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Young Man Accidentally Shoots His Three-year-old Sister—A Tramp Finds Gold.

At Pocatello, Idaho, Sunday night, Al Lish, upward of sleeping a horse from Paul Cutler, of Marsh Valley, was lodged in jail. It is said another boy, Wm. Lewis, participated in the crime, and officers are now looking for him.

Doyle's saloon and gambling house at Hawkins, Wyoming, was robbed on Sunday evening, by a man who entered, ordered the men present to hold up their hands, made the dealer hand over the cash, and then, escaped on horseback.

H. C. Voelkel, a Los Angeles druggist, discovered a burglar in his store early Friday morning, and after an exciting chase capured him. Before he handed, the druggist had even hitting a pillow to draw on the intruder. The burglar gave his name as F. W. Crown.

James Cunningham was found near the railroad crossing at Oakland, Cal., Friday morning with one ear cut off and the other badly crushed. He was taken to the receiving hospital. His condition was such that no could give no account of the accident. He will probably die.

During the heavy thunder and lightning storm of Friday evening a heavy bolt of lightning entered the kitchen of the state prison at Folsom, Cal., and destroyed a 300 gallon boiler, besides doing other damage. The prisoners were all locked in their cells when the bolt struck, and were startled by the crash that was made. No one was hurt.

While the attendants at the Mendocino, Cal., insane hospital were taking the patients to dinner Friday, one of inmates, a young man, escaped from Oakland named Craig, jumped from a second-story window to the ground below. He was severely bruised about the body and may have severe internal injuries which are not apparent at present.

Ida Iverson, the three-year-old daughter of M. Iverson of Point Arena, Cal., was accidentally shot and probably totally injured by her brother, Charles Iverson, Friday afternoon. The boy was taking a rifle down from a scaffold, when the weapon exploded. The bullet entered the right hip and passed entirely through the body of the little girl.

Peter Batiliana, the eight-year-old son of John Batiliana, an employe at the Stockton, Cal., woolen mill, was crushed to death under the wheels of a wheat wagon Friday morning. He was trying to climb between the wagon and fell. The wheels of the wagon passed over his head and back, but crushing his skull and scattering his brains in the street.

Rich placer rock has been unearthed twenty-five miles from Cambria, Cal., in what is known as the Salmon creek country, in the northwest part of San Luis Obispo county. A tramp going through that section became lost, and while tearing away some underbrush uncovered a placer rock. Washing it out, he got a small chal of dirt and nuggets. He reported the find, producing considerable excitement, and parties are now on the way to the discovery.

A sad accident among the Indians is reported from the Indian rancheria six miles southwest of Ukiah, Cal. The cabin occupied by one Mose Muse was discovered to be on fire. The villagers assisted in carrying the contents out of the burning shack. Mose Muse's father, old and helpless, was not missed until the flames made even bearable hardly. When his absence was noted, Modoc, a young buck volunteered to attempt the rescue of the old man and entered the cabin for that purpose. He had no sooner reached the threshold of the door than the whole affair collapsed, burying him in the ruins. Several rushed to his rescue, and Modoc was dragged out only after he had been severely burned about the head and body, and the probabilities are that he will not recover. The old man whom Modoc attempted to save, after the collapse of the shack, was dragged out still alive, but his death is hourly expected.

A GOSPEL TESTIMONY.

Experiences of One Who Trusted in and Obeyed the Lord's Commands.

Cloudville, Patrick Co., Va., Aug. 5, 1897.

To the Editor:

For some time I have been thinking of writing you a few lines to tell you how the Lord has blessed a few of His children way here in the mountains of Patrick. I desire to bear my testimony that I have been blessed in many ways. I had never seen a Mormon until the 3d of November, 1896. Elder James H. Gibbs and his companion, Charles F. Hawkes, came to my house on the morning of the 3rd, and delivered their message. They spoke of preaching the Gospel in its purity. From that moment the thought came to me, "this is really a new Gospel." I treated them kindly (I would not do otherwise from their appearance), and soon became very much interested, desiring to know the principles of the Gospel they were preaching. I had heard a good many different kinds of so-called preachers and began to think there could not be so many ways to heaven.

The Elders soon left my house, with the promise to come back in a few days. They came and held several meetings at my house, during which time they gave me all the information they could for the time. I soon became convinced that this was the true gospel. The Elders visited us two or three times during this month. My daughter-in-law also became satisfied, and we decided to be baptized on the 22nd of November—a very cold day, but we had reached the point that we were willing to do anything that was required to gain salvation, and in order to enjoy the blessings that were promised the baptized believer. I was fifty years old; I've carry precious in being baptized. I had been a member of the Methodist church for many years, trying to live as a Christian the best I knew.

I can say truthfully that I have had more real enjoyment since I was baptized than ever before. I will now tell of some of the healings in my family by the power of God, manifested through His worthy servants, Elder Gibbs and Elder Hawkes. My little granddaughter had been very sick for several days, and as there was no doctor near, we kept thinking perhaps she would soon be better. The Elders came, and by the request of the parents of the child, they administered to her. It was only a few moments afterwards that the child got down from its mamma's arms and called for something to eat, the first she had called for in several days. She went out to play, and was never sick in that way any more.

I had a severe pain in my head for two days and suffered very much. They administered to me and we all knelt in prayer. The pain left my head before rising from our knees, and never returned.

I will add a few more words (though I do not wish to worry you) I have had a hard struggle for many years. At times I could not do it at all. It had been very bad for several days, when the Elders came again to see me. They administered to me again, and my arm soon got well, and I have used it ever since, just as well as the other. I feel like praising God as long as I live for what He has done for me. I shall ever remember with love and gratitude, the Elders who first brought the glad tidings to me. I feel, as it were, like a brand snatched from the burning. S. ELEANOR BURGE.

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