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## THE BROOKLYN HOLOCAUST.

Appalling Loss of Life—Estimated at 250.

Telegrams from New York of the 6th and 7th inst. bring accounts of the burning of the Brooklyn Theater. The catastrophe ranks among the most fatal ever recorded. At a late hour on the night of the 6th, 285 bodies had been recovered. We subjoin the evidence of G. A. Wisener, who was in the theater at the time, as descriptive of the scene:

He saw the flames burning the scenery and rushed forward to open the doors. The actors quieted the audience a moment; he waited at the door till the spectators were all out; then closed the doors to keep the draught out; people were coming down from the gallery, but suddenly stopped; he saw what the matter was, when he got to the stairs, there was a lady who had one of her legs caught in the balusters, a man fell over her, then others fell over him, making a heap which those in the rear were unable to pass. There were some 60 persons in the pile. The stairs were open all the way down from that point. At this time the smoke was very dense. It was not three minutes after the fire broke out till the curtain was lowered and took fire, and this had the effect of sending the flames up to the gallery. Persons were piled up here and there crying for help. I did get some in the rear to fall back, till I got two men out. Seeing these got out they all rushed forward again and blocked the passage. I tried to extricate a woman who was caught in the railing, but she was held fast. An usher came up to assist. We made a small place among them. We tore the dresses off of some, but we got them out. Then I went to the dress circle and found a woman there, took her out. There must have been other persons there for I heard cries, but could not see them on account of the smoke. I knew there must be several others in the dress circle, who were overtaken by the fire. I was then getting weak. I dropped to the floor to get fresh air. The smoke was black smoke, and had a very suffocating smell. I am an old fireman and never experienced smoke so suffocating. I was not in the smoke more than a minute, yet I could not breathe.

First and second galleries, even the stairs were at the time filled with suffocating smoke. No human being could live in that smoke two minutes. I heard a thumping noise as if some persons were jumping out of windows. At the time it was utterly impossible to get to the top of the gallery. I knew the people were all taken from the dress circle stairs, but I heard cries inside. I called out Who are you? but got no answer. Even when I got down on the floor, I heard a thumping noise, as if jumping out of the upper gallery. If they had jumped from the gallery to the dress circle, the smoke was so dense I could not have seen them.

**A SAN FRANCISCO WEDDING.**—The sight of a pigtails Celestial gracefully assisting a white lady from a hack in front of the Rev. Mr. Gibson's door was sufficient to attract quite a crowd in that vicinity. The woman, who was neatly dressed, kept her face concealed from view by a thick veil and quietly seated herself in a chair in a secluded corner. Ah Wab, the groom, placidly puffed away at a cigar and was neatly attired in Mongolian habiliments. The bride lifted her veil disclosing not an attractive, but an intelligent face. She said her name was Fannie Waters, aged 20, and a teacher. He said he was aged 26, and the proprietor of two wash houses.

They are making perfume from peach-leaves in France.

## NEWS FROM ALL PARTS.

Ulysses Grant, Jr., has become a lawyer in New York city.

Ex-Empress Eugenie is growing old and don't want her picture taken.

A son of the rebel General Lee has been elected to the Virginia Senate.

Sending a postal card with mean words upon it has cost a New York man \$500.

Tweed has determined to dismiss all his counsel and let the law take its course.

An Indian never thinks he is handsome until he gets to looking perfectly hideous.

J. W. Young, the successor of old Brigham, in Mormonism, already possesses three wives.

Some yellow fever in Savannah yet, some twenty to thirty people dying of the disease each week.

By the death of Frank Hammett, of Newport, R. I., the Home of the Friendless there gets \$100,000.

A deposit of gold has been found under the main street of Deadwood City, and it is feared it will be ruined.

A baked-beans company is doing a thriving business in New York, supplying nearly all the hotels and restaurants.

A negro named Crutcher at Cincinnati attempted to rape a white woman and was immediately taken by a mob and hung.

English travelers now sue railroad companies for damages incurred by loss of time when a train don't start on advertised time.

Col. Fred Grant was fined \$10 and costs in a police court in Chicago the other day for assaulting a reporter of the Evening Journal.

An awful calm has settled over Philadelphia, and the citizens feel as though the world had stopped revolving since the Exposition closed.

The main building of the international exhibition was purchased on the 1st inst by the International Exhibition Co. for the sum of \$250,000.

A man in Tennessee has captured a white deer. Is this the "White Fawn" that theatre-goers crowded to see a few years ago? It seems to have been lost sight of lately.

The Scotch people are horrified to find that the whisky sold in the little villages of that country is adulterated with vitriolic acid, and committees of investigation are everywhere busy.

The telegraph line which has been in process of erection all summer, reached Deadwood on the 1st inst., and was the occasion of universal rejoicing in that city among the Black Hills.

New York consumes the most oysters of all the cities of the country, and Washington comes next, while Baltimore, which packs and ships most of any, falls far behind in consumption.

An auction sale of 24 buildings belonging to the board of finance, and 20 belonging to individuals, brought on exposition grounds \$296,000. The cost was two millions and a half.

The Associated California Pioneers in New York have inaugurated a series of monthly reception of old ties, swapping pioneer experience, eliciting and recording personal and historical facts connected with pioneer days. The opening reception at the Sturtevant House was a decided success.

A London paper states that the captain of the whaler, Jem Mayon, of Peterhead, recently encountered an Esquimaux, who informed him that a tribe of Esquimaux living northward of Cumberland Gulf many years ago massacred Captain Crozier, second in command of the Franklin expedition, and five other whites because they refused to surrender their arms and ammunition.

During a fire on the morning of the 1st inst, in New Orleans, a man who was detected setting fire to one of the houses during the conflagration was shot and killed instantly. Another negro, found in the act of committing the same crime, was missed and escaped. Most of the buildings burned were small cottages and hundreds of poor people lost all they possessed.

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" Gold Vest Chains, from	-	15 to 75
Ladies' Gold Opera or Zouze Chains,	-	20 to 90
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We keep no imitation or plated goods in this Establishment.

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LOCAL NEWS.

HOLIDAY GIFTS. - When money is plenty and times are easy, it is much less a matter of concern...

A CHRISTMAS BALL will be given at Fowler's Hall, in this town, on Monday evening, Dec. 23d, 1876.

MR. S. WATERMAN, one of our most enterprising merchants, arrived home last Tuesday evening, after an absence of several months in the East...

AMONG the improvements of the week past may be mentioned the improved appearance of Mr. Sheehan's tile store...

THE price of admission to the Ladies' Fair will be 25 cents—children, 10 cents. Donations to the lunch table will be thankfully received...

THE household effects of the Rev. P. E. Hyland were disposed of by Mr. Clinger, at auction, on Wednesday, bringing very fair prices.

CHOICE BOOKS for the holidays, adapted to both old and young, may be found at N. D. Hill's Drugstore.

THE steamship Dakota reached this port on her return to San Francisco, on Saturday last...

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GOV. GROVER, of Oregon, woke up one morning to find himself, the most prominent man on the Continent.

REV. MR. BONNELL, of Seattle, will hold services in St. Paul's Church, next Sunday. We understand he will hold services here once a month.

BORN. - In Baker City, Nov. 28th, to the wife of J. T. Ford, a daughter. John says he was in hope it would be a boy, but as it is a girl he will name it Tilden, anyhow. -Bedrock Democrat.

Notice to Creditors. Estate of Enoch S. Fowler Deceased. Notice is hereby given by the undersigned Executor of the last will and testament of Enoch S. Fowler, deceased...

FOR SALE! THE UNDERSIGNED WILL sell the building formerly known as the Messge Office, and now occupied by Mr. Magary, together with the lot upon which it stands, on reasonable terms. Apply to NEWTON & KEYMES, Port Townsend, Dec. 7, 1876.

NOTICE OF SALE OF REAL ESTATE. Administrator's Sale of Real Estate. NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, THAT, IN pursuance of an order of the court of Island County, Washington Territory, made on the 24th day of May, 1876...

In the County of Island. On Thursday, the 28th day of December, A. D. 1876, at the hour of 11 o'clock A. M. of said day, at the court of the Probate Court room of said county, at Coupeville, in said county, the following described real estate...

In the County of Whatcom. On Tuesday, the 26th day of December, A. D. 1876, at the hour of 3 o'clock P. M. of said day, at the court of the Auditor's office in said county, the following described real estate...

GRANVILLE O. HALLER, Administrator of said Estate. G. M. HALLER, AUY FOR MORRIS HALLER. JAMES McNAUGHT. G. MORRIS HALLER. McNAUGHT & HALLER, ATTORNEYS AND COUNSELLORS AT LAW, Practors in Admiralty.

Farm for Sale! A VERY DESIRABLE FARM, SITUATED on Whidby Island, W. T., and known as Dan Dale's Ranch. Containing 160 acres of first quality land. WILL BE SOLD CHEAP. For particulars apply to J. A. KUHN, Port Townsend, Nov. 15, 1876.

Taxes! Taxes! THE ASSESSMENT ROLL of Jefferson County is now in the hands of the undersigned, who is ready to receive and receipt for the taxes of 1876. Taxes not paid before the first day of January, 1877, will be increased ten per cent. It is proper for all persons that have paid their road taxes for 1876 to bring their receipts and file the same with me and I will give them a receipt in full. I shall be found at my office daily, from ten to four o'clock. The office is two doors east of the telegraph office, up stairs, on Water street, Port Townsend. L. B. HASTINGS, Treasurer of Jefferson County. Port Townsend, Nov. 5, 1876.

ROTHSCHILD & CO., Shipping and Commission MERCHANTS, Port Townsend, Washington Territory, Importers, Wholesale and Retail Dealers in Dry Goods, Clothing, Boots and Shoes, Ship Chandlery, Tobacco and Cigars, Liquors, Hardware, Crockery, Stationery, Etc. Exchange Bought and Sold. Liberal Advances Made on Consignments. The Highest Price Paid for Wool, Hides, Furs and Produce.

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HAWAIIAN BARK LUNALILLO. NEITHER CAPT. W. H. MARSTON OF THE Hawaiian bark Lunaillo, nor the undersigned Agents of the above-named ship will be responsible for debts contracted by the officers or crew. ROTHSCCHILD & CO. Agents. W. H. MARSTON, Master. Port Townsend, Sept. 18, 1876.

Nicaraguan Ship Black Eagle. NEITHER CAPT. R. S. HUGHES, OF THE Nicaraguan ship Black Eagle, nor the undersigned Agents of the above-named ship will be responsible for debts contracted by the officers or crew. ROTHSCCHILD & CO. Agents. R. S. HUGHES, Master. Port Townsend, September 18, 1876.

Bark Transito de Alvarez. NEITHER CAPT. A. DOMEC, OF THE Nicaraguan bark Transito de Alvarez, nor the undersigned Agents of the above-named bark will be responsible for debts contracted by the officers or crew. ROTHSCCHILD & CO. Agents. A. DOMEC, Master. Port Townsend, Oct. 23, 1876.

W. F. & JOHN BARNES, Manufacturers of Patent Foot-Power Machinery, Circular Saws, Lathes, Circulating Saws, Etc. The only foot-power machinery without dead center, and the only foot-power year made using these machines. Send for Illustrated Catalogue, 48 pages, FREE. Rockport, Vintemago County, Ill.

STEAMSHIP PANAMA. - The Pacific Mail steamship Panama arrived at this port on Tuesday evening after a run of 63 1/2 hours from San Francisco to Esquimaux, with northerly winds the whole route. She brought 22 tons of freight for this place and the following passengers: S. Waterman, J. Thurston and wife, J. T. Williamson and wife, R. S. Kenny and wife, and eight in the steerage. For Seattle - Miss Canli, E. McGilvray, Mrs. McNaught and mother, M. Briscoe and wife, J. Rowland, S. Knapp, and 12 in the steerage. For Tacoma - Sister Gaudin, Sister Berio, Father Prefontaine and Noah Abbin.

THE steamer Phantom has entered upon her daily trips to Whidby Island and this place. We are informed that she will also make two trips a week to Dungeness - Mondays and Thursdays. The latter is a project that our friends in Clallam county have long earnestly wished might be put in force, as it will not only prove a great convenience but will be an advantage to all the settlers in that region.

INSANE. - Mrs. Charlotte Gildow, of Coveland, Island Co., has been adjudged insane, and went up to Stellacon on Tuesday in charge of Sheriff Watson.

MRS. W. P. WINANS, daughter of P. D. Moore, died in San Francisco on the 4th inst., of rheumatism of the heart.

FOR SALE! A No. 1 Stock or Dairy Farm, On Whidby Island, Island County, BY SAMUEL HAWOCK. Also, Stock on the place to suit the purchaser. There are about ten acres of cranberries on the place which yield well yearly. Any one wishing to purchase, will do well to call on the undersigned, or James Dalgardno, of Dungeness, or on the undersigned, SAMUEL HAWOCK. BOOK & JOB WORK. Keatly Executed at this Office.



Receive an Acknowledgment.

To a proud spirit, making an acknowledgment of being in the wrong is harder than the greatest sin...

Two brothers lived at their father's house in harmony until they arrived at manhood; but some casual remark...

One pleasant winter morning, when Broadway was thronged with the gayest people, and eager footstepers...

"Brother, have you no word of well come?" Will you forgive me?

"Fears stood in the haughty listener's eyes as his brother spoke, but by a mighty effort, he quenched his bitter emotions...

With bowed head the forgiving brother heard the last cruel words...

How Heads First Came to be Cropped.

Previous to the time of Francis I., the French nobles had worn their hair long, the cause of which was a fashion...

An Irishman on board a vessel when she was on the point of foundering, being desired to come on deck...

A Royal Funeral in Egypt.

The Khedive of Egypt recently buried his favorite daughter, Princess Hasmeh Zehra, who was but 15 years old...

The Khedive and his family, as well as his guest, the Sultan of Zanzibar, and the whole city of Alexandria, were much disturbed by the sad event...

MINUTE MECHANISM.—The following are from a list of "miracles of art" exhibited in London in the year 1754...

THE SALT IN OCEAN.—Superficial observers formerly assumed that the saltness of the ocean was due to the beds of rock-salt washed by its waters...

THE HORRIBLE DESTRUCTION ON A BUNGALOW.—A beautiful bungalow into a palatial residence, chloroformed the inmates...

BARSTOW CASKET.—Most beautiful and reliable article ever made. Perfect protection from water and vermin...

GRAND TRIUMPH! DECKER BROS' PIANOS Have Received the Highest Award AT THE CENTENNIAL.

The Genuine J. H. Outer WHISKY. Its Agency and the "Sons-in-Law Farce."

SINCE THE J. H. CUTTER WHISKY has obtained its great celebrity in this market being unequaled in quality...

MILTON J. HARDY'S AFFIDAVIT. Milton J. Hardy vs. Charles H. Morgan, United States Marshal, Southern District of New York...

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GOOD NEWS! GOOD NEWS! "Have You Heard the News?" THE PETER SHORT (Old) Pioneer Merchant Tailor, has reduced his prices to suit the times...

TO MY OLD PATRONS. I STILL OFFER MY VALUABLE SERVICES by detailing the symptoms of the disease, and receive medicine by the direction of J. H. JOSELYN, M. D., 225 Sutter Street, San Francisco.

CALVERT'S CARBOLIC Sheep Wash. A VICTIM'S WARNING! CURE AND ADVISE TO YOUNG MEN AND OTHERS who suffer from Gonorrhoea, Syphilis, Venereal Disease, etc.

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DR. SPINNEY, NO. 11 KEARNY STREET, SAN FRANCISCO. Ladies and Gentlemen, Remember that procrastination is the thief of time.

MIDDLE-AGED MEN. There are many of the age of thirty to sixty who are troubled with too frequent evacuation of the bladder...

MISCELLANY. J. H. A. FOLKERS & BRO'S. SERRAVALLO AND DENTAL INSTRUMENTS. DR. W. K. DOHERTY'S MEDICAL AND SURGICAL INSTITUTES.

DR. DOHERTY'S MEDICAL AND SURGICAL INSTITUTES. Desires to inform the general public, and especially all those laboring under all forms of Chronic Complaints...

DR. DOHERTY'S MEDICAL AND SURGICAL INSTITUTES. SPECIAL DISEASES. Resulting from ignorance or folly, the number of persons suffering from these horrid complaints...

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**THE WEEKLY ARGUS.**

WESTERN WASHINGTON, IN PART.

We clip the following from a communication addressed to Gen. Stark, while on a brief visit to the Sound last summer. It relates principally, as will be seen, to the country between the Sound and the Columbia river, with a limited reference to the territory bordering portions of the Upper Sound:

The agricultural lands of the Territory while generally confined to the river bottoms, are not entirely so. It is frequently found that even on the sides, and sometimes near the summit of a hill or mountain, considerable tracts of rich beaver lands exist. The river bottoms of the Columbia and its affluent streams, as well as the valley of the Chehalis, contain large tracts of land of unexcelled fertility. About midway between Kalama and Tacoma is the Chehalis valley, embracing, with its conduits, over 2,000 square miles of the best of agricultural lands. It varies in width from five to fifteen miles, and extends from the base of the Cascade range to Gray's Harbor. Large quantities of rich lands lie in the bottoms of its lower tributaries. Flowing into Puget Sound there are the Des Chutes, Nisqually and Puyallup rivers, on which are some fine arable lands. These river bottoms are usually sparsely timbered with alder, vine maple, crab apple, etc., which are quickly and easily cleared, at an expense ranging from five to thirty dollars per acre; and will then yield, on an average, from forty to sixty bushels of wheat per acre. I estimate that of the lands earned by the N. P. R. on its 105 miles constructed in Washington, more than 250,000 acres are suitable in an eminent degree for agricultural uses. The small grains are produced most abundantly, with a large average yield, and command the highest market price at home. And so long as we have the large non-producing lumbering population, the farmer's agricultural lands are more fertile, the country more healthy, the climate more congenial, and the commercial and manufacturing advantages greater than are to be found in any other unsettled portion of the United States. It is easier for a poor man to obtain a farm here than on the prairies of Minnesota, Iowa or Kansas.

CUT THIS OUT.  
It May Have Your Life.

There is no person living but what suffers more or less with lung diseases, coughs, colds, consumptions, and some would die rather than pay 75 cents for a bottle of medicine that would cure them. **DR. HILL'S GREAT MAN SYRUP** has lately been introduced in this country from Germany, and its wonderful cures astonish every one that tries it. It is so good that what is printed on this bottle you take it to your doctor, and get a sample bottle for 10 cents and try it; and two doses will drive you. For sale at 25 cents. Crane & Bingham, Druggists, San Francisco, California.

**NOTICE**

Of Executor's Sale of Real Estate.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT, IN pursuance of an order of the Probate Court of the County of Jefferson in the Territory of Washington, made on the 4th day of November, 1876, in the matter of the Estate of EDWARD LILL, deceased, the undersigned, the Executor of said Estate, will sell at public auction, to the highest bidder for cash, and subject to confirmation by said Probate Court, on Thursday, the 29th day of December, 1876, at 12 o'clock noon, at the residence of the late Edward Lill on the premises near Coltsed Bay, in Jefferson County, W. T., all the right, title and interest which said Edward Lill at the time of his death, and all late law, by operation of law or otherwise, acquired other than, or in addition to, that of the said Edward Lill at the time of his death, in and to all those certain lots, pieces or parcels of land situate, lying and being in the County of Jefferson, Territory of Washington. The land of Coltsed Bay, and described as follows, to-wit:

The lot numbered three, containing 34 acres; the south half of the northwest quarter, the northwest quarter of the southwest quarter, and the lot numbered 5, containing 46 1/2 acres; also the northwest quarter of the southeast quarter, and the southwest quarter of the northeast quarter, containing 80 acres; all in Section 18, Town 27, north of Range 1 W. Terms and conditions of Sale: Cash, gold coin of the United States; ten per cent of the purchase money to be paid to the auctioneer on the day of sale, balance on confirmation of sale by said Probate Court, deed at expense of purchaser.

A patent for each of the above described tracts of land has been obtained from the U. S., which will be turned over to the purchaser with the Executor's deed. About 225 acres of said land is as fine bottom land as any on Puget Sound and bordered with vine maple and alder and easily cleared. The balance is heavy fir timber. About 40 acres are cleared and 30 under fence. It is peculiarly adapted for a dairy or hay farm. It has a young orchard, which bears this season five bushels of apples besides plums, cherries and pears. The buildings on it are not very good. Two small streams of fine water run through the land. The whole 27 1/2 acres are in one body, and will be sold in a body.

H. D. COYNE, Executor of the Estate of Edward Lill deceased. Port Townsend, W. T., Nov. 16, 1876.

**Notice.**

MY WIFE LOUISE HAVING LEFT MY bed and board, I will not be responsible for any debts of her contracting from and after this date.  
Nov. 20, 1876. GEORGE WESTON.

**BOOK & JOB WORK**  
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**DRUGS, PAINTS, OILS, STATIONERY, & C.,**  
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- SOAP,
- PERFUMERY,
- POMADES,
- HAIR OILS,
- And all Articles used for the Toilet,
- &c., &c., &c.
- Quick Sales & Small Profits
- Prescriptions carefully compounded.

**CENTAUR LINIMENT.**

[Letter from a Postmaster.]

"ANYONE, ILL, Dec. 1, 1874.  
"My wife has, for a long time, been a terrible sufferer from Rheumatism. She has tried many physicians and many remedies. The only thing which has given her relief is Centaur Liniment. I am pleased to say this has cured her. I am doing what I can to get this medicine."  
W. H. RING.

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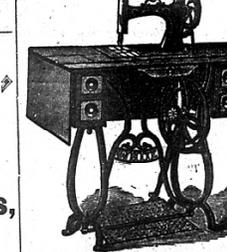
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