were mounted and the country scoured to no effect; but upon returning to the station the wounded Jules was found in an outhouse covered with hay. He was led out and shot through the mouth, and again at the base of the right ear, which finished the job. Vaughn cut off the ears of the dead man and gave

one to Slade, reserving the other. The two worthies then came to Denver with these bloody trophies in their pockets, and wore them out at the different bars on a prolonged spree in slapping them on the counter as a tender for payment of drinks.—*Colorado Gazette.*

Shams vs. Substance.

Theodore Parker, in speaking of home and home life, says: I never saw a garment too fine for a man or maid; there never was a chair too good for a cobbler or a cooper to set in; never a house too fine to shelter a human head. The elements about us, the gorgeous sky, the imperial sun are not too good for the human race. Elegance fits man. But do we not value these tools of house-keeping a little more than they are worth, and sometimes mortgage home for the mahogany we would bring in? I had rather eat my dinner off the head of a barrel, or rather dress after the fashion of John the Baptist in the wilderness, or set on a block all my life, than consume myself before I get home, and take so much pains with the outside that the inside was, as hollow as an empty nut. Beauty is a great thing, but beauty of garments, house and furniture is a very tawdry ornament compared with domestic love. All the elegance in the world will not make a home, and I would give more for a spoonful of hearty love than for a whole ship load of furniture, and all the upholsterers of the world could gather together.

Miss Louisa Montague, Mr. Forepaugh's \$10,000 beauty, has filed a declaration in a Philadelphia court, stating the grounds of a suit which she has recently instituted against the veteran showman for \$10,000 damages. She says she was accepted as the "loveliest lady in the land," and as such was promised a reward of \$10,000; but although she appeared in the street processions or grand pageant of the defendant for thirty weeks during the spring and summer of 1881, she avers that Mr. Forepaugh has entirely failed to pay her the promised \$10,000.

The publishers of a German novel scored a hit recently in the line of advertising. They had inserted in most of the papers a notice stating that a certain nobleman of means, anxious to obtain a wife, wanted one who resembled the heroine in the novel named. Of course every marriageable woman who saw this announcement bought the novel to see how much she resembled the imaginary beauty referred to.

The New Northwest, published in Philadelphia, says: This season, and as soon as the road of the Oregon Railway and Navigation company is completed from The Dalles to Portland, its entire construction force will be transferred to the line of the Northern Pacific between Kalama and Portland. The connection with Puget Sound at Tacoma will soon be made.

A prosperous Michigan baby carriage factory had its origin in the birth of fifteen babies in the town in thirteen days. A carpenter got the job of making carriages for the whole number, and from that start the business grew.

A strong friend of St. Jacobs Oil is H. T. Duncann, Esq., of the Lexington, Ky. Press. He says: A short time since St. Jacobs Oil was prescribed in my own family by a regular physician, and it was used with the most satisfactory results, as usual.

The Retort Sarcastic.

Judge Tarbell tells the following joke on himself. A short time after his retirement from the bench he happened to meet an old friend whom he hadn't seen for some time. The judge, all smiles and heartiness, effervesced over his friend in such a way as to provoke the inquiry:

"What office are you a candidate for now, judge?"

The judge made a deprecatory movement with an outward turned palm, and said:

"For none at all, my dear brother; I'm simply a candidate for the kingdom of heaven."

His friend regarded him sorrowfully for an instant, and then, with more wit than politeness, and more profanity than either, said:

"I'll bet you don't carry a d—township!"

Doubtless the judge lost sight of the man's profanity in admiration of his sublimely truthful candor.

The Sutor Tunnel, now completed, discharges 30,000,000 gallons hot water daily from Comstock mines. This water has a temperature of 195°, and is conveyed through a closed pipe flume to prevent the escape of vapor. After a passage of four miles through the first tunnel it loses 70° of heat. A second tunnel, 1,100 feet long and an open water-way a mile and a half long, conducts the water to Carson river. Along its course are hot-water baths and laundries, and a plan is on foot to conduct the hot water through pipes under ground, to be made available for purposes of irrigation and for supplying artificial heat to hot-houses.

The incidents of Congressman Starin's only speech in congress are related by his friends as follows: A bill was under discussion for the sale of a portion of the Brooklyn Navy Yard for about \$200,000. A syndicate of the politicians were to be the purchasers. Mr. Starin rose in his seat, pale as a ghost, and said earnestly: "Mr. Speaker, I am not familiar with all your rules here, and I do not know whether or not I am in order; but you have a property here which you are going to sell for \$200,000 and I will at this moment draw my check for it for \$500,000." The bill was killed.

Oregon is the finest country God's sun ever shone on—with California as a close second. It may seem strange for a Californian to speak so, but what is the use of denying facts? Oregon took the prize for wheat, all over the world at the Centennial, and the Willamette valley is well known as the "garden spot of the world." But we speak of California and Oregon as states. There is land in Oregon which can in no wise compare with California and vice versa. We would detract from neither's laurels, but speak the exact truth.—*Stanislaus (California) Wheat Grower.*

A twenty-one pound salmon was caught the other day in Feather river, California, at the mouth of the Yuba—the first salmon caught in the Feather for many years. The incident is noteworthy, as indicating a great improvement in the quality of the water, caused by the stoppage of hydraulic mining on the Feather. In attempting to ascend the Yuba the fish floundered in a bed of slickens, and a man waded out and caught it in his hands.

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The torture of a bad conscience is the hell of a living soul.
Some people affect piety to cover up their transgressions, just as the overworked house-wife chooses such colors for her children as will show the least dirt.

A colored porter in an Austin store asked the proprietor for a day's leave of absence. "What's up now?" "Dar's a niggah gwine ter git married and I oughter be present ter see him fru." Who is this colored man at whose wedding you have to be present? "I see de niggah, boss."—*Texas Sittings.*

SYMPTOMS OF A DISEASED LIVER.
Pain in the right side, under edge of ribs, increasing on pressure; scanty urine; the point is on the left side; the patient is rarely able to lie on the left side; sometimes the pain is felt under the shoulder and is sometimes taken for Rheumatism in the arm. The stomach is affected with loss of appetite and sickness; the bowels in general are costive, sometimes alternating with laxity; the head is troubled with pain, accompanied with a dull, heavy sensation in the back part. There is generally a considerable loss of memory, accompanied with a painful sensation of having left undone something which ought to have been done. A slight, dry cough is sometimes attendant. The patient complains of weariness and debility; he is easily startled; his feet are cold or burning, and he complains of a prickly sensation of the skin; his spirits are low, and although he is satisfied that exercise would be beneficial to him, yet he can scarcely summon up fortitude enough to try it.

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Delinquent City Taxes.
NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT I, N. C. WEAVER, Chief of Police, have been furnished with a warrant from the city council requiring me to collect the taxes assessed for the year 1882, and now delinquent upon the 1st and 15th of September, and within sixty days. All parties so indebted will therefore please take notice and govern themselves accordingly.
N. C. WEAVER, Chief of Police.
Astoria, Oregon, September 18, 1882.

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