

TIED HIM SECURELY

Then They Collected a Ransom.

EXPERIENCE OF A TACOMA MAN

Robbers Manage to Make a Few Dollars Out of Him—No Clue Found.

TACOMA, March 28.—The story of another sensational holdup was related to the police department this morning. William Welsh, living near Park lodge, was held up last night, and Prof. Fulford was made an incidental sufferer. Welsh reports that when hearing home two men stopped him and proceeded to search his pockets. He had no money, and as soon as the robbers found this out, they proceeded to tie him hand and foot, and said that he would be held for ransom. After Welsh had been tied for some time, he told the men to go to the home of Prof. Fulford and get \$20, the sum for which they agreed to release him. The highwaymen went to the house of Fulford and waited until he showed up. Just as he was going into the house he was told to give up \$20, as his friend Welsh wanted it badly. Fulford replied that he did not have that amount, but that he would give them all he had. He did so, the sum amounting to a few dollars, and the men then went and released Welsh. This was about midnight, and Welsh was tied shortly after eight o'clock. No clue to the men.

HE OBJECTS TO HOUSEWORK

Thomas Parron at Washington, Ind., Wants Divorce.

WASHINGTON, March 28.—Thos. Parron today filed suit for divorce in the Davison circuit court, basing his demand upon the ground that during the entire nine years of his married life his wife has seldom left her bed, although he claims she is fully able to do so, and that she has compelled him to do all the housework, attend to their little daughter and do the family washing.

Come, Come, Paul, Such a

LOUISVILLE, Ky., March 28.—F. Semonin, of this city, says that he and a young man from Illinois own a large tract of land in the vicinity of Copper river, Alaska, where, recently, an immense copper ledge was discovered. Interested with Mr. Semonin is H. H. Dolan, of Enfield, Ill. The property is held in the name of the Dolan Mining company. The property touches the sea and is also bounded by the Copper and Chittyna rivers. Mr. Semonin is of opinion that he has a bonanza. He secured his interest about six months ago for his services in helping to develop the property. Then it was valued at \$25,000. Now it is believed to be worth several millions.

Autocabs for the English

NEW YORK, March 28.—Joseph Leiter, of Chicago, is to sail today to London to get her horse-power omnibuses. The London bus and four-wheeler, according to a statement made by Mr. Hoadley, of the International Power company, will soon be superseded by a system of automobiles. Joseph Leiter, Mr. Hoadley says, is to organize the "London Automobile Truck company," with a capital stock of \$25,000,000.

Mayor Quincy of Boston was here the other day and contracted with the International Power company for a number of autocabs for use by Boston city officials. By one of the electric cab companies it has been said that a post road service to Albany has been started.

CAPTURED THE GANG

Detective Hazen Lands Three Counterfeiters in Jail.

A clever piece of detective work, resulting in the capture of a counterfeiter, has been accomplished by George W. Hazen, of the United States secret service. The man's name is David Barry, and his game has been to travel through the country passing off a few counterfeit half dollars in each town. He operated here for a time, and Detective Hazen became suspicious and followed him to Portland, where enough evidence was accumulated to place him under arrest. A satchel containing counterfeit coin was found in Barry's possession, but he denied its ownership. Mr. Hazen also captured a counterfeiter's outfit and two men who are alleged members of the gang.

EXPERIMENT STATION

To Be Opened Near Puyallup April 1.

President E. A. Bryan, of the State Agricultural college, experiment station and school of science, has arrived in the city to make preparations for opening the experimental station near Puyallup about April 1. The legislature appropriated \$5000 for the maintenance of the station for the next two years, and the Pullman station will also render valuable support. "A fine farm of sixty acres, a mile from Puyallup," said Mr. Bryan this morning, "was purchased four years ago by the state for the purpose of establishing an agricultural station. Its value to the state lay in the fact that the climatic con-

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THIRD AVENUE THEATER. Janet Waldorf in "The Hunchback."

ditions, soil, etc., of Western Washington is much different from that of Eastern Washington. Consequently the experiments made in Pullman are of practically little benefit to those on this side of the mountains. In 1897 the legislature cut out the appropriation for the station, but it will now be renewed."

"I have appointed David A. Brodie, a graduate of the agricultural college at Pullman, as superintendent of the college near Puyallup. Four chief lines of experiment will be conducted at the station. First will be the experiment with fertilizers. In some portions of the state the land is deficient in certain essentials. The flux experiments, which were dropped two years ago, will be taken up. Its treatment and growth will be carefully looked into, and as the flux grown here is of the highest quality, still information is needed concerning its treatment so that the growers of the state can profit by it.

"Experiments will also be made in the growth of grasses of various kinds, and other forage plants. The fourth main branch will include the culture of fruits. A plantation of hops will also be put in as the old one has been destroyed."

Death of the Iowa Wanderer

FORT DODGE, Ia., March 28.—Alfred Daniels, the largest man in Iowa, and probably in the North-west, died at his home near Lehigh, Ia., yesterday. Daniels was about 6 feet 9 inches tall, and measured

COREY IS CLEARED

He Killed His Wife While Asleep.

VERDICT OF THE CORONER'S JURY

The Tacoma Merchant's Explanation is Quite Generally Believed.

TACOMA, March 28.—The inquest held over the remains of Mrs. Charles H. Corey, who met death at the hands of her husband while he was asleep and dreaming, has been held, but nothing new developed. The most important witness was the husband, but his testimony under oath did not vary from what has been published. The jury was made up of prominent business men, and their verdict was in effect that Mrs. Corey came to her death by electrocution in the hands of her husband while he was asleep and

suffered from a stroke of paralysis, and for a long time was completely helpless. However, she recovered some use of herself, and was able to walk about the room by being led. About a month ago she happened to notice a wide red strip in a comfort which laid on the bed and called the attention of her daughter to it. It was the first known of her returning eyesight. Since that time she has gradually improved, and is now able to distinguish colors and objects, and to read a few of the letters which appear in the newspapers. She is 53 years old. A day or two ago she had the pleasure of seeing for the first time her little grandson, who was born since her blindness. Oculists say the disease was one of the nerves, and that the afflicted woman's sight may be fully restored.

Died From His Wounds.

Late dispatches from Manila last night stated that Milton S. Meise, a private in company D Washington volunteers, died from wounds received in the battle at Manila. Mr. Meise had lived in this city for fourteen years, and was formerly a clerk with the Gordon Hardware company. His brother, E. W. Meise, is city ticket agent for the Pacific Coast company.

Two Youths With Nerve.

NEW YORK, March 28.—John Bosso and John Ryan, who were arrested on Monday night after getting into the building at 266 Canal street, and packing up a lot of clothes ready for removal, were held by Magistrate Deuel in the Center street police court in \$1000 bail yesterday on the charge of burglary.

MARKET QUOTATIONS

West street was very quiet this morning. The potato market is unchanged. Small fish are very scarce, and crabs have been scarce for over a week. Steamers Utopia and Cottage City brought down 18,000 pounds of halibut from Alaska ports.

The following prices are being offered to the producer by the local dealers for delivery in round lots on the dock or in the car at Seattle. Grain—Oats, \$27; barley, \$25; wheat, chicken feed, \$17; bran, \$15; shorts, \$15. Hay—Puget sound, \$7 per ton; Eastern Washington timothy, \$12 @11; alfalfa, \$5. Eggs—Strictly fresh ranch, 15¢ @14. Butter—Fresh ranch, 10¢ @11; creamery, 22¢ @23. Poultry—Chickens, live, 14¢; live turkeys, 12¢. Live Stock—Choice beef cattle, cows 4¢; steers, 4½¢ @5¢; good hogs, live, 4½¢; hogs, dressed, 4½¢; calves, dressed, large, 6¢; small, 2¢; calves, live, large, 4¢; small, 6¢. Hides, Pelts and Wool—Heavy sound salted steers, over 60 pounds, 8¢; medium sound, per pound, 7½¢; light sound, under 50 pounds, 7¢; stags, bulls and oxen, 4¢ @5¢; salted kips, 7¢; calves, per pound, 8¢; green hides, 1¢ less than salted; dry hides, per pound, 12¢; dry culls, one-third less; summer deer, per pound, 25¢ @24¢; winter deer, dry, 14¢ @15¢; papery deer, 8¢ @12¢; dry, 10¢ @12¢; sheep, 15¢ @16¢; Eastern Washington wool, 8¢; Western Washington wool, 12¢; dirty or timber burned, 10¢; tallow, 2½¢ @3¢.

Jobbing Quotations.

The jobbing quotations today were as follows: Sugar (jobbing)—Golden C, in bbls, 45¢; extra C, in bbls, 45¢; powdered, 45¢; dry granulated, 45¢; cube, 55¢; beet, 55¢; spot cash prices. Flour, etc. (jobbing)—Patent Excellent, \$2.25; Novelty A, \$2.00; Star (bakers'), \$2.75; California brands, 4.10; corn meal, yellow, \$1.50 per 100 lbs; 15-lb sacks; corn meal, white, \$1.25 per 100 lbs in 10-lb sacks; buckwheat flour, pure, \$2.50 per 90 lbs in 3-lb sacks; cracked wheat, \$2.25 per 100 lbs in 10-lb sacks; farina, \$2.85 per 100 lbs in 10-lb sacks; rye flour, \$2.25 per 100 lbs in 10-lb sacks; split peas, \$2.50 per 100 lbs in 25-lb boxes; pearl barley, \$4.25 per 100 lbs in sacks; wheat flakes, 75-lb boxes, \$2.10; wheat flakes, \$2.50 per case of 35 2-lb pkgs; fancy rolled oats, \$2.25 per sack, in 5-lb sacks; corn meal, yellow, \$2.50 per bbl in 50-lb sacks; corn meal, white, \$2.50 per bbl in 50-lb sacks; buckwheat flour, pure, \$7.20 per bbl in 50-lb sacks; cracked wheat, \$4 per bbl in 50-lb sacks; steel cut oat meal, \$4.50 per bbl in 50-lb sacks; graham flour, \$2.50 per bbl in 50-lb sacks; whole wheat flour, \$3 per bbl in 50-lb sacks; rye meal, \$3.75 per bbl in 50-lb sacks; rye flour, \$4 per bbl; fancy rolled oats, 150 lbs net bbls, \$5.45; fancy rolled oats, 90-lb sacks, \$5.20; fancy rolled oats, per case, \$2.75. Coffee (jobbing)—Green—Mocha, per lb, 29¢ @31¢; Java, per lb, 24¢ @26¢; Costa Rica, choice, per lb, 14¢ @16¢; Reasted—Arabica, in 100-lb cases, per cwt, \$11.75; 60-lb cases, per cwt, \$11.85; 35-lb cases, per cwt, \$11.50; Java, 50-lb tins, per lb, 65¢; sack, 54¢; Aden Mocha, 27¢; Caracola, 32¢; Guatemala, 21¢; ground coffee, 16¢ @20¢; Lion, 16¢ @17.75; 65¢, \$11.85; 35¢, \$11.85. Butter, Cheese, Eggs and Poultry Butter—Ranch, 10¢ @12¢; fancy dairy, in squares, 15¢ @17¢; Washington creameries, 1-lb prints, 24¢ @26¢; Eastern, Iowa and Elgin, 25¢ @26¢. Cheese (jobbing)—Native Washington, 12½¢ @13½¢; Eastern, 12½¢ @13½¢. Eggs (jobbing)—Strictly fresh ranch, 14¢ @15¢. Comb honey—California, 13¢; strained, 7¢. Poultry—Dressed chickens, 15¢ @16¢; live chickens, 14¢; live turkeys, 14¢ @15¢; dressed geese, 12¢ @14¢; dressed turkeys, 15¢ @17¢. Nuts. Walnuts, per lb, sacks, 12¢ @14¢; Eastern black walnuts, 10¢; pecans, 12¢ @13¢; filberts, 14¢; almonds, fancy, soft shell, 15¢ @20¢; almonds, No. 2, 16¢ @17¢; peanuts, 6¢ @7¢; pine, 15¢; hickory, 19¢; coconuts, per dozen, 75¢; popcorn, 4¢ per lb. Hay, Grain and Feed. Hay (jobbing)—Puget Sound, per ton, \$7.00; Eastern Washington timothy, \$13¢ @14¢; alfalfa, \$10. Oats (jobbing)—Per ton, \$28 @30. Barley—Rolled, \$27 @28. Corn—Whole, \$23.50; cracked, \$21; feed meal, per ton, \$24. Feed—Wheat, \$22 @22.00; cake meal, \$25; middlings, \$21 @22; bran, \$17; shorts, \$15; chopped feed, \$12 @23; dairy chopped feed \$15. Meat (jobbing)—Cow beef, 8¢ per lb; steer beef, 8½¢ per lb; mutton, veal, 9¢ per lb; pork, 7½¢ per lb; veal, large, 8¢ per lb; small, 10¢. Provisions (jobbing)—Hams, large, 10½¢; hams, small, 11¢; breakfast bacon, 11½¢; dry salted sides, 7½¢. Lard (jobbing)—Home-made, per lb, 7½¢; White Star, 8¢; Coin Special, 5½¢; lard, compound, tereces, 6½¢; Rex, 8½¢. Fresh Fish (jobbing)—Halibut, 4 @5¢; salmon, 7 @8¢; steelhead salmon, 9 @10¢; salmon trout, 12½¢; flounders, 3 @4¢; soles, 4¢; rock cod, 5¢; trout, 12½¢ @15¢; shrimp, 1lb, shad, 6 @7¢; smelt, 4 @5¢; Columbia river smelt, 3 @4¢; herring, 3 @4¢; tom cod, 4¢; oysters, Olympia, \$ 3.50 per sack, \$1.50 per gallon; clams, \$1.50 per sack; Dungeness crabs, live, \$1.10; cooked, \$1.20. Vegetables. Potatoes (jobbing)—White River Burbanks, \$35 @37; Island Early Rose \$35; Island White, \$36; Yakima and Oregon, \$40; native silver skin onions, \$12 @18 per ton; Oregon and Yakima silver skin, fancy, \$18 @21 per ton; beets, \$1 per sack; carrots, 65¢ per sack; rutabagas, 65¢ per sack; turnips, 65¢ per sack; cabbage, 24¢; parsnips, \$1 @1.25 per sack; cauliflower, 90¢ per dozen; green peas, 6¢; artichokes, 6¢ per dozen; garlic, 9¢; celery, 10¢; California asparagus, 7¢ per lb; rhubarb, 6¢ per lb; tomatoes, \$2.25 per case. Fruits. Green Fruit (jobbing)—Oranges, seedlings, \$2 @2.50; navel, \$2.75 @3.00 @3.50; Island White, \$3; Yakima lemons, \$2 @4; apples, fancy, \$1.25 @2 per box; cooking apples, 65¢ @1

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per box; bananas, \$1.75 @2.50 per bunch; California black figs, 20-lb boxes, \$1.50; Smyrna figs, 25¢ per lb; new dates, 7½¢; sweet apple cider, 25¢ @30¢ per gallon; California figs, cartons, \$1.35. Lumber and Building Material. Logs—Superior quality, per M, No. 1, 1¢, 16¢; merchantable fir, \$4.50 @5.75; No. 1 cedar, \$6 @7; common, per M, \$2.50 @3; spruce logs, \$5.50; cedar shingle bolts, \$2.25 @2.60. Fir Lumber—Rough, \$8; thick finished, surfaced, one or two sides, 8, 10 and 12 inches wide, \$15 @20, lengths 12 to 16 feet; special lengths, 50¢ per M extra; one-inch finish, \$15 @18; all vertical grain, \$1 per M extra. Flooring, dressed and matched, \$17 @21; stock boards, 8-inch, \$18 @19; 10-inch, \$20 @21; 12-inch, \$18 @19. Fencing, No. 4 or 6-inch finish, \$9; No. 2, \$9; V or channel rustic or drop siding, weight 2000 lbs, \$11 @12; Fir timber joints and scantlings, rough, \$5.50 @6; S 1 S 1 E, \$5.50 @6; S 4 S, \$11 @14; Box boards, 12-inch and up, \$15. Washington Red Cedar Lumber—Rough, \$8 @9; bevel siding, weight 700 lbs, \$14 @15.50; ceiling, weights Nos. 1, 2 and 3, ¾-inch, 1300 lbs; Nos. 1, 2 and 3, ¾-inch 700 lbs, \$13 @17; wainscoting, \$10 @14; rustic, \$25 @28; *A shingles, \$1.25; standard shingles, \$1.10; 1-inch finish, 12, 14 and 16 feet, \$25 @28; thick finish, \$25 @36; cedar squares, 7, 8, 9 and 10 feet, \$24 @30; pickets, \$12. Kiln-dried, \$1 in advance of green. Drayage, 50¢. Chicago Markets. CHICAGO, March 28.—Cattle—Beef cows unchanged; stockers, \$3.50 @4.90; Texans, \$2.50 @4.75. Hogs (eighteen thousands)—Light, \$3.60 @3.80; rough, 5¢ higher; mixed, 5¢ lower; heavy, \$3.60 @3.75; pigs, \$2.50 @3.50. Sheep—Natives, \$3.50; western, \$3.75 @3.85; lambs, \$4 @5.90. PREVENTS JAIL BREAKING The windows of the county jail will in the future be protected by new screens, thus making it impossible for jail breaking tools to be passed into the prisoners. The screens will cost \$18, and were purchased by the county commissioners as the request of Sheriff Van de Venter.

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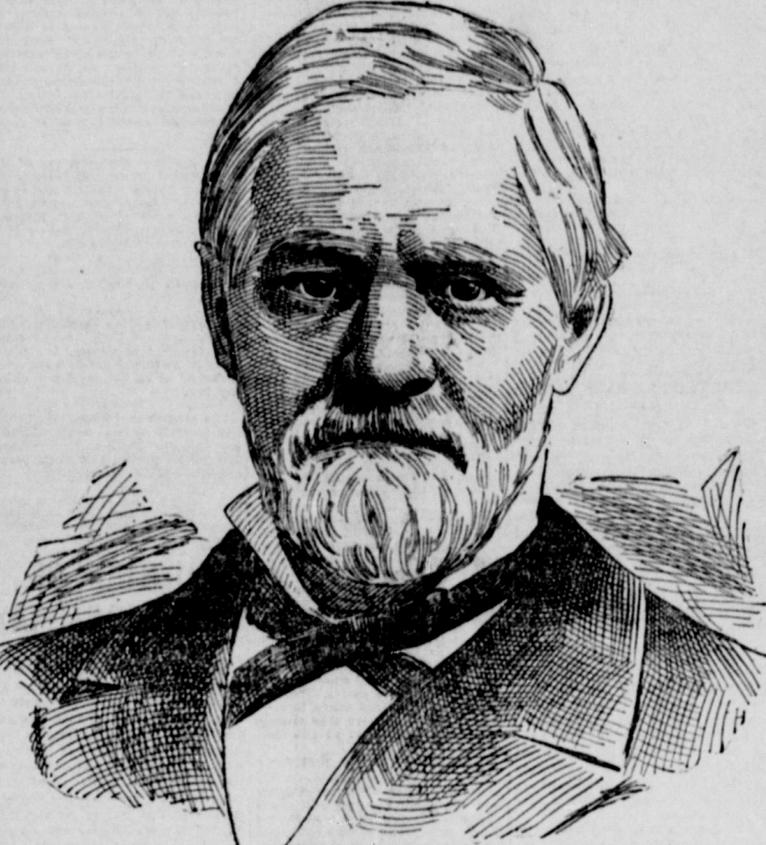
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HON. JOHN SHERMAN.

Anxious friends have watched for the daily reports of the condition of Hon. John Sherman, and the general announcement of his death, on Tuesday, came as a shock to those who were hoping for more favorable intelligence. These were relieved when the report was contradicted on Wednesday, and all are now hoping for his complete recovery. Mr. Sherman's has been an eventful life. He was born in Lancaster, Ohio, May 10, 1823, received an academic education, studied law and was admitted to the bar May 11, 1844, was a delegate to the Whig national conventions in 1848 and 1852, and presided over the first Republican convention in Ohio, in 1855; was a representative in the 34th, 35th, 36th and 37th congresses, and was the Republican candidate for speaker in the winter of 1853-54; was elected to the senate in March, 1851, and re-elected in 1865 and 1871. He was appointed secretary of the treasury in 1877, and served as Allen G. Thurman (Democrat), and took his seat on the fourth of March, 1881, was president of the senate from December 7, 1885, until February 25, 1887, and was re-elected to the senate in 1896 and 1902. He resigned from the senate in 1897 to become secretary of state in President McKinley's cabinet. In all of the financial legislation since the Civil War, Mr. Sherman's influence has been felt. He has been prominently before three Republican national conventions as a candidate for the nomination for President, and each time with a strong following. One of the most notable convention speeches ever delivered was that of Senator Garfield presenting the name of Mr. Sherman to the Chicago convention in 1859. His home is at Mansfield, Ohio, but he spends most of his time in Washington. He is the son of John and Mary Hoyt Sherman, and traces his ancestry to Rev. John Sherman, who with his brother Samuel, emigrated from Essex, England, in 1634, settling in Connecticut.

Word has been received that a sister of Mr. Corey has left Washington City, where she and her father reside, to take him back. Mr. Corey formerly resided at Washington, and his father is now a practicing physician of that city. The remains of Mrs. Corey will be held here waiting word from relatives in Oregon. Bosso said "All right." The driver presented a receipt book and Bosso signed "Joe Abraham" in a firm hand, and then he told the driver to hustle out, as it was time to go home. The driver hustled. Then the two thieves went on with their work.

Siwashos Must Have Passes

SPOKANE, March 28.—The Indians who for months past have been roistering around town are being summarily hustled back to their reservations. A new order has gone forth, and henceforth no siwash without a pass will be allowed off the reserve. The Indians have been abusing the privileges which had been given to them. Instead of making occasional trips to town and returning back home again quietly, many of them had left the reservation altogether, and were permanently in camp on the outskirts of the city. Hangman creek was a favorite resort for them recently. The nearness of the city, with its opportunities for drinking and other vices, was too much for the Indians. They were either drunk or quarreling the greater part of the time. The recent outbreak on Hangman creek, where three siwashos, headed by the notorious Oscar Spencer, ran amuck and nearly killed a squaw from Kalispell, was an instance of the trouble which they were giving.

Eyesight Returning.

PORTLAND, Ind., March 28.—A peculiar case of returning eyesight has been developed in this city. Five years ago Mrs. Hanlin was stricken blind and since then has been in total darkness, not knowing day from night. To make matters worse, she

DROWNED IN SLUSHLAW

Fatal Accident to a Young Logger at Mapleton.

FLORENCE, Or., March 28.—Eddie Whisman, 20 years old, was lost in the lower Slushlaw river near Mapleton Wednesday morning. With his father and two brothers he had been engaged in putting a raft of piles into the river. He was out on the piles when the boom sticks came apart, and he fell into the water. He sank immediately, and did not rise to the surface again. He may have come up from the piles. His father and two brothers were on the bank near by, but as they could not swim, they were unable to render him assistance. The water was about 13 feet deep where the accident occurred. The body was recovered after being in the water two and a half hours. Funeral services were held the next day and the remains were buried at Mapleton.

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