



For Delegate to Congress, HON. N. T. CATON.

Prosecuting Attorney, HON. W. G. LANGFORD.

County Clerk, J. D. Mox.

Legislative Committee, J. D. Mox.

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The Delegateship.

A dispatch informs us that the republican convention, at Vancouver, nominated Hon. T. H. Brentz, of Walla Walla, as the republican candidate for delegate.

The nominee being our townsman and a gentleman we have known for years, it will be expected of us to give an estimate of his character and ability.

Our acquaintance with Mr. Brentz commenced when he was a mere boy, riding an express between The Dalles and Canyon City.

At that time the Indians all along the road were on the warpath, and although nearly every trip Tom made he brought us news of men, women and children being murdered.

When the express boy used to come in and relate to us the details of his marvellous escapes, and how he outran the savages, we used to mentally exclaim that "Tom was not born to be shot," but we never dreamed of his being saved to run for congress.

Truly the ways of providence are inscrutable. Of Brentz's career since he reached misadventure and drifted into politics, we cannot speak so favorably.

Upon the organization of Grant county, he received from Gov. Gibbs the appointment of county clerk, and it was under his administration of the office that what is still remembered as the "Grant county fraud" was perpetrated.

BY TELEGRAPH.

SPECIAL DISPATCHES TO THE STATESMAN—PER O. S. N. COMPANY'S TELEGRAPH.

October Elections.

CHICAGO, Oct. 9.—The latest reports from Ohio say the republicans claim the state by about 5000 majority.

A Greenbacker Elected.

HUNTINGTON, W. Va., Oct. 9.—Havens, republican and greenback candidate for congress, is elected by 200 majority.

Democrats Carry West Virginia.

CHARLESTON, W. Va., Oct. 9.—The indications are that McKinnis, democrat, Third district, will have 500 majority over Walker, candidate of the republicans and greenbackers.

Republican Gains in Iowa.

BURLINGTON, Ia., Oct. 9.—Returns are coming in slowly on account of storms, but they indicate an invincible republican gain over last year.

Yellow Fever.

NEW ORLEANS, Oct. 8.—Deaths, 42; cases reported, 143; total deaths, 3363; total cases, 10,929.

Indian News from Nebraska.

CAMP ROBINSON, Neb., Oct. 8.—John McGee, an old resident here, reports this evening that Indians were seen this morning by some cattle men within this post, stealing from Crow Buttes, by means of looking glasses, in a southeasterly direction.

Meeting of Stockholders.

SAN FRANCISCO, October 9.—At the annual meeting of the stockholders of the Bank of California, to-day, the old board of directors was re-elected, Adams being chosen to fill the vacancy occasioned by the death of Michael Reese.

Financial.

PORTLAND, Oct. 9.—Legal tenders in Portland, buying, 99; selling, par. Silver coin, 1/2 to 1/4 per cent. discount.

San Francisco Produce Market.

SAN FRANCISCO, Oct. 9.—Wheat—There is no feature of interest; sellers hold back all choice and offer low grades, which are not in respect.

Dividend Declared.

SAN FRANCISCO, Oct. 9.—Bodie declared a dividend of two dollars.

Our Washington Letter.

WASHINGTON, September 26, 1878.

EDITOR STATESMAN:—From Iowa think of it—comes a journey of Senator Kirkwood that the radicals will lose four members of the house of representatives.

Here, where Senator David Davis is so well known from his long occupancy of a seat on the supreme bench, the recent mention of his name as a candidate for the "third party" for the presidency excites general interest.

In ordinary times Senator Davis is about the last of our prominent men who would be selected as a party candidate for the office.

But, constantly making the threat, he has refrained from action, all the time appearing before the court in any case which promised a good fee.

The particular case now up involves some \$300,000. His absence operates injuriously upon the interests of his clients.

None of the other attorneys are members of the judiciary committee. He should quit his political campaign for a time and come here.

In a circular issued by the post office department, it is provided that when through the office of destination, it shall be delivered to the party to whom it is addressed without any additional charge for postage beyond what would be due if the same were mailed matter of the third class; but the postmasters are requested to ascertain from the addresses of such packages the names and addresses of the senders, and report the same to the third assistant postmaster general.

The responsibility is thus fastened on the postmaster who received the "mailable matter."

The postmaster at one city complains of the postmaster at another city, and is complained of by a third postmaster, while a fourth complains of all three.

From this fact it may be inferred that more attention is paid to the matter received than to the matter sent out from the post offices.

THE CANDIDATE.—Passing a house in the outskirts of the city the other evening, we heard the following sad wail sung to a low, plaintive melody. It strikingly reveals the sacrifices of the noble men who take their characters in their hands and go forth to serve the dear people:

"Father, who travels the road so late?"

"Hush, my child, 'tis the candidate!"

"Fit example for human woes—

Early he comes and early he goes.

He greets the woman with courtly grace,

He kisses the baby's curly hair,

He calls to the farmer at the door,

He borrows the merchant, he borrows the clerk,

The blacksmith, while his anvil rings,

He greets, and 'tis his wife she sings,

"How do you wish, and how are you?"

"Ah! it fits my list as no other can,"

The horny fist of the working man."

WHILE at Prescott, General Sherman was asked about the likelihood of war with Mexico. He said: "There is no more probability of a war with Mexico than there is of one with Denmark or England. It is mere idle newspaper talk. No more reason for a war between the two Republics exists to-day than existed five years ago."

KRISTALFONSO's grief was very light over the loss of his wife, the beautiful Mercedes, for he is now about to marry the sister of his deceased wife.

ENGLAND'S GRAIN REQUIREMENT.

The London Pall Mall Gazette of September 6th, furnishes information interesting to wheat-growers and shippers on this coast, to this effect: "Mr. Caird has calculated that we shall require some 13,000,000 quarters of wheat from foreign countries this year to supplement the deficiency in our home production. This seems likely now to be an under-estimate. But taking even these figures, the outlook, in face of a falling export trade and general depression in every branch of business, is grave enough. At the current market price such an import of wheat will certainly not represent less than £30,000,000. Thus for one article of food alone we shall be paying at the rate of nearly £1 per head of the population to foreign growers. No doubt we obtain the supply far cheaper than if we attempted to grow it at home, even if so large amount could be profitably grown at all on these islands. But it is certainly a serious matter for us that our principal sources of supply—America and Russia—should show an increasing disinclination to be paid for their food in our manufactures. The protectionist policy which has almost destroyed our iron and cotton trade with the United States has no doubt been disadvantageous to that country, but it most certainly has also been damaging to us. We have now to pay for our food import from America out of profits made in other directions instead of by the interchange of production."

BRITISH COLUMBIA AND ENGLAND.—The movement recently made in British Columbia towards withdrawing from the Dominion is not favorably received in England, although the feeling is that the colonists of the Pacific coast have much cause for complaint. And at the same time it is clear that the bare conjecture that British Columbia will at some distant day desire to sever the bonds of allegiance to the mother country and become a portion of the United States is disquieting. Referring to the subject, the Pall Mall Gazette remarks: "There is nothing to show at present, of course, that this memorial is anything more than an attempt—and so far a justifiable attempt—to force the hand of the rest of the Dominion; and, whether the Canadians have been to blame or not, it is quite clear that we can never permit some 20,000 people in Vancouver's Island and British Columbia to indulge in such dreams of annexation to the United States as some agitators in their midst have lately encouraged."

THE WAR IN INDIA TO COME.—Way seems perpetuated upon the earth. Stamped out in one country, it breaks forth in another, and similarly it acts with continuity. The great war between Russia and Turkey has ceased in Europe, but the minor hostilities in the conquered and apportioned provinces of the dismembered Porte against Austria, to which power Bosnia is assigned, and in Greece against Turkey, demonstrate that the war spirit is still unquenched. And now the flame is upon the point of bursting out in Asia, between British India and the native state of Afghanistan. The trouble with the Ameer of Cabul has reached the extremity which precipitates war, at present viewed as inevitable. If it shall not lead to a clash of Russian arms with English, it will be fortunate. The indications all point that way. Should it come, then will it be a colossal struggle for the mastery of India.

REMOVAL OF WAR.—The late tour of Gen. Sherman along our Southern frontier has given rise to the rumor that the cabinet at Washington contemplates some movement which may result in war. It is not probable that the cabinet at Washington contemplates any more aggressive movement than the protection of Americans on the Rio Grande, nor is it probable that Mexico will pursue a policy which will make war a necessary result of such protection. The administration has so far pursued a cautious policy with regard to the Rio Grande troubles, erring, if at all, on the side of forbearance. There is little danger that an administration of this character will plunge the country into war.

A GENTLE country maiden in Somerset, England, answered a matrimonial advertisement. The result was an engagement and finally a marriage with a fine appearing "gentleman from town," who pretended to be in a lucrative position and to move in the best circles. He took her to town, kindly taking possession of her luggage, her wedding presents, and the money given to her by her father, and when she reached her "home" she found it to be a miserable hovel. She complained, and the husband said that if she didn't like it she could leave. She left at once, and the rascal kept the property, which seems to have been what he was after.

A DISPATCH from Washington says: The cabinet in session October 4th, approved the letter of the attorney general giving an opinion that the Utah and Oregon railroad Co. can pass through the Bannock Indian reservation. The treaty with the Bannocks is not recognized as a law of congress, which is considered superior to it, and gives the company the right to follow the prescribed line.

A DOCTOR went out west to practice his profession. An old friend met him on the street and asked him how he got along in business. "First-rate," he replied. "I've had one case." "What was that?" "It was a birth," replied the doctor. "How did you succeed with that?" "Well, the woman died and the child died; but I think I can save the old man yet."

A WARNER lady stopped the milkman as he was passing the house the other day, and inquired the price of milk by the quart, putting up her car-trumper to catch the reply. The milkman drew a quart of milk and emptied it into the trumpet, and the result has been that he has gone a mile out of his way to keep out of sight of the lady who sits on the front porch with a shot-gun, watching for him to pass.

THE SNAPE BOX has broken out with great violence in San Ignacio, Peru, says a dispatch, as many as 400 persons having died in one day. It originated in a place called Las Trélenas, near San Ignacio, where it destroyed entire families.

"WHAT'S the difference," asked a teacher in arithmetic, "between one yard and two yards?" "A fence," said Tommy Beales. Then Tommy sat on the rule fourteen times.

A "SHORTAGE" of about \$50,000 in the management of the book concern of the American Sunday-school Union has been discovered.

MARRIED life is a game, in which the woman if she is failed, is almost sure to have a strafe fall.

THERE is a grain war cloud in the East, the same being lifted from the banks of the Danube to Afghanistan, on the other side of the Kyber pass. Efforts will, of course, be made to avert a difficulty by negotiation, but the meager news from India which has reached London has already caused consols to fall, and foreign stocks are sinking.

SPIRITUAL manifestations with communications in Latin are advertised by a "mejmim." This looks like legitimate business to have such messages in the dead languages.

NOT VERY PLAUSIBLE.

The alleged answer by the Russian government to the inquiry of the English regarding the Russian embassy to Cabul, is rather diaphanous. The Russians are reported as stating that they had merely sent the embassy as a matter of courtesy, and for no political ends whatever. As an answer this is almost insulting, for it looks as though the St. Petersburg government had merely cared to maintain the semblance of fair dealing, and would not trouble itself to invent even a plausible lie to cover its chicanery. Considering the fact that Russia has pledged herself to abstain from all interference with the ruler of Afghanistan, the open dispatch of a mission to Cabul might have seemed to demand some explanation; but when it is specially followed by a defiance of the British government on the part of the Amir, the demand for specious apologies grows much stronger. It is not to be expected that the English government will put up with this preposterous statement, but it is to be hoped that at last it will recognize the hopelessness of counting upon Russian pledges or Russian honor. Lying and cheating are the favorite arts of Muscovite diplomacy, and have been since the days of Catherine, not to go further back. The Russian government in fact has no instance kept faith with another country when its own interests appeared to suggest the desirability of breaking its pledges. In Asiatic diplomacy it has made itself notorious for mendacity and base trickery, and it would be simply fatuous for the English cabinet to place any further reliance upon its shuffling and tricky assertions. The course to take is that which will most surely and swiftly avenge the insolence of the Amir of Cabul, and it is to be hoped that this will be done so effectually that no more Russian missions will ever have an opportunity of entering that country.

NORTHERN PACIFIC RAILROAD.—The annual meeting of the Northern Pacific Railroad Company was held at New York. The report of the directors was read, showing that the business of the road was increasing satisfactorily. The gross earnings for the year were \$1,193,381, and the expenses were \$831,302, leaving a net increase of \$362,079 over last year. The several divisions of the road have been operated without accident, and have been maintained in good working order, and the condition of the road is fully up to the average of railroads of the country. On account of wear and tear, one hundred and forty miles of new rails will soon have to be laid between Brainard and Fargo. The operations of the land department have been active, nearly three quarters of a million of acres being disposed of. The report says that in nine counties in Minnesota, and in seven counties in Dakota intersected by this road, the area under cultivation this year was 250,000 acres, of which 185,000 was in wheat; and the new breaking already accomplished in the same counties will add 123,000 acres for next year's crop. The population has increased forty per cent. in nine months, and the wheat product has been most bountiful. For the sale of 749,433 acres of land there were received \$2,759,432, and timber sales in Minnesota and the Pacific divisions have realized \$24,350.

THE long talked of ship canal to connect Chesapeake Bay with Delaware Bay, and shorten the water route from Baltimore to New York and Europe some 225 miles, seems now likely to become a reality. The estimated cost of the canal—seventeen miles long, 100 feet wide and twenty-five feet deep—is about \$4,000,000, and the promoters claim that the present commerce of Baltimore would give the canal an income of \$800,000 from the authorized rates of toll, twenty cents a ton. The canal is to follow the valley of the Susquehanna, and be without locks. By means of its vessels will be enabled to make three voyages between New York and Baltimore in the time now required for two, and the route will be much safer.

On Monday last a little two-year-old son of William Jones, of San Antonio, California, was nearly strangled to death by yellow jackets. His father, in going to school had taken a long pole and stirred up the nest, which was about one hundred yards from the house. The little fellow followed him a few minutes later and walked right into a perfect storm of angry yellow jackets. They soon enveloped him, and in all probability would have killed him had his screams not been heard by his sister, who ran to his assistance and rescued him from his tormentors. It was thought for awhile the child would die.

It is estimated that the cost of the yellow fever in New Orleans in money alone is \$1,680,000. When to this is added the loss of business and the subsistence during several months of prostration of business, of the poorer classes, it will be seen that there is need of all the money that has been sent.

THE London Times makes a good many very fair, but admits that the United States is ahead of everybody in inventions, in locomotive engines, and in watches, and that a St. Louis firm beats the world in the manufacture of all. The Times had to own up on account of the Paris awards.

THE Virginia City Chronicle is led to believe that the chronic barrowers are getting sharper every day. "Have you got change for \$5?" asked one over there. "Certainly," was the reply of an innocent-looking fellow, who pulled out a handful of silver. "Then loan me \$2 50," said the other, without a tremor in his voice, and he nailed the coin right there.

JOHN HALL, a negro of Hampton, Conn., married a white woman several years ago, and was very proud of her; but she seems to have regard of herself as his superior, for she whipped him before the honeymoon was over, and now has kicked him to death.

A LADY in the northern part of Herkimer county, Ohio, was so frightened at the appearance of a snake in her path that her hair, previously a glossy black, turned white.

DENVER-KEEPER.—At the residence of the bride's parents, Fort Walla Walla, Thursday evening, Oct. 10th, 1878, by Rev. H. D. McCook, Miss Catherine Amelia Keefe, eldest daughter of Major Keefe, paymaster U. S. A., to Lieut. Joseph Wilson Duncan. May their life henceforward be furnished by the evening—a reign of peace and happiness.

SCHLEISER-SCHLEISER.—In this city, October 10th, 1878, by Rev. H. W. Egan, Jost Seidler and Annie Keefe, all of this county.

JENNINGS-FRANZ.—In this city, October 10th, 1878, by Rev. H. W. Egan, Jasper Jennings and Eliza Jane Felton, all of this county.

WILLS-WILLIAMS.—At the residence of N. C. Williams, Esq., on Pataha Prairie, October 3d, 1878, by Rev. H. W. Egan, W. J. Wills to Miss N. P. Williams.

GIBSON-WHEELER.—At the residence of the N. C. Williams, Esq., on Pataha Prairie, Oct. 3d, 1878, by Rev. H. W. Egan, W. A. Gibson to Miss Mary E. Wheeler, all of Columbia county, W. T.

GARLES-SNEEPE.—In this city, on the 8th, inst., by Rev. H. W. Egan, Henry Garlets to Miss Alice Sheffer, both of Umatilla county, Oregon.

CRITTENDEN.—On the morning of the 8th inst., to the wife of Al Crittenden, a daughter; weight, 8 pounds net.

MIED.—THOMAS.—At her residence, Elizabeth E. wife A. Thomas, aged 46 years, 8 months and 11 days. Funeral to-morrow (Thursday) at 11 A. M.

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I respectfully solicit a portion of the patronage of Walla Walla and

LOCAL ITEMS.

FROM THURSDAY DAILY. We received yesterday a very pleasant call from Captain Penrose, of the celebrated fight...

MR. CHAPMAN, who was nominated by the democratic convention for county surveyor, declines to call attention to his card, declining the nomination...

THE FARMER'S HOTEL, a new two-story brick building, is being rapidly completed, and will soon be ready for occupation.

DR. G. M. STERNBERG proposes to give a series of scientific lectures on geology, to commence on Wednesday evening, October 16th...

SURE HEARER.—As we expected, now that the republican convention has met and adjourned, a number of our friends...

PAINE BROS. GENERAL.—The foundation walls of this mammoth structure are now up, and serve to give an idea of the immensity of the building.

BAKER CITY RACES.—We have not time to write up full particulars of the Baker City races. All we know for certain is, that the Foster mare beat the San Francisco Patchen, and Burbage by Sleepy Dave.

COMMISSIONER BERRYMAN has two men working out their fins turning the course of Mill creek, which of late has shown a tendency to seek a lower level under the bridge.

FURNISHED ROOM TO LET.—In the cottage on Poplar street, immediately opposite the Episcopal church. Apply on the premises.

NO DISPATCHES.—The line is down below the Dalles, and as a consequence we are unable to get the dispatches.

FROM FRIDAY'S DAILY. PREDUCING A CASE.—We have no sympathy whatever with Mercer, the man who shot and killed McDonald, the business manager of the Portland Telegram.

THE CITY COUNCIL met last night, but adjourned without taking any definite action in relation to the call for a special tax. The "ring" members feel that they are in bad odor, and hesitate about going before the people.

BOSS TWEED and his associates are expressed over our references to the doings of the city council, and object to reports of their proceedings being made public.

DR. J. H. DAY, the republican candidate for the council, is a genial, kind-hearted gentleman whom every one respects. In this regard he is in striking contrast with the "ring" candidate for the same office—a man whom nobody respects, and who never pays an honest debt if he can avoid it.

BOSS TWEED looks greatly depressed. The city attorney should give him a stimulating draught.

MILITARY.—Lieut. Bonus arrived in town at 2 A. M. this morning; his company will reach the post on Sunday next. This company has its full share of hard knocks during the late campaign, and under their gallant young commander made the first charge at Birch creek, under a heavy fire from the whole Indian line.

DELINQUENT SUBSCRIBERS, who have been furnished with bills, will understand that unless they "put up" costs will be added.

HOV. JOHN SCOTT, former member of the legislature, is urgently requested to call at this post from Boise City, under command of Lieut. Boutelle.

WOOD WANTED.—A number of subscribers have promised to pay us in wood. Now is the time to deliver the same, or otherwise they will be barred out and required to pay the cash.

ON account of the immense rush to the Palace Photograph Gallery, below the Stine House it will remain a few days longer. All that want good pictures, at such low prices, should not wait until it is everlastingly too late.

MASONIC.—A regular meeting of Columbia Lodge, No. 5, Scottish Rite Masons, will be held Friday evening, Oct. 18, at 7 o'clock. All sojourning brethren are invited to attend.

THE PENDLETON INDEPENDENT reviews its career, and says that it is now established on a permanent basis. We are always glad to hear of the success of our contemporaries.

"THE OLD VETERAN," sometimes called "city attorney," is in bad odor. Appropriating clients' money and "hiking" every one he has any business with, are scarcely passports to public favor.

STOTT & FELDMAN have opened a store on Main street, nearly opposite the post office, and will keep on hand a complete stock of lamps, oils, crockery, glassware, etc.

SCHWABACHER BROS. remodel their card this week and announce their programme for the fall campaign. The largest dealers outside of San Francisco, they are always prepared to do the right thing by customers, and sell goods at astonishingly low prices.

A SWINDLE.—Some years since Uncle Geo. Thomas was swindled out of a valuable ranch, the loss of which he still feels. The man who plundered him out of his homestead is now a candidate for public office, but it is very doubtful whether Uncle George will support him.

ADAMS BROS. are represented in the DAILY and WEEKLY STATESMAN, and as usual have a full stock of the very best goods, which they are always ready to sell at the lowest rates.

THE TWO TOMS.—It is somewhat remarkable that both the candidates are taken from Walla Walla, and still more remarkable that they are both known among their familiar friends by the designation "Tom." Neither of them are tom cats, and it is to be hoped that they will conduct the canvass without any catyrawling.

MARRIAGE CERTIFICATES.—Some of our clergymen are so busy that they cannot find time to return marriage certificates to the proper office for record. For the benefit of these gentlemen we call attention to the fact that the law attaches a fee of \$25 if the certificate is not returned for record within ninety days.

HARVEST CONCERT.—The Sunday school of Unity church, corner of Second and Birch streets, will give a concert, next Sunday evening, at 7:30 o'clock. The church will be decked with autumn leaves, flowers, grain and fruits. The exercises will consist of recitations, singing, and addresses by the pastor on "The Lesson of the Harvest." All are cordially invited. A collection will be taken for the Sunday school library.

AN EXPLANATION.—Some one has described a lawyer as one "who speaks with a forked tongue, trained to make the worse appear the better side." This accounts for the promptness exhibited by the city attorney in coming to the aid of Boss Tweed, and vouching for the "strict economy" that characterized his management of the city finances.

A SAFE.—In future the STATESMAN office will be ornamented by a fire and burglar-proof safe, imported direct from Cincinnati, at a cost of over \$200. It will surprise most persons to learn that a safe is required in a printing office, but however surprising it may be, such is the fact, and now we will be able to take care of our valuables without troubling our neighbors.

DR. MAUZEY, who has been out with Gen. Howard all summer, has again opened his office, over the express building, and will be pleased to see his friends. We are glad to have the doctor with us again, as he is one of the ablest physicians on the coast. Dr. Mauzey has always had a very large practice here, and is now kept busy night and day attending the sick.

FALL AND WINTER STOCK.—Johnson, Rees & Winans have their card in both the DAILY and WEEKLY STATESMAN, and announce their fall and winter stock, especially selected for this market. The reputation of this house for fair dealing is proverbial, and strangers who make their purchases of them are always sure to get good goods at low prices.

A HAPPY UNION.—The marriage of Lieut. J. W. Duncan, Twenty-first infantry, and Miss Catherine A. Keefe paymaster U. S. army, was one of the most pleasant events of the season. Lieut. Duncan is a son of General Thomas Duncan, U. S. A., and a grandson of the late Hon. Joseph J. Wilson, former commissioner of the general land office. The bride is a near relative of the Cameron family of Pennsylvania. The ceremonies were conducted in a quiet manner, only the relatives and garrison friends being present. The happy pair were attended by Miss Edith, sister of the bride, and Lieut. Edward Farrow, Twenty-first infantry. The bridesmaid and Lieut. Farrow first entered the room, which was beautifully decorated with flags and flowers, followed by the bride and her father, the bridegroom and the brides' mother, and the other members of the family. In the happy moments that followed, the Rev. J. D. McCoukey, of the Episcopal church, performed the marriage ceremony and pronounced the two man and wife. Congratulations were tendered, followed by music by the post band. Then a social chat, and the friends withdrew to their homes. The bride wore white swiss and satin trimmed with orange blossoms, and looked one of the loveliest of Eve's daughters. The officers appeared in full dress. For a young officer, Lieut. Duncan has seen much active service. His services rendered in the Nez Perce and in the recent Indian war are duly appreciated, and now he meets his reward. "None but the brave deserve the fair" is a truth in this case fully sustained. All left the house in happiness, some reviving their happy days' others wondering when they might go and do likewise. That perfect joy and happiness may ever attend them is the heartfelt wish of their many sincere friends.

The post band serenaded the happy pair with the following exquisite pieces, under the superintendence of the band-master, Mr. Louis Bracht: 1. "Soldier of Fortune;" 2. "National Potpourri;" 3. Waltz—"Blue Danube;" 4. Song—"Nancy Lee;" 5. Galop, 6. "Home, Sweet Home."

THE STATESMAN.—There is nothing more characteristic of a new country than a good newspaper. In this connection we point with pride to our weekly being filled with all the reading matter for the week from our daily. It is replete with interesting information pertaining to our young and prosperous territory. Besides, it has the very latest telegraphic dispatches, up to the hour of going to press, thereby filling a long-felt want among our country friends. Those wishing to keep their friends at home posted can have it mailed direct to them, without extra expense.

PIANOS AND ORGANS.—D. W. Peatrice & Co., having appointed Furman & Sutliff their Agents for the sale of Weber Pianos, Sherman & Heide Pianos, and Esley and Standard Organs for Eastern Oregon and Washington territory, they would refer all parties wishing instruments of the above make to them, as they have given them an exclusive right and agency.

PROFESSIONAL NOTICE.—In consequence of increasing city business, and in order to accommodate those who come from a distance, Dr. Boyd will be found at his rooms, from 8 till 9 o'clock, morning and evening. Let those interested govern themselves accordingly.

DUSENBERY BROS. are immensely long opening new goods, and hence are unable to write up a card in time for this issue.

DELINQUENT SUBSCRIBERS, who have been furnished with bills, will understand that unless they "put up" costs will be added.

HOV. JOHN SCOTT, former member of the legislature, is urgently requested to call at this post from Boise City, under command of Lieut. Boutelle.

WOOD WANTED.—A number of subscribers have promised to pay us in wood. Now is the time to deliver the same, or otherwise they will be barred out and required to pay the cash.

ON account of the immense rush to the Palace Photograph Gallery, below the Stine House it will remain a few days longer. All that want good pictures, at such low prices, should not wait until it is everlastingly too late.

MASONIC.—A regular meeting of Columbia Lodge, No. 5, Scottish Rite Masons, will be held Friday evening, Oct. 18, at 7 o'clock. All sojourning brethren are invited to attend.

THE PENDLETON INDEPENDENT reviews its career, and says that it is now established on a permanent basis. We are always glad to hear of the success of our contemporaries.

"THE OLD VETERAN," sometimes called "city attorney," is in bad odor. Appropriating clients' money and "hiking" every one he has any business with, are scarcely passports to public favor.

STOTT & FELDMAN have opened a store on Main street, nearly opposite the post office, and will keep on hand a complete stock of lamps, oils, crockery, glassware, etc.

SCHWABACHER BROS. remodel their card this week and announce their programme for the fall campaign. The largest dealers outside of San Francisco, they are always prepared to do the right thing by customers, and sell goods at astonishingly low prices.

A SWINDLE.—Some years since Uncle Geo. Thomas was swindled out of a valuable ranch, the loss of which he still feels. The man who plundered him out of his homestead is now a candidate for public office, but it is very doubtful whether Uncle George will support him.

ADAMS BROS. are represented in the DAILY and WEEKLY STATESMAN, and as usual have a full stock of the very best goods, which they are always ready to sell at the lowest rates.

THE TWO TOMS.—It is somewhat remarkable that both the candidates are taken from Walla Walla, and still more remarkable that they are both known among their familiar friends by the designation "Tom." Neither of them are tom cats, and it is to be hoped that they will conduct the canvass without any catyrawling.

MARRIAGE CERTIFICATES.—Some of our clergymen are so busy that they cannot find time to return marriage certificates to the proper office for record. For the benefit of these gentlemen we call attention to the fact that the law attaches a fee of \$25 if the certificate is not returned for record within ninety days.

HARVEST CONCERT.—The Sunday school of Unity church, corner of Second and Birch streets, will give a concert, next Sunday evening, at 7:30 o'clock. The church will be decked with autumn leaves, flowers, grain and fruits. The exercises will consist of recitations, singing, and addresses by the pastor on "The Lesson of the Harvest." All are cordially invited. A collection will be taken for the Sunday school library.

AN EXPLANATION.—Some one has described a lawyer as one "who speaks with a forked tongue, trained to make the worse appear the better side." This accounts for the promptness exhibited by the city attorney in coming to the aid of Boss Tweed, and vouching for the "strict economy" that characterized his management of the city finances.

A SAFE.—In future the STATESMAN office will be ornamented by a fire and burglar-proof safe, imported direct from Cincinnati, at a cost of over \$200. It will surprise most persons to learn that a safe is required in a printing office, but however surprising it may be, such is the fact, and now we will be able to take care of our valuables without troubling our neighbors.

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A PROCLAMATION. BY THE GOVERNOR. ELISHA P. FERRY, Governor of the Territory of Washington, do hereby declare that a General Election will be held in said Territory, on Tuesday, the fifth day of November, A. D. one thousand eight hundred and seventy-eight, at which the following named officers will be elected, viz:

A Delegate to represent said Territory in the Forty-sixth Congress of the United States. An Adjutant General. A Brigadier General. A Commissary General. A Quartermaster General. A Prosecuting Attorney for the First Judicial District. A Prosecuting Attorney for the Second Judicial District. A Prosecuting Attorney for the Third Judicial District. Members of both branches of the Legislative Assembly.

And all County and Precinct officers provided for by the laws of said Territory. The election to be held at said election vote "For" or "Against" the Constitution of the State of Washington. "For" or "Against" Separate Article No. one of said Constitution. "For" or "Against" Separate Article No. two of said Constitution. "For" or "Against" Separation Article No. three of said Constitution.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Great Seal of the Territory to be affixed. Done at Olympia this twenty-eighth day of August, A. D. one thousand eight hundred and seventy-eight, and of the Independence of the United States the one hundred and third. ELISHA P. FERRY.

By the Governor: N. H. OWENS, Secretary of the Territory. 40-td

NOTICE OF DISTRIBUTION. TERRITORY OF WASHINGTON, } ss. County of Walla Walla, } ss. IN PROBATE.—In the matter of the Estate of SAMUEL WATERMAN, Deceased.

CITATION.—On reading and filing the duly verified petition of JANE WATERMAN, setting forth that SAMUEL WATERMAN, her husband, died intestate in the County of Walla Walla, Territory of Washington, on the 27th day of January, 1877; that decedent at the time of his death was a resident of said county, leaving real and personal property therein, valued at \$2620; that all of said property is community property, it having been acquired since decedent's marriage with petitioner, and paying for an order distributing and assigning all of said property to petitioner as the survivor of said decedent, according to law. And it appearing to the Court that no good reason exists to issue letters of administration in the matter of said estate, it is ordered, that all persons interested in the estate of said SAMUEL WATERMAN, deceased, be and appear before the Probate Court of said county of Walla Walla, on MONDAY, the 4th day of November, A. D. 1878, at the hour of 1 o'clock, p. m., of that day, then and there to show cause, if any there be, why an order of distribution of the property described in said petition should not be made as therein prayed for. Further, that service of this citation be made on all persons interested in said estate, by publication of this order in the Walla Walla STATESMAN, a weekly newspaper printed and published in the city and county of Walla Walla, Washington territory, for four successive weeks prior to said 4th day of November, 1878.

R. GUICHARD, Probate Judge. Dated Walla Walla, October 24, 1878. 44-4w

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A NEWSPAPER'S AVOCATION.—When we consider the varied ideas of people not in the journalistic business, concerning the object and duties of running a newspaper, especially a country one, we wonder that there are so many who are willing to assume the grave responsibilities of becoming an editor.

NICE PEOPLE.—If anybody who uses the term were called on to define "nice people" he would find it somewhat difficult; yet the word is in constant use.

AN INTERESTING RELIC.—At low tide a Monterey, a part of the wreck of a vessel called the Natalia, can be seen through very few people who do not know it.

THE PALOUSE COUNTRY.—From a gentleman residing in this section we gather the following: The Palouse country proper is about 140 by 175 miles on both sides of Snake river.

"How came you to be a drunkard?" asked a friend of Tom Marshall, of Kentucky, in conversation with him.

It seems that crime follows in the wake of a fraudulently seated president and that where there is the presence of the beneficiary of the great national pocket-picking there the petty thieves feel emboldened to ply their vocation.

INCREASE OF SHIPPING.—There are at this time not less than twenty-two deep-water vessels lying in this port, (Portland.)

ANOTHER CENTENNIAL.—The New York press is endeavoring to get up an agitation for the holding of an international exhibition in that city in the year of 1889, to commemorate the centennial of General Washington's inauguration to the presidency of the United States.

WOMEN'S RIGHTS. Boston, Sept. 21, 1878. DEAR SIR:—In behalf of the American Woman Suffrage Association, of which Lloyd Garrison is president, and Mrs. Lucy Stone, chairman executive committee, I am instructed to address you in regard to the amendments, No. 1 and No. 2, of your proposed state constitution, which if adopted will extend impartial suffrage to women.

There are thousands of excellent people in our Eastern, Middle and Southern states, who feel the pressure of the times, and are about to go West. They are in sympathy with this movement.

GRAIN IN OREGON.—The receipts of wheat continue very large from a variety of causes, principal of which is that the season has but just opened. Shipments to California by the steamship lines are regular and firm.

Wool.—All who have given attention to this subject know that this valuable export has, in those counties where successfully produced, been a great lever of prosperity.

CAPTAIN L. DALL, formerly a captain of ocean steamers, but latterly an employe in the U. S. mint in San Francisco, was arrested lately upon the charge of appropriating bullion.

GEN. GARFIELD'S CONSTRUCTION OF THE HOMESTEAD LAW.—A dispatch from Washington says General Garfield, in response to a telegram from some gentleman in this city interested in the matter, sends the following as his construction of the homestead law.

PROGRESS.—The following statistics illustrating the progress and growth of the new county of Columbia are of public interest: Number of inhabitants, 5771; number of voters in the county, 1705; number of voters in Dayton, 251; number of voters east of Tecumseh, 605; total assessment, \$1,520,887; personal property, \$1,014,235; real, \$506,652; increase of population, 1944—over 50 per cent over 37 per cent.

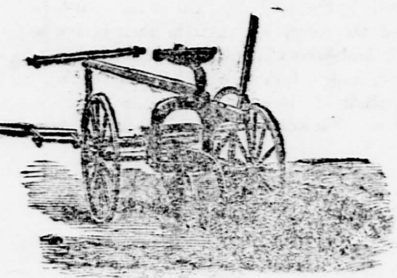
THE RELATIONSHIP OF A MAN AND WOMAN in rainy weather is easily discovered. If they are lovers the woman will have all the umbrellas, and the man won't care a fig how wet he gets.

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