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Do I speak really? Truth it is! That in this great place of life A man may eat a hero's part, Amid the daily toil and strife!

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selections he made, and the evidently superior taste and judgement which allowed him to admire articles he was not ashamed to confess he could not afford to buy.

"Allow me to set it down; the price is low, extremely low for the quality and workmanship. There has been but one of the pattern sold yet, and that to Lord A—, so universally known as a patron of art."

"Thank you, sir; my circumstances would not justify it. I have already purchased more than I intended. Make them into a parcel that will do for the fall."

"What name, sir? and will you call and affix the address?" "Yes—Douglas," said the gentleman.

"My family are of Derby," was the reply of the naval gentleman, who was evidently pleased with the shopkeeper's civility.

"I do not doubt you will add glory and honor to the name of the Douglases ever brave."

"I think not, they will be safer here till we go down to Derby, which will be very shortly, for London doesn't agree with me."

"I have injured my watch, and some gentlemen present, when it fell, recommended me to you both for promptness and efficiency."

"Indeed, sir, I am sure they did me great honor; but we do please, and study to do it, and we succeed. Returned from the Crimea recently, sir?"

"Not very; but this is the first time I have been out, in consequence of my wounds," said the captain—for such he appeared to be—sitting himself.

"Indeed, we might say the vital chord is severed." "Not quite so bad as that, I hope!" was the response, accompanied by a feeble smile.

"Quite, sir, I assure you, quite. We can get no motion—none whatever." And he gave the watch a twist.

"No time like the present allow me to show you some!" and the courteous Douglas led the way into the show-room, where he was more than ever convinced of his customer's gentility, by the costly

circumstances, he determined to go home, and, as he rode along, it was comforting assurance that he left the goods at the shop; this was a source of great satisfaction to him, but he now suddenly recollected that he had not forbidden their being taken away, and that his former heard the purchaser's final order, should he return it would make assurance doubly sure, and yet he could not doubt the honesty of his customer, or the correctness of his own estimate of that gentleman's character, and while he mused on those things he was drawing near to home, where he determined to go, have a hearty dinner, and return to the shop. It must be all right, he said, and yet he was far from easy about the matter.

It was not long, the city dines so early, and he might get back and find his newly-found relative waiting for him at the shop. This rather reassured him, and he ascended the stairs into the dining room, and his wife's presence, tolerably good-natured and well contented with the day's business, but it so happened, for particular reasons, Mrs. Douglas wanted to dine early that day, and here was he an hour later than usual, and the consequence out of temper. They ate in silence; but as the dinner drew to a close, Mrs. Douglas threw a little.

"How came you to buy to-day?" she asked. "To what?" "To purchase a thousand pounds worth of plate."

"Good God, wife!" he shrieked, rather than said, and like a madman, the "shrewd," the "wicked," Douglas raved about the room—the light had burst upon him in a moment, and had overwhelmed him. His wife sat and looked amazed, unable to guess the meaning of his strange behavior.

"You gave it him?" "Yes, the thousand pounds—there is your note, and here the key of your desk," said his wife, rising.

"It isn't mine, sir, putting out a bunch to compare them. 'Alas! they are alike, though, I am ruined forever!'"

It was a long time before he was sufficiently calm to explain; and ere he had half done so, the last words of the departing captain, spoken in the foreman's hearing, recurred to him, and he rushed frantically out of the house back to the shop; but it was too late. But few minutes had elapsed since his leaving the shop and the removal of the hamper in a carriage with the one-armed sea captain, who had doubtless washed his departure. All efforts to trace the naucler Douglas proved fruitless. Nor could any clue be obtained to his mysterious possession of the key, or knowledge that the notes which were only in the desk one day, and would have been in the bank next, were in the keeping of Mrs. Douglas.

This in one day was the man, who valued his shrewdness, "done" out of one thousand pounds and an equivalent in plate. When he next heard of a man who would have the key to get the best of him, he would be glad to get the best of him, he would be glad to get the best of him, he would be glad to get the best of him.

THE END OF A RUNAWAY MATCH.—A few years ago the marriage of Miss Boker, a young, beautiful and accomplished lady, with her father's coachman, John Dean, set all the scandal mongers of Gotham on end. A sad attendant to the "strange eventful history" was now to be added.

THE HUSBAND obtained an office in the Custom House, and saved money enough to open a public house at the foot of Grand street, Walla Walla. But as for John Dean, he could not keep a hotel. It is said "he was his own best customer," and as a natural result, he commenced treating his wife badly.

LAZY BOYS.—A lazy boy makes a lazy man, just as sure as a crooked sapling makes a crooked tree. Who ever yet saw a boy grow up in idleness, that did not make a shiftless vagabond when he became a man, unless he had a fortune left to keep up appearances? The great mass of thieves, paupers and criminals, have come to what they are by being brought up in idleness. Those who constitute the business part of the community—those who make our great and useful men—were taught in their boyhood to be industrious.

A MINISTER putting his hand upon a youngurchin's shoulder, exclaimed, "My son, I believe the devil has got you." "I believe so too," was the reply, "but I guess he's not dangerous; do other one (pointing to a good looking young preacher) put both arms around me, and he is just like me."

THE LONG AND SHORT OF IT.—A young girl remarked, when other girls were making fun of her short skirts and pants, affecting to be much shocked at the exhibition thereof, at a party. "If you'd only pull your dresses about your necks, where they ought to be, they would be as short as mine."

LEADING QUESTIONS.—Orpheus C. Kerr says that the female Southern Confederates, who wish to pass to the south of our lines, are asked the following questions by the officers of the Mackerel Brigade: "For how many years has your age been just twenty-two?"

How many novels do you consume per week? Do you work slippers for the hearthen? If so, for what He then? What newspaper's marriages and deaths do you consider the best?

THE TWO PORTRAITS.—You have heard the story of the Italian artist, who, meeting with a child of exquisite beauty, wished to preserve its features for fear he should never see such loveliness again. So he painted the charming face upon canvas, and hung it upon the walls of his studio. In his somber hours that sweet, gentle countenance was like an angel of light to him. Its presence filled his soul with the purest aspirations. If ever I find, he said, a perfect contrast with this beautiful face, I will paint that also and hang them side by side, an ideal of heaven and hell. Years passed. At length in a distant land he saw, in a prison, the most hideous object he ever gazed upon—a fierce, haggard fiend, with glaring eyes and cheeks deeply furrowed with lust and crime. The artist remembered his vow, and immediately painted a picture of this loathsome form, to hang beside the lovely boy. The contrast was perfect. His dream was realized. What was the surprise of this artist, on inquiring into the history of this horrid wretch, to find that he was once that lovely little boy! Both of these pictures, the angel and the demon of the same soul, now hang side by side in the Tuscan gallery.—Home Monthly.

AN APPROPRIATION OF A LADY'S LEG. The editor of the London Leader touches for the truth of the following statement: "Late one evening a person came into our office and asked to see the editor of the Leader. On being introduced to our sanctum he placed a bundle upon the table, from which he proceeded to extract a fair and symmetrical lower extremity, which had evidently belonged to a woman."

WAR FRAZES.—Josh Billings takes a logician of war frazes: "On to Richmond," that is us, if the kussed rebels will allow it. "Military Necessity"—10 officers and a gallon of whisky to every 3 privates. "Onions the durned things; if you don't see 'em, 'll git 'em." "War of Extermination"—This fraze belongs wholly to the commissaire department.

"Advance Guard"—This is a gard tha hav tu hav in our arms to keep our fellers from pitchin' into the enemy from 'rind." "Rays of Light"—This is a gard tha hav tu hav in our arms to keep our fellers from the enemy back'ards.

"Militaire Strateja"—Billion to reduce a swamp by ketchin a trillion fever out ov it. "Pickets"—These are chaps that are cent out to borry tubacker up the enema, and to see if the tubacker rebels has got a pass.

BONNETS.—The bonnets in which our fashionable dames and damsels have framed their faces for the promenade this winter are not, to speak mildly, the perfection of grace and beauty. The tilt skyward as if each had got a lightning tip in front or a downward pull behind from some passing wayfarer, and contain, between the forehead and the peak, from a small measure to a half-peck of artificial flowers, ribbons and velvet. Since the celebrated "sky-seraper" of some thirty years ago, Fashion has never produced a style of bonnet so eminently ridiculous. We have yet to see the woman who looks well in one of them—with one exception.

DIFFERENCE OF OPINION.—The mere politician will tell you that the defeat of the party by the country is not a matter of party philosophy. If the people have made a mistake, the people can and will rectify it. They have pronounced in favor of a change of policy, and he is willing to see the experiment tried. Such client revolutions are necessarily incidental to popular government. In the right to accomplish them consists the essence of rational liberty. Where public opinion can be peacefully ventilated through the ballot box it rarely explodes in riot and disorder. Ballots supersede the necessity for barricades.

ONE of the waltzers in the Phenix Hotel at Lexington, Ky., describes his experience with the rebel officers who tarried there during Dugg's invasion. He says: "Every one of dem rebels made his own money, and they was dem fave wid it, coz they know'd it didn't cost nuffin. One german give me five dollars for brackin his boots, and I tole him he was berry kind; but if it was all dem same to him I'd rather had a dime. He told me den I was a Yankee nigger, and he didn't gib me nuffin."

REVEREND.—"Cranberries applied as a poultice will effectually cure the erysipelas. There is not an instance known where it has failed to effect a cure when faithfully applied before the sufferer was in a dying state. Two or three applications generally do the work. Run a man of his life and you will be hung; rob him of his living, and you may be applauded. A MERCHANT'S MACBETHIAN DREAM.—The Ghost of bank-ows.

NEVER communicate your affairs to one who seems anxious to learn them.

No Express.—We are again compelled to go to press without later dates from the East and California and Oregon. It can not be more unpleasant to readers to receive a paper barren of news than it is to present them with such an one. We think we can safely promise something more of interest in our next. The river is open and the snow is gone, and there is no probable impediment in the way of the arrival of an express before our next issue.

Short Sighted.—We have occasionally heard the remark made by visitors to our town, within the past few months, that the discoveries of mines in the Boise and Powder river regions would detract from the trade of Walla Walla; that the emigration would all be in that direction, &c. Such an idea is short-sighted at least. On the other hand, the discoveries of those mines will increase the trade here; for prior to their discovery no supplies went in that direction from this place; and even, though the trade that may go there henceforth be limited, it will be just that much more than we otherwise could have counted upon. And besides, the developing of these mines is fast settling up the Grand Ronde valley with a permanent agricultural population, and the supplies for that valley will mainly go from this city. The idea that because these discoveries have been made the rich places to the north and east of us will cease to attract will become obsolete, in the minds of those who now express the above opinion, before the mining season is fairly open. The mines at Oro Fino, Colville, Bitter Root and Warren's Diggings, it is generally acknowledged, are yet but fairly prospected, and Florence still holds out inducements for a large number of miners, and for years to come these mines alone will support a much larger mining population than has ever yet been in the country. The notion, then, that the trade of any of the established towns or trading posts in the upper country will diminish here, is illogical; and with Walla Walla especially we venture the opinion that, as in the past, her trade will double with each succeeding year.

From Oro Fino.—Mr. Cann, Wells, Fargo & Co.'s messenger between Lewiston and Oro Fino, called upon us this week and gave us some interesting items in regard to the Oro Fino mines. Mr. C. has been a resident of Oro Fino since the first discovery of the mines there, and expresses the opinion that they will yield more richly in the future than they have ever done before. During the present winter, since the miners have been unable to work in their surface diggings, many have employed themselves in prospecting in the adjacent hills by tunnelling, and have almost uniformly succeeded in finding rich deposits. In many of the tunnels prospects have been obtained which insure thirty to forty dollar diggings, and the average will probably not be less than \$16 to \$20. Tunnels have been begun at various points along the Oro Fino creek for an extent of five or six miles, and the prospects all along are favorable for the above average. The pay dirt is near the bedrock and varies from two to three feet in depth. The surface diggings are by no means worked out and the miners there are generally contented with their prospects, and will remain and work their claims in preference to seeking for better diggings in other mining regions.

The new diggings at Bald mountain, alluded to in our last, are good so far as prospected, and the claims taken will yield an average of \$16 per day. The gold is coarser than that obtained on Rhode's creek, and is found both in the creek and gulches. There had been about three hundred persons in these mines but owing to the depth of the snow—five feet—prospection could not be done to advantage, and the great majority of prospectors returned to their homes at Oro Fino and elsewhere to await the opening of spring before they try further prospecting there. There are sixty claims occupied in the Bald Mountain diggings, all of which are known to be rich, and the miners there have formed a district, six miles square, and adopted a code of laws for the government of the mines.

The Next Year's Emigration.—From all accounts—through private letters from the States—the next year's emigration across the plains to this country will be by far the largest that has ever occurred. We have seen a number of letters addressed to parties in this valley making inquiries in regard to the country, and the writers generally state that an unprecedented emigration may be looked for next year. From Auburn we hear the same reports. The glowing description of the mineral wealth of the country, written back by the emigrants there—and its rich characters, of course, as only new comers, who have for the first time seen gold dug from the earth can give—has had a feverish influence upon their friends in the east, and, with the troubles there, which have robbed their homes of their charms, will induce them to come by thousands to the West.

Shooting at Coffee.—A man known as Bill Buntin shot another named Dan Griswold, on Thursday afternoon, at Coppell. A dispute arose between them, in relation to a horse race, and Buntin—who was intoxicated—drew a revolver and shot Griswold twice, through the body, killing him instantly. One story says that Griswold first drew a knife; another denies it. Buntin immediately got on his horse and fled.

From Boise.—We received no letters from our Boise friends by the last express, but have seen several private letters from there, which speak in usual favorable terms of the mines. One addressed to H. J. Meehan, from a friend, says he has found claims that will pay from one to two ounces per day. He also states that Moore's creek is the place for business, and that there is little danger of over doing the market with any kind of merchandise required by miners. We have heard, however, of some letters which have been received by parties here which do not point the picture all in sunshine. They predict that the mines will be overdone, and that the diggings will not prove so extensive as some there think. The majority of the testimony, though, is the reverse of this. Prospecting cannot be done to advantage, on account of the depth of the snow—three to five feet—and it is fair to presume that while some over estimate, others go the opposite extreme. In either case it would be well, perhaps, for persons intending to go to the mines, to give some "margin" to statements before they choose the Boise region in preference to all other camps in the upper country, or reject it in favor of some other locality.

Winter vs. Chinook.—Winter closed on Sunday night last as suddenly as it came upon us, and to the great astonishment of new-comers everywhere. Sleighting parties who went from the town to the country, or came from the country to town during Sunday evening, awoke in the morning and found themselves compelled to ride home on the bare ground. Where there was five and six inches of snow on Sunday night at ten o'clock, there was not a "midnight" left on Monday morning. The cause of this "sudden disappearance" is attributable to the "Chinook wind," which arose on Sunday night, about eleven o'clock—at first gentle, but soon changed to heavy gusts, which came howling over the mountains and pouring through the valley, making the frail wooden tenements totter, and causing the snow to melt as rapidly almost as if under the influence of an Arabian Simoom.—Thus after one week of genuine winter weather—of sleigh-riding and conviviality, and before the irrepressible and fun-loving had become satiated with the sports of the season—the old "Chinook" asserted its sway, and opened the way for the advent of spring. Verily Chinook, thou art a great institution!

A MISTAKEN IDEA.—We learn from Oro Fino that miners and claim-holders there are becoming fearful that the Boise excitement will attract all the emigration and cause such a scarcity of hands at Oro Fino that they cannot work their claims to advantage. They need give themselves no trouble on that score, for even though the entire emigration should go to Boise, and the mines there prove to be all that has ever been represented of them, we venture the opinion, that before the mining season has fairly begun miners will be leaving there as rapidly almost as they go in. They will seek other localities, and of course Oro Fino, offering the inducement it does to miners, will get its share of them. The miners at Oro Fino have only to refer to the history of all the mines ever discovered on the Pacific coast to convince them of this; for it is not likely that the Boise mines will prove an exception to the general rule.

Limestone and Lime.—Eds. STATESMAN.—I have just learned from Mr. Edward Sawtell that limestone has been discovered on his claim, situated some twenty-two miles from Walla Walla, ten miles from Snake river, eighteen miles from Walla, and on the Touchet, about two miles below John Manion's claim. My informant also states that he and Mr. Armstrong have just finished burning a kiln of some two hundred bushels. The stone is easily quarried, nothing more being needed for the purpose than a crowbar and pick. He also states that there are two qualities of stone, blue and white. That which has just been developed is of the blue.

ATTEMPTED ESCAPE.—Mr. Buckley, on going to make his usual inspection of the prisoners at the jail on Tuesday morning last found that one of them, Crowl, alias James Powell, had been engaged in attempting to cut a hole through his cell. He had effected an opening through the first tier of logs, and had begun operations on the second, and outside one, and would have succeeded in making his way through that in a few more hours. On searching him, Mr. Buckley found a small piece of tin, which had been used in this work and which he protested were the only instruments used by him. He had broken off the tin from a water pail which was used in the prison, and with this and the fragment of a shackle he had worked manfully for two nights—more manual labor, perhaps, than he had ever performed before in his life.

FARMING CLAIMS.—No one can ride over the valley without noticing the great number of farms that are now being enclosed by ditch fences. A great deal of land that was considered worthless two years ago is now enclosed, and the necessary plowing and preparation is being made upon it for next year's crop. This progress in farming ought to encourage all business men; for certainly nothing can give more security to business than a healthy farming population.

MILITARY POST AT BOISE.—It is reported that an order has been issued by the War Department for the building of a military post at Boise.

Almost Fright or Van's Adventures on Horseback.

The "Inimitable" of Wallula, met with one of those "escapes last week which serve to make up the events in the history of every man's life, and furnish the foundation for a "harrowing tale" to be told in after years by the actor, either as a matter of entertainment to the "gaping throng," (who, listening, wonder at the hardihood of the men of the older time,) or as a warning to the equally daring and intrepid. The company which left this city for Auburn three weeks ago, as before stated, returned on Thursday last. At Wild Horse creek, they separated—"Van," to take the nearest road across the desert to Wallula, and the others to come to Walla Walla. The party for this place arrived in the evening of the same day and enjoyed themselves in relating the "funny things" that had occurred on their trip, and the good jokes they had perpetrated on each other, until Saturday evening, when news was received from Wallula that Van had not got home that morning at ten o'clock, which cast a gloom over them and for the time embroiled their pleasures in sorrow. The snow was at its time from six inches to a foot deep on the desert, and it was thought that no man—and especially one who had been up all the night previous, hunting, with his party, for a lost trail—could withstand the natural inclination to give himself up on the 2d and 3d nights, to the embrace of morpheus, in which extent, and on such nights, with the cold snow drifting around him, he must inevitably "sleep the sleep that knows no waking." The party and others at once set about devising ways and means to go in search of the lost one.—While preparations were being made to this end, news was conveyed to the party that Van had been seen by the soldiers of the 1st Cavalry, with commendable humanity, at once sent a detachment of dragoons, equipped with rations for a three day's march, and with instructions that they must not return without the body of "Van," dead or alive. The dragoons traveled all night and reached Wild Horse creek on Sunday morning. During the day an expressman came in from Auburn, bringing intelligence that after Van had left his party and traveled some five or six miles in the direction of Wallula, his pack horse stamped from him and went back to the starting-point. Van, followed and recaptured him and again set out on his lone journey for Wallula about three o'clock in the afternoon—traveling, according to the landlady's statement not exactly in the direction of Wallula. This news, like some of our eastern despatches, was regarded as "unfavorable," and, in the minds of everybody here, Van was considered as being at rest—resting-place upon the cold, cold ground.

Where as kind Chinook would blow him warm and keep dear life in his many form. Yet inquiry was not silenced nor hope dead, and in the evening "special" arrived from Wallula, bringing the glad tidings that Van had got home, slightly wounded by the sleep he had spent, yet still "inimitable." On the receipt of the news everybody "know'd" Van would come out all right! A brief note, brought up by the messenger, written in Van's own unmistakable chirography explained what had been a "do." Night came on soon after the "special" left up at the mouth of the Touchet, having "entered" out all night, and nearly two days on horseback. He further stated that after he arrived at the Touchet trail he "kept it, you bet."—Having, in this brief manner related the "inimitable" Van's adventures we are gratified to state that he is now at home, and still being "inimitable" in his living example of the fact that "a man who is born to—will never be frid."

FARMERS who have oats and barley on hand should not be deterred by the present decline in prices from putting in large crops the coming spring. At present the market is glutted by speculators, who have been holding for high prices, and who are now anxious to dispose of a part of their large stock. Oats and barley will be required for three months yet as feed for mules and horses. The present winter has been very favorable for stock and animals have kept in splendid condition feeding upon grass alone. In all probability next winter will not be so mild and grain will be in better demand.

TWO INDIANS HUNG.—Two Cayuse Indians were hung at Fort Walla Walla on Monday last, by order of Col. Steinberger, commander of the post. These Indians were tried at the post last fall for the murder of a man on the Umattila, and were sentenced to be hung. An officer started with them to Vancouver, and while on the way the Indians escaped, and subsequently attacked and wounded a packer on Wild Horse creek. They were recaptured at Lapwai a short time ago and returned to this post last week. They met death with the usual coolness and indifference of their race.

"THE COVE."—At the place called "The Cove" in and near the center of Grand Ronde valley, they have had no snow during the winter. There are several hot springs in that vicinity. Nearly all the stock in the valley—amounting to six or eight thousand head—has congregated there, and is doing well. There is a fine settlement there and several farms are being opened in the vicinity.

NEW ROAD.—A company has been formed in Grand Ronde valley for the construction of a new road from Leo's Encampment, on the Blue mountains to La Grande. A bridge is to be built across the Grand Ronde river near Fox's Saw mill. It is said the road shortens the distance over the old emigrant road to La Grande and Auburn, and is in every respect much better, avoiding bad hills, gulches &c.

HOT BEDS AND GARDENING.—Preparations are already being made by gardeners and others for the planting of garden seeds. Judge Kelly informs us that he has already sown a variety of seeds in his hot beds and will have vegetables in abundance by the middle of next month.

Taxing the Miners.

Eds. STATESMAN.—Through your paper I see the question mooted in regard to taxing the mines in our gold and silver fields, and also a proposition to sell such lands for mining purposes as are known to be rich in mineral wealth. Owing to the present necessity on the part of our Government to raise funds I would not be surprised if something of the kind were to be proposed as a war measure. But as raising funds for such purposes should have a say.—The proposition therefore to tax miners will first claim attention.

An eight per cent. tax would almost, if not quite, result in a prohibition of mining, from the simple fact that there is not one miner in fifty that realizes more than eight per cent of the gross proceeds of his operations as profit; and in order to do what I can to support the Government; and am not disposed to question the policy of the Administration, as to the proper means of prosecuting a war against rebellion. But as raising funds for such purposes should have a say.—The proposition therefore to tax miners will first claim attention.

The sale by Government of mining land does not create a great increase in affairs; but I am not clear but it would be very satisfactory to nearly all of the miners provided there was the necessary restrictions to prevent monopoly. I see no reason why the mineral land of the United States may not in this way become taxable. Give the miner a right of year and a day to purchase the land at a price not to exceed the ordinary tax. But the idea of eight per cent. tax on the products of the mines, I look upon as simply ridiculous.

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Gen. Bank's Proclamation.

The following is Gen. Bank's Proclamation, issued from Headquarters Department of the Gulf, at New Orleans Dec. 16, 1862.

In obedience to orders from the President, I have assumed command of the Department of the Gulf, as added, by his special order, the State of Texas.

The duty which I am charged requires me to assist in the restoration of the Government of the United States. It is my duty to secure to the people of every class all the privileges of possession and enjoyment which are consistent with public safety, or which it is possible for a beneficent and just Government to confer.

THE EFFECT OF THE ALABAMA DEPREDACTIONS.—Since the receipt of the news of the capture and destruction of some dozen or more of our ships by this scourge of the seas, there has been a decided falling off in the shipments from the Gulf of California, and the month of November the number of vessels cleared at this port for European ports was one hundred and eighty-two, of which only seventy were American, while the corresponding month of the year 1861, was two hundred and forty-two clearances for the same destinations, of which one hundred and thirty-eight were under our flag.

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Base and Antidote—Rival British Journals.

With us, as with yourselves, we are split in opinion on every point connected with the momentous struggle you are now carrying on. Some of your readers will say that I am telling them nothing new—that I am, in fact, repeating what is very stale; to which I may answer that I know that very well, but that there are many things a journalist must repeat again and again, in order to impress a truth upon the world. Now the truth I wish to establish is this, that it is hardly just on the part of America to visit upon the heads of the British people in general, the antagonistic opinions expressed against America by a portion of the British press—opinions that are upheld by a very small section of the British people, and are certainly not actively favored by the British Government.

Let it never be said either that the East and the West may be separated. Thirty days distance from the markets of Europe may satisfy the wants of Louisiana or Arkansas, but it does not satisfy the demands of Illinois and Ohio. The Valley of the Mississippi will have its outlet to the Atlantic. The physical force of the West will detach upon its shores, as a part of the continent, as the torrent of its great rivers. This country cannot be permanently divided. Ceaseless wars may drain its blood and treasure; domestic tyrants or foreign foes may grasp the scepter of its power; but its destiny remains unchanged. It will still be united. God has ordained it. What avail then, the destruction of the best government ever constituted in this country, the self-correcting constitution of the United States?

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Regular meetings of Enterprise Lodge No. 2, I. O. O. F. are held every Wednesday evening at 8 o'clock.

Washington's Birthday Ball.
A Grand Ball will be given on the evening of Feb. 22nd by the Walla Walla Fire Engine Co. No. 2.

Washington Crossing the Delaware.
Washington, with his army, crossed the Delaware on the night of the 26th of December, 1776.

WINTER SPORTS.—During the stay of our brief winter everybody seemed to enjoy and make the most of it while it lasted.

Ice.—Parties down at Wallula "sawaled themselves of the opportunity" during the freeze up last week.

CLEARING THE STREETS.—We noticed a deputation of the city fathers stirring about yesterday superintending the clearing up of the streets.

Important to Preceptors.
This lands in Walla Walla county are to be offered at public sale next summer.

Notice.
All persons having claims or demands against the estate of Wm. A. Mix and Charles Howell, deceased, are requested to call and make immediate payment.

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AN ACT

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Sec. 23. Whenever it shall happen, in consequence of sickness, absence from home, or any other cause...

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Sec. 27. And the supervisor shall have the right to suspend any person from the office of supervisor...

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NOTICE: I hereby give notice that M. L. FRANK has been admitted a partner in the firm of Schwebaker, Bro's & Co. Walla Walla, Jan. 1, 1863.