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PUGET SOUND HERALD, STELLACOOM, W. T., FRIDAY, SEPT. 10, 1858.

MINNESOTA AND PUGET SOUND. The people of Minnesota, it would seem, are fully awake to the importance of establishing an emigrant route from St. Paul to Frazer River and Puget Sound. Several meetings had been held relative to the matter, all of which were largely attended, and manifested an increasing interest.

It is presumed that the prime object of the chief movers in the matter was not simply to find the readiest access to the mines, but, by taking advantage of the emigration thereto, to establish a permanent communication with the magnificent valleys that lie on the route between St. Paul and Puget Sound. With regard to the country in question, the committee give a great deal of interesting information.

These geographical divisions embrace an area equal to twelve States of the size of Ohio. Of the ultimate relations which this vast country is to sustain to Minnesota and Canada the report thus speaks: An overland route through Minnesota, ascending the course of the Saskatchewan and crossing the Rocky Mountains in latitude 54 degrees to British Oregon, would traverse a region of North America hitherto with held from colonization, but soon to be surrendered by the Hudson's Bay Company for civilized settlement.

It is possible between British America and the adjacent States of the American Union. Minnesota especially welcomes the assurance that Victoria, the capital of Vancouver's Island, is to be selected as the Naval station of England on the Pacific, perhaps to become, under the impulse of an international railroad, the Liverpool of the Pacific coast.

WASHINGTON FRUIT.

Until within a few days past we were not aware of the existence of a bearing orchard of any magnitude in this Territory. In and near Stellacoom there are several small orchards bearing their first fruit the present season, none of which are large enough to admit of sending fruit to market; the product being designed for the use of the proprietors only.

While on this subject, it may not be amiss to bestow some little notice on the progress that is being made in our immediate vicinity in the culture of fruit. The most extensive embryo orchard near Stellacoom is that of Philip Keach, Esq., who has appropriated twenty acres to the purpose. On this twenty acres he has now five hundred trees, embracing all the varieties of fruit grown in Oregon and California; five hundred more he designs planting this fall, and an additional thousand trees next year.

The next orchard worthy of notice is that of Judge Dougherty, who has some fifty or sixty very thrifty trees in bearing. These trees comprise a variety almost equal to their number, to which the proprietor purposes adding largely during the ensuing season, being encouraged thereto by the success he has thus far met with.

EXPRESS AND STEAMER FAVORS.—Favors have been heaped upon us in such rapid succession, of late, that we have hardly been able to keep pace with them, and acknowledge them in the proper terms. At the hands of no one have we received greater favors than those bestowed by C. E. Williams, Esq., the gentlemanly and obliging Purser of the Constitution, who never deems any trouble too great that will serve others.

GOLD.—The parties mentioned by us last week as having returned from the mines brought with them some forty ounces of gold, a large portion of it in lumps varying in value from ten to twenty dollars, while much of the remainder was in pieces worth from one to five dollars each.

Arrival of the Golden Gate at San Francisco.

TWO WEEKS LATER. HIGHLY IMPORTANT NEWS!

By the courtesy of John H. Seranton, Esq., we were last night put in possession of Eastern papers two weeks later than previous dates, received by the steamer Golden Gate at San Francisco, via Columbia River. Owing to the late hour at which they were received, we have time and space for but a few items this week, reserving the balance for our next issue.

It is rumored that Sir Allan McNab is to be the first Governor of New California—the Frazer River province. In the British Parliament, on the 20th July, Mr. Roebuck moved that the Hudson Bay Company's charter ought not to be renewed; and that so much of the territory held by the Company as may be needed for the purpose of colonization ought, without delay, to be resumed by the Government.

By the arrival of the steamer Constitution, Capt. Gove, on Tuesday last, we have the Northern Light of the 4th inst. It is mostly occupied with the report of Capt. W. W. DeLacy on the Trail to Thompson's River, detailing the nature of the country through which it passes, etc.

Mr. James Hood, one of Capt. DeLacy's workmen on the trail, after going through to the Forks of Frazer and Thompson Rivers, returned by descending the former, and arrived in this place a few days ago.

Mr. Hood reports a great many miners in the vicinity of the Forks, awaiting the arrival of provisions and the fall of the waters. For a distance of 20 miles above the Forks, men had claims staked off and were at work.

At Miner's Bar, some 20 miles above Fort Yale, claims paid from \$5 to \$20 to the land; and at Foster's Bar, 25 miles above the Forks, they were making from an ounce and a half to two ounces to the hand. Mr. Hood received this information from some miners who came down to Fort Yale for provisions.

The Whacom Trail, we learn from Mr. Hood, strikes Thompson River about 15 miles above the Forks. Laurence Nightingale and a party of 8 or 9 men were mining at that point.

On Saturday last, Col. M. T. Simmons, Indian Agent, Col. Shaw, C. C. Vail and Mr. Bailey, accompanied by Lt. Forsyth, with 20 United States soldiers, waited on the principal chief of the Lummi tribe of Indians, and made a formal demand for the delivery up of the Indians who have committed the numerous murders recently perpetrated in this vicinity.

The good people of Stellacoom with one accord welcomed the steamer to our wharf again on last Friday evening. Her presence was rendered doubly welcome after her short absence, during which we had time to calculate the benefits derived from her periodical visits, and regret the accident which caused the temporary suspension of her trips.

From the Victoria Gazette Extra of 7th Inst.

BURNING OF THE SEA BIRD! The Vessel a Total Wreck—One Passenger Injured.

The steamer Sea Bird, which left this port this morning for Fort Langley, took fire about 18 miles out, and was burnt to the water's edge. The fire broke out in the fore hold near the end of the boiler, and gained such immediate and rapid headway that all hope of saving her was from the first abandoned.

It is expected that the Wilson G. Hunt will bring up the passengers from the ill-fated vessel, as her course lay within two miles of where the wreck lies. If the Hunt does not arrive here by 1 o'clock, the Otter will be dispatched for the passengers.

Mr. J. J. Murphy, of the Alta Express, at Whatcom, kindly furnished us by the last steamer with a liberal supply of Atlantic and California papers, for which we are truly grateful.

Stellacoom Prices Current.

Table listing various commodities and their prices, including flour, sugar, coffee, and other goods. Columns include item names and prices per unit.

New Advertisements.

DOORS AND WINDOWS. EX SHIP LEONORE—BIRD OF DOORS: 2-10 x 6-10, 2-10 x 8-10, 2-10 x 10-10, 2-10 x 12-10.

JACKS FOR SALE. 25 JACKS AND DENNIES for sale by PUGET SOUND CO. at Seattle, W. T.

Udotho Wolfe's Schnapps. A Medicinal Drink, of eminently salubrious quality, manufactured exclusively at his factory at "Clede-land, in Holland, and well known during the last twelve years throughout the Atlantic and Western Seas.

The Aromatic "Chelidum Schnapps" is consequently in great demand by persons traveling, or about to settle in those parts of the country especially, as well as by many in every community where it has been known on account of its other remedial properties.

Caution to the Public. London Cordell Gin, Club House Gin, Scheidam Schnapps, Medicinal Schnapps, Royal Schnapps, &c., &c., &c.

Puget Sound Shipping List.

STEELACOOM, W. T., SEPT. 10, 1858.

Arrived. Sept. 3—Star Constitution, Gove, 3 hrs from Olympia; pass and mail. 4th—Bellingham Bay sloop H C Page, —, in Bellingham Bay.

Star Constitution, Gove, for ports down Sound. 4th—Bellingham Bay sloop H C Page, —, ports down Sound. Star Resolute, Pray, for Seattle; passengers and freight for Olympia.

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Wistar's Balsam of Wild Cherry.

Wistar's Balsam of Wild Cherry, THE BEST REMEDY EVER KNOWN For Coughs, Colds, Asthma, Croup, Bronchitis, Influenza, Hoarseness of the Lungs, Difficult Breathing, Pain or Weakness of the Breast or Side, First Stages Consumption, &c.

Dr. J. J. Caplan's.

Dr. J. J. Caplan's. We would direct the special attention of invalids to a personal of Dr. J. J. Caplan's advertisement, to be found in another column of this paper, in reference to the services of a learned and experienced physician within their reach.

S. McCaw & Co.

Offer for Sale, at Wholesale and Retail, A GREAT VARIETY OF DESIRABLE Goods at low rates, such as Flour, Sugar, Coffee, Tea, &c.

WATCHES, CLOCKS, AND JEWELRY.

WATCHMAKER AND JEWELLER, STELLACOOM, W. T. Keeps constantly on hand, watches, clocks, and jewelry of all kinds.

PLOWS! PLOWS!

X-8 Boston Clipper Steel Plow, cut 12 inch furrow; X-4 1/2 Boston Clipper Steel Plow, cut 14 inches; X-3 1/2 Boston Clipper Plow, cut 14 inches, stubble Plow; X-1 and 1 1/2 Clipper Plow, 10 inches.

Cast Plows, ALL SIZES. No. 15, 19, 19 1/2, 23 and 22 Eagle Plows, cutting from 10 to 16 inches.

Special Notices.

Notice.—All persons who left Watches, Clocks or Jewelry with Clock Dials to be repaired are requested to call and take them away immediately, as a change in my business premises demands their removal.

All persons knowing themselves indebted to the firm of Bacon & Withers prior to the 1st of January, 1858, are hereby notified to call and settle immediately, or their accounts will be placed in the hands of an attorney for collection.

To our Patrons. We would say to our patrons, that in consequence of some changes in our business, we are desirous of a settlement with all who have running accounts with us, upon the 1st of January, 1858.

STEELACOOM LODGE, No. 8. Ancient Free and Accepted Masons, hold regular communications on the first and third Saturdays evenings in every month.

OLYMPIA LODGE, No. 5. Ancient Free and Accepted Masons, hold regular communications on the first and third Saturdays evenings in every month.

THE regular meeting of Olympia Lodge, No. 1, of the Independent Order of Odd Fellows, is held every Saturday evening, at 6 1/2 o'clock, in the hall formerly occupied by Wm. Hutchins, at the corner of the Washington Hotel.

NEW ARRIVAL.

P. KEACH. HAVING JUST ARRIVED FROM SAN FRANCISCO, per steamer Constitution, offers for sale, at the lowest cash prices, a large and well selected STOCK OF GOODS.

I have just received, per steamer Constitution, Columbia and barque Madonnas, the following articles: Sugar, Raisins, Currants, Apples, Peaches, &c.

Quincy Hotel.

Quincy Hotel. CLOTHING EMPORIUM, 140 and 151 Washington street, SAN FRANCISCO. THIS IS THE LARGEST CLOTHING HOUSE ON THE P. COAST, and Clothing of every description is sold as cheap as in any of the Eastern States.

BALCH & WEBBER.

BALCH & WEBBER, FORWARDING AND COMMISSION MERCHANTS, AND Wholesale and Retail Dealers in DRY GOODS, GROCERIES, PROVISIONS, READY-MADE CLOTHING, BOOTS, SHOES, &c., &c.

J. D. ARTHUR.

J. D. ARTHUR, Watchmaker and Jeweller, 266 Washington street, near Davis.

Udotho Wolfe's Schnapps.

Udotho Wolfe's Schnapps. Sole Importer, 22 Beaver street, New York.

Miscellaneous

It happened in the reign of King James, when Henry, earl of Huntingdon, was lieutenant of Dorsetshire, that a laborer's son in that county was pressed into the war...

City ladies boast of being more delicate than country maidens. The one breathes an air polluted with many thousand breaths; the other inhales the breeze freshened over the new mown hay.

Friendship, the wine of life, should, like a well-stocked cellar, be continually renewed; and it is consolatory to think, that although we can seldom add what will equal the generous first growth of our youth...

A Bostonian wrote to the editor of the New York Visitor, that in getting to Illinois, he experienced all kinds of go-ahead-ness. In the first place, he took a steamboat...

According to the 'Asiatic Researches,' a very curious mode of trying the titles to land is practised in Hindostan. Two holes were dug in the disputed spot, in one of which the lawyers on either side put one of their feet...

When I see leaves drop from the trees in the beginning of autumn, says Warwick, just such, think I, is the friendship of the world. While the sap of maintenance is in my friends...

The following advertisement, under the head of 'Wife Wanted,' was published some years since in an Arkansas paper: 'Any gal what's got a bod, Calico dress, coffee pot and skillet, knows how to cut out berthes, can make a luntin' shirt, and knows how to take care of children, can have my services till death parts both on us.'

Business Cards

JOB N. SEAMANN WATCHMAKER AND JEWELLER, Will attend promptly to Repairing Watches, Clocks, &c. in Steilacoom, W. T. 24-1/2

J. H. MEKEMER & SONS, DEALERS IN LIVE STOCK, FRESH MEATS, PROVISIONS, AND GENERAL MERCHANDISE.

BALCH & WEBBER, FORWARDING AND COMMISSION MERCHANTS, Dealers in DRY GOODS, GROCERIES, PROVISIONS, &c.

FRANK CLARK, ATTORNEY AT LAW, Office-Corner of Commercial and Clain streets, STEILACOOM, W. T. 1-1/2

R. P. DENNISON, ATTORNEY AND COUNSELLOR AT LAW, Whatecum, W. T.

GEORGE GALLAGHER, DEALER IN STOVES, HARDWARE, TINWARE, AGRICULTURAL IMPLEMENTS, ETC.

WILBUR & BUSHMANN, RIGGERS AND STEVEDORES, TEEKALET, W. T.

P. J. MOOREY, Wholesale and Retail Dealer in DRY GOODS, GROCERIES, ETC., ETC., STEILACOOM, W. T. 1-1/2

BARNES & AYERS, Wholesale and Retail Dealers in HARDWARE, TINWARE, COOK, BOX, AND PARLOR STOVES.

WILSON & DUNLAP, Wholesale and Retail Dealers in DRY GOODS, CLOTHING, BOOTS AND SHOES, CROCKERYWARE, &c.

A. H. GELMAN & CO., Importers and Dealers in FOREIGN AND DOMESTIC WINES AND LIQUORS.

Useful Publications.

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Leonard Scott & Co.'s REPRINT OF THE BRITISH PERIODICALS. - AND THE - "FARMER'S GUIDE."

THE PROPRIETOR OF THIS WELL known and old established house is still at his old trike - feeding the public at the low price of Six Dollars per week...

A WAGON, which belongs to the house, to convey passengers and baggage, free of charge. The public are respectfully requested to give the house a call...

WASHINGTON HOTEL, Corner of Main and Second streets, OLYMPIA, W. T.

SILAS GALIHEN, Proprietor. THE PROPRIETOR HAS RECENTLY ERRECTED, IN CONNECTION with and as a part of the "Washington Hotel," a large two-story building...

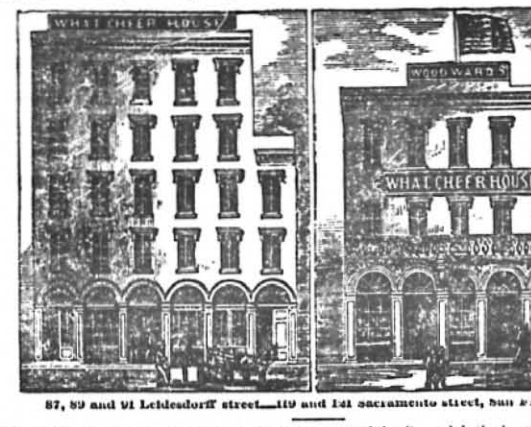
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San Francisco. WHAT-CHEER HOUSE, SAN FRANCISCO.

If you have business of any kind to transact, it is not important that you should endeavor to get as near as possible to where business of all kinds is known to center?



This establishment is centrally located in the business part of the city, and in the immediate vicinity of the Steamship Co.'s office the Express Co.'s office, and the United States Branch Mint.

BROOKLYN HOTEL, Corner of Broadway and Sansome streets, SAN FRANCISCO. THE PROPRIETOR OF THIS WELL known and old established house is still at his old trike - feeding the public at the low price of Six Dollars per week...

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THE HOSPITAL STEWARD AT FORT STEILACOOM has on hand a quantity of Medicines and Drugs, which he will sell in lots.

San Francisco. DR. L. J. CZAPKAY'S Grand Medical and Surgical Institute, Sacramento street, below Montgomery, opposite Pacific Mail Steamship Company's office, San Francisco.

Established in 1854, for the Permanent Cure of all Private and Chronic Diseases, and the suppression of quackery.

Attending and Resident Physician, L. J. CZAPKAY, M.D. Late in the Hungarian Revolutionary War, Chief Physician to the 20th Regiment of Honored Chief Surgeon to the Military Hospital of Pest, Hungary, and late Lecturer on the Diseases of Women and Children.

DR. L. J. CZAPKAY returns his sincere thanks to his numerous patients for their patronage, and would take this opportunity to remind them that he continues to youth at his Institute for the cure of chronic diseases of the Lungs, Liver, Kidneys, digestive and genital organs, and all private diseases...

Suffer not when a Cure is guaranteed in all stages of Secret Diseases. Self-cure. Nervous debility, Epilepsy in all its stages, Stricture, Gleet, Gray Urine, Diseases of the Kidneys and Bladder, Neuritic Rheumatism, Sciatica, Pains in the Back and Ankles, Diseases of the Lungs, Throat, Nose and Ears, Dropsical Swellings, Body or Limbs Swollen, Dropsical Swellings, Body or Limbs Swollen, Dropsical Swellings, Body or Limbs Swollen...

DR. GUYSSOTT'S IMPROVED Extract of Yellow Dock and Sarsaparilla IN QUART BOTTLES. IT IS ACKNOWLEDGED TO BE THE BEST Sarsaparilla made...

WILL CURE WITHOUT FAULT Scrofula, or King's Evil, Cancer, Tumors, Eruptions of the Skin, Erysipelas, Chronic Sore Eyes, Ringworm or Tetter, Scald Head, Eczema, Pains in the Bones and Joints, Old Sores and Ulcers, Swellings of the Glands, Dyspepsia, Salt Rheum, Diseases of the Kidneys, Leucorrhoea, Pains in the Neck and Side of the Neck, General Debility, Jaundice and Oedema.

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DALY'S VALLEY WHISKY. WE BEG TO CALL THE ATTENTION OF Dealers as well as consumers to the following certificates of well-known Chemists, who have analyzed "Daly's Aromatic Valley Whisky."

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