

FROM NEW TACOMA.

Mr. Adams—Perhaps no letter this time will be of such a character...

Those "Union" meetings were interrupted by the appearance of quite a disunion element...

Living at this distance from the scene, and looking on, I think unprejudicedly...

The day school is well attended, the pupils making marked progress...

Another Presbyterian Church (we are informed) will be erected on Lopez Island...

This thing of one sect of Christians, and especially of a minister resolving himself into a missionary to convert other Christians...

When will Christians learn contesey? When will they learn to be modest and respect the feelings of those who differ with them?

Mr. Frank Clarke is building a fine residence in our city, and will, as soon as it is completed, remove his family hither to take up their residence among us.

We cheerfully give place to the above, because of the very sensible and logical view taken by our correspondent...

FARMERS who take pride in raising fine live-stock, and vegetables, will do well to read the advertisement inserted to-day...

FOR good cranberries go to Messrs. Rothschild & Co. 50 cents per gallon.

The young people, with their fathers, have their little gala days and nights...

The farmers are actively engaged in making preparations for ploughing and sowing...

The Lime Kiln with its excellent store of well assorted goods and its stirring management, is bustling with life and activity...

The day school is well attended, the pupils making marked progress, under the skilful tutorage of Mr. A. Barnett...

Another Presbyterian Church (we are informed) will be erected on Lopez Island, ere long...

The worst enemy of the ignorant is light. If we could get them all into one place and illuminate them...

There is light enough. We need no more. But we do need more men who will not persist in going round in this midday of civilization...

Live men love the light. In it they are sure to meet other live men and it is good company. Let us open the doors and windows of our schools and let the blessed light in...

As I can no longer afford to be careless about collecting outstanding accounts, I shall, within the next thirty days, politely urge a settlement...

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OUR WASHINGTON LETTER.

WASHINGTON, D. C., Jan. 25, 1878.

Whatever may be thought as to the good taste of Mr. Blaine's rather uncomplimentary allusions to the history of Massachusetts in his presentation speech of the William King statue last Wednesday in the Senate, the ignominious route of both Mr. Dawes and Hoar in their attempt to reply, seems admitted on every hand. Notwithstanding the fact that they were notified of the direction likely to be taken by the Maine Senator, they neglected to post themselves, thus enabling their opponent to start with a decided advantage, which was further enhanced through their loss of temper. Another mistake and one which cost them the sympathy of every listener, was the personal turn they sought to give the controversy when they discovered their own incompetency to parry the damaging home-thrusts of Mr. Blaine. They were fairly overwhelmed and crushed by the formidable array of facts, stated with characteristic impetuosity and every one supported by undoubted authority; and it would seem that the efforts of Messrs. Dawes and Hoar are not even appreciated at home, the Massachusetts State Senate having refused to concur in a resolution of thanks to their two U. S. Senators originated in the House.

It seems to be the general belief entertained here among politicians of every school that the efforts now making apparently to re-organize the Bristow faction and to put that gentleman in training for Presidential nomination by the next Republican Convention, will prove quite as decided a failure as was his candidacy in 1876, though he should come endorsed and urged by the present White House incumbent. It puzzles those here most familiar with his achievements as Secretary of the Treasury to account for the distinction sought to be conferred by giving him a "State dinner" in any way other than to suppose it intended to formally endorse him as a suitable person to succeed Mr. Hayes. The careful grooming, so to speak, that he has just received at Boston at the hands of the click heretofore politicians, who dominate political affairs in the Bay State, is painted too as confirming this view; but outside of a few personal adherents, most of them credited with nothing higher than interested motives, Mr. Bristow was about the most unpopular here of any of the several candidates who made the race at Cincinnati in June 1876; and he was almost forgotten when it was announced that Messrs. Schurz, Evarts and Sherman of the Cabinet, Senators Edmunds, Allison, Beck and Davis and Chief Justice Waite and their wives and daughters would unite with the President's family in honoring Mr. Bristow at a State Dinner given last evening at the White House.

Day after day the wires are burdened with announcements of new failures of old houses of a half century's growth toppling into the abyssal depths of bankruptcy and ruin until business men—everybody, save Congressmen—seem to have taken the alarm and are looking fearfully forward to the future. Members of the Senate spend two whole days eulogizing two dead Senators whom they abused like pickpockets when living; another half day is devoted to chanting a requiem mass for the transfer of Italy's dead King from the purgatorial fires which are hoped to have already burned out of him the taint of heresy; and weary days, even weeks, have been consumed in discussing the Matthews' resolution, which, when passed, has no more legal effect to change the existing financial situation than the Pope's bull had to restore his temporal supremacy. Turn to the House and measure its work by the number of bills introduced, it would appear the most diligent one ever assembled; but estimated by the importance of anything practical yet accomplished, to in any measure relieve the nightmare prostration and paralysis that have fallen on every industrial and commercial interest, and I fear the lower House of the 45th Congress would have to be transported to the negative side of the equation.

Senator Lamar occupied all the time yesterday after the expiration of the morning hour, chiefly in giving reasons why he should not vote for Mr. Matthews' resolution. He said he opposed it and Mr. Edmunds' substitute because neither presented the real issue; and he thought it unwise to formulate and declare opinions on subjects pending legislation. If public opinion in Georgia and Mississippi is as it is represented to be, here, it must require an amount of courage very rare with professional politicians, to assume the position taken by Lamar, Hill and Gordon on renomination and resumption.

The ball given at Wormley's by the Spanish Minister, Wednesday evening, in honor of Alfonso's marriage was one of the most memorable social events ever witnessed here. Almost every foreign legation was represented all in "full court

dress." Our army and navy, not to be outdone in the matter of epaulets, gold lace and brass buttons, were represented by large numbers of our most eminent officers from each, all gotten up regardless of expense. But as at the New York reception at the White House, the prodigal extravagance characterizing the hour, when thousands all over the land are absolutely starving, was most noticeable among the wives and daughters of Senators and Representatives.

Murphy begins his work next Sunday at Lincoln Hall; but a bad impression has got abroad relative to the rate of compensation to be allowed him, to meet which an admission fee of fifty cents is to be charged two or three evenings of the week, and a good deal of grumbling is already heard in consequence. **KNOX.**

A CALL.

To the Republicans of the Territory of Washington:—
Republican Conventions are hereby called to meet February 25, 1878, at 10 o'clock A. M., as follows, viz: In the First Judicial District at Walla Walla; in the Second Judicial District at Olympia; in the Third District at Seattle, for the purpose of nominating candidates for delegates to the Constitutional Convention called to meet in the city of Walla Walla on the 11 of June, 1878, and for such other business as may properly come before it.

The ratio of representation will be one delegate for every fifty votes cast at the last general election, under which counties will be entitled to elect delegates as follows:

Counties.	Delegates.
FIRST JUDICIAL DISTRICT.	
Columbia	15
Skamania	1
Stevens	5
Walla Walla	19
Whitman	6
Yakima	6
SECOND JUDICIAL DISTRICT.	
Chehalis	3
Cowlitz	7
Clarke	15
Klickitat	4
Lewis	8
Mason	3
Pacific	6
Thurston	14
Wahkiakum	2
THIRD JUDICIAL DISTRICT.	
Challan	3
Island	3
Jefferson	8
King	31
Kitsap	9
Pierce	11
San Juan	4
Snohomish	7
Whatcom	10

The several counties are requested to hold their county conventions on Thursday, February 21, 1878.

By order of the Republican Territorial Central Committee. Dated this 31st day January, 1878. **DANIEL BAGLEY,** Chairman.

OREGON ENTERPRISE.—It is gratifying to be able to announce that true merit is always appreciated by our Western people. The WEST SHORE started as an illustrated paper nearly three years ago, and has now the largest circulation of any paper in the Pacific Northwest. Its engravings are artistically executed and the articles are well and carefully written. It is one of that class of papers which can safely be admitted into the family circle, the publisher being especially careful not to admit any article or advertisement which would be likely to offend the most fastidious. For 1878 the WEST SHORE has been greatly improved and adorned with a magnificent new heading! Every issue consists of 16 large size pages, filled with the very choicest reading. It is a publication that every resident of the Pacific Northwest can feel proud of. As the subscription price is but \$1.50 per year, every family should subscribe for it, and those having friends in the eastern States should send a copy for a year. Any one sending \$2 will receive the paper for 1878, and will also be furnished with six months back numbers, including the mammoth edition in July last. Specimen copy, twenty cents, which may afterwards be deducted when subscribing for the entire year. Address—**L. SAMUELS,** PORTLAND, OREGON.

\$777 is not easily earned in these times but it can be made in 3 months by any of either sex, in any part of the country, who is willing to work steadily at the employment that we furnish. \$60 per week in your own town. You need not be away from home over night. You can give your whole time to the work, or only a few spare moments. We have men & women making over \$20 per day. All you engage at once can make money fast. At the present time money cannot be made so easily and readily at any other business. It costs nothing to try the business. Terms and \$3.00 in full. Address at once, **H. HALLETT & CO.,** Portland, Maine.

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RELIGIOUS NOTICES.

Services will be held in St. Paul's church on Sunday next at 11 A. M. and 7 P. M. Sunday school at 2 P. M. Evening prayer on Wednesday, at 7 o'clock. Litany on Friday morning, at 10. The ladies will meet as usual on Thursday evening at 7 o'clock, at the residence of the Rector.

There will be preaching in the M. E. church on Sunday next, morning and evening, by Rev. John Parsons, the pastor. Sunday school at 2 P. M. Prayer meeting on Thursday evenings, and class and teachers' meetings on Saturday evenings.

Divine service will be held in the Presbyterian church next Sabbath at 11 A. M. and 7 P. M. Sabbath school at 2 P. M. Ladies sewing circle on Tuesday afternoon and evening. Prayer meeting and Bible study at 7 1/2 o'clock on Wednesday morning.

BOOK LOST

If the person who took from my office a copy of Kito's Encyclopedia of Biblical Literature, will have the kindness to return the same, I shall esteem it as a favor.
JAMES G. SWAN.

Sheet & Pillow-case Ball

Arrangements are being made for a Sheet and Pillow-case party, to be given on Friday evening, February 22, 1878, at Port Townsend, in honor of Washington's birthday.

All ladies will be furnished with tickets free. A limited number for gentlemen will be sold at \$2 a ticket. None transferable.

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| One pair engraved sleeve buttons retail price .75 | One set (3) spiral shirt studs. | One ladies neck chain and cross. |
| One stone-set pin, retail price .75 | One heavy band engagement ring. | One beautiful locket, (engraved). |
| 1 set (3) spiral shirt studs " " .75 | One set (2) bracelets. | One pair band bracelets. |
| 1 improved collar button " " .50 | One set (2) long guard for neck chain. | One gent's twist link vest chain and charm |
| 1 heavy wedding ring " " 1.25 | One engraved miniature locket, for above. | One pair Onyx sleeve buttons. |
| Total \$5.00 | One gent's heavy link watch chain. | One set (3) Onyx shirt studs. |
| For 50 cents we will send above six articles postpaid. | One Lake George diamond stud. | One new improved collar button. |
| | | One extra cut cameo seal ring. |
| | | One Arizona solitaire ring. |
| | | One set amethyst or topaz pin and earrings. |
| | | One ladies chemise button. |
| | | One plain ring, stamped 18 K. |
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| | | 5.00 LOT. |
| | | One ladies opera chain, with slide and tassel, retail price \$3.00. |
| | | One gent's heavy watch chain with curb charm, (retail price \$5.00). |
| | | One ladies heavy long neck chain. |
| | | One elegant chased miniature locket for above. |
| | | One set cameo medallion pin and earrings. |
| | | One pair (2) heavy chased band bracelets. |
| | | One gent's solitaire diamond stud. |
| | | One gent's cluster diamond pin. |
| | | One pair amethyst or onyx sleeve buttons. |
| | | One set (3) studs to match the above. |
| | | One elegant heavy set cameo seal ring. |
| | | One massive band or wedding ring. |
| | | One new "patent" collar button. |
| | | One ladies chemise button. |
| | | One amethyst or topaz ring, (extra finish). |

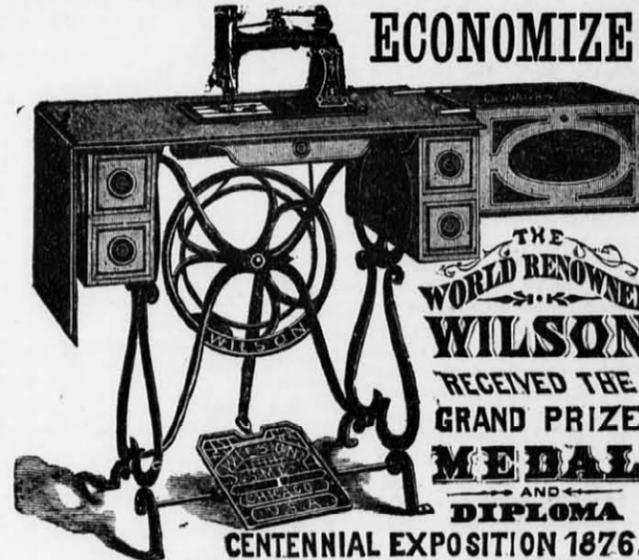
The retail price of the articles in each sample lot amounts to exactly ten times the price we ask for the lot; for example, our \$10.00 lot retails for \$100.00, our \$5.00 for \$50.00.

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RELIGION AMONG THE INDIANS.

For the benefit of a few whining writers who use every opportunity to sarcastically discourage every thing like efforts to Christianize the Indians, we reprint the following, from the Seattle "Tribune":

We learn from Port Buckley that a religious movement of much interest prevails among the Indians at that place. A band of about thirty Northern or British Columbia Indians has settled here, the men belonging to which are employed in the mill or on the wharf. They were converted by the Wesleyan missionaries, and that their conversion is no sham is evident from their deportment, their industry, their cleanliness, their zeal in the cause, and their changed, earnest lives. John, their leader, has, for an Indian, a fair English education, and he conducts their daily religious services. He reads to them from the Bible, he interprets to them parts difficult of comprehension, preaches to them, leads the singing, and does for them better than a white minister would. They hold services regularly every Sunday, and many services on week day evenings.

NEW PATENTS.—Through Dewy & Co. Patent Agents, San Francisco, we received the following list of U. S. patents granted to Pacific Coast inventors, viz: E. DeCourcy, S. F., zwilings; J. W. Mahoney, Bishop Creek, Cal., plow; J. W. Davis, S. F., pants; J. W. Alledwood, Timbuctoo, Cal., ore washing apparatus for hydraulic mining (reissue); E. W. Haines, S. F., a medicine for horses (trade-mark); W. B. Isaacs, S. F., tobacco drying machine; A. H. Law, S. F., whip-socket; J. C. McCollum, Los Angeles, Cal., adjustable stiff crappers for harness; A. W. Vanderston, Salem, O., high and low water indicator for steam boilers; (trade-marks) J. A. Folger & Co., S. F., lemonade powder; J. A. Folger & Co., S. F., teas; (labels) Sylvester & Dunn, San Jose, Sylvester's cure for neuralgia and diphtheria.

AN up-Sound exchange speaks highly of Capt. John T. Connick, formerly master of the steam tug Tacoma, for his plucky venture in rescuing a vessel during a storm, near San Francisco recently, but does not state the name of the tug he was in. Capt. Connick is in command of the Richard Holyoke, belonging to Adams, Blinn & Co. She was expected, at the time of her launch, to be the finest tug on the Sound. This she has proven herself to be by successfully competing with the tugs about San Francisco, and we are informed that her business is now so brisk down there that she may not return.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 9.—The opening of proposals for mail service west of the Missouri in 18 states and territories, has been completed at the postoffice department, Dakota, Montana, Idaho, Washington territory, Oregon and California were disposed of to day. A week has been occupied in this work. The number of bids aggregates over 25,000. Next week the work of recording the proposals embracing in each case a designation of the number of bid, name of bidder, route and amount of bid will be begun. After this step the proposals go to the office and awards will be made.

ARM BROKEN.—This morning as Beriah Brown, Senior editor of this paper, was coming from his residence on the hill to this office; as he was crossing the street at the foot of the hill his foot slipped and he fell heavily, his right arm striking the plank crossing, and breaking the bone midway between the elbow and the shoulder. Dr. Baker was called and the arm dressed. Mr. Brown, although advanced in years, will doubtless be about again in a few days, owing to his good health and correct habits.—Seattle "Dispatch."

At an adjourned meeting of the Probate Court, held in this town yesterday, the first annual report of Mary Fowler, executrix of estate of Enoch Fowler, deceased, was allowed and confirmed. The petition of Egor Barnexekoff for conveyance to real estate was granted, and executrix ordered to make conveyance of lot No. 7 in block No. 4, as per contract made by Enoch Fowler, deceased.

Those dried smelt which we received from Mrs. Howard, of Olympia, are the best kind of an advertisement for the Plummer process. Packed in 2 lb boxes, they are convenient for retail business, and their quality will insure sales.

LAST evening, during the fierce south-east gale which blew, the windows in the Catholic church were badly broken.

A Feature of the New Tariff.

The new tariff bill fixes the duties on on news and book type at 15 cents a pound, which is from 40 to 60 per cent. ad valorem. The rate on job and fancy type is 30 cents a pound, which is from 50 to 100 per cent. ad valorem. The annual duties collected under the present rates did not exceed \$20,000. Under the rates now proposed the duties would probably be prohibitory, a result which could only be desirable to the proprietors of a dozen type foundries in the United States. There are 20,000 printing offices in the country, which employ no less than 120,000 men, against the 700 employed in the dozen type foundries. There is some competition at present on the part of the Scotch type foundries, who pay duties on their imports and claim to sell a better article at the same price as American type is sold. The type foundries in the country have been doing well under the old tariff. It is quite evident that they do not need any additional protection. A tariff which cuts off revenue is not desirable. The present tariff puts about \$20,000 a year in the public treasury from the sale of foreign type. This compensation is far more desirable than a prohibitory tariff. The latter, while it would cut off revenue, would have the effect to increase further the price of type in this country, because foreign competition would be shut out. The 20,000 printing offices in the United States have considerable interest in the question. No doubt the type foundries would gain an important point by a prohibitory tariff. But would the private gain be of real benefit to the country? S. F. "Bulletin"

NEW YORK, Feb. 9.—Rev. Dr. Talmadge, at the Brooklyn tabernacle last evening, referring to the Pope's death said: Let us be careful how we judge those who differ from us in the forms of religion. I don't care whether they court their heads and cross themselves with holy water, or follow the forms of old fashioned Methodist camp meeting, if they only have their eyes on something beyond, they are christians. I don't care whether they kneel on the stone steps of St. Peter's at Rome or on the bare floors of a western log cabin, the heart is the thing and not the hands. If the heart is right everything is right; if the heart is wrong all is wrong; "by their fruits ye shall know them." I am glad to believe that the Pope of Rome looked up beyond the crucifix. I am glad to know that during the latter days of his life he showed signs of being a christian man.

TROY, N. Y., Feb. 10.—The "Times" building and office are now in flames and probably the whole establishment will be destroyed. It cost \$96,000 independent of the site. Insurance on building \$35,000; stock and material worth \$60,000; insurance, \$30,000. Origin of the fire unknown.

A BAND of some 18 head of beef cattle were driven to this place from Dungeness, arriving on Wednesday evening, for the People's Market. They are from the farm of Capt. Smalley, and are said to be in excellent order for killing.

A FRIEND has kindly furnished us with a copy of the "Temperance Champion," a very neat and desirable little paper, published at San Jose, Cal.

MARRIED.—In Olympia, on the 3d inst., Mr. Frank Glidden to Mrs. M. A. Craigie.

We received a pleasant call from Maj. G. O. Haller, of Coupeville, yesterday.

For good cranberries go to Messrs. Rothschild & Co. 50 cents per gallon.

Go to Waterman & Katz for the best carpets, at reasonable prices.

Shipping Intelligence.

Port Townsend. ENTERED Feb. 4. S L Mastick, Pt Discovery straits bk Forest Queen, S F Donald Milton schr W L Beebe, Australia, via Honolulu bk Katie Flickinger, Seattle bk David Hoodly, S F 6. Yakima, Gamble str Blakeley, Blakely Favorite, Gamble 9. California, Portland 13. Panama, Victoria CLEARED 4. Mastick, Discovery 5. Mastick, Ludlow Forest Queen, Ludlow Donald, straits Katie Flickinger, S F 7. Mastick, Gamble T W Lucas, Gamble str Blakeley, Blakeley W L Beebe, Beebe 9. Tacoma, Nanaimo, California, Victoria 10. Dakota, 13. Teaser, Nanaimo Panama, Nanaimo

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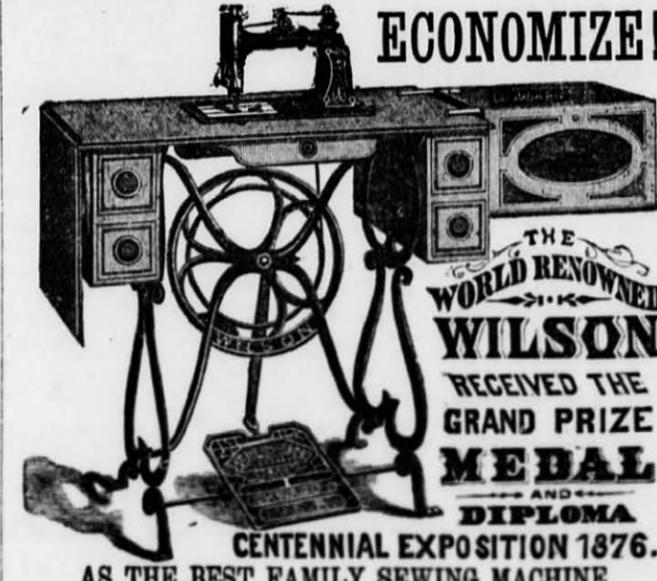
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PUGET SOUND ARGUS.

LOCAL NEWS.

CITY ELECTION—The election on Tuesday of this week, resulted as follows: Whole number of votes cast, 127 of which Chas. Eisenbeis received, for Mayor, 125. The votes for councilmen stood: Chas. C. Bartlett, 121; A. H. Tucker, 91; Nath. D. Hill, 90; F. W. James, 88; C. F. Clapp, 87; Jas. Daigardh, 73; H. L. Tibbals, 69; Abe. Reiss, 65; S. Waterman, 43; A. F. Learned, 62; O. F. Gerrish, 29. For Marshall, B. S. Miller received 33 votes, and R. R. Carr, 88. By this it will be seen that the first seven candidates, named for councilmen, were elected. Without any special canvassing for the matter, and almost without asking advice, we nominated a ticket in last week's issue, suggesting the names of men we believed to be worthy of patronage for the respective positions. Of that ticket the Mayor received a clear unanimous vote, and a majority of the councilmen were elected by handsome majorities. Besides this, Mr. Reiss, though not elected, received a majority of all the votes cast, and O. F. Gerrish, Esq. would undoubtedly have been elected had he not declined to run after his name was before the public. The officers elected we believe to be men who will faithfully perform their duty to the people and to themselves. This, if they do it, will entitle them to the respect and future patronage of their constituents.

The Pacific Mail Steamship Company's Steamer City of Panama, sailed from San Francisco Feb. 9th at noon having on board 75 passengers, 15 sacks of mail and 3079 pkgs. misc., 232 tons. Had fresh Southeast and Southwest gales. Feb. 10th at 10:30 P. M., met Steamship Dakota. Feb. 11th, at 7 A. M., arrived in Esquimaut harbor, 67 hours from San Francisco. Passengers for the Sound: C. E. Dodge & wife, Alex Blackwood, John Voss, Capt. Baker, W. R. Impett, Lieut. Harris and wife, G. H. Smith, John Worden, Rev. John Rea, W. H. Jenkins, W. H. Pitchford, Miss Nichols, and 8 in the steerage.

The P. M. S. S. Dakota left this port on Sunday morning last, with the following: Passengers, Mrs. S. J. Moore, Miss M. E. White, F. Marsh, R. Meyers, J. M. Jenne, J. Jackson, E. Blackwell, Wa-chong, Chn.; from Port Townsend, Capt. Albert Waite, Thos. Jackman and 8 in steerage. Freight, 3,286 sks potatoes, 159 pkgs salmon, 24 do furniture, 83 dry hides, 54 bales hops, 300 boxes herring, 183 bbl-hoop, 3,700 sacks potatoes, 34 beer kegs, 16 boxes apples, 557 sks oats, 258 green hides, 20 bbls oil, 4 bales skins and 28 pkgs merchandise.

BENEFIT.—A ball is to be given at Steilacoom on the 23d, for the benefit of the library at the Insane Asylum. A notice of this affair arrived just too late for insertion in our last issue. As the library, if properly filled, will greatly add to the means for improving the minds of convalescent patients, this move may serve a good purpose. The tickets, including supper, are only \$2, so that a large attendance may reasonably be expected. We acknowledge the receipt of a complimentary.

PROGRESSING.—Arrangements for the successful operation of the fishing and clam canning at Sequim Bay are nearly completed. The first shipment is to be made shortly. The company will operate under the firm name of T. Jackman & Co. Mr. Jackman went down on the Dakota, to San Francisco, to attend to the business of the firm at that end of the route. He will reside in the city, but will travel all over the state of California to effect sales.

At the "potlatch," given by a number of Clallam Indians during the past week, about \$1,300 in money was given away besides a very large lot of calico and sundry "ictas." There were in attendance only about 550 Indians, some from Vancouver's Island having been prevented from coming by the stormy weather. A number of the resident white settlers of Dungeness, attended a portion of the ceremonies, on account of the novelty of the thing.

Mr. Thos. Jackman, formerly of this town, leaves a polite note to those behind, against whom he holds notes, to the effect that Mr. Chas. Eisenbeis holds a power of attorney to collect and receipt on notes for him.

By turning to Mr A. F. Learned's advertisement, you will notice his announcement of preparations to conduct the ship-chandlery business, in connection with his grocery store.

Roads which have become quite muddy from the rains of the past month, are drying out nicely in consequence of the recent high winds.

Go to Waterman & Katz for the best carpets, at reasonable prices.

Messrs. Rothschild & Co., who are always at the front in matters of business have again enlarged their advertisement this week. They wish to keep prominently before the public the fact that their fine teas, imported directly from Japan, are of the very best brands to be obtained. Read their new advertisements if you would know where to buy to advantage. The flour which they offer for sale is from the best the Pacific Coast affords, which means all that buyers could wish for.

The grand "potlatch," given among the Clallam Indians, terminated this week. Rev. M. Ellis, of Skokholmish, came up from the scene of festivities arriving here on Tuesday last. He says the affair passed off very quietly so far as drunkenness or quarrelling was concerned, but that he heard more "tamanaws" than he ever did before in his life.

The M. E. church was well filled on Sunday evening last. The sermon was quite impressive, and almost painful silence reigned during its delivery. The lessons drawn from the life of Absalom were of the most practical and beneficial character. The subject for next Sunday evening's sermon will be, "Solomon; or an old man's view of life."

We call attention to the interesting and newsy communications found in to-day's issue. Some of our correspondents know just what pleases the editor and people. By the way that San Juan and Lopez Islands are prospering at present, we are disposed to expect much from them in the future.

We publish this week for the first time the information sent us in a circular by the "Washington Territorial Club," at San Francisco. This has gone the rounds of the Sound papers, and would have been published by us had space permitted.

COLLISION.—On the 10th inst., the bark Enoch Talbot, lying lumber-laden at Nainaimo, was run into by the steam-tug Tacoma, and some eight planks were stove in along her side, necessitating the discharge of a part of her cargo.

The city of Panama arrived at this place on Tuesday evening of this week, and proceeded up the Sound on Wednesday morning. She made the passage from San Francisco to Victoria in 67 hours. Brisk time.

GET your wife a sack of Rothschild & Co's flour put up expressly for their customers. It will do you good to eat the healthy light-bread and toothsome biscuits to be made from this excellent article.

REV. Jno. Rea, of the Presbyterian Church, of this town, returned from below on the Panama. He will therefore conduct the usual worship in his church next Sabbath.

WHEN an ex-candidate for local political honors gets up in his sleep and tries to buttonhole the bedpost you may know that he still has city council on the brain.

THE B. B. "Mail" nominates Edward Eldridge, John A. Tennant and R. E. Whitney, all of Whatcom county, for delegates to the constitutional convention.

WE are in receipt of a complimentary ticket to the grand masquerade ball, to be given at Olympia, on the 22nd inst.

MARRIED.—At Olympia, on the 2d inst. by Rev. A. Atwood, Mr. Seth C. Murphy to Mrs. Hattie B. Powers.

CAPT. Albert Waite went to San Francisco on the Dakota. He will probably return within a month.

Judge J. G. Swan, of this place has been appointed to take charge of the life saving station at Neah Bay.

MR. F. A. Bartlett, of Dungeness, was in town this week, getting supplies of new goods.

THE wife of Wm. Korter, Esq., of Port Ludlow, came down to this place on Monday's boat.

MR. A. S. Jones, of Dungeness, came up a few days ago, suffering with rheumatism.

PROF. Huffman is looking much better, having improved somewhat in health.

C. M. BRADSHAW, Esq. has been suffering from a light attack of bronchitis.

MR. Elliot Cline, of Dungeness, has paid our burg a visit.

TWO of Mr Tibbals' children have been quite ill this week.

SPRING must be coming, for gardening has commenced.

THE city election this week passed off very quietly.

TRY some of Rothschild & Co's fine Japan teas.

BOOK LOST

If the person who took from my office a copy of Kitto's Encyclopedia of Biblical Literature, will have the kindness to return the same, I shall esteem it as a favor. JAMES G. SWAN.

NOTICE OF SALE OF PERSONAL PROPERTY.

THE UNDERSIGNED HAVING A lien on the hereinafter described personal property, now held in store by them for charges for advances, freight transportation, wharfage and storage now due and unpaid to the amount of \$17.25, and said property having remained in store uncalled for, for a period of thirty days and upwards after said charges became due.

NOW GIVE NOTICE. That in pursuance of an Act of the Territorial Legislature, entitled, an act for the relief of commission merchants, carriers, wharfingers and warehousemen, the undersigned will on Monday the 4th day of February, 1878, at the hour of 11 o'clock A. M., at the door of the Store of Rothschild & Co., in the town of Port Townsend, W. T., sell said property or so much thereof as will satisfy said charges and costs at public auction to the highest bidder for cash gold coin as follows to-wit: One trunk and contents and one box and contents, marked "Thomas Gurry," the same being wearing apparel and blankets, etc. etc. E. C. HUGHES, Purser, ROTHSCHILD & CO., Agts. Steamer California.

Port Townsend January 21, 1878.

The sale of the above mentioned property has been postponed to Monday, the 25th inst:

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NOTICE.

ALL those knowing themselves indebted to the old firm of Rothschild & Co. up to September 1, 1877, will settle the same at once, as all the outstanding accounts, notes and debts of the old firm must be settled by February 1, 1878, otherwise the same will be handed to an attorney for collection.

D. C. H. ROTHSCHILD & CO.
Port Townsend, Dec. 29, 1877.

NOTICE.

I TAKE PLEASURE to state that I have transacted my business through Messrs. Rothschild & Co., and that they have given me entire satisfaction. I take pleasure in recommending them to Captains of vessels coming this way, to avail themselves of their valuable services.

JAMES S. THEOBALDS,
Master ship Ventus.
Port Townsend, Dec. 9, 1877.

CONSIGNED TO ROTHSCHILD & CO.

French Bark Quillota.

NEITHER THE CAPTAIN NOR THE UNDERSIGNED Agents of the above named bark will be responsible for debts contracted by the officers or crew.

ROTSHCHILD & CO., Agents.
W. THORNTON, Master.
Port Townsend, Jan. 26, 1878.

Costa Rican Ship Hermann.

NEITHER THE CAPTAIN NOR THE UNDERSIGNED Agents of the above named vessel will be responsible for any debts contracted by the officers or crew.

ROTSHCHILD & CO., Agents.
EDWARD FREES, Master.
Port Townsend, Jan. 26, 1878.

Bkine Katie Flickinger.

NEITHER THE CAPTAIN NOR THE UNDERSIGNED Agents of the above named vessel, will be responsible for debts contracted by the officers or crew.

ROTSHCHILD & CO., Agents.
S. J. GILMAN, Master.
Port Townsend, Jan. 26, 1878.

Italian bark Orzero

NEITHER THE CAPTAIN NOR THE UNDERSIGNED Agents of the above named bark, will be responsible for debts contracted by the officers or crew.

ROTSHCHILD & CO., Agents.
G. J. LIDA, N. O. LIDA, Master.
Port Townsend, Nov. 29, 1877.

Costa Rican Ship Mathilde.

NEITHER THE CAPTAIN NOR THE UNDERSIGNED Agents of the above named vessel will be responsible for debts contracted by the officers or crew.

R. JONES, Master.
Port Townsend, Jan. 11, 1878.

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Turn Not Those Beauteous Eyes Away.

HE.

Turn not those beauteous eyes away
That have so long enlured my love,
Whose gentle sympathy I prize,
The wealth of all the world above.
By yon bright moon and glistening stars,
Whose rays illumine the murmuring sea,
And trembling sheen of silver bars,
And blooming flowers, I love but thee.

SHE.

Vow not by fleeting moon and stars
That die from heaven at dawn of day,
Nor trembling sheen of silver bars,
And blooming flowers that fade away.
Swear by yon pure and boundless sky
That wears unchanged its heavenly hue,
Thy love, like mine, shall never die,
Then I shall know thy love is true.

BOTH.

What blissful moments thus to be
In this enchanting scene with thee,
When fragrant flowers and purling streams
Entrance the soul with lover's dreams.
—William H. Morris, in N. Y. Home Journal.

The Boating Bear.

A STORY FOR YOUNG PEOPLE.

Once there were two hunters way out West, who spent their time fishing, and trapping minks and beavers, and chasing deer, and fighting wild-cats and other "varmints," as they called them. One day they were boating up the river, and half a mile or so off they saw a big black bear come down to the edge of the water to get his breakfast off from the body of a deer that had got stuck fast in the mud while he was licking up salt water—which the deer liked very much—and died there.

They tried every way to get near enough to the bear to have a shot at him, but the old fellow was too cunning for them. If they tried to row the boat up to where he was he would trot off into the dark woods before they got anywhere near close enough to shoot. Or if they left the boat and tried to creep up along the shore, he would smell the powder in their guns long before he could hear them, and would give a mad kind of a growl, and run away.

The hunters pretty soon got tired of this sort of fooling, and thought they'd try another game on him. So they took what was left of the deer and threw it into the river, and it floated out into the stream. Then they took an old boat that they hadn't used in a long time, and put on the seat in the middle a big cake of honey they had got out of a bee tree a few days before. They drew the boat up on the sand at the water's edge, and laid the rope down and covered it with sand and stone, just heavy enough to keep it from floating off, but not enough to anchor it very tight. Every bit of the work they did standing in the water, or in their own boat, so as not to leave any tracks or scent to scare away the bear.

Then they rowed across the river, half a mile or more away, and got ready to watch with a spy-glass.

Along about sundown the old bear came trotting down out of the woods to get another "venison steak, rare, with salt water sauce." Before he got there he smelled the honey, and he began to lick his chops, as much as to say, "Good enough! wild honey for dessert." But in a minute he found his venison was gone, and made as much fuss, flying around and growling, as your papa did last Sunday when the cat carried off the quails he had brought home for dinner. But as the deer was gone, and he was hungry, he started to smell out the honey. Pretty soon he found the boat, and saw the big cake of honey on the seat. He started back scared at first, but as there were no guns, no oars, nor any sign or smell of man, he came back and began to peek around.

Bears are a good deal like boys in some things. They love to play; they have a sweet tooth; they are cross when they are hungry; and they are very curious. So this old fellow whose mouth fairly watered for the honey, looked all around, like a mischievous youngster going to his mamma's preserves, and then jumped into the boat. But in less than a jiffy he wished he hadn't, for his weight loosened the rope, and his jump into the boat sent it out upon the stream, and as the current was real swift there, Mr. Bear was soon floating down the river. He couldn't swim, and was too much afraid of the water to jump in, and too scared to eat the honey. So he did again just what a boy would do.

"What's that?"
"Wh, heh-wled!"
The hunters had seen everything he did, and they jumped into their boat and began to pull for him lively. One of 'em sat in the middle and rowed, and the other sat in the bow with his rifle. As soon as they got near enough the first hunter began to laugh and talk at the bear.

"Where are ye driftin' to, ye old contraband?" he called out—"and what's ye runnin' off with my boat for? Why don't ye lay down and paddle with yer fore paws, and steer with that air stub tail as a rudder? An' how do you like honey, anyhow?"
When the bear heard the hunter's voice he turned his head, and was as mad as he had been scared before. He showed all his great savage teeth, and growled enough to make your hair stand on end. But the hunters weren't afraid, and rowed up quite close.

"You don't seem a bit glad to see us," said the other one, "though I dare say you'd hug us if you had a chance. Are you a fisher, or just boatin' for pleas-

ure?"—and with that he flung some water toward the bear with his oar, and the old fellow came near tipping the boat over, he was so hopping mad. The hunter with the gun was afraid, he would get into the water and be lost, and so he took aim and fired a ball into the bear's head, right back of his ear, and another right between his eyes, and killed him dead. And then they towed him ashore, and took off his skin for an overcoat, and hung up the meat to cut off steaks from. And this is the first time I ever knew a boat to be used as a bear trap, though they often serve as traps for men and boys who don't know how to sail or row.
—Golden Rule.

From the Brooklyn Bridge.

Before we set off across the river, stop for a little quiet enjoyment of the marvelous picture spread out beneath our view this pleasant summer afternoon. If you have ever doubted the correctness of the bird's-eye views of cities and the like, so common in the print-shops, here at least is an assurance that such things are possible. Brooklyn lies displayed at our feet, with its fringe of warehouses, docks and ships, perpendicularly under us. How different is the comparative newness and regularity of the sister city, and how marked a contrast offered by its bushy greenery marking out the streets like colored lines on a plan, as compared with the densely-packed, dark, imposing mass of architecture over the river! The bay, sparkling silver and golden in the sunlight and dotted with its many islands, is visible clear beyond the Narrows and down to Sandy Hook. Far eastward we can almost pick out the sand-hills of Rockaway and Coney Island, with the blue sea-line beyond, and to the west, under the sinking sun, the picture is framed in with the purple haze of the Highlands, Nevisink, and the Jersey hills. Look at that ferry-boat just starting from the Fulton street slip, packed with heads (all we can see), and notice the odd effect of the dots of white faces turned up to watch us, interesting as we are, not by our individuality, but by our position. We can fancy them repeating Pope's lines on the fly in amber:

"Not that the thing itself is rich or rare—
The wonder is how the d— it got there."

As for ourselves, proud of our momentary elevation, and drunk with the keen, sweet, salt air, and the gorgeous prospect, one is reminded of the man who, on the ladder ready to be hanged, when a mad bull caused dire confusion in the crowd below, said in thoughtless exultation to his companion rogue, "How lucky it is we're up here!"

And now down the steep slope of the river-span, digging our heels well into the slats, and checking our momentum by the side-ropes till we stand where a few years ago no mortal probably ever expected to stand—two hundred feet over the channel of the East river, with all its varied traffic flowing beneath us. Hurry!—just here I want to get plumb over the Bristol as she sails majestically up-stream, and enjoy the small vanity of doing what no one but the ship-builders ever did before—look squarely down her smoke-stack into her fire-box. Notice her exquisite, fish-like lines seen thus in plan, and the way in which the narrow hull is marked off from the guards by the timber work of the cabin. Phew! what a racket! Bristol, Massachusetts, Stonington boats, all as they pass under the bridge salute us with a whistle, while ferry-boats, tugs, and all the small-fry salute them, till the whole air is vocal with one great treble of demoinic howl and screech, set off by the deep bass hum of toil and traffic, the grand diapason of labor supplied by the two great cities. As the noble steamers pass on up the river, notice the beautiful divergent lines of wave from their paddles like the double-tail of a comet! You remember the same effect, only more distant, feathery and fairy-like, as we looked down in the early morning from the Rhigi-top on the dark polished surface of the Lake of the four Cantons.—Appleton's Journal.

A PRACTICAL TEST.—The theory of American degeneracy, due to the influence of climate, is not novel. It was held in the mother country before the Revolution and had also many adherents in France. Dr. Franklin, whose sturdy patriotism would tolerate no libels even on his country's climate, used many ingenious arguments to refute this charge wherever made.

One day, in Paris, he turned the laugh on the eloquent Abbe Raynal, as he was expatiating on the inevitable decay of the animal races of the European emigrants in America. Dr. Franklin said with a smile:

"Monsieur l'Abbe, let us try this question by the fact before us. We are here one-half Americans and one-half Frenchmen, and it happens that the Americans have placed themselves on one side of the table, and our French friends are on the other. Let both parties rise and we will see on which side nature has degenerated."

It happened that all the Americans present were men of large stature and form, while the French were remarkably diminutive, and the abbe himself a mere shrimp. Everybody saw that the abbe was beaten, and he himself joined in the general laugh, but wittily added:

"Every law has notable exceptions, and Dr. Franklin is amenable to no ordinary laws."

A SCRIPTURE reader once waited on a good woman in a colliery village. Not satisfied with the woman's spiritual condition, the visitor remarked that he was afraid she did not keep the commandments. "Keep the commandments," she exclaimed, "wi' a' these bairns! I've enough to do to keep oersel's!"

A National Museum.

The opening of the new Museum of Natural History in Central Park, New York, by President Hayes, recently, marks an era in the scientific history of the country. The magnificent structure stands on Manhattan Square, and when finished will cover 18½ acres of ground. The finished part now all ready forms nearly one-twelfth of the entire museum-structure as proposed. This, when completed, will comprise a quadrangle with an interior or cross and four interior courtyards. The material of which it is built is red brick and granite; it is 190 feet in length, 66 feet in width, and practically five stories high, one of the stories being the gallery of the main hall. The wood work of the interior is black walnut and ash. The floors are brick arches, covered with concrete, and are laid with English tiles. The building is said to be fire proof. The arrangements for lighting the building is said to be admirable, and afford abundance of light and a complete diffusion of it. The exhibition cases are of iron, faced with black walnut, and are thought to be superior to any other ever made for the purpose. The iron frame work gives so much strength to the cases, that remarkably large plates of glass and very small mullions have been used with safety. These cases cost \$60,000, and were designed by Mr. Radford.

The arrangement of the collection of specimens on the first floor is mainly devoted to the larger animals of the Old World and New, of which there is a choice variety. The cases of the main hall on the second floor are filled with ornithological specimens, comprising one of the finest collections of this class in the world. On the third floor are the geological collections, including a large variety of valuable fossils from all parts of the globe. The fifth, or attic story, is lighted by dormer windows. Upon this floor are students' rooms and a scientific library, fitted up with desks, fire-proof cases for specimens, and various appliances for the free use of scientific men. Clarence King, Prof. Hitchcock, the Superintendent of the Pennsylvania and Nevada Surveys, and the Director of the Canadian Survey, will occupy offices here. This floor will be the headquarters of people seeking scientific information, which will be readily obtained. It is hoped that the advantages offered by this museum, which in style and appointments excels any other scientific museum in the world, will draw hither scientific men from other countries. The projectors thus hope to make New York the intellectual centre of the republic, as London is the intellectual centre of the British Empire.

The history of this edifice dates back as far as 1869, when the American Museum of Natural History was founded by a special act of the State Legislature. Among the original incorporators were John Davis Wolfe, the first President of the Association, Morris K. Jesup, Robert Colgate, Theodore Roosevelt, Charles A. Dana, Joseph H. Choate, and many other leading citizens. A committee was appointed, which soon after went to France, and secured the large collection of specimens belonging to the great taxidermist, Verreaux, and also the entire contents of the museum of Prince Maximilian, on the Rhine, above Bonn. This Prince had passed many years in exploring remote parts of South America, and had secured many valuable typical specimens, such as had never before been seen in Europe. The tract now occupied by the museum was tendered to the incorporators by the City of New York, to whom it belonged. The ground was broken for the building in 1873. On the 2nd of July, 1874, President Grant laid the corner-stone, in the presence of several members of his Cabinet and other public officers. The completion of the entire structure will be a work of time; but so much of it as now stands is a noble memorial of the progress of science in the present time, and will undoubtedly do much towards the fulfillments of the hopes which have been the animus of this great project.—Toledo Blade.

THE extent and value of fruit culture in the United States is estimated by Col. Marshall P. Wilder, of Boston, for thirty years past the president of the American Pomological Society, as follows:

The number of acres under cultivation in orchards, vines, and small fruits, is estimated at 4,500,000. The number of trees as follows: apples, 112,000,000; pears, 28,500,000; peaches, 112,270,000; grapes, 141,260,000; total, 393,790,000. Value of fruit products is: apples, \$50,400,000; pears, \$14,130,000; peaches, \$36,135,000; grapes, \$2,118,000; strawberries, \$5,000,000; other fruits, \$10,422,000; making a total of \$138,216,700; or nearly equal to one-half the value of an average wheat crop.

ONE of the Norwich steamers had struck, and while the passengers were hurriedly making preparations for their safety, a fat old Dutchman seized a life-preserver, and trying it on, began to fill it, blowing until he was red in the face with his efforts. "Hallo," said a bystander, "you can't fill that thing; there's a big hole in it." A blank look came over the Dutchman's face. "Himmel! is dat so! Den I better keeps my wind in me!"

THE Anglo-Brazilian Times tells a story of an Argentine second lieutenant who made a "pronouncement" several years ago in the city of Corrientes, but who was beaten and captured. At the court-martial he was asked what post he held. "I was commander-in-chief of all the infantry of the revolution." "How many men had that infantry?" "Seven men," was the stern reply.

The Troubles With Mexico.

A few people who are easily scared, and a few politicians who have an axe to grind, are in a flutter of excitement over a possible war with Mexico. It is plausibly urged that the President has found the task of reform so beset with difficulty and his own party so hopelessly divided, that he would not be averse to a war which, whatever harm it might do the country, would again unite the Republican party and do away with his unpopularity in certain quarters.

The trouble with this theory is that it takes too much for granted. It assumes that the President is a man entirely devoid of patriotism, and recklessly grasping at whatever will promote his own ease and momentary advantage—that he is devoid of veracity even, for the President has expressly denied that he has ever entertained such a ridiculous project. The theory assumes also that there is now a just cause for war, or that a pretext for war can be extorted from Mexico. But the facts disprove the one assumption, and all probability is against the other. It is true that a few ignorant Mexicans, who have about as much notion about the power of the United States as a Western savage, are clamoring for war, and are doing all in their power to provoke it. On the other hand, no intelligent Mexican dreams of such a thing—President Diaz least of all.

The present troubles had their origin in cattle-raids made by Indians or marauding bands of Mexicans across the Texas border. The Texans naturally pursued the thieves, and when the latter were caught they were summarily dealt with. These local disturbances became so serious as to demand the presence of United States troops, and for some months several regiments have been stationed on the frontier under the command of General Ord. There have been several skirmishes between the marauders, and the troops, with the result to increase the hostility on both sides of the border line. A few months ago Secretary Everts, it is understood, notified the Diaz Government that these outrages must be stopped. It is semi-officially reported that a courteous reply was returned to the effect that the Government was not strong enough to do this, and hinting that if the United States chose to punish the thieves itself, no offense would be taken.

President Diaz has his hands full in keeping his somewhat precarious hold upon the reins of the Mexican Government. He has several rivals who wait only for a favorable opportunity to break out in armed revolt. The declaration of war against the United States would be a signal for his downfall, and he does not need to be told of this fact. It is evident that all his efforts will be directed toward peace. On the other hand, neither our Government or our people are at all anxious for another war. War would be preferable to national dishonor, but a Congress composed principally of professed or disguised repudiators is not likely to be very sensitive about such a trifle as honor. We are safe, therefore, except in the event of wholly unlooked-for complications, in regarding a war with Mexico as a moral impossibility. The present troubles are capable of a peaceful settlement, and such a settlement is in accordance not only with the interests but with the best sentiment of both countries.—Examiner and Chronicle.

THE PITCHER PLANT.—Josiah Hoopes describes in the New York Tribune of the 16th, Darlingtonia Californica, one of the most curious of all this singular class of plants. The beautiful pitchers are from eighteen inches to nearly three feet high, and at the top resemble an inflated sac covered with a showy hood, spotted with white and yellow, and ending in a forked appendage resembling the tail of a fish. Under this is a contracted, rounded orifice, the edges of which secrete a liquid of honey-like sweetness, so that insects are attracted thereto, and as the aforesaid appendage is armed with stiff, slender hairs, pointing inward, the insect is gradually worked forward into the orifice—a line of the sweet liquid still enticing it onward—the hairs preventing a retrograde movement, until at last it falls into the water always found at the bottom of the tube, and perishes.

To grow this plant successfully it should be potted in a mixture of peat, sand, sphagnum moss and very turfy loam. It must at all times be kept moist, and during the growing season have an abundance of water. During the winter preserve cool and from the direct rays of the sun, otherwise it will not succeed.

DURING the trial of the celebrated Leavenworth baby case, in which two women claimed the same child, one of the lawyers in the course of his remarks pointed to the painting of Solomon, ordering the child to be severed in halves and divided between the two women. His Scriptural knowledge being small, he alluded to Pilate instead of Solomon. The opposing counsel instantly jumped to his feet and called him a fool, and said that the order was by Caesar, and not by Pilate. After a heated discussion, they agreed to leave it to the judge. His honor decided that both of the attorneys were talking upon a subject foreign to their knowledge, and pointing to the painting, said it was intended to represent Herod, and not Pilate or Caesar. The lawyers considered the matter settled, and proceeded with the case.

Do little helpful things and speak helpful words whenever you can. They are better than pearls or diamonds to strew along the roadside of life. They will yield a far more valuable harvest as you will find after many days.

A Reminiscence of Girard.

Those men who have carved out for themselves great fortunes have, as a rule, been men of public spirit and great hearts, not grasping at money merely for the sake of a gaudy possession, but working for the increase of their store as the judicious mill-owner looks to his dams and safety-banks which are to gather and hold in store the waters that must give power to run his machinery. When you hear of the littleness or peevishness of such men, be sure the story comes from some importunate beggar, whose business it was to bore and inflict. In this country of ours the one course attending the possession of wealth—and a bitter curse it must be to a true-hearted, sensitive man—is the swarming in of the pestiferous leeches, whose wants are as manifold and hollow as their pleas are impudent and brazen. Our men of wealth in America are, as a class, liberal; they give in their own way, and at their own pleasure, and be sure they give generously, their left hand very often knowing not what the right hand doeth.

In conversation with an old Philadelphia merchant, not long since, he told me of the interest which he took, when a young man, in the improvement of the Schuylkill river for navigation. His father was one of the river Navigating Company, and had to do with the work. After proceeding until it was demonstrated that the undertaking, if carried out, would be a blessing to the whole region round about, as well as to the city of Philadelphia, the managers made a careful estimate of the further cost, as there were to be more dams and locks than had been at first apprehended. They wanted two hundred thousand dollars more, and opened their books for subscriptions. This was somewhere about 1820 or '21.

Stephen Girard was waited upon, and told the messengers that he would see them at their office when the gentlemen interested were all present. It happened on the evening of the following day, Girard heard the various reports, and then took the book and put down his name for one hundred shares of the stock.

"There, gentlemen," he said; "now I propose that we finish the business here, and now. Make up what you can among yourselves, and I will do the rest." They did what they could, and fifty-six thousand dollars remained, for which Mr. Girard drew his check then and there.

It was like the man, and it may be depended upon as the narration of a simple fact.—S. C. Jr., in N. Y. Ledger.

Mediumistic Frauds.

Warrants have been sworn out for the arrest of Dr. F. A. Huntoon, his wife, Mrs. Kittie Huntoon, and E. J. Witherford. The trio are spiritual mediums and came from Chicago. They had been operating here with remarkable success until a couple of evenings ago. At the close of the seance a self-appointed committee took possession of the cabinet and announced their intention to make a thorough investigation. The box was occupied by Witherford, the Huntoons acting as assistants. The gas was turned on by the committee and off by the Huntoons two or three times, and the thirty or forty people in the room had a lively scramble. Finally, all the women were put out, and the male Huntoon disappeared. The gas was turned up and Witherford was stripped. A diminutive bundle was found containing a piece of white gauze, a piece of black cambric, and several other articles. Witherford admitted that the gauze was placed in front of him for a spirit robe. White handkerchiefs were wrapped around the head and arms to look like grave-clothes. The black cambric was used to present the face of a colored person. A broad, cravat-shaped bandage, gray on one side and black on the other, was held in the teeth to produce the effect of whiskers. The exposure came after a long seance, in the course of which half the people in the room had recognized dear departed friends. The victimized swear to the warrants. The charge is conspiracy to defraud. Witherford claims to be a good medium, and said the music was all produced by spirit influence, but that the material manifestations of faces were fraudulent. He blames the Huntoons for having induced him to go into the scheme. The medium disappeared after the exposure, and it is thought returned to Chicago. Deputy marshals are hunting for them, however, to-night, and will arrest them if found.—Chicago Times.

LIABILITY FOR CHILDREN'S ACTS.—Now let the nervous mothers take a long breath. An English court has decided that a woman is not responsible for the mischief done by her child. A lady took her little boy into a picture store, in Scarborough, and lost sight of him for a few minutes. The wretch, after the manner of his kind, amused himself by pulling down a valuable painting and putting the back of a chair through the canvas. The picture dealer brought suit for damages, contending that the mother had not exercised proper care over the boy, but had allowed him to go skimming about the room. The judge decided that there had been no contributory negligence on the part of the mother, and that there was no law by which parents could be held liable for the faults of their children. This ruling was confidently expected by the defense, for the judge had rendered an analogous decision in a top case. A boy had thrown a top against a show window and broke the glass, but the shopkeeper who sued the father of the architect of the ruin had been non-suited.

Wit and Humor.

MOUKHTAR is in-Kars-erated.

A STUTTERING professor says: "The Dog Star is no star at all. It is a p-p-p-pup-planet."

"Like cures like," says the homeopathist. It would be of more consequence to know what cures dislike.

BROWN had been so often deceived by the chicken at his boarding-house that he now calls it the mocking-bird.

"At what age were you married?" asked she, inquisitively. But the other lady was equal to the emergency, and quietly responded, "At the parsonage."

"My dear," said a pretentious husband, "I'm going to write an essay on the golden calf." "My love," replied his wife, "I'm afraid you'll re-eat your ignorance."

A BOOK canvasser, the other day, talked half an hour to induce a lady to buy a book. Then she handed him a slip of paper, on which was written: "I am defo and dum!"

"We all know," said the school committeeman to the new teacher he was examining for her position, "that A, B and C is vowels, but wot we wants to know is wy they is so."

A WITNESS in a Western court was asked if the party to the suit was not a truthful man. "No," he answered; "he'd sooner lie at sixty days than tell the truth for cash."

LADY—"And just put a tint of carmine on the cheeks, and not too much, you know." Photographer—"Exactly, madam, I perfectly understand; about as much as you have on now!"

An Irishman, seeing a vessel very heavily laden and scarcely above the water's edge, exclaimed: "Upon my soul if the river was but a little higher the ship would go to the bottom."

"Advice!" said an old man of much experience. "Why, I never had any one come to me for advice, who, before he got through, wasn't willing to give twice as much as he asked for!"

An inventor says: "Our latest lawn mower eats the grass off like a cow, but it doesn't cost as much for provender; and truth compels us to add, that it doesn't give as much milk, either."

WHEN a paragoner makes a joke out of whole cloth it is generally home-spun. Turner's Falls Reporter. Sir Oliver Wendell is the only man who makes Holmes' puns.—N. Y. Herald.

We see that dog-shows are announced in several of the States. When it is remembered that dogs cost this country about thirty millions of dollars a year it is surprising that they have any "show" at all.

A MAN from this State, who recently went to the Black Hills, wrote back to his friends as follows: "Offer a premium at your next fair for the 'biggest fool in the country,' and I'll try and get there in time."

"When I see," said Jobham—"Dealer in Family Groceries"—"when I see these politicians running bills for family necessities, and then trying to pay for them with political influence, it rouses all the grocer passions of my nature!"

At a school exhibition out on West Hill the other day, a delicate young lady, reciting Gray's Elegy, modified the coarse vulgarity of one of the lines by rendering it, "Can storied earn or animated burst."—Burlington Hawk-Eye.

A GENTLEMAN named Dunlop remarked that he never heard his name punned upon, and did not believe it could be done. "There is nothing in the world more easy, sir," remarked a punster; "just lop off half the name, and it is Dun."

"What you say, Doctor, about 'poverty being no crime,' is all well enough in the abstract, but as a matter of fact a man without means is always devoid of principle," and the banker passed the walnuts to his guest with a self-satisfied air.

A MAN who was kept awake hour after hour by the barking of a dog, said he never wanted to use a shotgun so had in his life. "What for—to shoot the dog?" asked a friend. "No," he replied, "but to shoot the fool who wrote: 'Tis sweet to hear the watch-dog's honest bark.'"

WHEN Macready was once rehearsing "William Tell," he spoke the line, "Do you shoot?" in a very natural and colloquial tone, which threw the raw actor he addressed off his guard. "A little," he answered, "but I don't fancy them cross-bows, Mr. Macready, though I'm death on a gun."

A TIMID young man who could not muster up courage to pop the question to his sweetheart, whose name was Anna, one day handed her a cigar, which she accepted joyfully, and said: "How well you understand the language of symbols. How Anna?" "Oh, yes, you say," he exclaimed.

"Postal card proposals!" exclaimed an old lady, as she read the heading of the government advertisement. "Well, if any young man should propose to one of my girls on a postal card I guess he wouldn't get her." And she muttered: "Postal card proposals! Well, if that ain't a little too mean!"

A LONDON attorney, having died exceedingly poor, a shilling subscription was set on foot to pay the expense of the funeral. Most of the attorneys and barristers having subscribed, one of them applied to Toler, afterward Lord Chief Justice Northey, expressing the hope that he would also subscribe a shilling. "Only a shilling!" said Toler. "Only a shilling to bury an attorney! Here is a guinea; go and bury twenty-one of them."

An Old-Fashioned Snow-Storm.

The old desk of my Uncle Samuel, in an outlying district of Norway, Maine, was a repository of quaint and valuable things in the way of old-time records. His wife had come of a family of seafarers, and away back for generations logs and diaries had been kept, and were stored in that desk; and many an interesting item have I found therein. The last time I overhauled the old archives I fell upon a diary kept upon blank leaves stitched into an "almanack" for the year A. D. 1717, and there I found a record of probably the most severe snow-storm ever known in New England.

If the exact date had been ever set down it must either have been torn away or obliterated, but I think the old man (Capt. Conquer-evil Hall) did not put it down. It was upon blank leaves stitched in between the months of February and March of the year mentioned.

On that occasion the snow fell without cessation for six days, and it was estimated that the depth, upon a level, was between eight and nine feet; but there had been a howling wind a part of the time, and the drifts were marvelous. I have seen a barn (standing thirty years ago) situated in a slight valley, with a forest close behind it, which was not only completely buried, but they dug several feet down from the top of the drift before touching the ridge-pole. The cattle in it were found alive and well.

In a small district in a river valley, where a range of hills gave direction to the drifting snow, six dwellings were buried to a considerable depth, and people came over from the village to dig them out. One of them, containing a family of five persons, remained under the drift eight days, and as the chronicler makes no mention of any fatality, we are to suppose that the dwellers of those cots came out alive and well. Those who were lost met their fate by trying to escape from their threatened dwellings, and their bodies were not found until the warmth of spring had melted the snow. The story, known to be true, almost equals the relations of Baron Munchausen.

But those days are gone, it would seem never to return. There has been a wonderful change in our New England winters.—S. C., Jr., in New York Ledger.

The American Display at the Exposition.

Ex-Governor R. C. McCormick, Commissioner-General to the Paris Exposition, arrived in the city yesterday, from Washington, and will open his office at room No. 24 Postoffice building, on Monday. He stated last evening that he had already received a large number of applications for space at the Exposition, from merchants, manufacturers and others, of Washington, Philadelphia, Boston, and this city. As the space allotted to the United States was small, only 40,000 square feet, it would be impossible to be over-indulgent to applicants. He asks all who wish to be exhibitors to state in their applications as specifically as possible the number of square feet required, whether of floor or wall space and the character of exhibits. He also calls especial attention to the fact that restaurants or stands for eating and drinking will not be allowed within the space allotted to the United States. He intends to remain in the city about ten days, when he will return to Washington, and will divide his time equally between Washington and New York. The New York office in his absence will be under the direction of his private Secretary, Mr. Clancy, who held the same position under Mr. McCormick, while Assistant Secretary of the Treasury. The Commissioner-General says he will give all necessary information to applicants. He has been besieged by applicants for positions, although his clerical force will be very small.

Wisconsin has the latest young hero and example of presence of mind in time of danger.

A team of horses attached to a load of hay ran away at Oshkosh last Monday. There was no one on the load except a dog, who did not seem to relish the position, as it was with difficulty he could stay on, and he was too high in the air to jump down. A boy fourteen years of age, passing by on horseback, wheeled his horse about and made after the runaway at the top of his speed. Gaining on the team, he rode alongside the horses as they were running, and reaching over the rear horse gathered up the lines, then reining his horse and leaning back with all his might he brought the runaway team to a complete standstill. The presence of mind and heroism of the boy created admiration in all who witnessed it.—Hawk-Eye.

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A discovered gentleman, being obliged for her livelihood to go about with muffs, used, in a faint voice, to ejaculate "Muffs and crumpets," adding in a still more under tone, "I hope to goodness nobody hears me!"

A Baltimore minister consulted a lawyer as a friend and member of his congregation, but the lawyer sued him and made him pay a fee of fifty dollars.

Sentiment and Railroads.

Sentiment is not apt to entwine itself about a railroad, though engineers and firemen do become attached to their engines. Vanderbilt once made a mistake in not recognizing this fact. When he first took control of the New York Central Railroad, he ordered all the brass work to be stripped from the locomotives. It was a useless expense, he said, to put it on at all, as it added neither to the strength or speed of the engine. Then, too, it was expensive to keep polished, consuming time, oil, rotten-stone and rags.

The economical manager soon found out that sentiment played no slight part in running a railroad. The engineers, vexed at the disrobing of their handsome engines, ceased to care for them. The firemen also neglected them. They looked dingy, grew dirty and greasy, and the number laid up for repairs greatly increased.

Vanderbilt saw his mistake, and the brass was restored to the locomotives, which again became as tidy in their appearance as the engineers' wives.

On the Great Western Railway, of England, there is a broad gauge and a narrow gauge. The broad, being the original gauge, has the favor of the old employees, who, like all Englishmen, are averse to change.

An ancient guard was recently knocked down and run over by an engine on this line. He asked to see the company's doctor, who was sent for, though the injured man was beyond the remedial skill of a physician.

"I am glad you came to see me start, doctor, as I hope, by the up-train," said the poor fellow.

"I am only sorry I can do nothing for you, my good fellow," answered the sympathetic physician.

"I know that; it is all over with me. But there, I'm glad it was not one of them narrow-gauge engines as did it."

The Strong Man.

Strength of character consists of two things—power of will, and power of self-restraint. It requires two things, therefore, to its existence—strong feelings and strong command over them. Now, it is here we make a great mistake; we mistake strong feelings for strong character. A man who bears all before him, before whose frown domestics tremble, and whose burst of fury make the children of the household quake—because he has his will obeyed, and his own way in all things—we call him a strong man. The truth is, that is the weak man; it is his passions that are strong; he, mastered by them, is weak. You must measure the strength of a man by the power of those which subdue him. And hence composure is very often the highest result of strength. Did we ever see a man receive a flagrant insult and only grow a little pale and quietly reply? That is a man spiritually strong. Or, did we ever see a man in anguish stand as if carved out of solid rock, mastering himself? Or one bearing a hopeless daily trial remain silent, and never tell the world what cankered his home peace? That is strength. He who, with strong passions, remains chaste; he who, keenly sensitive, with many powers of indignation in him, can be provoked and yet restrain himself and forgive—these are the strong men, the spiritual heroes.

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Major Ingalls says that there are in the Indian Territory from 70,000 to 80,000 Indians, of whom 55,000 are embraced in five tribes, and 15,000 are called wild Indians. The 55,000 support themselves by agriculture; their government allowance is expended for school houses and the maintenance of local administration. 11,000 are communicants in churches. He reports also that the Christian Indians are sending native preachers, among the Sioux and Arapahoes.

In 1875, 22,228 manufacturing establishments in the State of Massachusetts, on an invested capital of \$283,000,000, produced \$589,000,000 worth of goods. Of this amount \$130,000,000 was in textile manufactures, \$80,000,000 in boots and shoes, \$38,000,000 in metallic products \$29,000,000 in clothing; and \$25,000,000 in leather. The aggregate amount this year will reach at \$650,000,000.

Pettingill says that the first returning board of which he has any recollection was a shingle in the hand of his father. The three—father, son and shingle—used to hold frequent committee meetings in the back shed, but the returns came in so swiftly that a fair count was impracticable.

The culture of coffee in Southern California is becoming profitable. The plant grows as vigorously as in the coffee countries of South America, and yields a bean of strong aromatic flavor. The central and southern portions of the State are the regions peculiarly favorable.

The annual income of the Church of England is \$36,000,000. The church has 16,000 religious edifices, including 30 cathedrals, 10,000 glebe-houses, 36 Episcopal palaces, and 1,000,000 acres of land, much of it in condition for tillage.

"What is the best remedy," asked a preacher of a shrewd observer, "for an inattentive audience?" "Give them something to attend to," was the significant reply. Hungry sheep will look up to the rack if there is hay in it.

The Astor Library (New York) now contains 175,000 volumes, 15,000 of which have been added during the last 18 months. During the past twelve months \$60,000 has been spent for books for the institution.

Methodism has a firm foothold in Germany, according to Dr. Nast, who says that there are now in that country more than 105 preachers, 11,000 members, 62 churches, 623 stations, preaching places, one theological school and a book concern which publishes thousands of volumes and millions of tracts every year.

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A PROCLAMATION.

By the Governor of the Territory of Washington.

WHEREAS THE LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY of the Territory of Washington, by an act approved the 9th day of November, A. D. 1877, provided that a special election should be held in said Territory, on the 9th day of April, 1878, for the purpose of choosing delegates to assemble at Walla Walla, in said Territory, on the eleventh day of June, A. D. 1878, to frame a State Constitution; and

WHEREAS, it is further provided in said act, that delegates to said Convention shall be elected in the Territory at large and in districts as follows:

- Three Delegates in the Territory at large.
- One Delegate in the First Judicial District.
- One Delegate in the Second Judicial District.
- One Delegate in the Third Judicial District.
- One Delegate in the County of Walla Walla.
- One Delegate in the County of King.
- One Delegate in the Counties of Thurston and Lewis.
- One Delegate in the Counties of Clark, Skamania, Klickitat and Yakima.
- One Delegate in the Counties of Cowlitz, Pacific and Wahkiakum.
- One Delegate in the Counties of Pierce, Chelan and Mason.
- One Delegate in Counties of Clallam, Island, Jefferson and San Juan.
- One Delegate in the Counties of Kitsap, Snohomish and Whatcom.
- One Delegate in the Counties of Columbia, Stevens and Whitman; and

WHEREAS, it is further provided in said act, that the Counties of Idaho, Shoshone and Nez Perce, in the Territory of Idaho, may be represented in said Convention by one Delegate who shall have the privilege of the floor, but shall not be entitled to a vote:
Now, THEREFORE, I ELISHA P. FERRY, Governor of the Territory of Washington, by virtue of the power and authority in me vested by said act, do hereby call a special election to be held in the several Counties in this Territory on the 9th day of April A. D. 1878, for the purpose of electing the hereinbefore mentioned. The said election to be conducted and returns thereof made and transmitted as is now provided by law in cases of general elections for Delegate to Congress, Prosecuting Attorney, and members of the Legislative Council of the Territory. And the said counties of Idaho, Shoshone, and Nez Perce, in the Territory of Idaho, are requested to elect the delegate to said Convention provided for in said act, at such time and in such manner as may be deemed advisable by the citizens of said counties.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Great Seal of the Territory to be affixed at Olympia, this 24th day of January, A. D. 1878.
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