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GENERAL NEWS.

Blaine has a lodge of the I. O. G. T. organized last week.

Pete Black, of Blaine, was severly injured last week by being thrown from a wagon by a runaway team.

The Market street Baptist church of Seattle will soon commence the erection of a church building to cost $40,000.

The Missouri Pacific has further reduced passenger rates from Pueblo to Kansas City to $6, alleging cuts by the Union Pacific and Burlington from Denver.

The schooner Granger was burned the evening of the 15th at Dungeness spit. She was loaded with lime from Roche Harbor consigned to Harrington & Smith, of Seattle. The cargo was valued at $1,200 and the vessel was worth $2,500; both uninsured.

M. de Freycinet, for the fourth time premier of the French republic, is small and insignificant physically, and his countenance habitually bears a furtive, scared expression which has led to his being dubbed "The White Mouse." His wife is a clever, ambitious woman whose aim in life is to become "Madame la Presidente."

In Denver, Col., there were 31 millionaires whose aggregate wealth is $46,500,000, and 35 semi-millionaires whose wealth aggregates $17,500,000, making in all $64,000,000 owned by 66 men. As no state is entitled to more than two seats in the senate at a time, some of those 66 nabobs will never get any further up the ladder of fame than a seat in the Denver common council.

The London Times says if the policy of the silver ring should break down in America, whether through popular impatience or commercial and financial difficulties, the dammed up volume of silver will pour out in an overwhelming rush on the world. Such a contingency is likely to occur, but it ought to be taken into account by India and other countries interested in the silver question. A motion will be introduced in the house of commons by Samuel Smith in favor of an international conference on bi-metallism.

It is reported that stone mason employers of Boston have found a way of avoiding the contract labor law. They arrange to bring masons from England under a pledge to enter into a contract on their arrival here. It is further stated that bricklayers there have signed a contract with employers not to strike for three years, in return for which the men are to receive an advance of ten cents per hour, with eight hours as a day's work. The matter will be investigated at the meeting of amalgamated building trades council. The situation is badly mixed and the future is uncertain.

The flow of natural gas at the Warrentown, Oregon, well started after the pipes had been freed from clay and sand and sunk about ten feet deeper. The pressure was much stronger and steadier. The flame, where it was ignited, burned more clearly and steadily. Engineer Collins, who has had long experience in the Eastern oil and gas fields, made several tests and pronounces this true petroleum gas, and not what many thought it might have been, a small reservoir of marsh gas. Collins says the pressure developed is about forty pounds to the square inch, and he is confident that it will increase as the pipe goes down.

A correspondent at Havana cables that the question of annexation of Cuba to the United States is daily growing more serious, and the government is continuing to be alarmed at the propagation of the idea, which is being more or less openly carried on with results that will soon be known. The campaign that has been opened by several leading papers is courageously sustained in remarkable editorials that generally attract attention, one having gone so far as to assert some weeks ago that the Spanish government through a disgraceful and ruinous administration did more than anything else to throw Cuba into the arms of the United States.

The Alta has printed an interview with Colonel C. F. Crocker, in which he says: "Huntington and Stanford have made friends again. Yesterday Huntington wrote a letter to Stanford in which he disavowed all intention to reflect personally on Stanford or his management of the railroad. His remarks, he said, had been misconstrued. He highly appreciated Senator Stanford's great services to the road and desired a resumption of friendly relations. He cheerfully withdrew any portion of his remarks that might seem derogatory to Stanford or his management of the road. In return Stanford stated that he was thoroughly satisfied with Huntington's statement of the case. The gentlemen met to-day and amicable relations were fully resumed in regard to all business connected with the road."

Dahomey and his army have burned eight villages in Layos.

An Episcopalian church has been organized in Blaine and a church edifice will be erected.

It is said that work will begin on the Seattle & Montana railroad in less than a week. From 500 to 1,000 men will be employed from the start.

Court advices from St. Petersburg are that the movement in favor of a constitution finds adherents in the czar's circles. Grand Duke Vladimar, the czar's brother, heads the ministerial section, urging the czar to create a parliament consisting of representatives of the nobility, elected by Zemtivos, with a limited number of delegates elected by towns. The czar's repugnance to a parliament is reported as giving way under the belief that the establishment of a parliament would put an end to the attempts upon his life.

Four men, named Francis White, James O'Brien, James McCluskey and Matthew Sullivan were arrested in San Francisco April 15 on charges of robbery and battery, and will probably have to serve long terms in prison. Monday they visited a resort on Mission road, and after terrorizing the proprietor and compelling him to give them liquor they went to the milk ranche of August Haber, who was in the house with his wife and servant girl. The men broke into the house by kicking down the front door, and after beating Haber into a state of insensibility they subjected the women to shameful treatment, although they were frightened away by the arrival of herdmen before they had accomplished their avowed purpose in regard to the women. They then returned to the saloon, where they robbed a barber and a carpenter of money, watches and other valuables.

Hon. Samuel Randall died at 5 o'clock on the morning of April 13.

[Samuel J. Randall was born in Philadelphia October 10, 1828. His father was a well-known lawyer and democratic politician of that city. The son was educated for mercantile pursuits, but after serving four terms as a member of the Philadelphia city council, and one term as a member of the state senate, he was in 1868 elected to congress, and since that time has been successively elected, representing the only democratic district in Philadelphia, and that even one such district has been maintained in that city is due to the grace of the republicans and their acquiescence in the universal recognition of Mr. Randall's great ability, his devotion to the interests of his state and capacity to render signal service thereto. Ever since 1875 he has been recognized as one of the most conspicuous figures in the lower house of congress. In 1876 he was first put forward as a candidate for speaker of the house and was appointed chairman of the committee on appropriations, which carried with it the leadership of his party in that body, in which relation he manifested consummate tact and skill. While in this position he was alert and unyielding in advocacy of retrenchment, and won high credit for curtailing expenses. On the 4th of December, 1876, the speakership became vacant by the death of Michael C. Kerr, and Mr. Randall was chosen to fill the vacancy. In the two following congresses he was re-elected speaker, serving until March, 1881. As a parliamentarian there have been but few if any incumbents of the speaker's chair who have excelled him. Though the period of his active participation in public affairs was marked by frequent bitter controversies, many of Mr. Randall's most warmly attached personal friends were ever found in the ranks of the opposition, and yet the members of his own party at the same time and for many years followed the leadership with unwavering fidelity. He was a man of commanding presence and fascinating address, and as a debater he had few equals in congress. Though always a professed democrat and unequivocal in his allegiance to his party, Mr. Randall latterly differed with a majority of its members on the tariff question, being strongly wedded to the protective system. On this account some of the more ultra of his party associates undertook to degrade him from their ranks in 1888, because of his non acceptance of the policy foreshadowed by Mr. Cleveland's remarkable and, as it proved, suicidal message of December, 1887. But in the complications attending the organization of the present session of congress his late contemners were only too ready to accept his counsel and be guided in large measure by his advice. That Samuel J. Randall was honest in his political convictions is beyond question. That he was pure in his private life and upright throughout his long official career is conceded even by the extremest of his political opponents. On the whole his was a high and an honorable career. There were not many members of the present congress whose death would have left a vacancy more difficult to fill.]

Outlaws and state troops have had a battle near Louisville, Ky.

Mattie Scott, who killed her lover, William Scott, at Tacoma, is still at large.

The Mexican man-of-war Democrata sailed from Mazatlan on April 14 under secret orders. She had 300 soldiers aboard.

All the trades unions of Portland are out on strike with the exception of the plasterers and brick masons, who are not members of the federated union.

The convention of the international amalgamation of seafaring men and firemen reconvened in New York. A resolution of sympathy with the striking carpenters of Chicago was adopted.

Meat-Axe, a big Shoshone medicine man, has predicted a flood to occur in July, and wash out the heartless paleface. He says this visitation is a retribution for the unjust conduct of the whites in confining Indians on reservations. Runners have been sent all over the reservation and to the Crows, Cheyennes and Sioux to herald the calamity. A rush of Indians to the Wind River mountains is anticipated. Meat-Axe says all the whites and half-breeds will be drowned.

A Portland despatch of April 16 says: The carpenters of this city were locked out by the builders' association to-day. Their union had given notice that after May 1 they would demand a full day's wages for eight hours' work. The employers had organized to resist the demand and a strike was inevitable. A few days since carpenters in the employ of V. Hepp demanded that he discharge non-union men. He refused, and they quit work. The builders last night agreed to discharge all carpenters until the matter was settled. The Carpenters' nion held a meeting this afternoon and agreed to stay out till the union was recognized and the demand for eight hours granted, and they will call out all trades which belong to the federation. The builders precipitated the trouble in the hope of securing a settlement of all differences as soon as possible.

The death of Celia Elmore at the Open Door on Tuesday, April 15, ends the story of another young life blighted by man's perfidy. Miss Elmore was the bright and beautiful daughter of a respectable but very poor family in a town in Indiana. She was only 17 years old, but was well educated and intelligent, and for the past year has been helping defray the family expenses by teaching school. It was during this period that she met Charles Chapman, the hero of other amours, and she fell in love with him. He knew this and reciprocated by betraying her under promise of marriage.

Last fall her condition compelled her to urge him to fulfill his promise of wedlock. He refused to do so, saying that another young woman had the same sort of a claim upon him as she. Miss Elmore insisted, and he, growing alarmed, fled to Omaha. She followed him, but he still turned a deaf ear to her entreaties.

This was early in October, and as she was penniless and among strangers she had to seek refuge at the Open Door. Ever since that time her health has been very delicate and she has been a constant care. She endeared herself to the matron and sister unfortunates by her intelligence and sweetness of disposition.

Three weeks ago the crisis came and since then her condition has been very critical. A week ago Friday it was discovered that she could not live much longer and she begged Mrs. Clark to help her in persuading Chapman to carry out his promise of marriage. Mrs. Clark sent for the young man and told him of Miss Elmore's condition. He again reiterated the fact that there was another young lady in Indiana who had a prior similar claim upon him.

Mrs. Clark finally prevailed upon him to marry the dying girl. He procured a marriage certificate, and the same evening was wedded to her as she lay on her dying bed, Rev. W. J. Harsha officiating at the sad ceremony. The fact that she was finally honorably wedded seemed to give her fresh life, but it was only temporary, and in a day or two she began to sink again. At 1:30 p.m. Tuesday she died.

A telegram was sent to her parents apprising them of the demise, but they sent back word that they were too poor to pay the expenses of shipment and interment, and asked that Mrs. Clark see that deceased girl receive a decent burial. Mrs. Clark promised to do so, and through the kindness of Mr. Burket, the undertaker, and others, and the little contributions of the unfortunate girls at the Open Door, the body will receive a respectable interment. The funeral exercises will occur at 11 a. m. to-day and the remains will be laid away in their final resting place at Forest Lawn.

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THE FOREIGN SELLER.

According to the Indianapolis Sentinel, Detroit Free Press and other free trade papers of their breadth of beam, when a foreign seller deducts the amount of duty from the price of what he sells to the American buyer, it is the American buyer that pays the duty. In order to get into our markets foreign sellers have been doing this business ever since we had a protective tariff. They couldn't get into our markets with their goods if they didn't. Our protective tariff has forced them to lower their prices. Remove this tariff and foreign prices would go up. The foreign seller thoroughly understands this and that is why he objects to our protective tariff. He knows that with free trade it would be only a question of time when our industries would begin to weaken. He knows this because he knows that American labor as a rule costs about twice as much as foreign labor. He knows that the employers of American labor cannot compete successfully with the employers of cheap foreign labor in the same kind of business. So does every man capable of performing a simple example in mental arithmetic.

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COL. JAMES HAMILTON LEWIS' picture of democracy drawn at the banquet of the Thomas Jefferson club was as follows:

"Her virtuous form, clad in the habiliments of 90 years, invisibly stalks among our presence to-night. She is, while in the midday of life, as she was in the morning of her birth in 1800—standing as the advance of right seeking to redress the wrong, sustaining the cause of the poor and the humble, struggling with endless vigor and undying fortitude to maintain inviolate the constitutional government founded by our fathers. On her front she bears the shield of honor and wields with her hands the righteous lance of justice. Her watchword has been 'forward,' unawed by any show of arbitrary power, undismayed by temporary defeat."

With this description in mind the Seattle Press artist set to work to draw the picture of the goddess of of reform and evolved the sketch of decrepid old woman supporting herself by a long staff. She is too lively for a corpse, however.

THE International Post, Vol. I., No. 1, is on our table; it is full of fire, news, boom and advertisements. Blaine and the Post will both get to the front, and no doubt of it.

THE Bellingham Bay Express is a bright five-column folio edited by John De Tiere, and published tri-weekly. It is a "daisy."

WAGON ROADS.

In an article in the Reveille of last week, C. E. Cline asks for a convention to be held at Whatcom in May to consider the question of roads, and present a report to the county commissioners. This idea was advanced by the PRESS several months ago and was then seconded by some of the papers of the county. Nothing came of it, but as the idea is again advanced we hope that every paper in the county will advocate holding the convention. In furtherance of this idea we suggest a mass meeting of the voters of Lynden precinct be held in Judson's Hall on May 9th.

Before that time it would be well for a number of the voters to sign a call for the meeting, so it would be understood that it means business. The election and attendance of delegates should be general so the work of the convention may not prove abortive. Give us roads.

THE railroad surveyors are in the field locating the permanent line of the Drayton Harbor, Lynden & Spokane Falls railroad, as we said two weeks ago they would be at this time. Mr. McMillen has returned from St. Paul and work is being pushed. We understand that some contracts have been let for slashing and grading on the line, but do not say this is a fact for we have not interviewed the officials in regard to this. However, work will be commenced soon and pushed rapidly. We are going to have the railroad.

THE Evening Post has looked up the records of the leaders of Tammany, and finds twenty-eight professional politicians who make their living in politics, seventeen office-holders, six members of the Tweed ring, four former toughs, four professional gamblers, five former gambling-house keepers, four liquor dealers, two sons of liquor dealers, three pugilists, one convicted murderer, and one indicted for bribery.

DR. C. L. FLANNAGAN, of Olympia, has commenced a suit against Mrs. A. H. H. Stuart to recover $25,000 for circulating a report that the doctor has frequently maltreated his wife. Mrs. Stuart is president of the Woman's club at Olympia while Flannagan is a wealthy physician, secretary of the State Medical society and has charge of St. Peter's hospital. It promises to be a very interesting suit.

THE Baptist Sentinel has been removed from Tacoma to Dayton. A new financial agent has been employed and everything seems to indicate that this live paper, devoted to the interests of the Baptist church of this state, will be placed upon a solid financial basis.

WE are in receipt of a number of the American Economist which is replete with information showing the value of a protective tariff. All who desire to keep well posted upon the great economic question will do well to read this paper.

The government surveying steamer Patterson, with the Frank Leslie's Weekly's exploring party aboard. has left Port Townsend for Alaska.

Wardell, wanted in Tacoma to testify in the Crosby murder trial, is missing.

A. F. and A. M.

International Lodge, A. F. and A. M., was organized Tuesday, April 15, by Mr. J. Austin, of Lynden. There were over twenty-five Masons in attendance. The following officers were elected:

N. A. Cornish, W. M.
O. D. McDonald, S. W.
W. J. Gillespie, J. W.
F. Hurlbert, Secretary.
A. L. Johnson, S. D.
J. Wagner, J. D.

It is expected that the lodge will begin business with twenty-five to thirty members. They will at once build a $5,000 temple, but the site for the new building has not yet been determined upon, but will be in a few days.—Blaine Journal.

He Had No Experience.

A case came up in the court over which Judge Brill presides in St. Paul, in which a big colored woman was a witness. She testified that she had whipped her little boy very severly, and as she went on with the story of the exceedingly stiff beating she had administered, the judge's clear brow grew a little darker, and he interrupted her to ask if it had been necessary to chastise the boy so severely. The colored lady looked astonished at the question. Gazing intently at the court, she inquired:

"Jedge, was you eber de father of a wuthless mullatter boy?"

"No, no," said the judge, hastily.

"Then, jedge, you don't know nuffin' about de case."

When you wish to go East, write J. W Alton, Gen'l Agent Union Pacific Ry., Whatcom, for all information.

Annual Meeting of The W. C. T. U.

The annual meeting of the W. C. T. U. was held at Mrs. P. N. Judson's April 17, 1890, at 2 o'clock P. M. An outline is here given of the Union during the year 1889.

An interesting report was read by the retiring treasurer, Mrs. P. N. Judson, and secretary, Mrs. S. E. Pierce, giving a good report of the year's work; showing that $41 had been received and $34 expended in carrying on the work and for charitable purposes; that there is an enrollment of 44 members—good, loyal and true. The Supt. of the Loyal Legion, Mrs. M. A. Beavers, gave an interesting talk about the work done among the young people—they have enrolled twenty-two members; great interest is shown in this very important department. All the young people of Lynden are asked to come and join with this Temperance Band, which meets every Sabbath afternoon from four to five o'clock.

The retiring Pres., Mrs. J. V. McCullough, then addressed the Union—which is given by request.

"We women of the W. C. T. U. are an organization under one head — Frances Willard being the National President. From this centre radiates a wonderful influence through the states and homes. It has gone to the north, to the south, to the east and to the west. It now encircles the whole earth. Yet we find each union independent to choose for themselves the best way of carrying on its work. This is a good plan, for the reason that each union knows the special needs of its town or community. We live in a town wonderfully blessed in not being under saloon influence. Yet we need to be on the alert and not found napping. We have a work with a bearing upon it of vast importance. Our town numbers about eight hundred inhabitants, our schools about two hundred pupils. We each hold an influence for good or evil. Which shall it be? We can each do our individual work as it comes our way. If our hearts are right and our hands willing, there are many cups of cold water we may give, a kind word, a gentle smile, a friendly pressure of the hand. It means more to the one receiving than we can measure.

There is one thing we need—friction. If we do not grow large we grow narrow and small. We know that in union there is strength. By coming together once a week we can exchange thought, give helpful words, become a great sisterhood in thought and feeling. How can this best be accomplished? We asked this question at the beginning of the past year, and in a way have tried to answer it. Althcugh we have not done any great work, yet we find that the past year will bear a fruitage. If we but sow one little seed, hedged about by faith in the great helping and directing hand, we are assured that there will be a harvest. The past year has brought some sad days to us, yet the abounding number of good days has been our portion.

Thanking the ladies for their kindly help during the past year, and hoping you may overlook any lack of duty, I now retire from the president's chair, invoking best wishes and great success to my successor.

The following officers were then elected for the year 1890:

President. Mrs. J. V. McCullough.
Treasurer, Mrs. P. N. Judson.
Recording Secretary, Mrs. S. E. Pierce.
Corresponding Secretary, Mrs. M. J. Swim.
Superintendent of Loyal Legion, Mrs. M. A. Beavers.

Elder B. F. Kittinger, of Gettysburg, Penn., says he has been suffering with a cold and cough, also his wife, that they took to using Chamberlain's Cough Remedy and received great benefit from it. Yet he says, "It is so pleasant to take." For sale by M. C. Hawley.

On a recent visit to Iowa Mr. K. Dalton, of Luray, Russell Co., Kas., called at the laboratory of Chamberlain & Co., Des Moines, to show them his six-year-old boy, whose life had been saved by Chamberlain's Cough Remedy, it having cured him of a very severe attack of croup. Mr. Dalton is certain that it saved his boy's life and is enthusiastic in his praise of the Remedy. He says it has an excellent reputation in his vicinity; that farmers come fifteen miles to his store for it and that many of them, like himself, are never without it in their homes. For sale by M. C. Hawley.

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Ball Friday night.

Free lecture Saturday night.

Assessor Cline is abroad in the land.

Remember the grand ball Friday night.

Mrs. C. A. Beavers now has entire charge of the M. E. church.

County commissioners meet in regular session on Monday, May 5th.

Sermon in the hall next Sunday at 3 o'clock will be in the Swedish language.

Attend the free lecture by Mrs. Mattie Bridge Saturday night in the Opera house.

Loyal Temperance Legion meets at the M. E. church at 4 o'clock every Sunday afternoon.

The Cornwall railroad is now nearly to Millertown, which burg will soon be on the market.

The band plays well. Couldn't you come out on the street and play, some of these fine evenings?

Jones & Mundell is the name of a new real estate firm of our town. See their "ads." in another column.

Semiahmoo is to have a $50,000 hotel commenced at once. Several hotels are in process of erection at Blaine.

All who have nickles and ten cent pieces should keep a close grip on them. A certain one is trying to "corner the market."

A meeting of the W. R. C. will be held in the G. A. R. hall, Lynden, next Saturday at 2 o'clock p. m. By order of the committee.

It is reported that Nooksack City is to have a newspaper soon. The postoffice has been moved there and with a newspaper the town will be prepared to boom.

J. B. Douglas has removed his office from Pacific hotel to the Ebey building, where he will be pleased to make plans and specifications for those desiring to build.

Mrs. Mattie Bridge will deliver a lecture Sunday evening upon the subject "Social Breakers." The place where the lecture will be delivered has not been decided, but will be announced at the lecture given Saturday night.

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Harvey Slade had the misfortune to loose one of his fine large horses last Saturday. On the return trip from Blaine the horse took sick and before a veterinary surgeon could be called it dropped dead. The horse was worth about $200.

A boom company has been organized, with a capital of $50,000, to do business at the mouth of the Nooksack. Loggers up the river will appreciate the work of the company as it will insure them that the logs will be caught and preserved for them.

Our cornet band came out Saturday night and serenaded Mr. and Mrs. Winkler and Mr. and Mrs. Cline. The boys discoursed some fine music, which was properly appreciated by the couples thus honored. This is a very proper way of showing respect to the newly-married people, and we hope it will in time entirely supplant the hideous racket made by the tin-pan brigade which recently appeared in town.

TEACHERS RESIGNED.

An item has been going the rounds of the Bay papers to the effect that three of the teachers in the Normal school have resigned and gone to speculating in real in Blaine. One paper names them as Miss Bowers, Miss Gammon and Miss Eunice Watson. Whether this was a mistake inadvertently made or a willful misrepresentation the effect is calculated to be harmful to the Normal school. The facts of the case are that Miss Bowers has resigned—not from the Normal but as principal of the public school. She was in no way connected with the Normal. Miss Gammon, the popular and efficient teacher in the art department of the Normal has not resigned, nor, so far as we can learn, has she ever intimated that she intended or desired so to do. Miss Watson is not a teacher in any of our schools but a competent and obliging clerk in Judson & Co.'s store, of which firm her brother is a member. These young ladies, with the characteristic energy of their sex, have been making some profitable investments in Blaine real estate; but remember that they did not quit the Normal school for that purpose.

The Nooksack saloon, which is said to be doing business without a license, should be closed or made to put up. Serve all alike.—Express.

"Move on," said a Fairhaven policeman to James Douglass, Monday afternoon. Douglass was standing against the sidewalk rail, apparently in a drunken stupor. He did not move. Then the officer observed that he had already moved on—to that undiscovered country from whose bourne no traveler returns. The death angel had descended in the midst of the purblind hurrying crowd and snatched a soul away. Disturbed by the rough hand of the officer the body sunk to the ground in all the inert hideousness of death. He was an Irishman, 60 years of age, and died of chronic alcoholism. Nothing is known of his family; but whisky had probably divorced him from wife and family years ago.—Reveille.

A CARD OF THANKS.

To the many friends and neighbors who so generously assisted us during the recent illness and death of our loved one I wish to express my sincere thanks. Their kindness and thoughtfulness have done much to lighten our sorrows.

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A Kingsboro Accident.

Angus Nicholson has been running his sawmill at Kingsboro night and day. Saturday morning at 4 o'clock he accidentallv, in turning from the saw, threw one of his legs back against it, and in a twinkling the disk passed through bone and flesh. It was not until noon that the surgeon reached him and amputated his leg. During these hours Mr. Nicholson suffered the most intense agony. His leg was taken off through the middle of the calf.—Reveille.

Delinquent Tax.

T. R. Kershaw last night completed the delinquent assessment roll for auditor Eldridge, and this morning delivered the same to the sheriff for collection. The amount of tax remaining upon the delinquent roll is as follows: Territory, $719.62; county, $1,433.32; school, $1,438.40; road and bridge, $464.26; road property, $695.77; poll, $368.00; road poll, $684.00; soldiers' relief, $57.87; military, $57.97; special school, $2,134.94; special road, $464.40; penalty, $852.31; total amount to be collected, $9,375.57. Outside of the penalty this leaves a total of $8,523.26 of unpaid taxes, which, considering that the total tax of the county was nearly $100,000, speaks volumes of the prosperity of our county.—Bulletin.

PERSONAL.

—M. R. Staight was in town Wednesday.

—J. S. Cederberg went to Whatcom last week.

—E. Everson, of Nooksack, was in town Monday.

—A. Croghan, of Whatcom, paid Lynden a visit Monday.

—W. E. Likins, Whatcom, has been in town the past week.

—F. W. Cooke, of the B. B. & B. C. was in town Saturday.

—J. S. Austin was in Blaine last week on business connected with the Masonic fraternity.

—Dr. S. F. Wright has located at Silverdale, Kitsap county, where he will practice his profession.

—G. F. Brackett has been appointed a notary public and went to Whatcom Tuesday to have his bond approved.

—I. Lanning and daughter, Mrs. Guiberson, went to Whatcom Tuesday and returned the same day, making the trip on horseback.

—G. F. Brackett has left the postoffice and now has his office in the Kildall block, where he is doing a good business in selling real estate.

—James C. Spaulding, recently of Wisconsin, has purchased a couple of lots in Lynden and will soon move his family here to make this town his home.

—S. F. Kildall made a trip to Tacoma last week. He reports the merchants complaining that business is dull on account of money being tied up in real estate.

—J. W. Page, sheriff of Clark county, Wis., thinks Washington a fine state, and Lynden a beautiful town. We hope to see the sheriff here again some day, but on different business.

—C. E. Marshall, a live real estate agent of Fairhaven, was in town Tuesday and expresses himself as well pleased with Lynden. Of course he is—everyone is. They can't help it.

DOUBLE MURDER

Daniel Allen, alias James Henry, Arrested for the Murder of a Man Named Wright.

TRIED, CONVICTED AND ESCAPES.

Sheriff Page, of Clark County, Wis., After a Sixteen Months' Hunt, Locates Him in Lynden.

Mrs. Wright, Wife of the Murdered Man and Allen's Accomplice, Turns State's Evidence.

Considerable excitement prevailed about the candy depot Tuesday afternoon about five o'clock, when it was announced that the proprietor was in irons. People were all around the place eager to catch a glimpse of the officers and the suspect.

At that time all to be seen was Deputy Sheriff Lawrence, Sheriff Page, of Clark county, Wis., and an assistant, making an examination and inventory of the goods that the proprietor of the store pointed out with his manacled hands.

The man arrested has been known here by the name of James Henry, and came here last November or December, bought property, leased a lot, and with Mr. Alexander erected a small building since used as a candy store.

THE ARREST.

Tuesday afternoon these officers went inside the "candy depot," as the place is called, and asked Henry the price of some oranges. This was for the purpose of getting him from behind the counter. He hesitated, slightly, for he since says he thought he knew the sheriff, Mr. J. W. Page, but came out to the oranges, and when from behind the counter Sheriff Page caught him on one side and Deputy Sheriff Lawrence on the other. He struggled for a moment, but Mr. Page said to him, "Dan, it is no use trying to get away," and he seemed to realize the fact and submitted to having the handcuffs put on him.

The premises were then searched and such things as the prisoner desired were placed in his trunk to be taken with him. A loaded revolver was found in his bed. When this was done the prisoner and officers went to the Lanning house for supper, where Deputy Sheriff Lawrence was interviewed by a representative of the PRESS and the main facts of the charge drawn out. Yesterday morning Sheriff Page felt free to talk if we promised to keep still until he had left town with the prisoner, and he tells the story as follows:

THE SHERIFF'S STORY.

My name is J. W. Page and I am sheriff of Clark county, Wisconsin. The prisoner's real name is Daniel Allen, and he was formerly a farmer in Clark county, near Neilsville. In May, 1887, he was convicted of murdering one Wright, a neighboring farmer, by poisoning. On the trial of the case it was shown that Allen and Wright were supposed to be upon the most friendly terms, so great was the professed friendship that when Wright fell sick Allen desired to nurse him, and by insisting upon doing so kept other willing helpers from his bedside. Wright's wife also insisted upon Allen doing the nursing. It was also shown that Allen and Mrs. Wright were in love and criminally intimate, and that they had conspired to kill Wright and Mrs. Allen. While Wright was sick a slow process of arsenical poisoning was commenced by Allen, by and with the consent of Mrs. Wright, in both cases of the sick man and Mrs. Allen. An overdose in the case of Wright brought his death suddenly and aroused suspicion; the body was disinterred and a chemical examination of the stomach had with the result that enough arsenic was found to kill two men. Allen and Mrs. Wright were arrested upon the charge of murder, and after the case was well made out Mrs. Wright turned state's evidence and gave the above particulars with many others, and the statement that it was agreed that when the consorts of the guilty pair were dead that Mrs. Wright should sell her farm and then she and Allen would live together.

THE VERDICT.

In less than fifteen minutes after retiring to their room the jury returned a verdict of guilty of murder in the first degree. Allen was then placed in jail to await sentence which would be pronounced by the judge, according to custom in such cases, the last thing before the close of the term.

After the conviction, and on the 27th day of May, 1887, Allen escaped from the jail through the help of friends, as it is believed.

Since that Pinkerton's force has been looking for him for about a year and the sheriff has been on the trail for about sixteen months.

The crime was committed in the fall of 1886, and since the escape Allen spent about two years in Oregon under the name of John Harvey, and since coming to Washington he has worked near La Connor and been in business here under the name of James Henry.

In discovering the whereabouts of Allen Mr. Page has been greatly assisted by Joseph Comstock, sheriff of Kitsap county for many years and county judge of the same county for ten years. Sheriff Page says the judge is a fine man and a sharp, shrewd worker. He also says that Governor Ferry has done all he could in a legitimate way to bring the fugitive to justice, and that he is glad to acknowledge the governor's favors and knows that they will be appreciated by the governor of Wisconsin.

Our people are no doubt greatly surprised at this arrest, as Allen has always conducted himself properly here. He has a house and a couple of lots and was doing a good business, having recently bought out his partner. Before going away he executed a power of attorney authorizing Mr. C. A. Beavers to transact all his business here.

To us Allen said: "I will get out of this all right, and be back in a little while." But to the officers he does not deny that he is the man wanted, and in fact has executed the power of attorney in the name of Daniel Allen. Further, he expresses fear that he will be mobbed if taken back to Clark county. His wife is dead, as he represented, she having died after his arrest for the murder of Wright. Physicians said she died from the effects of poison.

Lynden is pretty well toward the corner of the United States, but not in so obscure a quarter as to present a safe harbor for criminals. Although we hope the prisoner is not a criminal, yet if he is he richly deserves the full penalty of the law.

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Keeper—State Reform school is just across the way.—Chicago Tribune.

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THE RAT'S WORST FOE.

How the Ferret Attacks and Vanquishes Rodents.

A Deadly Duel Between One of the Clumsy Weasels and a Pugnacious Rat—The Wonderful Tenacity of the Ferret's Hold.

Clearing rats out of several large buildings by the use of ferrets recently started some queer stories of the relations of the ferret and the rat, which have excited the derision of a retired rat-catcher—or rather rat-exterminator — says the Philadelphia Press. He is a man who has prosecuted his calling in all the large cities of the country and once had the honor of being employed by the Government to clean out the United States Treasury building at Washington.

"I see," he said, in telling his version of ferret vs. rat, "that some one has discovered that a rat won't fight a ferret, and that the moment the ferret gets close to him the rat gives up. That's a queer yarn for a truth-teller. Come along and I'll let you see for yourself. I'm out of the business, but I have a couple of ferrets, and I've an accommodating friend who'll lend me a couple of rats."

The two went to the ex-rat-catcher's residence, where he brought from the cellar a cage similar to those in which rat-exterminators carry their ferrets. Looking through the holes in the top of it all that could be seen were two pairs of small eyes, a brilliant, baleful green. They belonged to two brown ferrets of English stock, and were said by their owner to be of a superior breed. Wrapping the box in a piece of paper for appearance's sake, and punching some holes in it for the animals' sake, the ex-professor set out with the reporter for the residence of the friend who had rats in stock. On the way to the theater of experiment the man learned in ferrets and rats descanted on the minutiæ of his calling.

"You know a rat doesn't have to be taught that a ferret is his natural enemy, and he has a mortal terror of the little beast. If there is a ferret within a rod of a swarm of rats they'll all clear out and keep going for a mile to get to other quarters. You must know, too, that while a ferret's body looks big his head is the biggest part of him, and wherever his head can go the rest can follow easily.

"A ferret doesn't often catch a rat in a run, for the rat is fast and the ferret very slow. Sometimes they do catch one, and then it's hard work to get that ferret back. He'll load up on the rat's blood and go loafing around, instead of attending to business; stay in there, perhaps, to do some hunting on his own account. I've lost ferrets in stables, where they have wandered on into side runs, caught a rat or two, and laid out a future for themselves on the premises. Sometimes a ferret will come to his owner's whistle, but generally we have to keep a sharp lookout and pick them up as they follow the rats out of the hole. Well, here we are."

The two men entered a sporting resort; it was in the Kensington district. The ratter remarked: "Billy, I want to show this gentleman an experiment; let's have the little room." The little room was an apartment eight feet long and six feet wide, and utterly without furniture. The window-sills were high and broad, and these were used for seats.

The proprietor of the establishment absented himself a minute or two and returned with a large rat in his leather-gloved hand and when the door was closed dropped it squeaking on the floor. From a box on his lap the ratter, also with his right hand in a leather glove, drew a ferret and dropped it on the floor. The three watchers of the impending tragedy were sitting with their feet swinging a foot and a half from the bare, unincumbered floor.

When the rat had first been released it had scampered around the wainscoting, looking for escape, but when the ferret was dropped it stopped a moment as if in consternation and then made for the corner farthest from the enemy. As the ferret advanced, stealthily, his neck stretched and his nose protruding, the rat made a break and got farther away. The ferret had some difficulty in following the rapid motions of the rat on account of the room being light, but he kept the trailing process up until within four or five minutes from the start the rat was in a corner and whichever way he turned the ferret turned, too, to head him off. This process was kept up until not more than a foot separated them, and then the rat deliberately raised on its haunches and prepared to fight. The ferret drew nearer until they were six inches apart, and, rearing up as the other had, there was an actual sparring match. The ferret made a plunge for the rat's jugular, but the latter dodged and bit back viciously.

In an instant the two fought ferociously, the rat making no attempt at escape, but fighting for dear life. They separated and again on their haunches had another sparring bout. The rat left an opening, and, quick as an expert boxer, the ferret took advantage of it, made a rattlesnake sort of dart with his head, and seized the rat just behind the ear. There was a lively wrestling-match, but the rat could not loose his antagonist's hold. He tried to bite, but the hold was such that he couldn't and very soon it was all over with his ratship. To exhibit the tenacity of the ferret's hold the rat man picked up the rat by the hind leg and rat and ferret hung dangling in the air. The ferret was picked up in like manner, but he would not break his hold.

A second rat was let loose with the second ferret and the performance was repeated to a nicety, with the exception that this rat was a trifle more pugnacious and fought harder for his life.

THE NABLUS SAMARITANS.

Something About the Oldest and Smallest Sect in the World.

There is to be found in the heart of the small city of Nablus, in North Palestine, a little religious community—now numbering about one hundred and fifty souls, which has defied the ravages of war and poverty and oppression nearly three thousand years. Unlike the Vaudois, these Samaritans have had no friendly system of mountain buttresses to defend them through the centuries; and, still more unlike the long-lived Savoyard Protestants, they have been right in the pathway along which the devastating armies have marched back and forth from the time of Sargon to Napoleon. But, writes Rev. Dr. John F. Hurst in Harper's Magazine, they have lived on, and their unity has never been broken. They have clung to little Nablus and to their sacred Mount Gerizim, as the very cactus roots to the granite sides of the somber Ebal that confronts them across their little enchanted valley.

As the population of Nablus is just about 12,000, the little Samaritan community is almost absorbed by the surrounding Mohammedan mass. Save to a careful observer the very existence and presence of the Samaritans as a distinct element of citizenship in Nablus would not be noticed. The Samaritans wear a turban much like that of their true Moslem neighbors, but between the history and theology of the two classes there is not a single point of positive resemblance. * * *

The Samaritan synagogue is a small building in the center of Nablus, half obscured by the surrounding dwellings. I passed through arched and littered streets to a little court, in the middle of which was a little plot of grass, relieved by three trees, two of which were lemon. I here found a little Samaritan school, and at the sight of a stranger the children sprang from the floor where they were sitting, kissed my hand, and begged for backsheesh. The teacher was a youth of about fourteen, the son of Amram, the high priest. I was greatly disappointed at failing to find Amram himself, but in the end this circumstance aided me in my chief object, for the young man was willing, for a good fee, to show me the ancient Pentateuch. His father might have been deaf to all entreaties.

The claim of the Samaritans to have a copy of the Pentateuch older than the Jewish is supported by their own unbroken tradition, and by the opinion of some learned men of the present time in Christian countries. But the weight of internal evidence is against it—among which may be mentioned grammatical emendations, late glosses in the text, insertions of foreign passages, alterations, Samaritanisms, and changes in support of Samaritan doctrine.

There are three codices kept in the little synagogue in Nablus, two being generally shown to strangers. It is very rarely that the veritable one can be seen. My good fortune in getting a hasty look at it was due to the venturous and avaricious spirit of Amram's son, rather than to any management of my own. Having first exhibited the two imitations, the young man, upon the offer of an additional fee, then brought out the original scroll from a chest. After the removal of the red satin cover I saw that the codex was inclosed in a silver cylindrical case, which had two doors opening on two sets of hinges. When these doors were thrown back the whole column was exposed to the vision. This cylinder is of rich workmanship. It is about two feet and a half long and nearly a foot in diameter, and presents, in exquisitely raised work, a good plan of the Tabernacle, with every part given with the utmost minuteness and rarest skill. The roll consists of dingy skins—prepared before the invention of parchment—sewed together with neat stitches, and worn and patched, and here and there entirely illegible. The skins are of equal size, and measure each twenty-five inches long and fifteen wide.

Before leaving Nablus I had the opportunity of spending an evening with Amram at his own house. He lived in the greatest simplicity, though in Palestine that is the rule rather than the exception. Mrs. El Karey, the wife of the missionary in Nablus in the employment of the Church Missionary Society of London, was good enough to accompany me and serve as interpreter. The venerable high priest, who was barefooted, and clad in a great turban and loose flowing robe, received us with calm and dignified cordiality in his room—at once his parlor, dining-room and bedroom. His very aged mother was lying on the floor, covered with bed-clothing and asleep. There were several children, half asleep, lying about the room. Amram's son-in-law was slowly copying a Pentateuch—for the Samaritans have no printing-press. It requires a year to make a copy, which is never sold, and is only used by the community.

The peculiar views of Amram may be said to represent very fairly the theology of his dying community. The world, he claimed, is about seven thousand years old. For fifty-five years men will go on increasing in wickedness, after which there will come a time of great peace and purity. Then there will come on a new period of consummate wickedness, which will last three hundred years. This time will be consummated by the total destruction of the world. After this the general judgment will take place, when the righteous will go to live with God and the wicked with Satan. There are some people who have clean hearts, or at least are accepted as clean, though none are absolutely pure. Just here Amram looked off, as if in the distance, and said: "God is one!" Here he intended a slight thrust at all Christians, because of their emphasis on Christ and His divine character.

He spoke with interest of the ruins on Mount Gerizim, and of the increase of his community within the last thirty years. He closed by expressing his firm belief that the time would come when the Samaritans would be the most numerous body in the world.

Amram has since died, and the sedate son-in-law, being the eldest male relative, has succeeded him in the high priesthood.

THE SHARK'S HABITS.

The Fish Is a Great Coward in the Presence of Living Men.

The author of "On Blue Water," a man who had sailed much on tropical seas and had many opportunities for studying the nature and habits of fish, treats the common belief that the shark is a man-eater as a superstition. Man does not have his dwelling in the water, and it is only rarely that, by accident or design, he exposes himself to the attacks of the shark. It is not likely, therefore, that he was intended to be the natural and preferred food of the fish. The writer referred to above says that he had never conversed with any one who had seen a living man attacked by a shark. He gives an amusing account of a meeting between a black sailor and a shark, which makes it appear that this fish is a great coward in the presence of man.

His ship, an English one, was lying in Bombay harbor. An enormous white shark lay sluggishly on the surface of the water only a few feet from the ship's side. The sailors were making such remarks as "He's got his eye on us for supper," and when this opinion was doubted, they challenged the incredulous to put a foot in the water within the shark's reach.

A negro made a bet of a pound of tobacco that he would jump into the water just as he was. The bet was taken; and, without removing any of his clothing, the man jumped from the rail plump upon the monster's back. The fish was large enough to have swallowed two men, but his fright overcame any longing for human flesh. The narrator says:

"I have seldom seen any thing so scared as that shark was; he plunged off, half his body out of the water at times, leaving a wake like a paddle-boat behind him which could be traced for three or four hundred yards where he dived, and never showed himself alongside our ship again."

This instance would, perhaps, be met with the objection that sharks show a preference for white men to feed upon. This common notion has been adopted from observing that the colored South Sea Islanders spend much of their time in the water, wholly indifferent to the sharks which swim around them. If the shark is really partial to white victims, he probably selects them from sight, not from taste.

When the shark gets a taste of human food, he no doubt experiences unusual delight, and from that time on is a ferocious man-hunter.

The case is much the same with the shark as with the tiger. Not one of a thousand of either of these creatures stands any chance of ever tasting human flesh, and before having done so they both stand in mortal fear of the face of man.

SAVED HER FATHER.

How a Brave Girl Put to Shame Fifty Blood-Thirsty Guerrillas.

The neighborhood of Union Depot, Tenn., was distracted with feudal troubles during the war, says a correspondent of the Philadelphia Inquirer. Colonels Snap, Ledhetter and Leith, of the Confederate forces, with their partisan bands, ravaged the country from one end to the other, and were met with stern resistance by the Union Home guards. At the beginning of the hostilities the bridge across the Halston, above Union Depot, was fixed upon for destruction by the Confederate officials.

A band of men under Colonel Ledhetter was sent up from Knoxville to fire the structure. They arrived in the town just after sunset, and proceeding to the bridge found it guarded by two men. One of these guards ran away when the Confederates began to smear the bridge with coal oil, but the other remained, and, shotgun in hand, opposed the marauders. As they advanced he retreated, fighting them step by step, and several of the guerrillas, shot dead, fell from the bridge into the turbulent stream and were carried on down toward the Tennessee.

Finally the brave defender was overtaken and one of the Confederates, who knew him, cried out, with musket cocked and presented to his heart:

"Surrender, or you are a dead man."

"Never," cried the watchman, and he discharged his shotgun full at the advancing man's heart.

The Confederate fell upon the ties, and his body, resting for a moment, finally tumbled into the river below. The burly watchman's gun was empty and he had shot away all of his ammunition. He clubbed his gun, and in the lurid light, already flaring about him from the fired bridge, he faced his enemies, resolute, defiant to the last. They rushed upon him and he was overpowered. His gun was wrested from his hands, and a stout rope was wound about his body, fast inclosing his arms.

"What shall we do with him?" asked the leader.

"He should hang! Hang him!" echoed the chorus.

"To the cedar grove!" was the order, and those grim guerrillas, with the bound watchman in their midst, marched back across the bridge, now a sheet of flame, and through the town, to a dense grove of cedars on the ridge beyond.

Here they halted, and the leader of the band, addressing the prisoner, said:

"It's the verdict of the crowd that you be hanged. Have you any thing to say?"

"Nothing!" was the defiant answer. "You are whelps and I am a Union man. Do your worst."

"String him up!" ordered the leader, and a rope was produced and knotted about the patriot's neck.

He was allowed a minute for prayer, and his white lips were inaudibly voicing a last petition to the great Father, when a slender, girlish figure, attired in snowy white, burst through the grim throng and threw her arms around the doomed man's neck.

With nervous fingers she undid the noose, and, forcing the stern-visaged crowd aside, cried out in daughterly indignation:

"For shame! You are fifty to one, and you would commit murder. This is my father. If you hang him you shall hang me also."

The guerrillas were abashed at this bold defense, and for a time said nothing. Finally one man spoke, and he evidently voiced the sentiments of his fellows, for his words were wildly cheered.

"Now," said he, "let's adjourn Jeff Davis is a free man."

"Aye! aye!" was the answer, and they slunk away, leaving father and daughter to make their way back to the little town, which now was photographed against the sky's background by the lurid glare of the burning bridge.

Father and daughter still live in Union Depot, and every night the brave girl, now a matron with children about her knees, gathers up her two bright tin buckets and journeys to the spring below the town, chatting gayly with her neighbor women.

THE HOOSIER WON.

How an Ancient Indiana Ananias Victimized a Practical Joker.

We were standing one day in front of a small country store in a one-horse town in Southwestern Indiana, says a writer in the American Commercial Traveler. We had made the rounds and were waiting for the train. The conversation turned in some way to the subject of eyesight. An old Hoosier farmer who had been listening to our conversation lounged up and said: "I reckon yew fellers air right smart chaps e-gallivantin' roun' through the kentry like I heern tell yew dew, but I'll 'low, b'gosh, 'at I kin see furder an' draw a bead finer nor ary one o' ye. Jes' las' week I wus huntin'—me an' my gal wus—daown on the ma'sh over yon, an' I tuk up my gun tew shute. 'What d'ye see, dad?' my gal sez, sez she. 'See!' sez I; 'kain't ye see thet squirrel daown thar?' 'No,' sez she; 'I kain't see no squirrel. I kin see a ol' stump daown thar 'bout forty rod,' sez she. 'There's a squirrel on that stump,' sez I. An' I pulled my ol' gun up to my shoulder an' I let 'er go. Well, w'en we got daown thar, sure 'nuff, stranger, thar warn't no squirrel thar. 'Twan't nothin' 'cept a tarnal little chipmunk 'bout half 's big 's my han'. But he wuz ded, stranger. There kain't nuthin' git away frum me w'en I shute."

"Very acute eyesight," I remarked.

"Cute?" the old Hoosier answered. "Wal, I dunno's thar war nothin' so very cute 'bout it, but I reckon it war right smart seein'."

All through this wonderful recital George B., who dearly loved a practical joke and never missed an opportunity to perpetrate one, had stood gazing fixedly off toward the northern horizon. When the Hoosier had finished he remarked: "Yes, uncle, that was mighty good 'seein',' no doubt; but I'll go you a big, round dollar that you can't tell me the number of geese in that flock up there," pointing in the direction in which he had been gazing. We all looked, but could see nothing. George winked. The old man shaded his eyes with his hand and said: 'Wal, I reckon I kin see the geese easy 'nuff. I hain't right smart on countin' nohow, stranger, but I ca'late they's 'bout thirteen in thet air flock, 'z I kin see 'm now." We all strained our eyes and presently a flock hove in sight. They came nearer and nearer. We counted just thirteen. "Thunder!" said George, as he handed over one dollar, "where in blazes did those geese come from? I didn't see them before." They had come upon the scene just in time to win one dollar for the Hoosier.

It Was Never Patented.

The common cow-catcher attachment to a locomotive is about the only article of universal use that was never patented. It was invented by D. B. Davies, of Columbus, O., still living and quite aged. He borrowed the idea from the mold-board of the plow which is used to throw up the soil to one side, but was so busy he neglected to patent it until it was too late. It is in use to-day as originally invented by Mr. Davies, without change or deviation from the original plan, and has saved millions of dollars to railroad companies, and probably thousands of lives, but not a penny to the inventor.

AARON'S WEDDING SUIT.

It Was Just as Good as His Mother Could Afford to Buy.

Parents are sometimes loath to relinquish their parental authority, even when their sons and daughters are men and women, and ought to be learning to think and act for themselves, says the Youth's Companion. A tall, awkward and painfully diffident young man of twenty one or twenty-two years went into a clothing store, accompanied by a short, active and keen-eyed little woman, whose self-possession was perfect.

"Let us see some black suits of some kind, something not too high, nor yit so cheap as to be good for nothing," said the woman to the clerk.

"Yes, ma'am. Is the suit for this young man?"

"Yes, it's for him. 'Ve you any idea 'bout what you want in the way of a suit, Aaron?"

"I'd like one of them shiny black suits," replied Aaron, meekly.

"Well, I don' know," said the mother, with a shake of her head. "I'm doubtful 'bout them wearin' well, an' I b'lieve I'd better git you a good cassimere."

The clerk led the way to a counter piled high with inexpensive black suits, and the mother began: "How'd you like this, Aaron?"

"I don' know."

"Well, look at it, boy, and see whether you think you'd like it."

"I guess so."

"Do you like this one any better?"

"I don' know as I do."

"Well, I want you to make up your now, and not go to wishin' you'd got something else as soon as you git home."

The amusement of the clerk was increased when, after carefully examining suit after suit without coming to a decision, the old lady said:

"You may show me something a leetle mite better'n any of these. I wouldn't be so pertikler, but it's his weddin' suit I'm gittin', an' I feel as though I'd like him to look a little half-way decent on such an occasion. D'ye think you'd be satisfied to stand up in this one, Aaron?"

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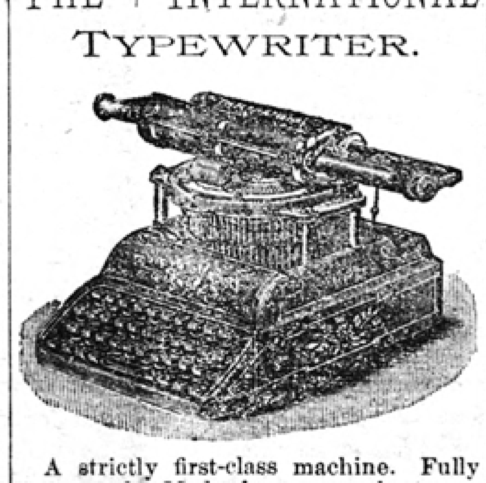

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NOTICES FOR PUBLICATION.

Land Office at Seattle, Wash., March 10th 1890.
Notice is hereby given that the following named settler has filed notice of his intention to make final proof in support of his claim, and that said proof will be made before the Judge, or in his absence, the Clerk of the Probate Court at Whatcom, Wash., on Monday, May 12th, 1890, viz.: ROBERT O'NEIL,
Hd. E. No 9238, for the n ½ ne ¼, sw ¼ ne ¼ sec. 23, tp 40 north, r 2 east.
He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon and cultivation of said land, viz: William A. Scott, Luther L. Ingalls, Michael Kildall, Edward McClelland, all of Lynden, Wash.
T. M. Reed, Jr., Register.

Land Office at Seattle, Wash., March 10th 1890.
Notice is hereby given that the following-named settler has filed notice of his intention to make final proof in support of his claim, and that said proof will be made before the Clerk of the Superior Court at Whatcom, Wash., on Saturday May 10th, 1890, viz: JAMES M. JONES,
Pre D S No. 11594 for the sw ¼ se ¼ sec 35, tp 40 n, r 3 east.
He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon and cultivation of, said land, viz: Samuel Force, William Brooks, H. Sebert, Victor A. Roeder, all of Roeder, Wash.
T. M. Reed, Jr., Register.

Land Office at Seattle, Wash., Feb. 25th, 1890.
Notice is hereby given that the following named settler has filed notice of his intention to make final proof in support of his claim, and that said proof will be made before the Judge or in his absence the Clerk of the Superior Court at Whatcom, Wash., on Thursday, April 24th 1890, viz: HENRY BLANKENFORTH,
Hd app, No. 8228, for the se¼ ne¼ sec 34, n½ sw ¼ sw¼ nw¼ sec 35, tp 40 n, r 3 e.
He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon and cultivation of, said land, viz; Barney Collins, Samuel Force, Paul Roell, Frank Miller, all of Roeder.
T. M. Reed, Jr. Register.

Land Office at Seattle, Wash., Feb. 25th, 1890.
Notice is hereby given that the following-named settler has filed notice of his intention to make final proof in support of his claim, and that said proof will be made before the Judge, or in his absence, the Clerk of the Superior Court at whatcom, Wash, on Friday, April 25th 1890, viz: FRANK MILLER,
Hd, app. No. 5211, for the sw¼ ne¼ nw¼ se¼ ne ¼ sw¼ se¼ nw¼ sec 3, tp 39 n, r 3 e.
He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon and cultivation of, said land, viz: Barney Collins, Samuel Force, Henry Blankenforth, Paul Roell, of Roeder, Wash.
T. M. Reed, Jr., Register.

Land Office at Seattle, Wash, Feb. 25th, 1890.
Notice is hereby given that the following-named settler has filed notice of his intention to make final proof in support of his claim, and that said proof will be made before the Judge, or in his absence the Clerk, of the Superior Court at whatcom, wash., on Thursday April 24th, 1890, viz: SAMUEL FORCE,
Hd. app. 7504, for the Lots 3 and 4, sec 2, tp 39, and s½ sw¼ sec 35, tp 40 n, r 3 e.
He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon and cultivation of, said land, viz:
Barney Collins, Paul Roell, Henry Blankenforth, Frank Miller, of Roeder, Wash.
T. M. Reed, Jr., Register.

Land Office at Seattle, Wash. March 4, 1890.
Notice is hereby given that the following-named settler has filed notice of his intention to make final proof in support of his claim, and that said proof will be made before the Judge or in his absence the Clerk of the Probate Court at Whatcom, Wash., on Tuesday, May 6th, 1890, viz: RICHARD HILL,
Hd App 6920 for the e½ sw ¼ sec. 24, tp 40 north, r 3 east.
He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon and cultivation of, said land viz: Hugh MacDougall, James Webber, Chas. Shea, of Nooksack, Wash.; Henry Bardenhagen, of Lynden, Wash.
T. M. Reed Jr., Register.

Land Office at Seattle, Wash. Feb. 24th 1890.
Notice is hereby given that the following-named settler has filed notice of his intention to make final proof in support of his claim, and that said proof will be made before the Judge, or in his absence, the Clerk of the Superior Court at whatcom, wash, on Friday April 25th, 1890, viz: HENRY F. MURPHY,
Hd. app. No. 9537, for the Lot 2, sec 26, and ne¼ ne¼ sec 27, tp 40 n. r 3 e.
He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon and cultivation of said land, viz: William R. Moultray, Chas. Shea, Sr., W. H. Osterman, of Nooksack; R. Emmet Hawley, of Lynden, Wash.
T. M. Reed, Jr., Register.

Land Office at Seattle, Wash., Jan. 17, 1890.
Notice is hereby given that the following-named settler has filed notice of his intention to make final proof in support of his claim, and that said proof will be made before the judge or in his absence, the Clerk of the Probate Court at Whatcom, Washington, on Thursday, March 20, 1890, viz: JAMES PEARSON.
Homestead entry No. 7980, for the se¼, ne¼, sec 15, tp 39 north, of range 3 east, w.m.
He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon and cultivation of said land, viz: William Pieper, John Hash, John Kenoyer, John Ross, all of Yager, Wash.
T. M. Reed, jr., Register

Land Office at Seattle, Wash, April 9th, 1890.
Notice is hereby given that the following-named settler has filed notice of his intention to make final proof in support of his claim, and that said proof will be made before the Judge, or in his absence, the Clerk of the Superior Court at Whatcom, Wash, on Monday, June 2nd, 1890, viz: ARMEIGER H. PRATT,
Hd. App. No. 5796 for the nw¼ sec 28, tp 40 n, r 2 east.
He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon and cultivation of, said land, viz: Henry J. Pyeatt, Fredrick Schneider, Benedict Schneider, James L. Spencer, all of Ferndale, Wash.
T. M. Reed, Jr., Register.

Land Office at Seattle, Wash., April 8th, 1890.
Notice is hereby given that the following-named settler has filed notice of his intention to make final proof in support of his claim, and that said proof will be made before the Judge, or in his absence the Clerk of the Probate Court at Whatcom, Wash., on Wednesday, June 11, 1890 viz: ANDREW C. HOWE.
Hd. App. No. 5664 for the s½ sw¼ sec 28, e½ nw¼ sec 33, tp 40 n, r 3 east.
He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon and cultivation of, said land, viz: Wm. Philips, Robert Burnes, of Nooksack, Wash; S. A. Luke, Chas. Kruger, of Yager, Wash.
T. M. Reed, Jr., Register.

Land Office at Seattle, Wash., April 9, 1890.
Notice is hereby given that the following-named settler has filed notice of his intention to make final proof in support of his claim, and that said proof will be made before the Judge, or in his absence, the Clerk of the Superior Court at Whatcom, Wash, on Monday, June 2nd, 1890, viz: FREDRICK SCHNEIDER,
Hd. App. No. 6980 for the ne ¼ sec 32, tp 40 n, r 2 east.
He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon and cultivation of, said land, viz: Armeiger H. Pratt, Wm. A. Ellis, Henry J. Pyeatt, John DeWitt, all of Ferndale, Wash.
T. M. Reed, Jr., Register.

Land Office at Seattle, Wash., April 8, 1890.
Notice is hereby given that the following-named settler has filed notice of his intention to make final proof in support of his claim, and that said proof will be made before the Judge, or in his absence, the Clerk of the Probate Court at Whatcom, Wash., on Monday, June 2nd, 1890, viz: BENEDICT SCHNEIDER,
Hd. App. No. 8555 for the sw ¼ sec 28, tp 40 n, r 2 east.
He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon and cultivation of, said land, viz: Armeiger H. Pratt, Wm. A. Ellis, Henry J. Pyeatt, John DeWitt, all of Ferndale, Wash.
T. M. Reed, Jr., Register.

Land Office at Seattle, Wash., March 21, 1890.
Notice is hereby given that the following-named settler has filed notice of his intention to make final proof in support of his claim, and that said proof will be made before the Clerk of the Probate Court at Whatcom, Wash., on Monday, May 12th, 1890, viz: JOHN S. WATTS,
Pre. D. S. No. 15062 for the nw¼ nw¼ sec 12, tp 40 n, r 3 east.
He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon and cultivation of, said land, viz: Lyman Babcock, of Clear Brook, Wash.; Silas H. Bradley, Alonzo Greenwood, Frank H. Winkler, of Lynden, Wash.
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Land Office at Seattle, Wash., Feb. 4th 1890.
Notice is hereby given that the following-named settler has filed notice of his intention to make final proof in support of his claim, and that said proof will be made before the Judge, or in his absence, the Clerk of the Superior Court at whatcom, wash., on Saturday, April 5, 1890 viz: THEODORE M. ANDERSON,
hd app. 9050, for the s½ nw¼ sec 4, tp 40 n, r 3 e
He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon and cultivation of, said land, viz: O. M. Stone, Frank O'Hara, Chas. Vinup, Stephen Hilton, all of Lynden, Wash.
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