

LIKE A MIRACLE

How a Locomotor Ataxia Sufferer Was Cured.

From the Evening News, Detroit, Mich.

James Crockett, a sturdy old Scotchman, living in Detroit, Mich., at 88 Montcalm Street, was asked about his wonderful cure.

"First," he said, "I must tell you something of my life before my almost fatal sickness. I was born in Scotland in 1822, and came to this country in 1848. I am a marine engineer by trade. In 1872 I was in the employ of the Detroit and Cleveland Navigation Co., and for fifteen years I was chief engineer on one of their big passenger steamers. My first boat was the R. N. Rice, which was burned at the docks. Then I was transferred to the Rubie, which was chartered to make the run between Detroit and Cleveland.

"I brought out the new steamer the 'City of the Straits,' and for years acted as her chief engineer. It is a great responsibility, the position of chief engineer on those big passenger palaces. Thousands of lives are held in the keeping of the engineer. The anxiety causes a great nervous strain, and the strictest attention is necessary. Not for a moment must he lose his watchfulness.

"For fifteen years I carefully watched the big engines and boilers without a single accident, and only noticed that I was getting nervous. Suddenly without warning I was taken sick, and in less than a week I was prostrated. I had the best of physicians. I grew gradually worse, and at the counsel of doctors, they said I had nervous prostration, and had destroyed my whole nervous system and would never be able to be up again. They said I had worn myself out by long nervous strain caused by watching and worrying about the machinery. For three long years I was unable to move from my bed without assistance. The doctor said I had locomotor ataxia, and would never be able to walk again.

"The pains and suffering I experienced during those years are almost indescribable.

My wife used to put eight or ten hot water bags around me to stop the pain. Those that came to see me bid me good-bye when they left me, and I was given up. The doctors said nothing more could be done for me.

"We tried every known remedy, and my wife kept reading the articles about Dr. Williams' Pink Pills for Pale People to me. Finally she said they only cost 50 cents, and she wanted to know if I would try them. To please her I consented, and the first box gave me relief. I continued to use them for about two years before I could get strong enough to walk. It came slow but sure, but what I am to-day is due wholly to Dr. Williams' Pink Pills for Pale People.

"I am nearly seventy-five years old to-day, and there is not a man in the whole city that can kick higher or walk further than I can to-day. If any one has locomotor ataxia that reads this, let them come and see me to-day. Can you tell me a man to-day in this big city that can do better than that?" said Mr. Crockett, as he kicked the reporter's hat, which was held high above his head.

"Dr. Williams' Pink Pills for Pale People made me what I am to-day. I only wish I could persuade others to do as I did, and take them before it is too late."

(Signed) "JAMES CROCKETT."

Before me, a Notary Public, personally appeared James Crockett, who signed and swore to the above statement as being true in every particular.

ROBERT E. HULL, JR., Notary Public, Wayne County, Mich.

Dr. Williams' Pink Pills for Pale People are sold in boxes (never in loose form) by the dozen or hundred, and the public are cautioned against numerous imitations sold in this shape at 50 cents a box or six boxes for \$2.50, and may be had of all druggists or direct by mail from Dr. Williams' Medicine Company, Schenectady, N. Y.

LOCAL NEWS.

J. H. Nelson, dentist.

Arthur Harris is working in a mill at Pendleton.

Sheep to let on shares. Inquire of J. B. Handley.

The date of the Newberg fair this year is Oct. 14, 15 and 16.

We need all the wood due this office on subscription—need it at once.

The Reporter and Weekly Oregonian one year for \$2, strictly in advance.

Kay & Todd have the nicest line of fancy shirts and ties ever brought to the city.

Walter Evenden was on Monday admitted to full American citizenship in Judge Magers' court.

Turban day at Eva Martin's was such a success that she has decided to make a special display of Misses' and children's hats next Saturday.

The quarterly conference of the M. E. church occurred the first of this week. Presiding Elder Parsons was present and preached to the brethren.

T. B. Kay and family arrived last Friday from New York and on Monday Mr. Kay went to Salem to confer with his firm in regard to future movements.

At the sale of dairy cows advertised by F. J. Canfield last Friday, prices ranged from \$17.50 to \$38.50, the average being somewhat low in the opinion of good cattle judges. They are a good lot.

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The weather for the state fair at Salem has been unexampled this week, and Oregonians by thousands have taken advantage of it by attending. It is the general testimony that no better state fair has been held in Oregon. The reasons for this are several; among them, the fact that the management did not try to fleece at every corner the people who attended; that they offered premiums that made it an object for exhibitors to be present; that they secured so many attractions diverse in character that one could be entertained for two days, instead of tiring before he had spent one day. The attractions consisted of a balloon ascension each morning, the finest you ever saw; the merry-go-round for the children, with Punch and Judy as a side attraction; the "strong woman," to whose waist a team was hitched and was powerless to dislodge her as she clung to a ladder; the soldiers from Vancouver in their guard mount; the trick bicyclists in front of the grand stand between races, performing such feats with the wheel as you would have said were impossible; the "projectoscope," one of the Edison triumphs in electricity, in which animated scenes are thrown upon canvass and move before your vision almost as realities; the Italian and his performing bear, to please the children; the exhibition pacing by Chehalis, the Oregon wonder, who covered a mile in 2:07 1/2, the fastest time ever made in Oregon; the good races generally; the evening programs in the pavilion, literary and musical, varied each night; the base ball games; the setting apart of special days for special purposes, all combined with good weather, made the best fair the state has ever had. A. M. Lafollet of Wheatland made perhaps the finest individual exhibit from one farm that has ever been made in Oregon. It was constructed as a pyramid, and occupied space in machinery hall. It embraced various varieties of peaches, apples, pears, plums, grapes, cherries, nuts and other fruits in all the stages in which they can be found in the market and upon the table. Then came all members of the vegetable kingdom known in this latitude, together with the various varieties of wheat, oats, corn, melons, etc., besides butter, eggs, bacon, soap, etc. The display won for him the blue ribbon and the award of a new Studebaker wagon of handsome finish. Second prize for a similar display was awarded J. R. Douglas of Linn county, whose exhibit consisted of over 100 varieties gathered in three days from a farm of only 40 acres, but five years in cultivation from virgin forest. Eighty of his onions weighed 200 pounds. Chas. E. Ladd had the finest exhibit of Shorthorn cattle on the ground. They were from the Oak Hill farm near North Yamhill, and were in charge of Frank Brown. The herd was well covered with blue ribbons. A. J. Edison of Carlton won first premium on Russian winter oats. J. D. Nairn of Ballston was a winner on wheat and Oregon raised seeds. John Redmond of this city secured first premium on his Berkshire swine. The poultry exhibit was especially large and fine, and contradicted the idea that a wet country is a poor one for fowls.

Fifteenth Annual State Convention of the W. C. T. U.

Ho! for Albany, was the call of the W. C. T. U., and in answer, officers and delegates to the number of 73, besides numerous visitors were found wending their way to the state convention, which proved to be one of the best and most interesting ever held in Oregon.

The hour of meeting found our own inimitable Mrs. Kinney in the chair, and each officer in her place and ready for business. After the usual devotional opening, most cordial welcomes were given by Mrs. Lee, for the union, and Rev. McKillop for the pastors of the city.

The reports given by the various superintendents of departments show a deal of work all along the line. The corresponding secretary reported 2405 members, including honoraries, Y's and L. T. L.'s in the state.

Resolutions were passed protesting against the liquor and political power controlling educational affairs; deploring carelessness of parents in permitting indiscriminate association of boys and girls in hopyards; against the picking of hops by temperance people; favoring the franchise for women and an educational qualification for both sexes.

Mrs. Kinney was unanimously elected president, and the three other general officers were all reelected.

Three delegates were appointed to represent Oregon at the National convention at Buffalo.

Albany certainly excels in hospitality, everything that could be done for the comfort and pleasure of the delegates and visitors being done with good grace.

All the proceedings of the convention were in love and harmony, and everyone returned home with renewed strength for the work of another year.

Engene was decided upon as the place of holding the convention of '98.

Money in hogs? Well yes. Last Monday butcher Koch got in the carcass of a hog that tipped the beam at 500 pounds. The pig was but 18 months old and was grown and fattened on Mr. Jos. Hare's farm. The price paid for that piece of meat was 6 1/2 cents per pound or \$30.80 for the porker.—Hillsboro Independent.

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March 8, 1897. *Samuel Pitcher M.D.*

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A Modern Lazarus.

Inherited blood diseases are much more difficult to cure than those which are acquired. One of the most common hereditary diseases is Scrofula, which the medical profession admit is most obstinate and deep-seated, and their efforts to cure it meet with little success. A child afflicted with Scrofula is always puny and sickly, and can never grow into healthy manhood until the disease is eliminated. Scrofula leads into consumption nine times out of ten, so that it is important for this reason that all children who inherit the slightest taint.

Mrs. S. S. Mabry, 360 Elm St., Macon, Ga., writes: "My boy, Charlie, inherited a scrofulous blood taint, and from infancy was covered with terrible sores, his sufferings being such that it was impossible to dress him for three years."



His head and body were a mass of sores, and his nose was swollen to several times its natural size; to add to his misery he had catarrh, which made him almost deaf, and his eyesight also became affected. No treatment was spared that we thought would relieve him, but he grew worse until his condition was indeed pitiable. A dozen blood remedies were given him by the wholesale, but they did not do the slightest good. I had almost despaired of his ever being cured, when by the advice of a friend we gave him S.S.S. (Swift's Specific), and at first the inflammation seemed to increase, but as this is the way the remedy gets rid of the poison, by forcing it out of the system, we were encouraged and continued the medicine. A decided improvement was the result, and after he had taken a dozen bottles, no one who knew of his former dreadful condition would have recognized him. All the sores on his body have healed, his skin is perfectly clear and smooth, and he has been restored to perfect health."

Mr. A. T. Morgan, one of the prominent druggists of Macon, and a member of the board of aldermen of that city, says: "I am familiar with the terrible condition of little Charlie Mabry, and the cure which S.S.S. effected in his case was remarkable, and proves it to be a wonderful blood remedy."

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NOTICE OF SHERIFF'S SALE.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the undersigned as sheriff of Yamhill county, state of Oregon, under and by virtue of a writ of execution, dated August 19th, 1897, issued out of the circuit court of the state of Oregon for Yamhill county, upon and to enforce the decree in favor of the plaintiff and against the defendant for costs and disbursements amounting to the sum of \$27.99 (twenty seven and 99/100 dollars) and a charge on the hereinafter described lands set off to him in the suit for partition wherein Sarah J. Cole was plaintiff and Elijah M. Cole was defendant (said execution being directed to the undersigned for service,) did on the 13th day of September, 1897, duly levy upon the hereinafter described real premises belonging to said defendant, Elijah M. Cole, and that the undersigned will, by virtue of said writ of execution and said levy, at the court house door in said Minnville, in Yamhill county, state of Oregon, on SATURDAY, THE 16TH DAY OF OCTOBER, 1897, at one o'clock p. m. of said day, sell at public auction for cash the following described real premises, to-wit: Beginning at a point on the south line of the donation land claim of William Dodson and wife, claim No. 42, notification No. 2840, in T. 2 S. R. 5 W. in Yamhill county, state of Oregon, where the section line between sections 26 and 27 crosses said south line of said claim, and 11.90 chains south of the 1/4 post on said line and running thence north 89 1/2° chains; thence east 22.19 chains to the division line of said claim; thence south on said line 21.89 1/2 chains to the south line of said claim; thence west on said line 22.19 chains to the place of beginning, containing 61.76 acres, and that said real premises will be so sold to obtain funds to satisfy said sum of \$27.99, which said sum is made a charge on said real premises by said decree rendered in said suit on the 22d day of October, 1896, and to pay the accruing costs and charges on said execution.

Dated September 16th, 1897. 39-5

J. W. HENRY, Sheriff of said Yamhill County.

ASSIGNEE'S NOTICE.

NOTICE is hereby given that F. W. Redmond, of McMinnville, Yamhill County, State of Oregon, has made a general assignment of all of his property to the undersigned, for the benefit of all his creditors, in proportion to the amount of their respective claims. All persons having claims against said F. W. Redmond are hereby notified and required to present such claims, under oath, to me at my office in said city of McMinnville, three months from the date hereof.

Dated this 16th day of August, A. D. 1897.

JACOB WORTMAN, Assignee of the estate of F. W. Redmond, an insolvent debtor.

SPENCER & TALMAGE, Att'ys for Assignee. RAMSEY & FENTON.

LOCAL DIRECTORY

CHURCHES

BAPTIST—Services Sunday 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m.; Sunday school 9:50 a. m.; the young people's society 6:15 p. m.; Prayer meeting Thursday 7:30 p. m. Covenant meeting first Thursday evening before the first Sunday of each month.

R. W. KING, Pastor.

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E. E. THOMPSON, Pastor.

Services in the Christian church: Preaching every Lord's day at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. Young people's meeting at 6:30 p. m. Sunday School at 9:45 a. m. Prayer meeting Thursday, 7:30 p. m.

F. A. POWELL, Pastor.

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T. BRIDGY, Pastor.

W. C. T. U.—Meets on every Friday at 3 p. m. in reading room, Union block. ANNA B. HENDERSON, Pres. EDA MILLER, Sec'y.

SECRET ORDERS.

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MYRTA APPERSON, W. M. R. L. CORNER, Sec.

A. O. U. W.—Charity Lodge No. 7 meets first and third Fridays of each month, 7:30 p. m. Lodge room in Union block.

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J. D. BAKER, Recorder.

Yamhill Lodge No. 10, D. of H. meets in Union hall second and fourth Friday evenings of each month.

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