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THE GLORY OF SUNSET. The day has been long and gloomy, Weary with mist and rain.

Is thy life, O pilgrim weary, Veiled from the cheering light? Perhaps for this is the promise Of joy with the waning light.

THE COURT IN THE WEST. Scene in the DeWaport County Court Room.

[Surroundings and characters—A small card room in the rear of a saloon, owned and conducted by a genial, good-natured individual.

THE HOTEL MYSTERY. In the latter part of April, 1873, I went to the Metropolitan hotel in New York.

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ceive this I shall have joined my dear husband. Perhaps God will be merciful to him in pity for his suffering. Good-by.

That was all. No address; no name. The papers next day recorded the death of an unknown woman at a lodging house.

She was buried from the money found on her person. At the same time the corpse of the strange man was also buried by the undertaker.

It was a sad and unsatisfactory ending to this singular mystery, in which I was unwillingly made an actor.

If any one can explain how such a thing could be I should be glad to know it. In the meantime I assure such persons as may read this that every word written in this story is actually true, as far as I am concerned, and for the rest, I believe it, though I cannot understand it.

The Disappearance of Game. Mr. Felix L. Oswald writes to the Cincinnati Enquirer: "The swift growth of our cities is not nearly as unparalyzed as the rapid disappearance of our game animals."

One hundred years ago Eastern North America was the finest game country in the world. "This valley is a hunter's paradise," says Colonel Boone in his account of the expedition to the mouth of the Kentucky River.

Our dogs started three troops of deer in less than half an hour; on the river we saw tracks of elk, bears and buffalo, and the thickets along the slope were full of turkeys and mountain pheasants.

From the cliffs above the junction our guide showed us the wigwags of the Miami. About eight miles to the northwest we could see the smokes of their campfires rising from the foot of a rocky bluff, but the hill country in the east and the great plains in the west, north and northeast resembled a boundless ocean of undulating woodlands.

Several years have passed since that time, and I had almost forgotten that I had ever written or seen anything, when about two months since the whole was brought to my mind by a strange and shocking incident.

I was walking along one of the busiest streets in New York, and it was very hot and I did not wish to get unnecessarily heated, when I became aware of an uncomfortable sensation, as if a cold hand was touching me and leading me forward.

A few steps further took me toward a lady of graceful mien and figure, who was standing by the side of a gentleman whose face and figure seemed strangely familiar to me. I caught his look, which was fixed upon me, and he drew his lips back in an attempt to smile, which was so ghastly a sight that all who saw it shuddered, and then he fell to the ground dead.

Of course everything was done that could be done to restore him, but uselessly, and the doctors said he died in a fit. I was the only other woman present, and, as such, I felt it a duty to stay by the woman, who seemed to be stricken with a palsy of death, though she did not faint or cry when she said he was dead.

I took her hand and asked her if she was able to give orders, and asked what could be done for her. She replied wearily but simply, "nothing." She would have the body taken to the undertaker's and buried from there, and then she would go home.

I turned to go and gave her my card, saying that I should be very happy to be of service, and started out; but as my eyes fell upon the face of the dead man I saw, with a shock that I fear I shall never forget, that it was the murderer of my vision, without any shadow of doubt.

The next day brought me a package by post, which was a pack of cards and a slip of paper, on which was written: "It is all over town, and the unhappy sight you were forced to witness has wrought its result. The man you saw die yesterday slew his half brother for a fancied quarrel, the pretext of a quarrel at cards being a subterfuge. As soon as my husband knew that his brother had not supplanted him in that room, and he declared there had not been a tragedy of any kind had been enacted there, he admitted that once a man had committed suicide in that room. He had been sick and was despondent, and so had taken his life."

I felt sure, then, and told him so, that that man had been murdered, and under just such circumstances as I had seen. Mr. Adams could not give the details of the position of the body of the supposed suicide.

I was then assigned to another room, and as long as I remained I saw no more of my ghostly vision. I promised Mr. Adams to say nothing about it, not that we believed in ghosts, either of us, but for the hotel's sake; and I went my way to Europe after a few days, and remained there some years. On my return I simply passed through New York and had almost forgotten the whole affair. After several years' residence in America again, and after traveling the whole length and breadth of our country twice, it is quite natural to suppose that I should have forgotten all about it. One day I was writing a very lively, sprightly letter, and feeling in particularly good spirits, when all at once I pushed aside the letter, and drawing other paper towards me wrote out a simple history of that affair, just as it was, and mailed it to the New York Sun. They took only time to verify what they could of the story

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A Catholic priest published an article referring to it, and accounting for it all by saying that he believed that the man had been murdered, and that assassin was still living, and that, as a punishment for his crime, he was obliged to enact it every night in spirit while asleep, and that it was a well-known fact that one mind had influence over another to a greater or less extent, and that his mind during its free moments had forced mine to behold the tragedy.

Some of the newspapers suggested that it was the ghost of Tammany; others declared it Bill Tweed, and some ridiculed the whole affair. An English sea captain also published his experience while occupying that room. He had been playing cards with a friend, and while at the table there came an invisible shower of apparently heavy articles down on the table, scattering the cards right and left. Another man had had peculiar but not startling experiences there.

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SATURDAY, DEC. 8, 1883.

The Forty-eighth Congress convened Monday.

We acknowledge the receipt of the initial number of the 'Coeur d'Alene Post,' a new weekly paper published at Farmington, by Benjamin K. Lund. The first copy shows unmistakable evidence of a good one at the helm. It is a live, readable sheet, and we wish neighbor Lund prosperity with his venture.

The President's annual message was read in Congress Tuesday. It is a voluminous document, which we have not as yet had time to wade through. By the Republican press it is pronounced a profound, clear and logical production. By Democrats a mediocre effort. Something queer about this difference of opinion. Eh?

JOHN C. CARLISLE, of Kentucky, was chosen Speaker of the House Tuesday. There is something odd about the fact that the most of the Congressional officers chosen by the Democrats are from Southern States. It is an indication what would come to pass if the Democrats are ever allowed to elect a President. The southern wing of the party would rule the roost, and gain by the ballot what they lost by the sword.

On the issue of November 30th, under the head of 'A Probable Mining Humbug,' the San Francisco Chronicle expresses a doubt of the genuineness of the 'Coeur d'Alene' mines. It bases its conclusions upon some wild statement that 500 miners were averaging from \$100 to \$400 per day. Now no such reports were ever written of the mines by persons having any knowledge of the country. It has been truthfully stated that those working claims have averaged from \$10 to \$30 per day, but the claims have been confined to three or four. The Chronicle says the best placers ever worked in California did not average \$20 per day to those working them. This is no reason why the new mines should not prove richer, in fact many old '99 miners state that the present mines far surpass in richness anything ever worked in California. The paper further states that the report has been put in circulation to draw people to a cold and inhospitable region in the winter by agents of the railroad. This is again a misstatement. Every paper in the upper country speaking of the mines has most plainly pointed out the reasons why men should not attempt to go into the mines at this season of the year, and advising those contemplating a trip to the new mineral fields to postpone their visit until spring. The Chronicle is a little too zealous in its efforts to throw doubt upon a district that promises to surpass in wealth any mining lands yet discovered. It is the belief of every experienced miner that has ever personally inspected the ground that the 'Coeur d'Alene' mines will yet prove a wonder to the world. They may be mistaken, but developments so far warrants them in entertaining such an opinion.

LOCAL.

It continues.

The growth of Spokane Falls during the season of 1883 has been such upon with surprise and admiration by our own people and visitors from afar, and with envy and foreboding by neighbors in the eastern part of the territory. People have wondered how long the phenomenal growth would continue, and have dated the end from month to month. But the end is pervasive. The building season if it had a beginning has no end. It continues steadily, unceasingly, one might say monotonously. Not a week, we might say consistently and truthfully, not a day passes without the addition of some new buildings. From the eastern boundary to the western limits, from the northern to the southern edges of the corporation the bright roofs of new houses glitter in the sun light. The rattle of the carpenter's hammer is music not confined to one locality, but it swells up in one continuous diapason that speaks of prosperity, ambition, energy and future greatness. The heat of summer nor the cold of winter has had no depressing influence on this steady march of improvement, and the seasons of '83 and '84 will mingle together without a break. The class of buildings added to the city are of a superior quality. While some of the poorer and cheaper kinds of houses have been erected, yet by far the greater number have been of expensive and attractive architecture, marking Spokane Falls as the liveliest, prettiest and most important city on the line of the North Pacific railroad between St. Paul and Portland. Travelers have so stated, and we are willing to take their words for it. And the end of this remarkable development is not yet. We hear of many new buildings, both private and public, that are to be built next spring and summer. Brickmakers, lumber manufacturers, mills and factories have orders away ahead. Our contractors and builders have scores of orders on their books, and the same activity and rush of the present year is to be seen repeated. Not only this, but from all parts of the Union do we learn of people, good, law-abiding, intelligent, christian men and women, who are com-

ing to Washington Territory, many with the expressed intention of settling in the Falls. This influx of population will be greater next year than all previous years, and it needs no exaggerated fancy to place our present 2,000 population as high as 4,000 at this time next year. The growth of Spokane has been steady, healthy, permanent, and in spite of all that has been said against the little city it will yet take rank with the largest towns in the territory.

Opinion.

A stranger would have been surprised at the holiday air that prevailed throughout the city Tuesday. The streets were thronged with gaily attired citizens with bright and happy faces, as though anticipating some great and unusual pleasure. As the hour for the arrival of the train approached Mayor Glover, acting as Marshal of the Day, with Hon. J. Zeigler, A. M. Cannon, Esq., Attorney General, J. Brown, Esq., as aids, led the procession to the depot. The gorgeously festooned train steamed up to the platform. A men of the twenty-four lands swelled up for work. Suddenly the noble and majestic form of the intellectual Golith stepped from the train, one hand grasped closely around him the purple toga to shield the ardent eyes from the rays of the sun, the other hand grasped the hand of the Mayor, in a husky and broken voice, said:

"Most reverend and noble selenator, on behalf of your constituency, (whom you wouldn't go back on for a dollar and a half), and the loyal citizens of Spokane Falls, I most heartily welcome you to this city. They look with a seven story pride upon your record in the Legislative halls, (2-9). We recognize the student labor that you have accomplished (working against the expressed wishes of the people), and we hope your ponderous brain will speedily recuperate. A Fish at Carney has just ordered a whale. We praise your wonderful and tenacious veracity, and point to the many people who waited upon you at the time of the building of the city to work against the division of the county. (These supplicants were behind the empty line (arr.) and gracious sir, our services are at your command, and when you desire once more to allow the sun of your greatness to shine in a high place, our votes, will to a man, be at your disposal. (For the other fellow.) Extending to you the hospitality of this city, Laguna, Welcoming you to a home. With a sigh as if he had breath the stationer mounted a dilapidated trunk, and in a voice betokening a great deal of confidence replied:

"Mr. Mayor, ladies and fellow-citizens: I can hardly find words to express my appreciation of the great honor thrust upon me. I feel that I am all in a heap. This is too much, too much. I do not deserve this spontaneous welcome. I am too full for utterance. Thanks, my friends, many thanks."

After shaking hands until Dr. Whitehouse had to be called in to get the 48-lb. shoulder, the great man was carried to the hotel on the shoulders of two shrewy spectators. There a grand banquet given in the evening, at which many influential citizens were present.

CITY COUNCIL.

The regular monthly meeting of the City Council was held Monday evening, Dec. 3, 1883. Present Mayor Jos. H. Glover, Pres. J. G. Gandy, Councilmen A. M. Cannon, F. DeBor, W. C. Gray, B. F. Burch, J. M. Crimmer, and J. M. Crimmer, F. Frederick. Minutes of last meeting were read and approved.

A proposition was presented by Henry S. Jackson, of Philadelphia, Henry L. Moody, of Portland, and Israel C. Townsend, of this city, to construct and maintain and operate gas works in the city of Spokane Falls.

This proposal was discussed at considerable length. On the 21st of August an ordinance was passed by the Council granting M. G. Elmore and associates the right to lay gas pipes in this city, to maintain the same for twenty-five years, and giving them the use of the streets for the purpose of work. As nothing had been heard from Mr. Elmore the Council did not know whether he had given up the project or not. It was decided that it would not be right to accept a second proposition by appealing the ordinance until Mr. Elmore could be heard from.

Mr. Cannon moved that the Clerk be instructed to correspond with Mr. Elmore and ascertain whether he intended to accept the offer of the Board. Carried.

A petition from citizens on Riverside avenue asking for the establishment of a grade so that the street would be fixed this winter was presented by Chas. Webster, who supplemented the document by stating that the residents were perfectly willing to do the work if the grade was once fixed.

Dr. Burch moved that the petition be granted. Carried. A communication was read from W. T. Stoll presenting his resignation as City Attorney.

On motion of Mr. Cannon the resignation was accepted. Marshal Hyde presented his report of road moneys received and expended.

On motion of Dr. Burch the report was referred to the Finance Committee. Mr. Cannon moved that the committee on Streets and Alleys be authorized to order the putting down of street crossings wherever needed. Carried.

Mr. Gray stated that the citizens living on east Main street were desirous of having a sidewalk laid on that thoroughfare. There was a great many complaints of the obstructions in front of a blacksmith shop.

The matter was referred to the Board for adjustment. The following bills were read and allowed: Col. G. B. Bradshaw, for drawing up charter, bill \$200, allowed \$100; bill of Pound & Co., hauling off dead animal \$5.00, allowed \$2.50; W. T. Stoll, salary \$37.50; Andy Cannon, removing arches, \$1.50; McDonald & Pound, hauling, \$10.75; H. L. Post, hauling \$5.00; Wm. Smith, labor \$11.00; W. W. Milroy, nursing Indian, bill \$31.50, allowed \$5.00; Glover & Gilliam, teams, \$41.50; A. M. Cannon, lumber, \$14.75; E. M. Dillun, printing \$75.00; Wicketon Bros. hardware, \$2.85; Wicketon Tatt, bill \$11.25, allowed \$30.00; Ewell Bros. \$20.00; C. R. Peckles, \$2.00; Jas. E. Ives, \$1.00; W. A. Joy, labor, \$1.00; I. T. Benham, labor, \$9.00; I. T. Benham, work on front street, \$65.00, laid on the table.

Most of these bills were made in preparing for the reception of the Willard party. Mr. Cannon moved that propositions from individuals and companies desiring to secure the franchise for putting water and gas works in the city should be received and acted upon at the regular meeting of January, 1884. Carried.

Important Improvements.

It is now perfectly safe for us to state that by the middle of next summer, or a little later, the people of the city of Spokane Falls will enjoy two great metropolitan conveniences, the want of which have been and are now greatly felt. We have reference to public gas and water. The growth of the city has made during the past twelve months, and the increase promised during the next summer fully justifies capitalists in taking hold of and putting in money into these projects. Gas we might worry along a year or two without, but water is a necessity that must be supplied. There is not a city in the Union where it is so hard to procure an abundance of water for domestic purposes, and the supply for public use, excepting directly on the river bank, is confined to one solitary well. This condition of affairs cannot exist much longer. Even now the entire city stands jeopardized to the flames, and people live in dread of a visitation from that element. If the city, through the interposition of providence, can escape from reconflagration this winter, much of the danger will be averted by the introduction of water works in the spring. That we are justified in predicting the addition of gas and water, and that it is no mere wish to increase the importance of the Falls in the eyes of the outside world, needs only reference to the proceedings of late meetings of the City Council. Before that august body have been presented two propositions to introduce gas into the city by men who have the means and disposition to carry out the project, and three petitions asking for the privilege of laying pipes and maintaining water works. They are bona fide offers, too, as the petitioners voluntarily offer to enter into bonds to do the work. So far no definite action has been taken by the Council, but not because the members are not awake to the importance of these great necessities. The new charter submitted to the Legislature has been accepted, and with the first of the new year the Council will work under its provisions. On the evening of the first Monday in January the City Council will consider all the propositions presented for franchises, and then there will award to the parties presenting the fairest offers the right and privilege of going on with the good work.

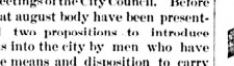
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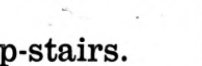
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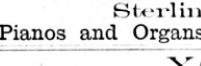
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SCRAPINGS.

December 8th. Xmas gifts at City Drug Store. Christmas presents at Heath's.

Exciting items are a little grand this week. About time to figure on Christmas festivities.

For your winter boots and shoes go to H. Blacklock. Professional troops have given the city the go by for a fortnight.

Targeteers are building a rectory adjoining the Episcopal church. Look for your holiday purchases at J. Heath's Postoffice Book Store.

Arrived this week, at Scheldine Bros., Carpets, Wall Paper, Oil cloths. The side of the hill south of town is dotted over with new buildings.

The late snow and rain did not boom the river any. The water is still low. Another two-story frame building is going up south of the railroad warehouses.

L. W. Forrest will take possession of his new block until the first of the year. Van Dorn & Joy commenced work on their new skating rink and laid this week.

We learn that the moose are giving some of the people around Colville a benediction this week. A dash of snow Wednesday indicated that old winter is still looting about the city.

Arrived this week, at Scheldine Bros., more goods of every description than ever before. Christmas trinkets commenced peeping out in the windows of most of the stores laid out in several months.

The ladies of the M. E. Church cleared about \$100 by their Thanksgiving dinner and concert. An election of directors of the First National Bank is called for the 8th day of January, 1884.

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A bright observer gives our readers a sketch of a frontier court scene on the outside of this issue. The first regular meeting of the City Board of Health was held Monday evening.

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G. W. Hendrix & Co. have purchased the A. H. Hawk saloon on Howard street and intend to remodel it. One of the most complete stocks of books ever received in this city can be found at Heath's Postoffice Book Store.

I. F. Stone is kept trotting around filling orders for lumber. There is a heavy rain looking for it. John Magly, of Lodi, Cal., has our thanks for copies of the Haverock, one of the best publications in that state.

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Sheppard & Marston, the new grocery firm, are making a fine display of stock of Union Block. They bring their stock from Cheney, and from the stocks of boxes we would judge it to be a large one.

We have been given an opportunity to examine the map of the new town site of Okanogan. The plot was laid out on Monday, Dec. 3, 1883. The outlines promise a very pretty county seat for Douglas county.

A doll's kettledrum or fete, an unique entertainment of recent date in the east and south, is to be given in a short time by the ladies of the What-so-Ever Society. The novelty of the thing will make it a success.

Jos. Murray and Denis Sullivan are finishing the late plaster work on the Union Block yet to be done. The boys have proven by the character of their work that they have the equal anywhere and no superior on the coast.

Sunday was so pleasant that scores of people were pronounced about the environs of the city. But we do not claim that this is the style of the weather all winter. Yes, quite chilly.

The gentleman who came into the office last Saturday evening and ordered a copy of the Ray's Directory, with a complimentary, forgot to leave the address, or he forgot to take it with him. We have the mistake rectified.

Our announcement last week of the ladies' day evening, was dictated by the receipt having charge of the first effort, but upon further reflection, we do not see that we have the musical did not take place.

A gentleman named T. V. Brown has put up a new building on the same block next week. M. H. Whitehouse, the Howard street contractor, will occupy a portion of the same room.

Cheney gave Sittel a banquet and a brass band reception Monday night. It made the old man feel better than Billy-Goat the goat. Our neighbors are in the service position of "bending the right angles of the knee where their will follow."

Messrs. Adams, Mann & Co., notwithstanding the assertion of the Okanogan correspondent, are not yet ready to accept the title to the townsite of Okanogan and will be prepared to sell lots therein as soon as they can complete the survey thereof.

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T. Turk & Marvin, who are quietly pushing along at their large manufacturing establishment near the millrace, are not saying much just now. They are busy with some of the best work ever done west of the mountains. A few slugs that cannot be excused for beauty or durability.

H. J. Brown informs us that it is his intention to reopen his merchandising business in the Glover block sometime this winter. He will have a large stock of groceries and miscellaneous goods and his next venture will be exclusively for the stock and other fixtures.

It will be seen by our another correspondent that J. Hoover, Esq., has opened a law office in the Union Block. He is a graduate in the law field and should find no difficulty in getting up a practice. He comes to our city from Lewiston, Idaho, where he has been engaged in legal business for some time.

E. Knipe, the tin and stove dealer who has been occupying a portion of West-ward street, has moved to the corner of M. H. street and Riverside avenue. He has moved into the east store in Central Block. He has a large stock of goods, and his handsome new building is a fine specimen of modern architecture.

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