RUINS A CREMATORY.

Colorado Railroad Wreck a Surpassing Horror.

ONLY FRAGMENTS OF BODIES.

Through Flagrant Disregard of Orders, Passenger and Stock Trains Collide at Full Speed, a Gas Tank Explodes and the Ruins Are Burned With Many Occupants—At Least Thirty Dead, Few of Whom Are Identified, and Eighteen Injured.

NEWCASTLE, Colo., Sept. 10.—The worst railroad wreck in the history of the state of Colorado occurred at 12:25 this morning on the joint track of the Denver & Rio Grande and Midland railways, one and a half miles west of this place. After twelve hours' incessant work by the wrecking crews in clearing away the debris and rescuing the bodies of those who perished, it is yet impossible to secure more than an estimate of the loss of life, and not half of those known to be dead have been identified. Many of the unfortunates never will be known, and it is possible that the number killed will always be in doubt. From the best information obtainable now, fully thirty persons perished, while eighteen were taken out of the wreck suffering from serious injuries.

Fire Follows the Smash.

The wreck was caused by a headend collision between a Denver & Rio Grande passenger train running forty miles an hour and a special Colorado Midland stock train running at a speed of probably thirty miles. So terrific was the concussion that both engines, baggage and express cars, smoker and day coach and two stock cars were totally demolished and the track torn up for rods in both directions. To add to the horror of the scene, the wreckage at once caught fire from an explosion of a Pintsch gas tank on the passenger train, and burned so rapidly that many passengers pinned beneath the debris were burned to death before help could reach them.

Trainmen's Criminal Conduct.

The most generally accepted theory as to the cause of the wreck seems to be that Conductor Burbank, of the Midland special, anticipating the time of the passenger, undertook to "steal a station" and beat the passenger into Newcastle. Burbank escaped uninjured and, upon orders from Coroner Clark, has been placed under arrest by the sheriff.

Midland Engineer Ostrander is missing and a thorough search all about his engine fails to reveal his bones or any vestige of his remains. It is thought that, possibly when he saw the threatened danger, he jumped from his engine and, realizing his negligence, took to the hills. Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Strouse, who live one-fourth of a mile from the scene of the accident, report that, when the two trains met, the shock was so great as to literally lift them out of bed. Some say the noise was heard and the shock felt at Newcastle.

The list of the dead and injured as far as known is as follows:

Dead.

J. F. KEENAN, mail agent, of Denver.
ROBERT S. HOLLAND, fireman D. & R. G., of Salida.
MRS. ALEXANDER HARTMAN, and two sons, of Hercher, Ills.
JAMES ERRICK, of Chicago.
MR. CHARLES, Leeper, Pa.
WM. GORDON, engineer of passenger train.
WILLIAM HINTS, fireman.

Injured.

REV. ALEXANDER HARTMAN, Hercher, Ill., both legs broken and badly burned.
JOHN S. STRANDER, of Blackfoot, Idaho, leg broken and face cut and burned and bruised.
MISS PEARL CORNELL, of Alciel, Oregon, hip dislocated.
J. C. YEAGER, of Toledo, Ohio, injured internally.
L. LONGMAN, of Whittier, Cal., slightly wounded.
MRS. MARY ISRAEL, of St. Paul, Minn., slightly injured internally.
J. F. SNYDER, of Independence, Kas., slightly burned.
D. H. M'ANENEY, of Victor, Col., face burned.
O. V. TYSON, of Cockrell, Mo., cut badly about head.
R. H. BRICKLEY, of Chicago, back injured.
J. G. YOUNG, of St. Louis, cut on forehead.
THOMAS NASH, Mohab, Utah, left arm broken badly, burned on face.
FRANK P. MANNIX, Victor, Col., bruised and slightly burned.
R. W. SHOTT, Leeper, Pa., badly bruised.
BRAKEMAN KNAPP, leg crushed.
JAMES B. FOLEY, express messenger, bruised.
WILLIAM S. ANSSEMER, express messenger, bruised.

The case of Engineer Ostrander, of the freight engine, is still in doubt.

Charred Bodies in the Ruins.

Ten bodies were found in the ruins of one car and four in another. The charred remains of two women, apparently clasped in each other's arms, were found. Their heads and lower limbs were burned off. In the dress bosom of each was found a lady's gold watch, upon one side of one of which was inscribed "From Mother to Mamie." Telegrams from all parts of the country inquiring for friends and relatives are pouring in.

A Survivor's Description.

Frank P. Mannix, a newspaper man of Victor, Col., who was in the smoker and escaped with some painful bruises and burns, said today:

"Words cannot express the horror of the scene. The crash came unexpectedly. Suddenly all was darkness. The air was filled with cinders, splinters and heated gases. Then the flames darted up on either side. The scene was simply indescribable. The flames were in a sense a Godsend, for with their aid the windows were located, even though passengers had to jump through the flames."

Charred fragments of limbs and bodies of a number of persons have been taken out of the ruins, but it is not likely that any more bodies will be positively identified, and it seems certain that the number killed will always remain in doubt.

The coroner found a shaving mug with the name "W. Nicholson" upon it, also a gold watch with the name of "F. C. Porter" engraved on the outside.

The first man to arrive at the wreck was E. H. Strouse, who resides on his ranch about 300 feet from the track, and was awakened by the collision. He hurried to the scene and assisted in rescuing the passengers in the smoker and day coach. When he reached the wreck, within a few minutes after the collision, four of the cars were all ablaze, and the heat was so terrific that it was impossible for any one to get near them. In a few minutes, he thinks, at least fifteen to twenty persons were cremated.

Few Got Out Alive.

J. G. Young, one of the survivors, says he was in the smoker at the rear end when the collision took place. The front end of the car and part of the roof were thrown on him, pinning him down in his seat. He succeeded in freeing himself and escaped through a window with a few slight cuts on his head. There were from twenty-three to twenty-five in the smoker and he does not think more than eight got out alive, all the remainder being cremated. As to the day coach, immediately behind the smoker, he thinks there were from thirty to thirty-five in it and to his best knowledge only two succeeded in making their escape, he says. All who were in the chair car got out safely before the fire reached it, as also those in the two Pullmans.

Ashes of Ten in Two Coffins.

Coroner Dr. Clark says that only ten bodies have been taken from the burning wreck. These, with Keenan, Holland, Hines and Gordon, make fourteen in all, but there is no doubt these are less than half of those who perished. The most conservative estimate places the list of dead at twenty-five to thirty-five.

What is supposed to be the remains of ten persons are confined in two caskets, with nothing to identify them, and it is expected they will be buried here tomorrow or Sunday.

RAISING THE DEATH ROLL.

Loss at Emporia at Least Sixteen—Bodies Badly Burned.

EMPORIA, Kas., Sept. 10.—Tonight it is believed that the number of deaths due to the Santa Fe wreck will be at least sixteen. Engineer William Frisbee died in the hospital at Topeka today. Tonight a force of 100 men engaged in the work of removing the debris of the wreck recovered the charred remains of two more bodies. They were found not far from where the body of a woman was found this morning. Owing to the stench coming from the wreck it is thought more bodies may be recovered.

One of those found today was burned beyond all identification, but with the other bodies was found a shirt bosom marked "W. B. E.," a Knights of Pythias pin and a light green stud. This is thought to be the body of an engineer from the east who was riding in one of the cabs of the westbound train.

GOOD RACING AT TACOMA.

Pathmont Breaks State Record—Horses and Wheels Both in Evidence.

Special Dispatch to the Post-Intelligencer.

TACOMA, Sept. 10.—A state record and a track record were broken today by the magnificent Portland trotting horse Pathmont, who made a mark last year of 2:09. In the first heat of the free for all he went the mile without a skip in 2:15, beating the pacers, Carrie S and Royal Jib about half a length. The time, while not fast nowadays, is good going for the track, which is fully three seconds slow. Pathmont took the lead at the first turn, and maintained it to the wire. The Canadian mare, Carrie S, just beat out the Seattle horse, Royal Jib, by a neck, which goes to show that all three horses went the mile better than 2:16½, which is faster than either of the side wheelers ever went before.

Following is the summary of the day's races:

Free-for-all trot—First heat—Pathmont won, Carrie S. second, Royal Jib third. Time, 2:15.

Second heat—Pathmont won, Royal Jib second, Carrie S. third.

Third heat—Pathmont won, Royal Jib second, Carrie S. third.

Three-quarter mile dash—Raindrop won, Tanner second, Sweetbriar third. Time, 1:19¾.

Quarter-mile dash—Little George won, Billy Matthews second, Rose of Puyallup third. Time, :22½.

The bicycle races resulted as follows:

Two-thirds of a mile, professional—First heat—Allen Jones won, George Sharick second. Time, 2:00.

Second heat—Hardy Downing won, Danny Whitman second. Time, 1:50.

Final heat—George Sharick won, Allen Jones second. Time, 1:35 2-5.

Mile open—First heat—Hardy Downing won, Elford second. Time, 2:29.

Second heat—Jack Sharick won, Allen Jones second, "Terrible Swede" Smith third.

Final heat—George Sharick won, Downing second, Allen Jones third. Time, 2:30, which being over the time limit of 2:30, the race had to be repeated.

Second final—Allen Jones won, George Sharick second. Time, 2:35.

Today the Tacoma Derby, one and one-fourth miles, will be run, the entries being Sweetbriar, Endymion, Tanner and Neptune. A 2:30 trot will also be one of the features, with the following starters: Trowingham, Sleepy Tom and Danny Jim.

Pickpocket Almost Caught in the Act

Special Dispatch to the Post-Intelligencer.

TACOMA, Sept. 10.—Fred Purton, a man in the sixties, was arrested at the fair grounds today for trying to steal a purse belonging to Mrs. R. T. Steinberg. Detective Concannon was not more than fifty feet away when Mrs. Steinberg gave the outcry, and easily captured the aged thief. The purse was returned to the owner and Purton taken to jail.

FATHER AND SON IN CONTEMPT.

One Threw the Whisky Bottle, the Other Cursed the Judge.

Special Dispatch to the Post-Intelligencer.

COLFAX, Wash., Sept. 10.—This morning A. J. Heoppner, manager of the Farmers' drug store, was arrested for selling liquor without a license. At the preliminary examination, after being held to answer, Heoppner grabbed the bottle of whisky sold, which had been placed in evidence, and tried to strike Justice Kirkland over the head with it. He threw the bottle, which missed the justice, and it was smashed on the wall. Heoppner was sent to jail for two days for contempt of court. A writ of habeas corpus was sworn out.

Prior to hearing in the superior court, J. J. Heoppner, the prisoner's father appeared. As violence was expected, the sheriff was instructed to search him for concealed weapons. The older Heoppner began to curse the officer, and when commanded to desist, turned on Judge McDonald, shook his fist in the judge's face, and applied vile epithets. Heoppner was declared in contempt, fined $300 and sent to jail.

Land Sold to Retire N. P. Bonds.

NEW YORK, Sept. 10.—It is reported that the Northern Pacific railroad has sold sufficient land in North Dakota and Montana to a large banded interest to retire the Missouri division bonds of the company, amounting to $1,750,000.

Fur sleeping bags, robes, fur mittens, caps, moccasins and snow shoes, the only correct goods for the Yukon country, to be found at R. Petkovits', 110 Marion street, between First and Second avenues.

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A. L. PIPER, Receiver.

ANOTHER BIG CONCERN

DEVOTED EXCLUSIVELY TO OUTFITTING MINERS FOR THE NORTH.

Charles Louch, J. A. Ballargeon, Frank Black and Others Have Organized a Stock Company—Half of Dexter Horton & Co.'s Bank Building Rented—Orders for Goods Already Placed in the East—A Whole Floor Devoted to a Bureau of Information.

It is learned upon good authority that there is to be established in this city a mercantile company, devoted exclusively to the purposes of outfitting persons for the northern country.

They have already secured that portion of the Dexter Horton building fronting on Washington street, between Second avenue south and Railroad avenue, comprising four floors and basement, directly adjoining the docks of the Pacific Coast Steamship Company. These premises are admirably adapted for the purpose, having good elevator service therein, besides being reached by elevator through the different floors of that portion of the Dexter Horton Bank building fronting on Second avenue south. This location is on the main thoroughfare to the water front, thus being quickly accessible in case of haste or delays, and permits of late shipments being made at the last moment.

Three floors will be occupied as salesrooms and for carrying stock, but the large and roomy basement will be used only for packing and shipping purposes. All reserve and surplus stock will be carried in another part of the city.

The fourth floor will be used as a reading room and bureau of information for all persons contemplating a northern trip. This will be fitted up with all necessary maps, charts and guide books, in addition to which there will be on exhibition a large amount of curios from that country, including furs of various animals, sleds, canoes, walrus ivory and all other articles in use by the natives of the Arctic regions.

It is contemplated by the company to have at their miners' rendezvous daily the famous Arctic explorer, Miner W. Bruce, and a small party of Esquimaux, now on the way from the north. Mr. Bruce has spent many years in the far north and will be able to speak with authority concerning a journey to or life within those icy regions. Parties visiting this department are not expected to purchase, and all strangers in the city are invited to make use of these rooms at any time. This will be a general rendezvous for old prospectors, miners and people from the north, as well as for strangers who pass through our city en route for the gold fields. An interchange of ideas will thus be available that will prove mutually interesting, and much beneficial information may thus be exchanged.

This company will be exclusively an outfitting company for the gold fields and tributaries of the north and will carry only such goods as are in demand for that country, consisting of clothing, furnishing goods, blankets, etc., as well as all necessary hardware, sleds, shoes, tinware and various paraphernalia used in this connection. They will likewise carry everything in the grocery line, including a full line of smoked meats especially prepared for keeping on the trail.

In order to anticipate every want, as well as to insure only first-class articles, especially prepared and manufactured for this particular trade, two members of the firm are now in the East for the purpose of placing designs and properly instructing the various manufactories as to the requirements of their customers. There will be no lack of experienced advice in these different departments, as the enterprise will be under the management of Messrs. Frank D. Black, heretofore of the Seattle Hardware Company; J. A. Ballargeon, one of the pioneer distributors in this city for clothing, blankets and all wearing apparel suitable for the upper country, and Mr. Charles Louch, the successful founder of one of the largest grocery establishments in the Northwest. The latter was also the first to engage in the preparation of home smoked meats, and Louch's celebrated 1888 hams and bacon are widely known as being among the famous products of this city. This company has a financial backing of $250,000, and which, combined with their valuable experience gained in years past, dating from the beginning of the Alaska trade with this city, will enable them to outfit and advise persons contemplating this trip to much better advantage than others who have but recently embarked, or are now contemplating engaging in this business, and whose experience must therefore be gained. It would seem that this should prove one of the lasting concerns of our prosperous city and also that it will naturally be sought after by the outfitters for the north in preference to the many transient firms that will come and go during the coming outfitters' season.

This combination, backed, as it is, by large capital and managed by some of the best and most favorably known men of business ability and strict integrity, cannot fail to become one of the lasting institutions of this section, and one that will assist in many ways in the further development of our many commercial advantages. Everybody will surely wish them satisfactory results, as anything that contributes to their success will add to the resources of this community.

Just What They Need.

We wish to call the especial attention of parents to our large and complete line of children's school suits. Our buyer is in the Eastern market now, and we have just received an invoice of several hundred suits, ranging in price from 90c, $1 and $1.25 a suit. All wool suits, $1.50 and $1.75. These goods are well worth double the money. These suits were made to our order and expressly for school wear. Parents, it will be money in your pockets to buy these suits. J. Berkman & Bro., corner Occidental avenue and Washington street.

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JUMP IN THE BAY.

A DRAMATIC EPISODE IN THE FAMOUS FORD CASE.

Prosecuting Attorney McElroy Says the State Is Ready to Proceed With the Trial of Rev. W. T. Ford at Twenty-four Hours' Notice.

It now remains with Rev. W. T. Ford to decide whether he will be tried immediately on the charge of seducing Jessie Morford in his office in the Hinckley block last spring. Prosecuting Attorney McElroy said last evening that the state was ready to proceed with the case on twenty-four hours' notice, and that the sooner the matter was disposed of the better it would suit him. Col. E. P. Edsen, of counsel for Mr. Ford, said that he thought the defense would be ready in ten or twelve days, although the matter had not been discussed.

Mr. Ford remained at home yesterday resting from the severe ordeal through which he has passed in the last seven or eight days. He is a man of great energy and endurance, but since the time that he arrived in Everett to defend himself against the accusation of immorality he has not had a moment's rest. No matter how strong a man may be physically or mentally he is sure to wear out when swept from pillar to post, as in the case of Mr. Ford. He has borne up wonderfully, however, and since his friends commenced to rally to his support, has experienced the pleasure that comes to a man when he finds that the entire world has not deserted him in his trouble. Mr. Ford feels more distressed on his wife's account than on his own. He swears that he is innocent of the charge brought against him, but at the same time realizes the position in which he has been placed by the story of his former servant. Mrs. Ford has shown true womanhood by steadfastly asserting her belief in her husband's innocence, and while the disgrace that has fallen on her home has taken all the sunlight out of her life, she endures in the hope of a final vindication.

So far as can be learned, the defense has not decided upon what lines it will conduct its part of the trial. If it brings out the alleged blackmail scheme that figured so prominently at the Everett ecclesiastical trial the state will undoubtedly put Marie Bradbury on the stand in rebuttal. Mrs. Bradbury is not anxious to appear in court, and would heave a sigh of relief if the case was dismissed. She called upon Judge Humphries, one of Ford's attorneys, a few days ago, just as the judge was conversing with Attorney Huston, who has taken an active interest in having Mr. Ford prosecuted.

Mrs. Bradbury was in a flutter of excitement, and by her remarks left no doubt in the minds of her hearers that she desired the case dropped. Mr. Huston said that he did not see how it affected Mrs. Bradbury, as the prosecution could get along without her.

"But the others will drag me into it," replied pretty Mrs. Bradbury. And then she declared that the notoriety was awful and that she would jump into the bay if the whole affair was not stopped.

"Why don't you dismiss the case?" asked Mrs. Bradbury, as she turned to Judge Humphries, appearing very pretty, even in her distress. "Why don't you just drop it?"

Judge Humphries settled back a little farther in his big chair, scratched his head in a thoughtful manner, and replied that he would like to dismiss it.

Remittiturs Received.

Remittiturs were yesterday received from the supreme court in the case of A. C. Anderson et al., executors of James Osborne, deceased, vs. John Stadlman et al., in which the judgment of the superior court in favor of the defendant is affirmed.

State, ex rel. American Savings Union, vs. Charles F. Whittlesey, as treasurer of King county, judgment in favor of plaintiff affirmed.

State of Washington vs. Essie Winters Overton, appeal dismissed, appellant having been pardoned and released.

County of Island vs. J. M. Babcock et al., judgment in favor of defendant reversed, with costs.

Articles of Incorporation.

The following articles of incorporation were filed with the county auditor yesterday:

Holloway-Duncan Harness Company—Principal place of business, Seattle; capital, $5,000; directors, Robert W. Barto, E. C. Holloway, George T. Duncan and George M. Holloway.

Yukon Gold Dredging Company, of Seattle, Wash.—Capital, $5,000; trustees, Andrew Hemrich and Hans D. K. Hadenfeldt, of Seattle, and John Pulles, of Olympia.

Court Notes.

The alleged will of John C. Gordon, deceased, was rejected by Judge Moore yesterday.

In the case of S. P. Flynn vs. Jacob Furth et al., an amended complaint and affidavit were filed.

Lottie Beard has sued for divorce against Charles P. Beard, on the ground of neglect and want of support.

Judge Orange Jacobs yesterday granted a divorce to Mary E. McNatt from Robert Nathan McNatt, who failed to appear.

W. Smith vs. Frank Pierce in suit for wages, judgment was yesterday given by Judge Benson in favor of plaintiff for $22.17.

In the matter of the estate of Margaret D. Brooks, deceased, the final account of the administrator was approved and the administrator discharged.

The final report of Ed Drew, the receiver of the Northern Logging Company, was approved by Judge Moore yesterday, and the receiver was discharged.

Edward O. Graves, trustee, and Washington National bank of Seattle vs. Columbia Home Company, affidavit for publication of summons filed and order granted.

John Striker applied for letters of administration on the estate of Charles Striker, deceased, and September 24 was set as the time for hearing the petition.

The case of Elizabeth A. Stacy vs. John Leary was heard by Judge Benson yesterday. This was an action on a note for $3,500, with interest and attorney's fee. Judgment was rendered in favor of plaintiff for the full amount claimed, including $200 attorney's fee, in all $4,724.33.

An order was made yesterday in the Granville O. Haller estate, adjudging the estate solvent in accordance with the revised statutes of 1897. This is the first case tried under the new law. The inventory had been filed, and showed an estate of over $100,000, with practically no debts against it.

An order was made by Judge Moore yesterday in the case of Black vs. Auld et al., requiring defendant, the Winsor Lumber Company, to give a bond in $500 to plaintiff by noon today to indemnify him against loss by reason of the continuance of the sale, and in default of such bond the order requiring plaintiff to show cause why the judgment of the court should not be modified is to be set aside.

In the case of George F. Fay et al., executors of the estate of George H. Heilbron, deceased, vs. E. A. Mackay, principal, and F. D. Hinckley, surety, in a building contract, a jury was impaneled in Judge Benson's court, but was discharged before the case was fully heard, and judgment was given in favor of Defendant Hinckley and for plaintiff as against Defendant Mackay, in both cases, with costs.

The New Rector.

Rev. J. P. D. Llwyd (pronounced Lloyd) will arrive by the Northern Pacific at 6 p. m. today from Omaha, to take the place of Rev. D. C. Garrett as rector of St. Mark's church. At 11 a. m. Sunday next he will be installed by Bishop Barker, and after installation will preach his first sermon in Seattle. The ceremony will be highly interesting and will doubtless attract many besides church-goers. Mr. Llwyd comes here with a very flattering reputation as a preacher. He will be temporarily housed at the Occidental hotel, Third avenue and Cherry street.

The cod fishery of Newfoundland is a complete failure, the catch being very small and prices low.

Sarsaparilla Sense.

Any sarsaparilla is sarsaparilla. True. So any tea is tea. So any flour is flour. But grades differ. *You want the best.* It's so with sarsaparilla. There are grades. You want the best. If you understood sarsaparilla as well as you do tea and flour it would be easy to determine. But you don't. How should you? When you are going to buy a commodity whose value you don't know, you pick out an old established house to trade with, and trust their experience and reputation. Do so when buying sarsaparilla.

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WITH HIS OWN GUN.

C. E. GREEN ACCIDENTALLY SHOT WHILE DUCK HUNTING.

Attending Physician Thinks He May Recover—Instant Death Prevented by a Match Safe—Keys and Money Extracted From Wound.

C. E. Green, formerly superintendent and now manager of the Bowers dredger, lies at Providence hospital, with a long, gaping gunshot wound in his body and right arm. He may live, and if he does he will show his friends a bruised and battered match safe, a blackened silver dollar, a dented silver quarter and a bunch of keys. They alone stood between him and a horrible death. He would have been literally torn to pieces, disemboweled, if these inanimate friends had not turned the charge of shot and sent it through the muscles of his body from the groin to the twelfth rib.

The shooting was purely accidental, and would never have happened if Mr. Green had not gone hunting with a "hammer" shotgun.

He was standing on a plank walk four feet above the ground, watching for ducks. The gun was cocked, its butt resting on the plank. Mr. Green had his hands on the muzzle. The butt slipped off the plank and the hammers struck the edge of the plank, exploding one barrel. The charge tore off a finger, ripped along Mr. Green's arm and entered his body low down in the right groin. A bunch of keys, some money and a match safe deflected the charge, and it took an outward, upward course through the muscles, carrying shreds of clothing, keys and money along with it. Mr. Green was brought to Providence hospital as soon as possible and operated upon by Dr. Wotherspoon. Last evening the doctor said he had hopes of his recovery.

The Duck Hunting Trip.

Mr. Green, Charles Sewell and John Burns started out yesterday morning on the 6 o'clock car over the Grant street line for a duck hunt. They went to a point on the river where the dredger is tied up. Burns, who is a watchman at the dredger, took a boat and rowed out to the dredger, while Green and Sewell did some hunting along the shore. They were standing on a plank walk that extends from the edge of the river across a ditch. Green's gun was cocked. Its butt rested on the walk near the edge. Green's hands were over the muzzle. The butt of the gun slipped off the walk and the hammer struck the edge of the plank. One barrel was discharged. Green had followed the gun down with his hand so the charge struck his hand first, then his arm and finally entered his groin. Owing to the nature of his injuries, all that can be said is that the shot, being deflected, did not disembowel him, but ripped him open up to the floating ribs, carrying money and keys into his body.

Falls With a Groan.

Green fell from the walk to the ground. He did not cry. He simply utter a groan. Sewell jumped down to his side. Green was insensible. Sewell saw the terrible wound, and realized that a physician ought to be secured at all hazards. He called a boatman and asked him to remain with the wounded man. Sewell ran all the way to the county farm, but Dr. Carman was not there. He telephoned to Newell's saw mill and fortunately reached Dr. Brooks. Another race back to the spot where Green lay was commenced. When they got there the body was gone. Burns had returned with his boat and taken Green to Seattle. It was about a three mile row, but he did it in remarkably short order, and, according to one estimate it was just one hour from the time of the shooting, 8:15 a. m., until Green was being operated upon at Providence hospital.

Green Tells His Story.

Late yesterday afternoon Mr. Green was visited by a Post-Intelligencer reporter. He was suffering considerable pain, but managed to tell how the accident happened.

"I was watching for ducks," he said, "and the gun slipped off the walk, the cocked hammers striking the edge of the plank. I suffered a great deal before reaching the hospital, but did not lose as much blood as I feared I would, after I recovered consciousness."

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Blue and Black Fine All-Wool Hockanum Cheviots at

$20.

Watches for the Boys.

With every Boy's $5 or over suit we give a handsome Nickel Watch, which is a splendid timekeeper and will please every boy.

AMUSEMENTS.

The Third Avenue Success.

That the bill at the Third Avenue theater is a popular one is evidenced by the large house last evening. "The Picture" is one of the prettiest little one-act curtain-raisers ever seen here, and is admirably presented. "Arabian Nights" is a roaring farce, cleverly written and more cleverly presented. "Arabian Nights" will be seen tonight for the last time. At the matinee this afternoon at 2:15 o'clock, "Young Mrs. Winthrop" will be presented by special request.

On Sunday night the bill will again be charged to the roaring farce, "The Gray Mare."

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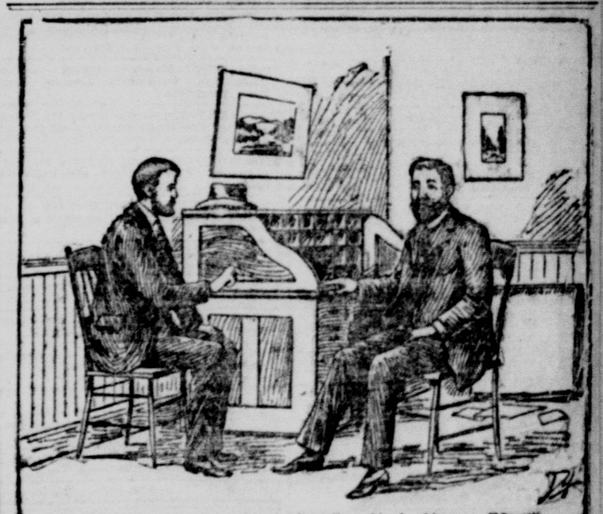

A Kentucky editor has a friend who talks to him in this way: "I attribute all the disorders of the system to the stomach; when the stomach is all right, we are well and happy. For a long time I suffered from the worst form of habitual constipation. Sleeplessness and nervousness set in, and at times I was so melancholy and out of sorts that life was a burden. An advertisement in our local paper induced me to give

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