

# The Spokan Times.

Devoted Particularly to the Best Interests of those who dwell in this New and Beautiful Country.

SPOKAN FALLS, W. T., SATURDAY, SEPT. 18, 1880.

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Depart, Sunday, Wednesday and Friday, at 5 A. M.

## Professional Cards.

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We are now prepared to do a General Banking Business in  
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and make a specialty of buying and selling Exchange, and collecting.

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We also place Insurance in the best companies on the coast.

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**CLEARING OUT  
SALE!**  
300,000 FEET OF LUMBER  
—AT—  
**Lewis' Mill**  
On Coeur d'Alene reservation, 8 miles from Farmington.  
House Bills, one-fourth clear, \$10 per M.  
150,000 SHINGLES  
At \$3 per 1,000.  
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This delightfully located HOTEL is situated at Medical Lake, Spokane county, W. T., about 12 miles from Spokane Falls. This celebrated lake of medicinal waters combines with its curative properties the advantages of location in one of the healthiest climates in the world.  
Ample accommodations for Families or Parties. Every attention given to the comfort and pleasure of guests. Charges reasonable.

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—AND—  
**Wagon Shop**  
GRAY & SCOTT, Blacksmiths.  
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Blacksmithing, Horse Shoeing and Wagon repairing done on the shortest notice, in the best manner, and at the most reasonable rates.  
CALL AND SEE US.  
Shop on corner Howard and South sts.

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Stages leave Colfax Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday mornings, and leave Spokane Falls on Sunday, Wednesday and Friday mornings, at 5 o'clock. Fare each way, \$7.00. Through trip made each day.  
Passengers will be sent through between Colfax and Spokane Falls on any day, if application is made at the stage office on the previous evening.

**NORTH PACIFIC STAGE CO.,**  
Leaves Spokane Falls Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays, at 5 o'clock A. M.  
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SHORTEST ROUTE TO SPOKAN FALLS.  
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## Topographical Features of this Country.

From the Weekly Ledger.  
The average contour of its surface is that of a gradual sloping rise, imperceptibly to the naked eye at whatever eminence it may be viewed, from the Columbia river eastward to the foothills of the mountains in Idaho, having the general appearance of a vast plain devoid of timber and cut up with coulees. This appears from the courses of water-flow and also from the elevations at different points on the line of the Northern Pacific railroad. At Ainsworth, where the line begins, the elevation is 450 feet above the level of the sea; thirty miles out the elevation is 690 feet; at fifty miles it is 1,130 feet; at seventy miles, 1,427 feet; at ninety miles, 1,892; at one hundred and eleven, 2,050; at one hundred and ninety miles from Ainsworth the elevation is 2,440 feet, showing a rise in that distance of 1,990 feet, or 10 to the mile. This great expanse of country has a light colored soil, and is covered with bunch grass. From a bird's-eye view, the whole of Eastern Washington would appear to be a level, treeless plain, prominently marked by a number of tortuous lines, each resembling the course of a river. Some of them are actually rivers—the Yakima collecting the waters of numerous streams in the Cascades to the west, the Snake, south of the railroad, flowing from the east and emptying forth, in huge volume and with torrent-like speed, the melted snows by which it is fed from the mountains of Idaho, both reaching the Columbia from opposite directions and at points but a few miles distant and near the Oregon boundary line. One of these lines is Okan creek, north of the railroad, one of the longest of the class called creeks, and like the Snake river flowing to the west, a clear, ice-cold stream a dozen yards wide, ever-peopled with trout, meandering where once flowed a river of conjectural antiquity, between whose high and widely separated walls of basaltic rock lie wealth of grass and grain soil eager for the plucking; others still are the dry channels of old-time water courses, bearing traces of a nobility in their prime as grand as that of the Columbia to-day. Several of these dry water courses, called coulees, are quite wide and deep, and in places have perpendicular walls of basaltic rock, bearing marks of the action of swift water currents. For the greater part, however, these banks are less precipitous and are of successive terraces, rising to high table lands at the general level on either side, and well covered with soil and bunch grass. This country has been commonly referred to as a rolling prairie, which is an inadequate description, conveying an erroneous idea of the character of its surface. It is more than a rolling prairie. Several distinct classes are apparent. Some of it consists of numerous hills which, although well rounded, covered with soil, and bearing grass of thick growth extending quite over tops, sides and into the very bottoms of their dividing ravines are yet so steep in many instances that teams cannot safely descend them in a straight course. Such lands might properly be named hilly prairie, and they lie chiefly on either side of and near the coulees. Further back from the coulees is found the rolling prairie country, and still further away and higher, table land in extensive areas more nearly approaching the character of level than rolling prairies. In short, aside from occasional broad sketches of the table lands referred to, perhaps in some instances comprising areas of several hundred square miles, the country is cut up in all directions by rockless ravines, determining the rolling and hilly character of

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It appears that the climate of Eastern Washington is rarely severe either in winter or summer. Here, unlike the coast, the four seasons are more pronounced—spring, summer, autumn and winter being well sustained divisions of the year. As between Washington City, in latitude 38 degrees, and Walla Walla, in latitude 46 degrees, there is a difference of 480 miles, and yet the temperature for the whole of Eastern Washington, from the Oregon boundary to British Columbia, is for the summer about 70 degrees and for the winter about 35 degrees. Throughout this entire district of country, the mornings, evenings and nights of the summer months are cool enough to require blankets or other heavy cover in sleeping, though the heat at mid-day is sometimes oppressive, and yet never so severe and oppressive as in the San Joaquin and Sacramento valleys, or in the region of San Bernardino. The comfortable temperature of Walla Walla valley during the autumn months, is alone enough to render the valley noted. Frost comes early, but for a long time it does only moderate execution, and that at night, and is undone and dispelled before noon of the bright warm day that follows. Though winter sets in early, the rule is that the holidays are reached and passed ere snow falls, and even when it does fall it is rarely permitted to remain long on the ground, owing to a somewhat noteworthy feature of the climate, which is an occasional warm breeze from the ocean, that, following up the channel of the Columbia river a distance of several hundred miles, speedily melts every vestige of snow.

In January last reports were telegraphed all over the country of extremely cold weather and heavy snows in Washington Territory, the snow at Seattle and other places on Puget Sound reaching in that month a depth of several feet—a thing unknown before, even to the oldest Indian, and reckoning from past experience, not likely to occur again for a century, for the winters of Western Washington are as mild as those of California. In consequence of these telegraphic reports, and of the failure to recognize the wide distinction between the two regions that should be kept in view, the mistake was very common of assuming that such reports applied to the country east of the mountains as well as to that west of them, and that Eastern Washington also was covered with snow to a depth of several feet. But such was far from being true, as is evidenced by the fact that the work of grading for the Northern Pacific railroad, Pen d'Oreille division, continued without suspension all winter.

Mr. J. B. Harris, who is well known in California and to railroad men generally throughout the United States, as the superintendent of construction in the building of the Southern Pacific railroad, and who occupies a similar position on the division named of the Northern Pacific road, which traverses the better part of Eastern Washington, made this statement to the writer respecting the weather there last winter: "Although last winter up here was said to be colder than any in the memory of the oldest inhabitant, yet it was so much

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better than I had been led to expect that I was surprised. I came here from a warm country and expected hard weather. But the clothing I wear to-day, with the thermometer at 24 degrees, is the same that I wore all winter, with, of course, an overcoat for unusually cold days, which were rare. I did not suffer from cold on any occasion, though I was continually exposed riding horse-back, about on my feet a great deal and sleeping in a canvas tent. The weather during October and November was mild and pleasant, the thermometer all through these two months not varying much from 80 degrees with a few light showers. There was cold weather until December 20th, when three inches of snow fell all over the region and remained on the ground about ten days, when one of the 'chinook' winds came and melted it all off. This wind began blowing December 20th and there was a very sudden change of temperature from cold to warm. During January and until about the 6th of February the weather was very pleasant, just as good to work in as could be wished for, the thermometer ranging below the freezing point at night, and above during the daytime. From the 9th to the 20th of February five inches of snow fell, when another 'chinook' wind came and quickly melted it away. This last was the coldest snap we had and yet the work of grading was never suspended for even an hour all winter, and none of the men suffered or made any complaint, on account of cold weather. I find that the temperature is very even over this entire country. I remember one day in particular, December 28, when I received a letter from Chief Engineer McCartney at Ainsworth, and also one written on the same day from Lake Colville, on the line of the road, 100 miles apart, and each letter gave the thermometer indications of the place from which it was sent. I was at camp, about midway between these two points. Mr. McCartney's letter stated that the thermometer at Ainsworth stood at zero; at my camp, fifty miles northeast, it was six degrees below zero, and at Lake Colville, as the letter from there informed me, the temperature was twelve degrees below, showing for each fifty miles a difference of only six degrees. Frequently I had letters from Ainsworth and Spokane Falls, 149 miles apart, written at the same time and showing but little variations in the temperature of the two places. I have heard some talk about the alleged high and strong winds of this locality. I noticed that in the fall, October, there was heavy blowing at Ainsworth, but eight or ten miles this side very little. There is more wind in the San Joaquin and Sacramento valleys than there is here. I have built railroads the length of both of those valleys and suffered as much, if not more, from winds there than here." This is testimony from the best kind of source, and it does not conflict with that of other good and reliable men who have resided for years in Eastern Washington, among whom Mr. Wm. Bigham is referred to as being from his experience and intelligence especially competent to speak on the subject. He is one of the largest stock raisers in the Territory east of the mountains, residing on Crab Creek, near Sylvan lake. His statement was as follows: "The winter of 1878-9 was the coldest known in this country and the coldest day was 7 degrees below zero. Where stock winters without feed other than grazing on wild grass, a practical man ought to know better than from anything else you could tell him that the winters are not severe. This is undoubtedly the best country for cattle in the United States, not even excepting Texas."

## Religious.

The several denominations (Congregational, Methodist, Presbyterian, Episcopal, &c.) are here represented, and services are held on alternate Sabbaths.  
Catholics hold school at 2 o'clock every Sabbath afternoon. You are cordially invited to attend.

## Stevens County.

Probate Judge, Francis Wolff.  
Auditor, S. F. Sherwood.  
Sheriff, J. U. Hofstetter.  
Treasurer, Max Well.  
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Practical Watchmaker and Jeweler;  
DEALER IN  
Watches, Clocks, Jewelry and Spectacles.  
SPOKAN FALLS, W. T.  
Perform all my work, and suit my customers.

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LOUIS ZIEGLER & SON,  
Desire to inform the citizens of Spokane Falls and vicinity, that they have opened a Hardware, Stove and Tin Store, and will have on hand every thing at lowest possible prices. Call and examine our stock and prices before you buy your outfit.

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I make repairing a specialty.  
Horseshoeing done on short notice.  
Shop on corner Main and Stevens sts.

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—AT—  
Rockford, Spokan Co.,  
Farnsworth Worley & Co., Prop'rs.  
We are now prepared to furnish the best qualities of Lumber.  
All kinds of Building Lumber and Fire-wood constantly on hand.  
Besse Bill Lumber, for cash, only \$10 per 1,000 feet.

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College, scientific, normal and commercial courses, also additions to the Faculty.  
Climate invigorating—no malaria.  
The University Year consists of 3 sessions, beginning on the first Wednesday of September, December and March. The leading house is in charge of Mr. D. B. Farnsworth, A. M., President, Seattle.

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Homestead, Preemption and other filings made. Homestead and final pre-emption proofs taken. Weekly corrected maps of the various townships; special attention paid to contested land cases before the local and general land offices, and the sale of real estate on commission. Office over post office.

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Mrs. J. WISCOMBE,  
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The men who wear the heaviest beards, and the boys just raising down, declare that Wentz is the best of barbers in town.  
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Spokane Falls.

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From Spokane Falls, July 14, eleven head of work oxen, branded with single O on left hip. Any one giving information leading to the recovery of the same will be paid \$10. Address, OSCAR HIXSON.

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REPUBLICAN TICKET.

For Delegate to Congress, THOS. H. BRENTS. For Councilman—Counties of Spokan and Yakima: J. M. GRADEN. For Representative—Counties of Spokan and Stevens: JAMES O'NEIL. For Prosecuting Attorney—Counties of Spokan and Stevens: S. C. HYDE. For Probate Judge: A. A. SMITH. For Auditor: J. M. NGELER. For Sheriff: M. O. MCCOY. For Commissioners: R. M. BACON, J. J. PIPER and JOHN ROBERTS. For Treasurer: A. M. CANNON. For Superintendent of Schools: A. J. STEVENS. For Surgeon: JERRY ROCKHOLD. For Coroner: DR. L. P. WATERHOUSE.

The Territorial Convention.

The delegates to the convention convened at Vancouver on the 8th instant. At 11 o'clock, the meeting was called to order, at Brown's Hall, by Hon. Francis Tarbell, of Olympia, chairman of the central committee, who said: "As chairman of the territorial central committee, it is my duty to call this convention to order, and it is at the same time a pleasure. I hope that any little differences between you will be amicably settled, and that after your work here is done you will return home and give undivided, hearty support to the whole ticket."

Gov. E. P. Ferry, on motion of Alex. Reed, of Walla Walla, was chosen temporary chairman. On taking the chair Gov. Ferry said: "I thank you sincerely for the honor of being called to preside only temporarily over your deliberations. We have assembled at a very auspicious period, politically not only in the history of this Territory, but of the nation. I think I can safely say from the feeling prevailing here, that the nominees of this convention will receive as large, if not indeed larger majorities than were ever before given to Republican candidates in the Territory. If we look abroad and note the signs of the times we see a remarkable state of unity, and a degree of enthusiasm in the Republican party seldom witnessed. The signs are bright that there is a determined effort on the part of the Republican party to keep the control of the government where it rightly belongs and to prevent its passing into Democratic rebel control. [Applause.] Let me predict that shortly after the second day of November next we shall all meet in our respective homes and have a glorification over the election of every man nominated by this convention, and of Garfield and Arthur. [Applause.]"

R. G. O'Brien, of Thurston, was chosen temporary secretary and C. W. Young, of King, assistant secretary. Following committees were appointed: Credentials—General J. W. Sprague, of Pierce, Kirk C. Ward, of King, Judge R. O. Dunbar, of Klickitat, Wm. Vawter of Walla Walla, C. M. Bradshaw of Jefferson, L. E. Kellogg of Whitman, and Otto Ranke of Thurston. Permanent organization and order of business—J. M. Welch of Walla Walla, W. C. Potter of Columbia, Col. E. May of San Juan, Capt. Geo. D. Hill of King, J. S. Conner of Whatcom. Platform and resolutions—Alex. Reed of Walla Walla, Stephen Hovey of Kitsap, J. H. Hall of Pierce, Dr. J. S. Herndon of Lewis, and J. W. Hambleton of Yakima. Adjourned till 1 P. M.

AFTERNOON SESSION.

The convention reassembled at 1 o'clock, but as the committee on credentials were not ready to report, a recess of an hour was taken. At 2 o'clock the committee was still in session, hearing arguments by N. H. Bloomfield and J. W. Smallwood, candidates for prosecuting attorney, concerning the admission of Clarke county delegates, two sets having presented claims for admission. At 3:15 the committee submitted the following report: The committee on credentials to whom was referred the duty of examining the credentials of persons accredited as delegates to this convention, beg leave to submit the following report: Chelalis—J. H. Brewer and D. J. Gaddis, by J. H. Brewer, proxy. Clallam—John Morris 2 votes. Columbia—W. C. Potter by W. C. Frary, proxy; R. G. Newlin, W. W. Sherry, J. M. Gale, L. R. Hawley, D. B. Pettijohn, all by W. C. Potter, proxy. Cowlitz—R. C. Smith, W. H. Peter, Joseph Smith. Jefferson—Thomas T. Miner, R. J. Attridge, C. M. Bradshaw. Island—John Alexander, John T. Sewell, by John Alexander, proxy. King—S. Baxter, W. A. Jennings, G. W. Tibbets, C. W. Young, Geo. D. Hill, Irving Ballard, Kirk C. Ward, D. L. McGown, G. A. Weed by K. C. Ward proxy, and W. H. Humphrey by Irving Ballard proxy. Klickitat—R. O. Dunbar, H. Colwell, S. W. Gardner, W. L. Ames and N. Whitney. Kitsap—S. W. Hovey, Chas. E. Stevens, Nelson McCullum by S. W. Hovey, proxy, Geo. Leveny by John S. Libby proxy. Lewis—H. C. Shorey, T. B. Mitchell, S. J. Herndon. Mason—John Campbell by R. G. O'Brien proxy. Pacific—C. A. Reed, John Brown 2 votes. Pierce—John W. Sprague, Wm. Lyle, John W. Hall, John Saltar, Geo. E. Atkinson, by A. Walters proxy. San Juan—Enoch May by F. Tarbell proxy, Westly Warren by Enoch May proxy. Snohomish—Isaac Cathcart, H. A. Gregory, A. B. Iverson. Thurston—E. P. Ferry, Otto Rank, John R. Hay, Samuel G. Ward, F. R. Brown by Thomas Heacock proxy. Skamania—H. A. Levens. Spokan—Wm. Spangle. Stevens—Geo. S. Brittain, O. F. Sherwood, Henry Wellington by Wm. Vawter proxy. Waukiakum—J. G. Megler. Walla Walla—Robt. McCauley, Jas. M. Welch 3 votes, Wm. Vawter 2 votes, John Dovell, B. F. Stone by Alex. Reed proxy. Whatcom—G. V. Calhoun, J. S. Conner 2 votes, A. W. Eagle 2 votes. Whitman—H. F. Spaulding, L. E. Kellogg 4 votes, T. J. Smith by H. F. Spaulding proxy. Yakima—J. W. Hambleton, by L. H. Adkins proxy, L. H. Adkins, C. K. Taft. The report was adopted. Nominations for delegate to congress being the next order of business, Hathaway, of Clarke, presented Hon. John B. Allen, of Thurston. Welch, of Walla Walla, presented Hon. Thomas H. Brents. Ballard, of King, presented Dr. Thomas T. Miner, of Jefferson. Allen, in a short speech withdrew, giving as his reason that Brents came into the convention with the solid vote of Eastern Washington, under which circumstance he had promised not to be an opponent. The ballot resulted: Brents, 62; Miner, 28. Dr. Miner in a splendid speech, promised his best efforts to secure the election of Mr. Brents, and moved to make the nomination unanimous. He and Byron Daniels were appointed a committee to inform Mr. Brents of the action of the convention. The nominee was escorted by them to the platform amid loud applause, and after returning thanks, pledged faithful work to secure victory for the Republican party in November, and if elected to labor conscientiously for the best interests of the whole Territory. The following additional nominations were made: Brigadier-General—G. W. Tibbets, of King. Adj. Gen.—K. M. Hathaway, of Clarke. Q. M. Gen.—R. G. O'Brien, of Thurston. Com. Gen.—A. K. Bush, of Pacific. Adjourned till 7 o'clock. EVENING SESSION. The convention reassembled in the evening and was called to order at 7:50. Hall, of Pierce, secretary of the

committee, read the following resolutions.

To the Republican Territorial Convention assembled at Vancouver: Your committee on resolutions beg leave to submit the following resolutions and would respectfully recommend their adoption: Resolved, That we unanimously adopt the declaration of principles as embraced in the Chicago platform of the national republican party. Resolved, That we heartily endorse the present administration of the general government and that we believe that posterity will award to it the honor of being one of the purest in the history of our country. [Loud applause.] Resolved, That we favor the early admission of our Territory into the sisterhood of states, and our delegate is hereby instructed to use all proper means to secure the same. [Applause.] Resolved, That we regard the unrestricted immigration of the Chinese into this United States as a very grave evil which should receive the prompt attention of congress and the treaty making powers of the United States and we favor the speedy modification of our present treaty with China in order that the said immigration, which works so peculiar a hardship to the people of this coast, may be restrained and limited. Resolved, That the opening of our rivers and the removal of obstructions to navigation is not only local but national importance, and our delegate should endeavor to secure liberal congressional appropriations to aid and encourage the same. [Applause.] Resolved, That we favor the abandonment of our present Indian policy, believing that "whiles do much more abound" and we ask such legislation as will place them on the same footing as other citizens secure them in the enjoyment of the same rights and privileges only, and make them amenable to the same laws. [Applause.] That we deprecate the colonization of Indians from abroad within the limits of the territory, and heartily approve the efforts of our delegate in endeavoring to prevent the same. Resolved, That we hereby endorse the administration of E. P. Ferry as governor of this territory during the past eight years for his wisdom and economy in the management of public affairs. A territorial central committee having one member from each council district, was then chosen by the respective delegations, as follows: A. Walters of Pierce, S. Baxter of King, W. L. Stabler of Yakima, R. D. Attridge of Kitsap, S. G. Ward of Thurston, W. C. Potter of Columbia, H. H. Spaulding of Whitman, W. Vawter and J. M. Welch of Walla Walla, G. V. Calhoun of Whatcom, R. O. Dunbar of Klickitat, and R. S. Whipple of Clarke. The following district nominations were made: Board of Equalization—First district, T. C. Frary, of Columbia; second district, C. A. Reed, of Pacific; third district, C. W. Young, of King. Prosecuting Attorney—Second district, N. H. Bloomfield, of Clarke; third district, Irving Ballard, of King. At ten o'clock the convention adjourned. During the afternoon the chairman announced that Gen. H. A. Morrow, commanding the post, extended an invitation to the convention to witness parade at 6 o'clock. After the afternoon adjournment the delegates proceeded to the post, paid their respects to Gen. Morrow, who cordially received them. A salute of honor was fired to Gov. Ferry, who, with Gen. Sprague, reviewed the troops, under the escort of the officer of the day. At the opening of the evening session on motion of Calhoun, of Whatcom, a unanimous vote of thanks was tendered Gen. Morrow for his courtesy. The Railroad Question. [From the Walla Walla Gazette.] During the discussion of this subject at the last session, Mr. Delegates Brents with a keen appreciation of the needs of the country he has the honor to represent, and with that native shrewdness for which he is justly noted, introduced an amendment to the pending bill. In securing this wholesome limitation our Delegate should be backed up and aided by both the united and individual influence of the people of the entire Territory. Having failed at the last session to obtain an extension of time, the Northern Pacific company may now be considered at the mercy of Congress in this matter. It is doubtless within the power of this Territory to turn the scale in either direction. It therefore seems highly important that our business men should at once come together and unite upon the proper course to be pursued. The president of the company should be given to understand respectfully but emphatically that this country can no longer consent to be humbugged; that our interests imperatively demand the construction of a road to the Sound by somebody; and that our people must be positively

assured of good faith or be counted upon to oppose individually and collectively any further favors at the hands of Congress.

It is well known that the land-grant held by the Northern Pacific operates at present to bar out other capitalists and that but for this fact the desired road would have been built long ago. It is also well known that a railroad from this point to the Sound would prove to be from the very day of its completion, one of the very best paying thoroughfares in the world. It must be plain to every intelligent man who has considered the subject that the natural and proper outlet of this great inland empire is through Puget Sound. As though conscious of the wonderful productiveness of our soil, the ocean stretches forth a mighty arm in this direction and invites our traffic. Until the two great natural divisions of Washington Territory are brought together by rail and the decided advantages held forth by nature herself are thus taken advantage of, there can be no mutual prosperity and indeed but little substantial progress upon either side of the mountains. Without this road, we have a divided province; with it, the country would be at once converted into a complete and symmetrical unit. The interests of Eastern and Western Washington would at once become reciprocal; our people would no longer depend for their existence upon the conscience of monopoly; some of the fruits of industry would be left in the country of production; our commerce would no longer depend upon a capricious stream; Seattle, in our own Territory, instead of Portland, Oregon, would become an important port of entry and delivery. With no shifting sand bar or other obstacle to obstruct their passage to that point, the white-winged fleets of commerce would come and go, distributing the unrivaled products of this great Northwestern commonwealth to all the world. Shall the construction of this much needed thoroughfare be longer delayed? Let the people of Washington Territory arouse and determine. For Sheriff, Michael Sullivan, Regular Democratic Nominee. \$200 REWARD Will be paid for the arrest of Frank LaBrie, who escaped from the County Jail on the night of the 8th. Height, 5 feet six inches; complexion, dark; hair, black; is of French descent. N. M. TAPPAN, Sheriff of Spokan Co., W. T. Announcements. FOR COUNTY SURVEYOR I hereby announce myself as Independent candidate for County Surveyor. HENRY MELDER. A PROCLAMATION. BY THE GOVERNOR OF THE TERRITORY OF WASHINGTON: Whereas, it is the duty of the Governor at least sixty days before any general election to issue his proclamation designating the offices to be filled at such election. Now, therefore, I, Elisha P. Ferry Governor of said Territory, do hereby declare that a general election will be held in said Territory on Tuesday, the second day of November, A. D. one thousand eight hundred and eighty, at which the following named officers will be elected: A Delegate to represent the Territory in the forty seventh Congress of the United States. A Brigadier General. A Quarter Master General. A Commissary General. An Adjutant General. A Prosecuting Attorney for the second judicial district. A Prosecuting Attorney for the third judicial district. A Member of the Board of Equalization for the first judicial district. A Member of the Board of Equalization for the second judicial district. A Member of the Board of Equalization for the third judicial district. Members of both branches of the Legislative assembly. County and precinct officers required by the laws of said Territory. In testimony whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Great Seal of the Territory to be affixed, at Olympia, this 13th day of August, A. D. one thousand eight hundred and eighty. [L. S.] eighty and of the Independence of the United States the one hundred and fifth. ELISHA P. FERRY, Governor. By order of the Governor. N. H. OWINGS, secretary. TO SCHOOL OFFICERS. The undersigned solicits a situation as Teacher for the coming fall and winter. He has had ten years' experience in the schools of New York and the West. Address, Deep Creek Falls, W. T. J. STEVENS.

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Special Business Notices.

New goods arriving at Hunsaker's. MUTTON.—Extra quality of mutton at the market of Still & Wilson all on hand.

Just received.—At the store of Lawson Bros. the finest assortment of Gents' Furnishing Goods, Hats and Caps, ever brought north of Snake River.

E. B. Hunsaker has just received a consignment of the celebrated "Howe" and is now offering them at a special price to cash customers. Call early and secure bargains.

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Arrivals

In Spokan Falls during the week ending Thursday night, Sept. 10, 1889.

CALIFORNIA HOUSE.

Table listing arrivals at the California House, including names like Ben Baker, John Dillan, W. De Lisle, etc., and their destinations.

BRIEF MENTION.

J. S. Graham, is having the east side of his immense store-room lined with new and neat shelving. Our friend, John Glover, is erecting a stable—(dimensions, 22x30 feet)—near the corner of South and Stevens street.

Murriel.—At the residence of C. W. Cornelius in Spokan Falls, Sept. 13, by Rev. M. S. Anderson, Mr. C. H. Arnold and Miss Laura Dyer, all of Spokan county.

President Hayes and wife and General Sherman will start for Oregon, from California, on the 24th instant. Their visit to Eastern Washington is not assured.

It is stated by Capt. Smith, of the Steamboat Josephine, that on the 8th instant flames and smoke were issuing from the summit of Mt. Baker, of the Cascade range of mountains.

Our friend Graham, whose initials are J. S., arrived from Portland on Thursday evening's stage. He came back alone, and that is the worst thing we can say about the gentleman.

Railroad men are at work grading the line through this city. Hundreds of Chinamen and dozens of white men are encamped all along the line between this city and Cour d'Alene lake, and the work is being pushed along very rapidly.

B. A. Young, sheriff of Pierce county, arrived in this city Thursday evening. He is taking a tour through this new country, and is visiting with his brothers-in-law, Gande, Sipe and Oughman, of this city. Mr. Young is a wide-awake, popular young man—just such a young man as we would like to see in our hands with our own population.

Wentzell, the Barber of high renown, has a good share in our town. He has cut his hair in such nice styles and makes them so fine morning skirts. You want your hair cut by our own barber. He will make things as lovely as when the goose hangs high. And don't help you to get a sweetheart by any means.

SERIOUS ACCIDENT.

A few days since, Mr. John Chambers who has purchased the farm recently owned by W. T. Ross, on the prairie above this city, met with an accident which will probably unfit him for work during the coming winter. He undertook to go to the bottom of his well, which is 60 feet deep, by the aid of a common clothes line which has been in use during the past summer. Mr. Lee Hodges questioned the propriety of attempting the feat but finally agreed to let Mr. Chambers down. After Mr. Chambers had descended about forty feet, the rope gave way, and the unfortunate man fell to the bottom of the well. Mr. Hodges inquired after the injuries of Mr. Chambers and was informed that but little injury was sustained by the fall; however, the groans which came from the bottom of the well soon indicated that the fall had produced more serious results than had been expected. To further question Mr. Chambers replied that he was seriously injured. Mr. Hodges mounted a horse and rode to neighbor Johnson's, returning with a large rope, which was fastened about the body of the injured man and with which he was hauled up. Mr. Chambers was seriously injured in the small of his back and one ankle. A doctor was called, and the poor man was made as comfortable as possible.

DEATH OF REV. J. H. LEARD.

We are pained to learn of the death of Rev. J. H. Leard, which occurred on Wednesday night last, at 20 minutes before 12 o'clock. For some weeks past, Mr. Leard had been confined to his bed by inflammation of the lungs. Being rather broken down for many years of hard work, Mr. Leard was not able to combat successfully with the fatal grip death had fixed upon him. He departed this life at the good age of 55 years. Having located a farm on Moran Prairie, a few miles north of this city, Rev. Mr. Leard had spent many months in this county in preaching the Gospel to congregations gathered together in sparsely settled communities. His remains were buried in the Spokan Falls cemetery yesterday afternoon, in the presence of a large throng of sympathizing friends. A funeral discourse will be preached at the near future. His death has cast a gloom over the entire community.

HE WASN'T ONE OF THAT KIND.

An amusing incident is told of a rural family that last week visited the home of a farmer out from this city a couple of miles. The head of the family from the Moran Prairie, who has an honest and rather sanctimonious look, was thought by our suburban friends to be of a religious turn of mind, and this conviction was so strong with the lady of the house that she urged her husband to ask the visiting gentleman to return thanks at the table. In response, he bowed his head over his plate—hesitated—looked about him, and bowed again in silence; at last, looking meekly at the presiding member at the table, he said, "I'm not one of that kind."

STRANGE FATALITY.

News reaches us of the death of a man called "Half-breed Tom," in the Big Lake country, on the first of September. It appears that Tom was out hunting for cattle, and riding an unbroken horse. He had a long rope attached to the horn of his saddle, which was used as a lasso. While riding along in quest of the cattle, he captived a fawn about fifty yards from him, and no doubt, thinking what sport it would be to hess it, he prepared the rope, and while swinging the noose above his head it by some unaccountable mishap encircled his neck, and the horse, snoring at the same time, threw Tom to the ground. The horse then ran away and choked the unfortunate man to death.

COULDN'T MAKE IT.

A bold attempt to steal a team was recently frustrated in the following manner: George Ashworth hired C. Stewart to drive a four-horse team from Colfax to this city, with a load of goods for F. R. Moore & Co. After delivering the goods, and starting homeward with the team, Stewart left the direct road near Spangle, west by the California ranch, and passed Cour d'Alene, on route for Montana, on the Mullan road. Messrs. C. B. King and J. N. Glover, of this city, who were at the time aware of his passing the fort, telegraphed Colfax, and were confirmed in their suspicions that he was trying to steal the team. Stewart was arrested, brought back to this city, and, together with the team he coveted, sent to Colfax.

Married.—At the residence of the bride's parents, Sept. 15, by Rev. S. G. Evermale, Mr. Edgar Brasbury and Miss Florence Whitney, both of Moran Prairie, this county. We acknowledge a bountiful supply of cake, with compliments of the happy pair. The young folks are connected with highly respected families on Moran Prairie. We wish them a pleasant journey along the pathway of life.

WANTED.—At this office, a good printer. To a competent hand, steady employment will be given. Call immediately.

A SAD CASE.

This world is full of trouble, but now and then a sad case comes under our notice which we almost feel loth to publish, yet life must have its cold December just as surely as its May. Two weeks ago Mr. Kohlhauff, one of our City Fathers, had his attention directed to a destitute family with a sick daughter, 18 years of age, stricken down with diphtheria, encamped in Mr. Conlisk's chicken coop outside of the city, poor and apparently strangers and alone in the world. They were taken to the Pest house and taken care of by the city and its benevolent ladies. The temperance blue ribbon club and Mrs. A. H. Reynolds, also Mrs. Merriman, acted the good Samaritans, but the poor girl died and gently rests in the potter's field. When Mr. Carroll, the father, heard of his wife leaving Wallula without his knowledge and the sad bereavement which befell him, he went back to the railroad where he was at work, homeward on his way, yet feeling thankful to those who had befriended his own. Still there was no immediate cause for appealing to charity, but it seems Mr. Carroll and wife don't pull well together and domestic strife, mingled with sore afflictions, is a terrible scourge. They had already lost three children at Wallula by diphtheria and to say the least, the unhappy couple are certainly entitled to public sympathy in this, the hour of their sorrow and tribulation.—W. W. Watchman.

OUR FAT AND LEAN HARVESTS.

We have observed during our twenty-three years' stay in this country, that the fruit crop yields exceedingly well every other year but never yet was there a total failure. Though we sometimes whine and murmur in spring and say: "There will be no fruit," yet when fall comes we always find more than we know what to do with it, and we venture to aver that for the last few years more has been wasted than consumed or utilized. The cereal harvest seems to be a little thin every fifth year, or in other words we reap four abundant harvests to one poor one; but what we term poor and little, would be considered rich and plenty in other countries. When here a farmer harvests only 20 bushels to the acre, he complains and feels like a ruined man, but the pith of his marmur is not so much in the yield as it is in the price of the wheat. We raise enough at all times, but owing to our still feeble facilities to ship, and our remoteness to a market, our wheat, though the best in the world, brings but the poorest price and hence we don't feel much like crowing even at the sight of a bountiful harvest.—Watchman.

A CLOSE CALL.

Not many days since, Mr. Tom Hassell had a little pimple on his thumb, which, when opened, became grievously sore and caused a large swelling of the hand and wrist. It was very painful indeed. Inflammation and mortification extended to the wrist. We are informed by his physician, Dr. Morgan, that he is in a fair way of speedy recovery—a fact which will be pleasant to the many friends of Mr. Hassell.

WATTSBURG IN ASHES.

The greater portion of the business part of Wattsburg was destroyed on Tuesday morning last, by fire. The telegraph office and a few other business houses escaped total destruction. The fire swept both sides of Main street unrestrained. The citizens were wild with excitement. Loss roughly estimated at \$150,000.

DIED.—In Seattle, Sept. 9, Mrs. J. W. McCarty, of Sumner, Pierce county, W. T. The funeral took place from the Presbyterian church, Sumner, on the 11th instant. Mrs. McCarty was mother of the wife of the editor of this paper.

The O. R. & N. Co.

In his first annual report to the stockholders of the O. R. & N. Co., President Villard makes many interesting statements, and some of them we give as follows:

The following are the officers of the corporation: Henry Villard, president; T. F. Oaks, vice president and general manager; Horace White, treasurer; Theodore Wygant, secretary and assistant treasurer; T. H. Tyndall, assistant secretary; H. Thielsen, chief engineer; Transfer Agent, Farmers Loan & Trust company, New York.

The ownership of the Oregon Steam Navigation company covered six-sevenths of the Walla Walla & Columbia River railroad. In order to render our control of this company more absolute, the remaining one-seventh of its stock was acquired last summer for account of the company shortly after the original purchase of Oregon Steam Navigation Company stock. The value of the additional acquisition is hereafter given.

With the expected completion, by the end of 1890, of so much of the contemplated system of railways as will be paid for out of

TELEGRAPHIC.

CHICAGO, Sept. 7.—General Miles, the well known Indian fighter, will receive the appointment of signal service officer in recognition of his services on the plains.

CREEDMOOR, L. I., Sept. 8.—The Pacific team yesterday in its first regular practice since arrival made one thousand and ten. Several of the most reliable shots are out of condition; want of ammunition and rain have delayed practice and the extreme heat for four days has had its effect upon the team.

WASHINGTON, Sept. 8.—The republican campaign headquarters here are simply jubilant over the situation. They believe that they have the enemy on the run. If republican gains are as large proportionately as in Vermont the democrats will not carry a single northern state. The Post gives up the fight in Maine and concedes the state to the republicans by a large majority. They are attempting to break the force of the blow in Indiana.

MILWAUKEE, Sept. 7.—A young Norwegian named Rosendahl, from Minneapolis, gave an exhibition yesterday of walking on the water, and it was a complete success. The young man had his feet secured in two small post-like structures and walked rapidly and easily on the surface of the water. The peculiarity of his invention is the possibility of making progress by an actual walking movement. There was no striding back or sideways, but a straight forward walk at the rate of at least three miles per hour. Thousands of spectators witnessed the feat and the crowd was very enthusiastic over the young man's success; the swell occasioned by passing tugs did not disturb the walker to any noticeable degree.

NORTHFIELD, Mass. Sept. 6.—D. L. Moody will begin a season of evangelical work in San Francisco and remain there during the winter. His family will remain in Northfield. In choosing San Francisco as his next point of effort he has not overlooked the many difficulties to be met or the strength of the influences that will operate against his success. There is probably not another large city in the country where the rigidly orthodox Christianity which Moody preaches has received such little encouragement hitherto as in San Francisco. Still he believes it is the place where he is most needed at the present time, and believes that with the co-operation which he expects from the churches the city will be deeply stirred.

Foreign.

LISBON, Sept. 8.—A steamer from Loanda brings the following news: The Portuguese steamer belonging to the recently established Coanza company had steamed up the Congo to Noki, two hours' sail from Bibi, the headquarters of Stanley's expedition. Stanley told the captain of the steamer that his object was not commerce but to open the path for further trade.

Foreign.

ST. PETERSBURG, Sept. 6.—It is interesting to know that the transfer of the Kuldja negotiations to Peking is at the desire of Russia, not China. The marquis of Tseng will probably soon return to London. One consideration weighing heavily with the Russian government is that some satisfaction must be given to the country for all preparations, especially for assembling a large fleet in China waters, and that if she sends a representative to arrange matters at Peking it will look as though the fleet is taking an influential part in the business. At the same time the bear has not abated her position regarding the points objectionable to China. She still claims a slice of the Kuldja highway and including one of the most important passes. It is stated that Russian colonization on this territory had actually begun.

Canadian Pacific Railway.

LONDON, Sept. 9.—Sir John A. McDonald and other Canadian government commissioners have been successful, the financial arrangement for the Canadian Pacific railway having been concluded this afternoon. A contract is taken jointly by a French financial association and a firm of financiers in New York. The contracting parties will receive from the Canadian government a certain number of millions sterling in cash or its equivalent, to be provided by the use of Canadian government bonds; not backed, however, by imperial guarantee, and a certain number of millions acres of land. In consideration of these grants the contracting parties undertake to form a company to be called the Canadian Pacific Railway Company, which shall construct and work the line in perpetuity. The government furthermore gives to the contracting parties in addition to the surveys made the whole of the line thus far built. The cost of these items is between five and six million pounds sterling.

The Whangpoots of Texas.

He came from Wilson county and his name was Edmondson. He stands over six feet tall, in his socks, and "bearded like a pard." He was clad in leathern pants, and when he entered a saloon on the military plaza his boots sounded on the floor like the thumping of a pair of pile-drivers; and when he shook up his leonine head, his long hair twisted all about like black snakes. "Gimme a bucket of beer," he roared, "I'm dry as dust. Gimme a three gallon bucket full to the brim and no foam. I was weaned on herring brine, and don't eat nothing but hot mud made out of gunpowder and fish salt."

The terrified barkeeper filled a quart glass—the largest vessel in the house—and this was repeated four times. Each glass the thirsty man emptied at a gulp. At the fourth he said: "Just you wait a minute." About that time, a small man entered and Edmondson, taking him up as if he was a baby, said: "Give him beer too—his dry."

The little man was supplied, restored to his feet and shrunk away from the giant, glancing back from a corner like a mouse looking at a Newfoundland dog. Once more the man opened his mouth and it presented the appearance of a cave opening.

"I am the man that ketched the wild mustang by the tail and hit him till his chin come out all the way to his ears; I can lick a double-decked hog car full of panthers with nothing but a corn cutter to fight with; and I can dance a gig on the point of a lightning-rod. I ain't liable to cold, but when I sneeze the reporters telegraph a fresh earthquake in Cuty. When I give a whoop the dishes rattle on the Russian King's table till old Gotchearmolikhikoph swears that a keg of Nihilist gunpowder had just popped down in the cellar, and the Empress has had to hunt her new teeth from her majoliker coffee cup. Gimme some beer!"

This time he struck the counter with his fist and jarred loose the anchor-bolt of the whisky bell pump, causing the machine to run backwards like Hezekiah's sun dial, and the record of four hundred thousand drinks disappeared from the dial—an instantaneous loss of \$3,000 on the beef producing State of Texas. Got it! Herald.

Foreign.

MAN that is married to a woman is of many days and full of trouble. In the morning he draweth his salary and in the evening behold it is all gone. It is as a tale that is told, it vanishes and no one knoweth whither it goeth. He riseth up clothed in the chilly garments of the night, and seeketh the somnolent paregoric wherewith to soothe the cholick bowels of his infant posterity. He becometh as the horse or the ox, and draweth the chariot of his offspring. He spendeth his shekels in the purchase of fine linen to cover the bosom of his family, yet himself is seen in the gates of the city with but one suspender. Yea he is altogether wretched.

Foreign.

NOTICE U. S. LAND OFFICE, Colfax, W. T., Aug. 18, '90. Complaint having been entered at this office by James A. Beatty against John Langren for failure to comply with T. C. sec. 273, dated Dec. 26, 1878, upon the 21st section 18, 19 22 N range 45 E in Spokane county, Washington Territory, with a view to the cancellation of said entry; said parties are hereby summoned to appear at this office on the 22nd day of Sept., 1890, at 1 o'clock P. M., to respond and furnish testimony concerning said alleged failure.

J. M. ARMSTRONG, register. E. N. SWEET, receiver.

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Complaint having been entered at this office by Joseph H. Beatty against Clara Meyer for abandoning her homestead entry No. 777, dated Nov. 19, 1879, for 1/2 of ne 1/4 sec 19 21 E ne 1/4 sec 20 to 23 of 45 c Spokane county, W. T., with a view to the cancellation of said entry, the said parties are hereby summoned to appear at this office on the 22d day of Sept. 1890, at 1 o'clock P. M., to respond and furnish testimony concerning said alleged abandonment.

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DISSOLUTION NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given that the partnership heretofore existing between J. Frank Niles and John W. Lewis, firm known as Niles & Lewis, is this day dissolved, by mutual consent, said Niles assuming all bills belonging to the same.

Spokane Falls, July 24, 1890. J. FRANK NILES. J. W. LEWIS.

WANTED!

A number of men to make ties. Good wages paid. Apply to M. SMYTHE, Marshall.

Lawson Bros.,

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Gents' Furnishing Goods, Hats, Caps, Stationery, Cutlery, Jewelry

FINE BRANDS OF

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REALLY DESERVE

And are now receiving the Lion's share of

The Public Patronage,

ARE THOSE WHOSE NAMES ARE FOUND IN THE ADVERTISING COLUMNS OF THEIR LOCAL COUNTY PAPER.

None but enterprising, reliable men need apply for space in these columns.

The practice of free "padding" from this date, will be discontinued. If we do make favorable mention in our local columns, without extra charge, of any business houses or firms that are creditably represented in the advertising columns of THE TIMES, our readers will understand that such mention is made because the persons favorably referred to are worthy of confidence and patronage. After mentioning, as a matter of news and encouragement, the starting of any new business, the same will thereafter be ignored, if the proprietor or firm show no inclination to do business as business-like manner. For notices and advertisements of all shows, lectures, entertainments or parties, where charges are made for admission, a reasonable compensation will always be required. The ones who want "free advertising" are those who do least to encourage the publisher. There is disappointment in a responsible man for them.

DISSOLUTION NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given that the partnership heretofore existing between T. W. Whitestone, James Allison, J. E. Edmiston and J. W. Range, under the firm name of Pioneer Mill Company, is this day dissolved by mutual consent. The business will be continued by T. W. Whitestone, James Allison, J. W. Range and Jerome E. Palmer, under the old firm name, with Jerome E. Palmer as business manager. The new firm will collect all accounts and pay all indebtedness to date.

Dated June 28, 1890. T. W. WHITSTONE, JAMES ALLISON, J. E. EDMISTON, J. W. RANGE.

NOTICE OF DISTRIBUTION.

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# The Spokan Times

## The Tide of Immigration.

From the Tacoma Record.]  
The present season has witnessed the advent of a large number of people seeking an abiding place in our midst. The severe winters as also droughts experienced in the Eastern States added to the visitation of grasshoppers and other pests, are forcing people to this Territory as a land of promise. They are "coming ten thousand strong." This is just what our Territory, endowed as it is by Nature with a fine climate and productive soil, most needs. The great Creator, in dispensing gifts, strewed them with a lavish hand in almost every section of our Territory. The people of the older States are becoming aware of this fact, and hence, with that restless spirit of energy and enterprise which characterizes the American people, are flocking here in large numbers. For years previous the great rush was to California probably because of greater inducements being held out by parties interested in the settlement of that State, and who were generally largely interested in land, and wished to profit by its disposal. Every advantage possessed by that State was held up in the most favorable light, and steamships and railroads carried passengers at half fares. The result was the State was filled to overflowing by immigrants. The land owners as soon as the rush began immediately advanced prices of land at such figures as to practically place it beyond the means of a majority of the immigrants who had been attracted thither by their specious representations. The consequence has been, in their hogishness they have overreached the mark, and driven hundreds, nay thousands, of industrious people from the State. This state of affairs existing in that State has had a tendency to turn the tide of immigration hither, and the flow is unchecked by the favorable advantages we possess and offer to the industrious immigrant. The losses of other communities is our gain. These people will aid us to develop our latent resources of future prosperity. The tide of immigration is now in our favor. Let us not check it.

Under date of August 21, the editor of the Lewiston Teller writes concerning the proposed railroad across the Cascade mountains:

Since the news of the purpose of the company to build the branch road across the Cascades at the Natchess pass reached here we found several surveyors and other attaches of the company, men of much apparent intelligence all consulting and deliberating upon the prospect before them. General Sprague informed me with full confidence that the recent examination of the Natchess pass has developed the complete practicability of that pass for a railroad with comparatively easy grades on both the east and the west sides of the summit. They will require a tunnel of one mile in length, which will avoid an elevation of upwards of 1,000 feet. That the line of the road will be free from danger of snow slides and no where subject to very deep snows has been proved. Surveying parties have been called from other routes and ordered to make the survey through this pass for the road and have it completed as soon as possible. It would seem that the importance and I may say the building of this branch has recently been made apparent to the managers of the company. Their road from Ainsworth to the Spokan can never be a profitable one as long as the Oregon Railway company has the handling of their freight below Ainsworth. The North Pacific company themselves, under the present arrangements, are as much bottled up between the Cascades and the Bitter Root mountains as are the people who dwell there and they will remain so till the people of the North Pacific has its own through line to the sea. Their Kalama and Tacoma road has done much to help Portland, but does the North Pacific company but little good. It is carrying trade amounts to

comparatively nothing. Had the road from the mouth of Snake river to Tacoma, been constructed at the time the Kalama road was built, the trade and traffic over it would have more than paid for the road by this time, and Tacoma to-day would have a population of 1,500 or 2,000 instead of a few hundred. It would seem that the Sampsons of the Northern Pacific company on this coast have rested their heads upon the lap of Portland as their Delilah and been shorn of their locks and the hair must grow again before they can regain the strength of advantage they once had and in our opinion the surest way of regaining their advantage will be by forthwith constructing a road across the Cascades direct to Tacoma.

### Advertising.

"There is that scattereth abroad and yet increaseth, and there is that withholdeth more than is meet and it tendeth to poverty." It is not easy to say what particular instance of human action or policy the sacred writer had in view when he penned these lines, but if he were speaking of advertising—judicious liberal and persistent advertising—he made a center shot. There is no better paying investment that a business man makes, and the greater the outlay—properly used, of course—the better the return. He advertises to get business, and then advertises to keep it. It is a mistake when he says: "My customers know me and they will come anyhow whether I advertise or not." The customer at a distance, reading the local paper, naturally and very properly supposes that the merchant who advertises the most is doing the most business and almost necessarily the best business. Seeing the name constantly, it would only be human that he should want to know what it all means. His wife and children and his newly-come neighbor, in time would form a sort of acquaintance with the man or firm whose name is constantly before them, and, coming to town, would naturally drop into the "live" advertising store, while the non-advertising neighbor would slowly but surely decay in a sort of business "dry-rot." When times are dull and money scarce and the farmers don't come to town to trade, then is the time for the merchant to throw out his most tempting baits, for then it is that the paper is most thoroughly scanned—so that the money, when it does come, may be put "where it will do the most good."

WASHINGTON TERRITORY, ss Spokane County.  
In Justice Court, before Robert Crawford, J. P.  
C. M. Farnsworth, Plaintiff, vs. Thomas M. Farnsworth, Defendant.  
To Thomas Botham: You are hereby notified that C. M. Farnsworth has filed a complaint against you in said court which will come on to be heard in my office in Spokane Falls, Spokane County, Washington Territory, on the 7th day of October, 9 a. m., and unless you appear and then answer, the same will be taken as confessed and the demand of the plaintiff granted. The object and demand of said complaint is to recover from you the sum of one hundred dollars, for board and lodging furnished you by the plaintiff, which amount was due on the 1st of September, 1878.  
ROBERT CRANFORD, s1125 Justice of the Peace.

### Notice to Creditors.

Having been duly appointed administrator of the estate of Michael Cosgrove, deceased, by the Probate Court of Spokane County, W. T., all persons having claims against the deceased are required to present them with the necessary vouchers within one year after the date of this notice, to L. S. Nash, attorney for the estate of said deceased at his office at Spokane Falls, W. T., or the same will be barred.  
EILEEN COSGROVE, dated Spokane Falls, W. T., Sept. 7, 79

### National Democratic Platform.

First—We pledge ourselves anew to the constitutional doctrine and traditions of the Democratic party as illustrated by the teachings and example of a long line of Democratic statesmen and patriots, and embodied in the platform of the last National Convention of the party.  
Second—Opposition to centralization and that dangerous spirit of encroachment which tends to consolidate the powers of all the departments in one, and thus to create whatever may be the form of government, a real despotism; no summary law separation of Church and State for the good of each, common schools to be fostered and protected by the military to the civil power, and a general and through reform of the civil service.  
Third—Right to a free ballot as the right preservative of all rights, and must and shall be maintained in every part of the United States.  
Sixth—The existing administration is representative of conspiracy only, and its claims of the right to surround the ballot boxes with troops and deputy marshals

to intimidate and obstruct the election, and the unprecedented use of the veto to maintain its corrupt and despotic power, insults the people and imperils their institutions.  
Seventh—The great fraud of 1876, by which upon a false count of the electoral vote of two States, the candidate defeated at the polls was declared to be President, and for the first time in American history the will of the people was set aside under threat of military violence, struck a deadly blow at our system of representative government. The Democratic party, to preserve the country from the horrors of a civil war, submitted for a time to the firm and patriotic faith that the people would punish the crime in 1880. This issue precedes and dwarfs all others. It imposes a more sacred duty upon the people of the Union than ever addressed to the conscience of a nation of free men.  
Eighth—We reiterate the course of this administration in making places for political criminals, and demand a reform by statute which shall make it forever impossible for a defeated candidate to write his way to the seat of a usurper, by villainies upon the people.  
Ninth—The resolution of Samuel J. Tilden not again to be a candidate for election to the exalted place to which he was elected a majority of his countrymen, and from which he was excluded by the leaders of the Republican party, is received by the Democrats of the United States with sensibility, and they declare their confidence in his wisdom and patriotism and integrity unassailed by the assaults of the common enemy, and they further declare to him that he is followed in retirement he has chosen for himself by the sympathy and respect of his fellow citizens who regard him as one who, by elevating the standard of public morality and purifying the public service, merits the lasting gratitude of his country and his party.  
Tenth—Free and a living chance for American commerce on the sea and on the land; no discrimination in favor of transportation lines, corporations or monopolies.  
Eleventh—Amendment of the Burlingame treaty; no more Chinese immigration except for travel, education and foreign commerce, and therein carefully guarded.  
Twelfth—Public money and public credit for public purposes only, and public lands for actual settlers. Thirteenth—The Democratic party is the friend of labor and the laboring man, and pledges itself to protect him alike against the cornorants and the commune.  
Fourteenth—We congratulate the country upon the honesty and thrift of the Democratic Congress which has reduced the public expenditure \$40,000,000 a year; upon the continuation of prosperity at home and the national honor abroad, and above all, upon the promise of such a change in the administration of this government as shall insure its genuine lasting reform in every department of the public service.

### National Republican Platform.

The following is the platform passed by the Republican convention held at Chicago.  
Republican rule has restored upon a solid basis payment in coin for all the national obligations, and has given us a currency substantially good and equal in value to every part of our extended country. It has lifted the credit of the nation from the point where 6 per cent. bonds sold at 85, to that where 4 per cent. bonds are eagerly sought at a premium. Under its administration railways have increased from 31,000 miles in 1860, to more than 82,000 miles in 1878. Our foreign trade has increased from \$700,000,000 to \$1,150,000,000 in the same time, and our exports, which were \$2,000,000,000 less than our imports in 1870, were \$254,000,000 more than our imports in 1878.  
Without resorting to loans it has, since the war closed, defrayed the ordinary expenses of the government, besides the accruing interest on the public debt, and disbursed annually more than \$30,000,000 for soldiers' pensions. It has paid \$350,000,000 of the public debt, and by reducing the balance at longer rates, has reduced the annual interest charge from nearly \$151,000,000 to less than \$80,000,000. All the industries of the country have revived, labor is in demand, wages have increased and throughout the entire country there is evidence of a coming prosperity greater than we ever enjoyed. Upon this record the Republican party asks for the continued confidence and support of the people, and this convention submits to their approval the following statement of the principles and purpose which will continue to guide and inspire its efforts:  
First—We affirm that the work of the last 21 years has been such as to commend itself to the favor of the nation, and that the fruits of the costly victories which we have achieved through immense difficulties should be preserved; that the peace regained should be cherished; that the disordered union now happily restored should be perpetuated and that the liberties secured to this generation should be transmitted undiminished to future generations; that the order established and the credit acquired should never be imperiled; that the pensions promised should be paid; that the debt much reduced should be extinguished by the payment of every dollar thereof; that the reviving industries should be ever promoted, and that the commerce already so great should be encouraged. Second—The constitution of the United States is the supreme law, and not a mere contract of confederated states. It made a sovereign nation. Some powers are denied to the nation, while others are retained by the states, but the boundary between the powers delegated and those reserved is to be determined by national and not by state tribunals.  
Third—The work of popular education is one left to the care of the several states, but it is the duty of the national government to aid that work to the extent of its constitutional ability. The intelligence of the nation is but the aggregate of intelligence in the several states, and the destiny of the nation must be guided not by the genius of any one state, but by the average genius of all.  
Fourth—The constitution wisely forbids congress to make any law respecting an establishment of religion, but it is the duty of the nation to be protected against the influence of sectarianism while each state is exposed to its particular domination. We therefore recommend that the constitution be so amended as to lay some prohibition upon the legislation of each state and to forbid the appropriation

of the public funds to the support of sectarian schools.  
Fifth—We reaffirm the belief avowed in 1876 that the duties levied for the purpose of revenue should so discriminate as to favor American labor; that no further grant of the public domain should be made to any railroad or other corporation; that slavery having perished in the states, its twin barbarity, polygamy, must die in the territories; that everywhere the protection accorded to American birth must be secured to citizens by American adoption; that it is the duty of congress to develop and improve our water courses and harbors, but we insist that further subsidies to private persons or corporations must cease; that the obligations to men who preserved their integrity in the day of battle are unimpaired by the lapse of 25 years since their final victory; their perpetual honor is and shall forever be the grateful privilege and the sacred duty of the American people.  
Sixth—Since the authority to regulate immigration and intercourse between the United States and foreign nations rests with the congress of the United States and its treaty-making powers, the Republican party, regarding the unrestricted immigration of Chinese as an evil of great magnitude, invokes the exercise of such power to restrain and limit that immigration by the enactment of such just, humane and reasonable provisions as will produce that result.  
Seventh—That the purity and patriotism which characterized the earlier career of R. B. Hayes in peace and war, and which guided the thought of his immediate predecessor to him for a presidential candidate, have continued to inspire him in his career as chief executive, and that history will accord to his administration the honors which are due an efficient, just, and courageous fulfillment of the public business, and will honor his interposition in the people and proposed partisan laws.  
Eighth—We charge upon the Democratic party the habitual sacrifices of patriotism and justice to a supreme and unattainable lust for office and patronage; that to obtain possession of the national and state governments, and of the control of place and position, they have obstructed all the efforts to preserve party and conserve the freedom of suffrage, have devised fraudulent returns and certificates, have labored to unseat lawful electors, members of congress to secure at all hazards the vote of the majority of the states in the house of representatives, have endeavored to occupy by force and fraud places of trust given to others by the people of Maine, and rescued by the courage and action of Maine's patriotic senators by methods violent in principle and tyrannical in practice attached partisan legislation to appropriation bills; have crushed the rights of individuals and vindicated the principle and sought the favor of rebellion against the nation and have endeavored to obliterate the sacred memories of the war to overcome its inestimable good results, freedom and individual equality.  
We deem it to be the duty and purpose of the Republican party to use all legitimate means of this union to secure the perfect harmony which may be practicable, and we submit to the practical, sensible people of the United States, to say whether it would not be dangerous to the best interests of our country at this time to surrender the administration of the national government to a party which seeks to overthrow the existing policy under which we are so prosperous, and thus bring destruction and confusion where there is now order and confidence and hope.

### How to Reach this Country.

Inquiring letters are so frequently received, as to the best mode of reaching this new country, the rates of fare, the shortest routes, &c., that we have compiled the following facts for the express benefit of those who would come among us. Those persons who have friends contemplating a visit to this country, either for pleasure or profit, ought secure some extra copies of this week's edition of THE TIMES.  
There are three routes which Eastern people may take in coming hither. If a person wants to save time, and desires to bring stock, wagons, &c., the quickest and most direct route would be to come from Omaha to Ogden; thence by wagon from Ogden in two or three weeks, when roads are good—say in the month of June, July or August. Those having neither wagons nor teams, can come by rail to Kelton, at a cost of about \$50 in emigrant car; thence by stage to Walla Walla, at an expense of \$50, exclusive of meals, and on to Colfax or Spokane Falls, at an additional expense of ten and seven dollars, respectively. The remaining route is via San Francisco, by rail, thence to Portland, Oregon, by ocean steamer; thence to Alamo, by boat. Fare to Portland, \$2 to \$30, according to cabin occupied, and state of opposition on the route; to Alamo, \$18, exclusive of meals and berth. The overland railroad company makes but little difference in price of through tickets to San Francisco or Kelton. At the present time, the route via San Francisco and Portland is undoubtedly the easiest and cheapest, provided you are not accompanied by your own team, everything being taken into consideration. First-class fare from Omaha, St. Joseph or Kansas City, to Walla Walla, via Kelton, is \$124 20, via San Francisco, \$132.  
Immigrants from Oregon and California, in the earlier part of the season, when they have the money to spare, often come by water to The Dalles or Alamo; thence, overland by teams. Those who travel without teams should come by boat to Penawawa or Alamo, and there take the stage for this upper country via Colfax. Many families make the entire trip overland.  
Pugot Sounders come by way of Portland and Alamo, unless they want a delightful horseback ride over the Cascade mountains in mid-summer. The Snoqualmie route is the best for horsemen, leading the traveler by way of the Kittitas Valley, Yakima City and Ainsworth. Be sure that your saddle-horse is gentle, sure-footed, strong, and in splendid condition for a long ride.  
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Emily Anderson, Plaintiff, vs. John Anderson, Defendant.  
Action brought in said District Court and complaint filed in the office of the Clerk of said District Court on the 24th of April, A. D. 1880.  
To John Anderson, Defendant:  
In the name of the United States of America, you are hereby notified that you are in an action brought against you by the above named plaintiff Emily Anderson in the first Judicial District of Washington Territory holding terms at Spokane Falls for the counties of Spokane and Stevens on the 4th day of the month of April, 1880, and to answer the complaint filed therein within sixty days from the date hereof, or judgment by default will be taken against you according to the prayer of said complaint.  
The action is brought to obtain a decree of said court dissolving the bonds of said defendant on the grounds of abandonment, and you are hereby notified that if you fail to appear and answer said complaint as herein required the plaintiff will apply to the said court for the relief demanded in the said complaint.  
Witness S. C. Wingard, Esquire, Judge of the District Court of Spokane and Stevens county in the first Judicial District of Washington Territory, on the 28th day of April, A. D. 1880.  
J. T. LOCKHART, Clerk.  
WM. A. INMAN, atty for plaintiff.

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