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**PACIFIC SLOPE NEWS.**

**WASHINGTON TERRITORY**

Ripe raspberries were picked from the bushes at Olympia on the 2d inst.

The new wharf, on which work has commenced at Seattle, will be 446 feet long by 60 wide.

The contract for the main work of construction on the Puyallup valley railroad has been let to Mr. Hallett; the noted builder and contractor, who will commence his part with a force of 200 men.

The vessel now on the stocks at Port Ludlow, is the 17th. She will be 140 feet in length, 13 feet deep, and over 30 in breadth. Her frames are up, and the greater part of her planking done.

The treasurer of this Territory announces that he is prepared to pay all warrants prior to 803.

The new steamer Messenger is reported to have made 25 miles in two hours and one minute.

**OREGON.**

A correspondent writing from Columbia City, under date of the 1st inst., says: A young man named Adam Metzler, who came over from Puget Sound the night before, was found dead in his bed at Mrs. Hawley's boarding house this morning. A coroner's inquest was held and the jury returned a verdict that he came to his death from bruises found on his right side, which looked as though they had been received several days before.

Burglars visited the residence of Mr. Confer, near Oswego, last week, and finding the premises deserted, the family having all gone to town, they entered and stole nearly \$3,000 in gold, which had been placed in a small carpet sack and hidden where the family considered it was safe.

Somebody sold bad coal oil to the Eola merchants, and as a consequence, explosions in that vicinity were quite numerous last week.

Wells, Fargo & Co. announce that all rewards offered by them previous to Jan. 1, for the arrest and conviction of highwaymen and other offenders are now withdrawn and declared null and void. This, however, does not refer to any rewards offered since the date mentioned.

The man who personated Santa Claus at the Christmas festivities at Stayton, Marion county, came near meeting with a serious accident: He was clad in a long mantle, with loose cotton sewed all over it to represent fur, and it caught fire, which would soon have ruined him, as well as his mantle, but for the timely services of the spectators.

Lafayette contains more organs, according to its size and population, than any other town on the Pacific coast.

**CALIFORNIA.**

The thermometer still runs up to the nineties in the middle of the day at Los Angeles, Cal.

New discoveries of silver leads have been made on the Greenhorn mountains, near the head waters of Pesco creek. About forty claims have been taken up, and the laborers have deserted the saw mills to prospect for silver. A good deal of excitement has been caused by the good prospects discovered.

The State Harbor Commissioners paid into the State Treasury \$29,990.98, rents for the December issue of wharves and docks in San Francisco.

Assays were recently made of dirt clinging to the wheels of a buggy standing in front of the bank of California, Virginia City, Nev., and it yielded \$11.68 per ton.

The Central Pacific Railroad Company have presented to the Chief Natchez and a few Plantes a section of good farming land on the Big Meadows, in Humboldt county.

**NEWS FROM ALL PARTS.**

An Elmira, N. Y., mother has 20 living children.

Prince Bismarck is to be honored with a statue at Cologne.

South Bend, Indiana, people are trying to get up a revival among their pastors.

Texas railroads are overloaded with cotton, and running behind time.

Society journals mention that bridal trips are becoming unfashionable.

The iron mines of Wyoming are proving richer than the gold mines.

The poet Whittier lives in the utmost simplicity, and expects to survive a hundred years.

The streets of San Francisco have always been remarkably free from beggars until recently.

Several Generals who bought their positions, along with a number of ex-sulters, are keeping up the yell for war.

Over one hundred murderers are running at large in this country, on bail, and yet some people say Justice is not dead.

Mrs. Belknap affects to be a society woman yet, and talks of writing a history of latter-day society circles in Washington.

Jeff Davis is becoming very withered and emaciated, and it is sincerely hoped by some that he will soon entirely dry up and blow away.

If you are tired of city business and its small profits, you might go to logging in Minnesota, where hands get \$7 a month.

In England, after the 1st of this month, it will be illegal to employ factory children less than nine years of age.

The 100th anniversary of the battle of Trenton was celebrated on a grand scale at Trenton, N. J., on December, 20th.

The Atlanta Times says an unbroken stream of emigrants to Texas and Arkansas has been for some time flowing through that city.

It cost a thrifty New Hampshire farmer \$11.60 to sell a thirty-five pound stone in a bale of hay.

A young man has been arrested at Santa Clara, Cal., for stealing \$500 and a bowie knife and pistol from a priest.

A New York firm sold \$15,000 worth of gas and fixtures to a lady last week for a private residence in California.

Silver watches seem to be unpopular in Philadelphia. Only 493 are assessed in the whole city, while the number of gold watches is 14,546.

The Grant family have had during their residence in the White House a wedding, a birth, a christening, a death—that of Mrs. Grant's father—and a funeral.

It has become known to the House judiciary committee, that important political dispatches sent during the campaign were put out of their reach by the W. U. Telegraph Co. before the meeting of the present Congress, and that if the company were willing to give them to the investigating committee it would be impossible.

Reports in the case of the admission of Belford from Colorado as member of the House, are nearly ready to come from the judiciary committee. Hurd has written a minority report taking the ground that the admission of the State is a legislative act, and that Congress cannot delegate to any other department the authority to make declaration that a State has been added to the Union. The report treats the proclamation of the President as of no lamination of the President as of no lamination, and regards the law in which he issued it as inoperative. The report is accompanied by a bill declaring that Colorado having complied with the provisions of the enabling act, is admitted into the Union as a State. Some inquiry is likely to be made as to what shall be done with Nevada, which was admitted in precisely the same manner as Colorado, and which according to Hurd's theory, is not yet a State.

The relative speed of Puget Sound steamers is now being much disputed by their several captains. The question will probably not be settled till a few human beings are speedily blown into eternity.

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How the Ancient Philosophers Lived.

It is very instructive to read of the self-denial and exemplary lives of the ancient philosophers. The youth of every age can study them with profit...

After the death of their master the scholars of Socrates separated into three different sects, distinguished by the names of Cynic, Academic and Cyrenaic.

Antisthenes was the founder of the first of these sects. Different reasons have been assigned why these philosophers were styled Cynics...

He was the son of an Athenian of the same name, his mother's name is unknown. When he was reproached with being the son of a Phrygian...

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His courage in the battle of Tanagra gained him great reputation as a soldier. This afforded Socrates small satisfaction, and when, some time after, he was told by one, as a matter of reproach, that the mother of Antisthenes was a Phrygian...

He was greatly displeased with the revilers, who are perpetually preyed upon by their ill nature, as iron is by the rust which itself produces. Were one obliged to choose, it would be more desirable, he thought, to become a raven than an envious person...

War, it was once observed to him, carries off many wretched persons. "True," he replied, "but it makes many more than it carries off."

When requested to give some idea of the Divinity, he said, "There is no being that resembles God, and therefore to attempt any sensible representation of him must be folly."

It was a maxim with him that he should respect our enemies, because they first perceive and publish our faults; and, by thus furnishing us with a hint to correct them, are in reality more serviceable to us than our friends.

A discreet friend, he said, should be valued higher than a relation, since the ties of virtue are stronger than those of blood. He observed that it was much better to form one of a few wise men against a multitude of fools, than to be leagued with a multitude of fools against a few wise men.

Prudence he compared to a fortress which can neither be stormed nor surprised; the surest way to immortalize one's name is to live piously and be content in the world.

He told the Athenians on one occasion that they ought to yoke to the plow horses animals indiscriminately. "That will not do," said one, "for the ox is in no respect adapted to the labors of the husbandman."

Antisthenes: "when you elect magistrates, do you ever pay attention to their capacity or capacity to govern? No; all you think of is to elect them."

Antisthenes was very patient; and he exhorted his scholars to suffer without emotion every possible injury. "What advantages," said one to him, "have you derived from your philosophy?"

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A Wonderful Watch.

THE "MEMENTO-MORI" THAT TOLD THE HOURS FOR MARY QUEEN OF SCOTS.

The associations connected with this relic of the beautiful and ill-starred Queen of Scots invest it with an interest at once profound and melancholy. In the evening of February 17th, 1587, the night previous to her execution at Fotheringay Castle, Mary perused her will, read over the inventory of her goods and jewels, and wrote down the names of the estates and the names of the persons to whom she had bequeathed each article.

The watch is of silver, shaped like a ball. On the forehead is a figure of Death, armed with his customary emblems, the scythe and the hour-glass. He is standing between a palace and a cottage, with one foot at each end of the dial, and the figure is the appropriate legend from Horace— "Lallens mors aequo pulsat pede pauperum tabernas regumque turres."

To BLANCH ALMONDS.—Throw them into boiling water; keep them there till the skin peels off readily with the finger of a pen-knife; strain and wash them, and pour cold upon them, that they may be handled conveniently, and not turn yellow and oily. Peel and dry them. They may be kept in this state for a long time.

To MAKE SCRAP-BOOK PASTE.—Take a tablespoonful of good wheat flour, and mix well in half a pint of water; boil to the consistency of starch for laminary use while it is boiling, drop in a piece of alum the size of a chestnut; or, take half an ounce of gum tragacanth and put in a pint of water; put in a small piece of alum, and let it simmer until the gum begins to dissolve; then add water to obtain the required consistency. The flour paste is the best.

To PACK EGGS FOR WINTER.—Strong lime water is the best of anything, but in the absence of lime, many pack their eggs small and dry, and mix with them some grease and shells with melted lard and pack in bran. A very good way, too, is to fill a colander full of eggs and pour over them a teakettleful of boiling water, then, when cool, pack in salt. The hot water slightly cooks the outside of the egg, making it air-tight. This is a favorite way with many housekeepers.

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Doors Cheating.

To prevent the cheating of doors, apply a little soap to the hinges, or take lead, soap and black lead, equal parts, and apply it to the hinges, or take lead, soap and black lead, equal parts, and apply it to the hinges.

COVERING ROOF.—A good water-proof paper for covering jars used in preserving, etc., may be made by brushing over the paper with boiled linseed oil, and suspending it over a line until dry.

CROW-CROW.—Chop together, very finely, a head of cabbage, six green peppers, six green tomatoes; add two tablespoonfuls of mustard, one tablespoonful of salt, a little cloves and allspice, and vinegar to wet it. It will keep a long time.

TO PREPARE AN EGG FOR AN INVALID.—Beat an egg until very light; add seasoning to the taste; then steam until thoroughly warmed, but not powdered. This will take about two minutes. An egg prepared this way will not distress even very sensitive stomachs.

TO DYE GLASS.—For pink, get some logwood and ammonia and boil them together in water; for red, logwood and alum; for blue, indigo; and for other colors that will dissolve. To keep the glass together, dip it in a weak solution of gum water, or put some gum water in the dye.

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ROCKET PICKLES.—One gallon of chopped cabbage; two quarts of green chopped tomatoes; six onions sliced thin; half an ounce of ground pepper; half an ounce of whole allspice; half an ounce of whole cloves; half a gallon of vinegar; one-fourth of an ounce of whole cloves; one-fourth cup of white mustard seed; one-half gill of salt; one-half pound of brown sugar.

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A Den of Thieves.

The old saying that one-half of the people in the world do not know how to live is fully illustrated by a discovery made in a tenement house in James street the other day. It is possible that many city readers of the Times do not know that James street is a passage leading from Chatham street to James street, and that it maintains an unsavory reputation, which is shared by Cherry street and the New Bowery contiguous localities. It is a region unfrequented by clean people, and a resort for the persons do not care to traverse it except in broad daylight.

To the house, No. 58 James street, kept by Miss Mary Varley, the attention of the police had been directed by sundry suspicious circumstances. It is likely that the fact that the lady in question is a sister of the late William Varley, better known as Reddy, the Blacksmith, may have been a reason for the discovery.

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Deaths from Fright.

The first king of Prussia, Frederick I., was sleeping one day in an arm-chair, when his wife, Louisa, of Mecklenburg, by a discovery fallen into a state of mental insanity, having escaped from her keepers, succeeded in making her way to the private apartments, and after wandering here in her efforts to break through James's glass door, cast herself into a man-hole in a state of furious delirium. The king, from whom her malady had been carefully concealed, was so horrified at the sight of this woman covered with blood, and clad only in some fragments, that he imagined he saw before him the "White Lady," whose apparition, according to an ancient tradition, invariably announced the death of a prince of the house of Ansbach. He was at that instant seized with a violent fever, of which he died six weeks afterwards, aged fifty-six.

The death of the Dutch painter Pentema, in the seventeenth century, was occasioned by an extraordinary circumstance. Being engaged upon a picture where he represented several dead heads, skeletons, and other objects fitted to inspire in the beholder a contempt for the amusements and vanities of the age, he, in order to have the benefit of studying these subjects from a distance, was accustomed to repair to an anatomical cabinet, which served him for a studio. One sultry day, while engaged in drawing from the melancholy relics of mortality which were arranged on the shelves of the cabinet with drowsiness, and, after several fruitless efforts to continue his work, at length succumbed to the power of sleep. He had slept but a short time when he was suddenly awoken by an earthquake. He began a search, which resulted in the discovery above mentioned. Miss Varley and her friends had shown much ingenuity in concealing their body. Secret closets, like those we read of in our low-covered rooms, were constructed in the walls, and sliding panels masked the openings of mysterious hiding-places. One of the drawers, which undoubtedly was a chromo—had been hung, and a lamp-bracket or sconce further assisted in giving an appearance of solid wall to what was really a secret closet door. The character of the discovery, however, indicates the existence of an organized and considerable business. There were axes and other hardware, a pearl-mounted opera glass, kegs of white lead ground to a paste, a quantity of snuff, tobacco, an ivory fan, silk and calash dress patterns, boots and shoes, balls of flannel, velvet ribbons, hosiery, hoop-skirts and a long inventory of articles of dress, and a quantity of hardware. The heterogeneity of this assortment and the smallness of some of the lots, suggested petty thieving and shop-lifting. It looks as if Miss Mary Varley and her associates had a decided habit of "shopping" for the sake of pilfering goods from shop-counters. Possibly some of the larger lots of goods were the fruits of some small burglary which had not made noise enough in the newspapers to be remembered now. Who was the Fagin of this den, and who the Artful Dodger, only the police can guess, and the action of the law is the only mode of keeping information and suspicion to themselves. Miss Mary Varley and her accomplices are probably hiding until the affair blows over. None of the goods covered by the police have re-claimed their property, and it is not likely that the result of this discovery will seriously alarm other similar gangs of thieves.—N. Y. Times.

A voyage on the Amazon, the great river of South America, is excessively monotonous. A vast volume of smooth, grey water, floating in a broad, low, linear-sharped islets, a dark, even forest, the shore of a boundless sea of verdure, and a cloudless sky, with occasional flecks of receding parrots, these are the emphatic features. No busy towns are seen along the banks; only here and there a palm hut or Indian village, half buried in the wilderness. No mountains break the horizon, only a few dunes the individual hills; and while many bluffs of red and yellow clay are visible, they are exceptional, the usual border being low alluvial deposits, magnificently wooded, but half the year covered with mud. The real grandeur, however, of a great river like this is derived from reflecting upon its prospective commercial importance and immense drainage. A lover of Nature, however, can never get tired of gazing at the picturesque grouping and variety of trees with their mantles of creeping plants; the wild unconquered race of vegetable giants; the dense canopy of green supported by crowded columns, branchless for 50 or 80 feet; the parasites and undergrowth struggling for life; the broad-leaved bananas and gigantic tree-ferns; the small nut-pod-bearing trees; and, above all, the hundred of species of palms, each vying with the other in beauty and grace. Through such a densely packed forest flows the Amazon, and all the grandeur of an ocean current.

PHYSIOLOGICAL EFFECTS OF QUININE.—Dr. L. Drake, of Fayetteville, Tenn., has published in the Medical and Surgical Reporter some of his experience and conclusions respecting the physiological action of quinine. He says that at least three different physiological effects can be obtained from this drug. In doses up to two grains it is a tonic; from three to five grains it is a stimulant, and from seven to ten grains or more it is a diaphoretic relaxant and calmative—a febrifuge. The amount of twenty-four grains distributed over twenty-four hours may have some anti-pyretic effect in a mild type of fever, but will prove very disagreeable to the patient, on account of cinchonism. If he has any headache it will aggravate this symptom. If this amount be given at least three doses and taken within four hours, at any time after a pyrexia has reached its height, say after 4 p. m., the toxic effect will be apparent in the relaxation and the diaphoresis; the patient will be drunk. A half pint of whisky can be taken in small doses during a day without inducing intoxication; yet, if it is all taken in the course of two or three hours the individual will be drunk, and will show strong evidence of being in this state. So with chloroform and ether. I make it a rule never to give quinine at night, to the amount of not less than 25 grains, conjoined with an opiate, and an nearly certain of getting a good diaphoretic effect, which will be apt to extend through the succeeding day. In all the pyrexia of this region I prescribe it the first visit, and frequently have the satisfaction of aborting a case of pneumonia, or making its subsequent course manageable. In the pneumonia of middle-aged, who are so liable to overwhelming congestion of the lungs, it is the sheet-anchor, given in large doses at the outset.

THERE is no more interesting spectacle than to see the effects of wit upon the different characters of men; it is to observe it expanding caution, relaxing dignity, unfreezing coldness, loosening reticent glooms of pain from melancholy, and charming even the pangs of grief. It is pleasant to observe how it penetrates through the coldness and awkwardness of society, gradually bringing men nearer together, and like the combined force of oil and wine, giving countenance; but God gives us wit, wit, and favor, and brightness, and perfume to enlighten the days of man's pilgrimage and to "charm his pained steps over the burning marble."

A NOVEL PROCEEDING.—An amusing incident occurred at the establishment of a well known London publisher. The manuscript of a novel was sent to him so hermetically sealed in a tin box that it could not be extracted without hammer. The clerks who received the box conjured up in their minds an idea that it contained dynamite, and, consequently after much perturbation, and some delay, it was opened in a dark cellar, where it has remained for several months, and where, probably, it would have continued to remain, had not the author, who lives in a remote part of the world, unexpectedly made his appearance in the British metropolis.

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FRIDAY, JANUARY 19, 1877.

**ADVERTISING RELIGION.**—An ex-Premier of Great Britain, Mr. Gladstone, lately remarked, "This machine of advertising has been used with enormous effect in certain great religious movements," and he attributes the success of Moody and Sankey while in that country, in a great measure, to the energy and pertinacity of wholesale advertising. There is no doubt that the success of these men in their work has depended largely on attracting the attention of people and bringing them together through the incitement of curiosity. No one except perhaps Mr. Barnum, the great showman, has appreciated more fully the resources of advertising, or used them with greater effect, than these revivalists. Their meetings have not only been heralded long in advance, like the coming of a great opera singer or grand show, but have been announced daily and weekly through the newspapers, by handbills on the streets, by posters and "gutter snipes," and in every way known to the art of advertising. By this process the attention of the people has been constantly aroused, their curiosity excited, and they have attended the meetings from motives of various sorts, which might have remained quiescent if not brought into action by having the character and objects of the movement brought home to the mind.

The above is cited merely as showing the tendency of the time to use the proper agencies for attracting the attention and letting the world know what you are doing, and what you have to offer for its entertainment or advantage. Those who place their candles under bushels will afford very little light for those about them. Anything done quietly in a corner is likely to benefit very few people. Success in business or in any kind of effort depending on the recognition or patronage of mankind, will be great or small according to the number reached. In these days of multiplied interests and sharp competition, those accomplish most who use most effectively the means for attracting attention to what they are doing and letting people know what they can furnish for their advantage or profit. This holds just as much in any enterprise for improving the culture, the morals or the religious character of people as for that which affects only their material interests or their amusements. Churches as well as theatres, religion as well as commerce, find their powers and facilities multiplied by judicious advertising.

**THE EASTERN IMBROGLIO.**—The latest phase of affairs between Russia and Turkey seems to render a war inevitable. The former insists on the occupation of Bulgaria, and to this Turkey cannot consent. The Czar can demand no less than this, as his subjects will not be content to accept any plan which leaves their co-religionists in the Danubian provinces subject to Turkish rule. The Sultan would risk not only his throne but his life by yielding to the demands made upon him by the Western Powers, for the Turks will not listen to any settlement which involves the humiliation of Islam at the dictation of the Gaiour. Thus the Sultan dares not yield to the pressure brought to bear upon him, and the Czar, on his part, dares not defy the will of his people.

Over 200 unemployed mechanics applied to the General Agent of the city of Brooklyn, N. Y., one day last week for temporary relief for their families, but in every instance they were tendered a pass to the almshouse.

**"THE OCEAN MAIL SERVICE."**—Under this caption the British Colonist of the 4th inst. publishes the following which we heartily endorse, particularly that portion relating to the conduct and excellence of the vessels employed:

"The regularity that marks the ocean mail service between this port and San Francisco, the speed, staunchness, cleanliness and comfort of the vessels employed, the security to life and property that is ensured by the excellent judgment and thorough knowledge of the commanders and officers, are qualities that commend the Mail Company's ships to the confidence and patronage of the traveling public. At no period in the history of this Province has the ocean mail service been so efficiently performed as now. Instead of decaying skeletons daubed thickly with paint to hide their rotteness, crawling in and out our harbors with their life-boats filled with water to 'steady the ship,' and boys on watch while perils loomed on every side, we have noble, stately steamships, officered and manned by thorough sailors and handled with a skill that renders a passage between Victoria and San Francisco a pleasure trip, lasting two and a half or three days, instead of what it used to be—a journey that few cared to take without having previously arranged their worldly affairs and bade adieu, for the last time on earth, to those they loved. . . . The trips within the past few months have been made with a regularity and speed that have won the confidence and admiration of travelers and shippers."

**BY TELEGRAPH.**

Gold in New York, 106.

Utah is asking for "admission into the Union.

Cronin is on his way home.

Commodore Vanderbilt left \$500,000 each to four of his daughters; \$300,000 each to his other four daughters; to his wife \$250,000, his mansion, furniture, plate and horses, in addition to \$500,000 settled on her when he married her. The rest of his millions goes to his son and grandsons, with the exception of some bequests to friends.

Levi P. Lucky has been nominated Secretary of Utah.

Another Russian gunboat arrived at San Francisco on the 7th inst, making six now there, with five more to come.

A telegram from San Francisco of the 7th inst. says: The drought now prevailing in California and war prospects in Europe have so stiffened the views of holders of wheat that business has come almost to a dead-lock, and ships are seeking charters elsewhere. A first-class British ship has been chartered to carry wheat to England for £2, which is unprecedented in the history of this port.

Great depression at San Diego on account of lack of rain.

The Bennett-May scandal ended in a duel at Slaughter station in the State of Delaware, on the 8th inst. May was slightly wounded and Bennett was entirely uninjured. The feud was settled after firing the first shot, and it is understood that all the parties have arrived at New York.

Packard was inaugurated Governor of Louisiana on the 8th inst, a mob collected but no serious violence took place.

The Emperor of Germany has issued an order forbidding German officers on active lists from entering the Russian army.

The extradition treaty between Spain and the United States has become a law. The treaty specifies 26 offenses for which persons accused may be extradited.

The Spanish minister at Shanghai has broken off relations with the Chinese government, and a Spanish fleet has been ordered to China.

Commodore Vanderbilt was buried at Staten Island on Sunday last. His last words were: "That is a good prayer."

The Boston Board of Trade adopted a resolution on the 5th inst, urging Congress to extend the time and charter of the N. P. R. R.

The House committee, on the 5th inst., rejected Lane's proposition for restoring to settlement Northern Pacific Railroad lands in Washington Territory, and voted to recommend the passage of the Senate bill granting eight year's additional time for the completion of the road, with only one amendment, which allows further time for location of the line through Idaho.

The appropriation for transportation of U. S. notes and securities is exhausted.

The Boston Board of Trade is taking strong grounds against the adoption of the silver bill. Their report embraces a petition that silver coin shall not be made a legal tender for sums larger than \$10.

John A. Logan has been renominated U. S. Senator by the Republicans of Illinois.

Tilden says in case of any contest he would rather appeal to ballots than to bullets. Other prominent Democrats express the same sentiment. Lamar deems a new election preferable to the inauguration of two Presidents, while Hewitt thinks that Tilden and Hendricks are elected and will be inaugurated.

The possibility of a new election next fall for President is the leading topic of talk in New York city.

A bill has passed the House making Galveston and Brownsville ports of entry; also a bill granting pensions to soldiers and sailors of the Mexican, Florida and Black Hawk wars. It allows \$8 a month to all who served 90 days in the Florida or Black Hawk wars, and to their surviving widows unmarried.

The Chicago Tribune repeats with great positiveness that an agreement is about to be reached by the Electoral Compromise Committee, by which no vote shall be rejected except with the concurrence of both Houses.

**Up-Sound.**

Court met in Steilacoom last Monday.

The docket for the January term of Court at Seattle comprises 36 civil suits, 4 equity suits, 6 criminal and 11 divorces.

Seattle issued 50 retail and 8 wholesale liquor licenses during the year 1876.

The three gentlemen owning the exclusive right of Washington Territory to make and sell the Leather's artificial stone (with the exception of Jefferson Co., purchased by Frank Winslow) are H. L. Yesler, A. C. Campbell and J. H. Thorp.

Mr. F. H. Perkins, of Lewis river, is building a floating saw mill on a raft of logs 32x48 feet.

Seattle will adopt an ordinance to prevent Victoria clothmen from landing at that city. They do not wish these vile creatures to bring any more small-pox among them.

Craig & Hastings are selling fir wood at Seattle for \$2.75, hard wood \$3.75, and bark the same.

Fourteen trips a week are made between Tacoma and Seattle.

Forty-three members were added to the lodge of Good Templars at Snohomish City in three week's time.

The Coleman sawmill during the past year has been averaging about 45,000 feet of lumber per day, and giving employment to 35 men.

**NOTICE.**

ANY person borrowing Money Weekly and Magazine from the Port Townsend Post Office will confer a favor if they will return them to the undersigned who they have done with them. RICH. STRATTON. Port Angeles, W. T., Dec. 29, 1876.

**NOTICE!**

AS I can no longer pay my way in this town without collecting my debts, and as my due, I shall request the settlement of all outstanding accounts, by whom they have been paid, on or before the 15th inst. next few weeks. Respectfully, GEORGE BARTHOLOMEW, Dec. 2, 1876.

**Barkentine Eureka.**

NEITHER CAPT. M. J. WALLACE OF THE barkentine Eureka, nor the undersigned Agents of the above named barkentine will be responsible for debts contracted by the officers or crew.

ROTHSCHILD & CO., Agents. M. J. WALLACE, Master. Port Townsend, January 9, 1877. 47

**British Bark Ella.**

NEITHER CAPTAIN WM. CHRISTIE OF THE British bark Ella, nor the undersigned Agents of the above named bark, will be responsible for debts contracted by the officers or crew.

ROTHSCHILD & CO., Agents. WM. CHRISTIE, Master. Port Townsend, Jan. 9, 1877. 48

**American Ship Washington Libby.**

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**Steam Ferry.**

The Steamer **FANNIE**, ALFRED WAITE, MASTER. I. E. A. F. FORBES, BOYBRY FOR Fanny's Landing daily. At 8 o'clock A.M. and 1 o'clock P.M. Connecting with the stage and from Port Townsend. 504

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LOCAL NEWS.

The Last Friend. Last Wednesday our town was thrown into a state of most intense excitement in consequence of the disappearance of four of our most promising young men, viz: A. B. B. ...

The next morning Mr. Rothschild chartered the steamer Goliath to search for them, but with no success after three days and steaming around, and in close proximity to vessels lying at anchor.

Minor, the Agent, and sent Dr. Proctor to the steamer Phantom, offering remuneration that might be asked for her services.

EDITOR ARDUS, please give insertion to the following in your valuable paper Mrs. S. A. Robinson, of Chilmacum Valley, was taken very ill on the 25th of December of hemorrhage of the stomach.

One of the most terrific gales that has visited this place for some years occurred on Wednesday, the 21st inst., prevailing throughout the day.

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W. H. H. LEARNED, Esq., has been appointed Postmaster for this town, vice Jas. Seavey resigned.

THE ARM OF EDWARD LILL, deceased, situated at the head of Coliced Bay, was sold at Auction on the 25th day of December, 1876, bringing the sum of \$1,200 gold coin.

JAMES JONES, at corner of Custom House, always gives a good cigar for 12 1/2 cents.

At the Meat Market of T. Jackson & Co. can always be found Beef and Mutton rolled in fat and tender as Spring chicken; while their fresh Pork would make you hungry to look at it.

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NEW TREASURER.—L. B. HESTINGS, Esq., who has been honored by the citizens of Jefferson County with repeated elections to the office of Treasurer, has gracefully turned over the keys of the first safe, with its contents, contents, books and papers, to his successor, Chas. C. Bartlett, Esq., a prominent merchant of this town.

S. I. KATZ, Esq., of the well-known mercantile house of Waterman & Katz, of this city, left for San Francisco on the 10th P. S. steamship City of Panama.

IMP. O. OF R. M.—The Red Men of Port Ludlow installed their officers on the 21st inst., as follows: Prophet, Charles Gill; ...

THE SHIP ELIDORADO, which left Seattle at noon of the 9th inst., coal laden, in tow of the tug Quib, passed this port at 6 P. M., and was towed to Duquennes.

PROCTOR SOUND TELEGRAPH COMPANY. At the meeting of the Stockholders of this company, held on the 28th inst., they were represented by 203 votes.

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NOTICE! PREPARATIONS ARE BEING MADE FOR a Manicure to be held at Port Townsend, on the 30th inst., ...

NOTICE TO CREDITORS. NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN BY THE undersigned Executor of the last will and testament of Ulrich Friend, deceased, ...

SALE OF Valuable Mill Property. BY VIRTUE OF AN ORDER ISSUED DEC. 21st 1876, by the District Court of the Third Judicial District, sitting in Bankruptcy at Seattle, I will sell at Public Auction, ...

At the same time and place: the east 1/2 of the 1/4 of sec. 2, ...

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PHANTOM EXPRESS TO WHIDBY ISLAND AND DUNGENESS UNTIL FURTHER NOTICE, the Steamer Phantom, will leave Port Townsend daily on Sundays excepted, for Whidby Island at 9 o'clock.

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Notice to the Public. I have fitted up the building adjoining the Blacksmith shop as a MEAT MARKET, where I will keep a choice selection of the best Beef, Pork and Mutton, and delivered free to any part of town.

Notice to Creditors! NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN BY the undersigned administrator of the estate of John Ward, deceased, to all persons having claims against the said deceased, to exhibit them with the necessary vouchers within one year after the first publication of this notice to the said administrator at her residence in New Dungeness, Clallam county, W. T.

Days and Seasons. Swift the ice-tree... Like the leaves, the days long vanished...

A Christmas Song. The oak in a strong and clear tone... The heart is glad when the snow falls...

The maple is supple, and lute, and strong... When the days are listless, and quiet, and long...

How I Became a Heroine.

By MISS MARY E. PARKER.

It was the first evening of my arrival at Aston Hall, to pay a long visit to my sister and her husband...

"Really, Bob, you're too bad," said Helen, at last, taking compassion on me.

"Oh, you know she can ring the alarm bell if she's frightened. It's just outside our door, Alice."

"Come, now," I replied, indignantly. "I'm not so small as that, and I'm sure you needn't talk for me."

"Well, I'm sure, I hope you'll have no occasion; but we'll change the subject, or I'm sure you won't sleep; and moreover we have to be up early on Monday."

"I'm not a bit frightened," I said, feeling at the same time I was telling a horrible untruth.

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"Well," said Helen, at last, "I think we had much better all go to bed; it's getting dreadfully late, and we shall be able to get up in the morning. Bob, get that friend of yours, and come. You know you always take about half an hour rubbing it up. Show Alice your secret den."

"Now, Alice," said Bob, mysteriously, "are you capable of keeping a secret—a real 'dead secret'?"

"Of course I am—I should think you and Helen ought to know that, for I've kept yours many a time."

"Well, then, I'll show you a specimen of my rare inventive genius. See here, now, what can beat this? I originated the idea myself, and I think it does me infinite credit."

And he touched a spring on either side of a book-case, which moved slowly back upon a well-oiled groove, disclosing nothing but the oak-paneled wall, which he now pressed. This time one of the panels moved from its place, showing a good-sized cupboard or recess in the wall, containing walls, law papers of every description, heaps of bank-notes, and

valuable plate, jewelry, etc. There were also five arms, and among them a handsome revolver, with Captain Hargrave's crest and initials upon it, which was apparently the "friend" alluded to by Helen, judging by the loving manner in which it was examined, and then placed in its case on the mantel-piece, ready to take up to bed.

"What a delightful idea," I said; "why it's quite romantic; just like what one reads in books. I declare, Bob, I shouldn't have given you credit for thinking of such a thing."

"I thought you would like it," he said. "That ungrateful girl, Helen, declares it's very insecure, and wants me to have an iron safe. Now, for my part, I like something out of the common. I had it made chiefly for the security of Helen's valuable jewelry."

"Oh, Bob, how can you tell such fibs?" interrupted Helen. "You've just declared it to be merely a whim of my own, because I like doing things in a way that no one else does."

"Well, I dare say it is; but how do you manage to keep it from the servants?"

"I never open it unless they are out of the way, and no one could possibly find it out for themselves, on account of the noise that comes from the wall, and the springs take a very hard pressure."

"So saying, Bob closed his ingenious contrivance, and every thing appeared as before. Then we said good night, Helen accompanying me to my room, to see me safe into bed, and 'tucked up.'"

"You will have Susan to sleep with you, after to-morrow, you know, Ally dear," she said, consolingly, for I had great room did I look very dreary and ghost-like, in spite of a comfortable fire, and all that was done to make it look as cheerful as possible.

"How stupid of me not to think of asking you to come, Helen accompanying me to my room, to see me safe into bed, and 'tucked up.'"

"Oh, never mind, thanks," I replied cheerfully as I could, though my spirits sank to zero at the thought of sleeping all by myself in a dark old room full of recesses, each of which looked warranted to contain a ghost.

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half wondering whether I was not under the influence of some horrible dream. My door was unlocked, and I was ready to rest by the man roughly shaking me, and telling me to get up, for they had a great deal to do, and wanted my assistance.

"The gal's a staring like a stuck pig," said he. "Now look you here, my lass, if you'll just be quiet and do as you're told, you'll get no hurt; but if you do't, why, it'll be the worse for you, t'at's all."

And the evil look that came into his eyes as he spoke left me in no doubt on that head. I made a determined struggle to be brave and composed, knowing that that was my only possible chance of escaping or raising an alarm.

"If you will leave the room while I dress," I said, "I will give you every thing of value that I possess, and so on."

"Not for Joe. I'm not quite so green as that; and as for giving us your traps, it strikes me, we're in a fair way of taking them without your permission."

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When they had finished their work of depredation, they began a bitter consultation about something. The words, "Captain's a tickish customer; keeps a revolver in his room. Four of us ought to manage one man and a woman we know the worst of it," etc., etc., were said, that they were going to break into Helen's room. Oh, could nothing be done?

"Well," said one, "I vote we gets some prog first, and a leetle of something to drink, for I'm mortal dry."

The sentiment arose in sympathetic feelings in the breasts of his comrades, and they agreed to adjourn to the cellars.

"We must make the gal safe," said one who had seemed rather more kindly disposed toward me than the others; "I'll tie her hands with a bit of this cord, and stuff a towel in her mouth, and I'll warrant she'll be safe enough for any thing."

"Tie her to the chair, then, you fool," said the captain, with an oath.

The man did as he was bid, and then they went off in search of their cellars, shutting the door, and not locking it. Now or never was my time for action. I had noticed whilst I was being tied that a barrel-shaped box for holding strings was screwed on to the wall table of Helen's, near the window. Along the top of the box was fixed a sharp blade for cutting the string. It crossed my mind that if I could manage to get free from the chair I could, on the blade, and then—

If I had allowed myself to dwell upon the result I believe I should have lost my senses, and so, fortunately, for me my hands were tied in front, and the scheme would have been fruitless; and I felt almost grateful to the friendly burglar for dealing so leniently with me.

And small as the quantity of rope was, I did the cord that bound me to the chair, and I despaired of accomplishing my object before the robbers should have finished their carouse and returned to rest. But the idea crossed me that perhaps I might drag the chair with me. It was not a heavy one, and there was just enough moonlight to enable me to cross the room without striking anything. I hurriedly found that I could not move in a sitting position, and that if I could succeed at all, it would be on my hands and knees. Slowly, and with the greatest difficulty, I contrived to drag myself to the work-table, when I raised my bound hands and rubbed the cord fiercely over the blade, regardless of the pain. Surely the idea crossed my hands. In fact, I should not have known of them but for the blood that streamed down my arms. At last they were free! But even then it was a work of force to get to my feet, and my poor, stiff, bleeding hands to sever the other bands with a penknife of Helen's. However, renewed hope gave me renewed strength, and I at length succeeded. I crept cautiously to the door and listened at the key-hole, but could hear nothing. Then I turned the handle and softly opened it, and prepared to slip out, when I was arrested, which was obliged to do very slowly for fear of betraying myself. I was half way up the stairs, and began to think fortune had favored me, when, to my intense surprise, I saw a pair of feet protruding from the door, and I fancied I heard a muttered exclamation and a footstep! I quickened my steps incautiously, and in doing so, stumbled over my trailing night-dress, and slipped down several stairs with a loud crash.

All concealment was now of course, over, and picking myself up as best I could, I flew upstairs, striking my hand against the rope attached to the alarm bell and pulled with all my strength, causing such a clamor as soon brought Captain Hargrave and a troop of servants, and saved faces to learn the cause of the alarm.

"Follow the burglars, quick, the safe!" I managed to say, and then fainted dead away in Helen's arms.

"Well, we had never dreamed that such a severe shock to my nervous system that I was not able to leave my bed for a fortnight, and, indeed, did not recover my usual health for a month. The money and a valuable brooch, which the whole of the precious contents of Bob's 'romantic' safe recovered, to my great joy. I was not so fortunate, for I lost my gold watch and chain, £20 in money and a valuable brooch, which the burglar captain took with him to America.

The fuss that was made about me, when the story became known, was almost incredible. Day after day carriages rolled up to Aston Hall, with visitors, to inquire after 'dear brave little Miss Drysdale,' and to leave flowers and fruit. I had done nothing, however, to deserve all this 'honoring,' and openly avowed what a coward I had been in reality, but it had no effect, and I found myself a heroine perforce.

Of course I named the Hunt Ball; but I did not regret it very much, when Bob informed me with a slyly significant look that he had 'invited Allen for a week's shooting.'

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Hold You: Husband & Up. A woman, writing to the Sunday South upon the subject of hard times, addresses her sisters in the following French language.

Well, what's to be done about this? Such times kill energy, hope, enterprise. Alas! you say, if I were but a man, etc. This is the case of absurd, unfeeling ambition and discontent. Try it. It is unbecoming, indelicate. Thank God, who has made you a woman; who has placed you in a sheltered position; who has interposed between you and the harsh contact of life, the softening of the dagation and strength of woman. Sit back in your cushioned home, where you need see only your own—yours by every tie of affection and blood—yours in tenderness and sympathy—where you are or may be as supreme as royalty itself, and glory in your empire. But dare not to be idle there. Your hands, if they are idle, are not made to handle silk and lace alone, nor the quick brain which throbs under your smooth brow and flashes from your dark eyes, only to be fed by romance and fiction, and not looking to a mission outside the important domestic requirements of home. Hold your husband up. Yes, even you, who so often feel that you must do so heavily upon his strength and love, hold him up. The day may come (it comes to all sooner or later) when your hands must do this work—your heart must bear its burden as well as his. The day may come when, in bitterness and disappointment, he will call himself a failure—when he believes men so call him. You know otherwise—you know him brave, patient, true and good, but not infallible. Men grow strangely weak when they doubt themselves.

Now is the time. You know him far better than do others. Let him see and feel that the family, were not court above all the rest—indorses him. Show him that you believe in him—that on this trust you rest for your little ones and yourself. Keep his heart warm with confidence and affection. Tell him boldly that with him at the helm your domestic happiness cannot be wrecked! Keep his thoughts at home. Don't let him look far out at sea—fearing storms and breakers. Tell him that you have been saved, helped, rescued by his wife's unflinching faith. "I cannot be less than she thinks me," he says, and, new-shed, he begins the man more. Here is your mission, my sister; here is your suffering. Keep the briars of this teasing world from pricking your brother's and husband's hearts at home. They can stand the thorns and spines of the world, but the little foxes that spoil the vines, and you will find a mission as noble, rights as unlimited, and as far as well pleased as any recalcitrant contentment for 'woman's sake.'

Family Receipts. 1. For repairing family jars.—Mutual love well stirred with forbearance, mixed with ready willingness, and general good temper, is an admirable cement. It is well to let all family jars be preserved on this.

2. Shoving. The temper is best kept by standing long enough, yields the heart. The heart by using abundantly the oil of grace. Treasurers, by laying them out where neither moth nor rust doth corrupt.

3. Creams.—The milk of true faith, if it stands long enough, yields the cream of assurance; if flavored with the essence of love it is a delicious dish.

4. Stews.—These are avoided by leaving our troubles with him who sees them.

5. Pickles.—These persons get into them most who meddle with other people's business, or who act on the rule of policy rather than that of truth and unswerving honesty.

6. Dressed peacock.—This is too common. It is well to abstain to be introduced into Christian families.

7. Do not cure and heart burn.—Do all you can, you can, live near to God, love your neighbor as yourself.

8. Fritters.—Novel reading, silly conversation, gossiping, ceremonial visit and late rising, soon fritter away time. Christians have not a moment to waste.

9. Tart.—Some think tart implies to be smart, but it is never so wise to let our wit wound other people's feelings, soft answers turn away wrath, but speechees lead to general sorrow.

10. Sauce.—Never to be tolerated in children; a vulgar and evil thing in any one. Generally found with some goose.

11. Grains.—Need grating with some sweater fruit. He who can do it is named in John xv.

12. Toasts.—Least likely to affect the head when drunk in water. Toast and water is far better than health drinks wine.

Lord Campbell, Lord Chancellor of England and keeper of the Great Seal, it is well known, was once of a joke, and sometimes had the tables turned upon himself. A few days before his death he met a barrister who had grown very stout, and remarked, "Why, Mr. —, you are getting fat as a porpoise."

"Fat company, my lord, for the great seal," was the ready reparte.

A SUNDAY-SCHOOL teacher was giving a lesson in Beth. She wanted to bring out the kindness of Boaz in commanding the reapers to drop large handfuls of wheat. "Now, children," she said, "Boaz did another nice thing for Beth; can you tell me what it was?" "Married her!" said one of the boys.

Merry Moments.

An Iowa judge says that a man may legally kiss his hired girl if the can wear he thought it was his wife.

"That's the only wedding trip I shall probably ever take," said an old bachelor, as he stumbled over a bride's train.

Power will intoxicate the best hearts, as wine the strongest heads. No man is wise enough or good enough to be trusted with unlimited power.

"Jemima Susan, did you get my letter?" "Yes, Dick." "I sent it in the hopes of raising a flame." "Dick, you succeeded, for it lit the gas."

A man who shows no defect is a fool or a hypocrite who should be mistrusted. There are defects so bound to the fine qualities that they announce them—defects which it is well not to correct.

Darwinian fishmonger to thrifty housewife: "Fish is dear, mum. It has a gettin' very scarce, in consequence of these 'ere squarisms."

An unusually intelligent justice of the peace in Baltimore swore a Chinaman on a tea chest the other day in default of the writings of Confucius.

A petrified trombone has been found in the ruins of Troy. It is supposed to have belonged to the Italian brass banditti or to one of the Greek trocholy delians.—N. Y. Graphic.

In Paris they are making much noise over an opera singer whose hair touched the ground whenever she unclothes it. Nothing strange about that, if she happened to be standing on the ground and didn't catch the hair as it fell.

A Preston man who called upon a musical friend last evening at supper time was warmly welcomed, they had a party and were just going to have a symphony. He said he thought he smelt it as he came over.—Norwich Bulletin.

It is not considered a subject of laughter in New Haven to see a young water locker in New Haven with a cowhide, looking after a theological student.

A subscription paper was lately circulated with the following object in view: "We subscribe and pay the amount set against our names for the purpose of paying the organist and a boy to blow the same."

"Some things," said an excited politician, "can be foreseen and foretold; and I now foresee, and will now foretell, that the day will come when our liberties will be no more. This is as certain, my fellow-citizens, and it is as sure, as that Rome founded Rome."

A liquor dealer gave verbal orders for a sign to read, "Fine Whiskies for Private Families," but was amazed to find that the painter had made it, "Private Whiskies for Fine Families."

"Speaking of bathing," says Mrs. Partington, "some can bathe with perfect impunity in Greece, as some of our land's mountains and India's coral strands; but, for my part, I prefer to have the water a little tepid."

Some sharper advertised to furnish for one dollar infallible instructions for securing the warm attentions of a pretty woman. The answer to applicants for the secret was: "Step on her train."

An old bachelor, who died recently, left a will dividing all his property equally among the young women who had refused him. "Because," said he, "to them I owe all my earthly happiness."

When a country editor, not long in harness, read in his fashion exchange that "English ladies wear full suits of chamois," he grabbed his dictionary to see if that was the right way to spell "chamois."

Manure in the barnyard properly preserved under cover is worth twice as much as that which is left exposed to the elements, its best constituents being washed away before its application to the crop.

"Is it not time that you paid me that five dollars?" said a farmer to his neighbor. "Tain't due," was the reply. "But," said the farmer, "you promised to pay when you came from New York." "Well, I ain't been," was the reply.

A politician, writing to the widow of a deceased member of the legislature, says: "I cannot tell you how pained I was to hear that your husband had gone to heaven. We were bosom friends; but now we shall never meet again."

A contemporary says: "It is all right for church choir to serenade newly-married people, but there are more appropriate hymns for such occasions than 'What Shall the Harvest be?' "Ninety-and-nine' wouldn't be just the thing, either."

When a common school teacher in Virginia found upon his examination papers the question: "How does a ship sea find its latitude and longitude?" he arose to the occasion, and promptly wrote: "It finds its longitude but not its latitude kold."

If you buy butter now in a tin and the seller smilingly observes that the pall need not be returned, for it is part of the bargain, weigh it after the butter is taken out and see how much you have made by paying forty cents a pound for tin and a heavy iron handle.

The Penalty of Catching Colds.

We venture to question the necessity of the greater part of the illness that arises from colds. Why should people have colds at all? Unlike many other diseases, it is well understood how they arise, and the conditions and causes that produce colds are continually pointed out by physicians.

They are easily pointed out and recognized, and can as easily be guarded against. All that is required is due forethought and attention—forethought and caution that extend to the condition of the atmosphere in the house, the kind of heat used for heating the rooms, the prevalence of draughts, the clothing worn at home and abroad, the precautions against sudden changes of weather, the maintenance of warm and dry feet, the protection of the lungs and other delicate or susceptible parts of the body, all of which are essentially controllable things with everyone possessing the ordinary faculties and endowed with the average share of good sense.

If it were a penal offense to catch a cold, arising from thoughtless exposure, were punished by a week's imprisonment; if getting sick because of mere incapacity to measure conditions and arrange precautions, were always followed by a legal penalty and a loss of respectability—catching cold would soon be among the "lost arts."

There is no use of having judgment to the point of not using it, or brains if we cannot employ forethought in so simple a thing as this. In nine colds out of ten, the victim has been too stupid to take advantage of former experience, too torpid to understand the nature or necessity of preventive measures, and too dull to detect the palpable circumstances out of which the cold has come.

A child learns not to fall after a fall, after two or three experiences of the kind; not to burn his fingers in the grate, after once testing the quality of hot coals and hot iron; but adults go on getting colds, from causes the same as those that affect a child, until they are almost as stupid as a child.

One other consideration regarding colds. Farmers frequently say that in their sections of country the colds freeze out. Now we suppose that if people should attempt to wear linen coats during the winter, they would freeze out also. What we mean to say is, that no grass field should be sown in late in the season. The practice included in grazing land bare to the roots of the grass, is the chief cause of its freezing out.

A reasonable aftermath should be left for winter protection, and there would be little of this freezing heard of again.—Ind. Farmer.

MILKING A DRYING COW.—Colonel S. D. Harris, in the Country Gentleman, comments on the practice of milking as in leaving a drying cow alone as soon as the milk shrinks so as not to fill the bag once a day or once in two days. He says: "The little milk which is secreted does not follow away, or will work mischief in the organs of the udder too serious to be overlooked by the careful dairyman. It is one of the processes of nature that when matter of this kind is deposited (unless in large quantity) it must be removed, or it is re-absorbed into the system, and when matter is once perfected, as in the case of milk, it is no longer congenial to the system, and if not taken away it becomes a deleterious element for reabsorption, poisoning instead of feeding the animal. Thus you will find in the udder of cows thus affected, hard lumps near the base of the teats, which are caused by the solidification of putrid milk, left there in drying up the cow the season before, and the cow will never get over it; but when these organs are once cleared up in the season of flush milk, this lump will be the nucleus of inflammation, just like a thier who is already septic in a house, ready to help another who has just been infected by him."

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Clover and Wheat.

Time and again it has been shown that wheat is almost certain to be a good crop upon land previously run to clover. Equally often has it been shown, by actual tests, also, that clover can be made a profitable crop to the farmer. When we consider that these two facts are well known, is it not a little singular that farmers will persist in taking their chances in wheat crops on land not usually fitted for wheat? Year after year this is done on land not possessing the elements required to produce wheat, but which would produce clover, which in turn would make a profitable crop, would put the soil in precise condition for a wheat crop. Why not observe these plain facts, and thus become more successful?

Dr. Weiske, of Germany, has shown by actual and repeated experiments the true value of clover as a preparatory crop on wheat land, and, indeed, for corn and other crops requiring similar elements of soil. It is in clover that a single acre of clover left open nitrogen in the soil to produce 116 bushels of wheat; phosphoric acid for 78 bushels, and potash enough for 78 bushels. These are the active and essential elements of soils for producing wheat. We urge again that it is both a useless waste of time and labor to plod along, without method or information, or without the active and intelligent disposition to yield to what is known on the subject in the production of wheat. If ever the production of wheat is increased, these well known and well-tested facts must be observed. It may be true, and is, that there are sometimes failures in wheat crops even on land so prepared. But these are clearly traceable to conditions of climate and atmosphere, or character of land, or want of drainage. Lands which are now annually producing poor crops of wheat and corn, can be made to nearly double their production by running them to clover, and at the same time the clover itself may be made a valuable crop.

One other consideration regarding clover. Farmers frequently say that in their sections of country the colds freeze out. Now we suppose that if people should attempt to wear linen coats during the winter, they would freeze out also. What we mean to say is, that no grass field should be sown in late in the season. The practice included in grazing land bare to the roots of the grass, is the chief cause of its freezing out. A reasonable aftermath should be left for winter protection, and there would be little of this freezing heard of again.—Ind. Farmer.

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TIME TABLE FOR STEAMSHIP DAKOTA.

Table with columns for ports (San Francisco to Olympia) and dates (Nov. 10, Nov. 20, Dec. 10, Dec. 20, Jan. 10, Jan. 20).

NOTE: Passengers from Portland will make the connection at Victoria with Steamer City of Panama for San Francisco. Steamers leave San Francisco and Victoria at 12 M. prompt.

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