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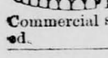

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WITH THE
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made on the Pacific Coast.

Our BOTTLED ALE and PORTER is considered by competent judges equal to the best imported, while our LAGER BEER, (made by Mr. JOHN CRAETZ, the famous German Beer Brewer, so well and favorably known on the Sound and lately Brewer for the N. P. R. R. Brewery, at Steilacoom,) is excelled by none.

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All our MALT LIQUORS are made o the best Malt and Hops—contain no drugs—and are properly fermented on scientific principles.

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PRESCRIPTIONS CAREFULLY COMPOUNDED.
AGENT FOR
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Orders from Abroad Solicited
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Railroad Land Notice.

THE UNDERSIGNED HAVING BEEN APpointed Agent to receive all applications for Railroad lands in the Olympia Land District, applicants for such lands are referred to the following letter:

NORTHERN PACIFIC RAILROAD CO.
PACIFIC DIVISION.

OFFICE ASS'T TREAS'R AND GENERAL AGENT, Kalama, W. T., June 26, 1872.

FRANK TARBELL, Esq., Olympia, W. T.:

Dear Sir:—To avoid the filing of conflicting applications and errors in description of lands applied for in the Land Department of this Company, I desire to ask you to receive all applications for lands in the Olympia Land District, and when the same are in due form forward them to this office.

Fees, if any, will be collected by you from the applicants. Yours, truly,
J. W. SPRAGUE, General Agent.
F. TARBELL Agent, Olympia, W. T.

REMOVAL.
S. P. ANDREWS
Has removed to his New Store on Commercial Street, between Stone & Burnett's & Schwabacher Bros. & Co., where he is receiving additions to his Stock which make it the
Largest ever brought to this market, which will be sold at prices that defy competition.

Stoves and Tin Ware.

COOKING, PARLOR AND BOX
STOVES!!
AND
PORTABLE RANGES
Ever brought to Puget Sound.
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COOK STOVE,
With or without extension, and for either Wood or Coal.
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Kitchen Furniture
French and English Wares, Japan, Tin, Copper and Sheet Iron Wares.
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A GENERAL ASSORTMENT OF
PIPE FITTINGS.
JOB WORK.
All work pertaining to the business done at short notice and in a workmanlike manner.
GIVE ME A TRIAL.
Orders from abroad promptly attended to.
PRICES TO SUIT THE TIMES.
☞ Call and examine before purchasing elsewhere. ☜
STORE ON
COMMERIAL ST., SEATTLE, W. T.
S. P. ANDREWS.
April 4, 1872. 20tf.

ANDERSON & HOPKINS,
Mill street, next door to the Post Office.
SEATTLE, W. T.
Are Offering
FURNITURE,
Bedding,
Upholstery,
Redwood and Picture Frame Mouldings,
PICTURES!
Window Curtains,
Doors
Sash and Blinds.
at Reduced Prices!
Undertaking,
Furniture Repaired,
AND
SHOW CASES
Made to order, at reasonable rates nov. 20.

Supreme Court Order.

The *Intelligencer* devotes its ponderous leader to an adverse criticism upon the order of the Supreme Court, excluding Mr. McNaught from appearing as counsel or proctor in admiralty on one side of a case while he stands as attorney of record for the parties to the suit on the other side, in a case involving precisely the same facts, ascribing to the DISPATCH in this matter what belongs exclusively to the Court and to the public—to the Court as the final judges in the matter, and to the public as determining a rule of practice of great importance to every suitor, to the dignity of the bench and the honor of the bar. Our duty as an independent journalist, swayed or biased by no personal or party considerations, demanded this publication as a matter of public concernment, no candid man will deny. If Mr. McNaught has been unfairly treated through the unfriendly prejudice of any, certainly the fault is not ours, but that of his judges, who made this order, for our personal relations have ever been of a friendly character, and not at all affected by the transfer of his business from us to a man who we know he despised, for that we knew was only an evidence of his business sagacity not uncomplimentary or cause of offense to us. He knew that with us, in his relations to the public, he could get no more than our duty to the public demanded, and in no event would he get less; that we accepted no "patronage" upon conditions of subverting our paper to personal or private interests, and hence he transferred his business to a black-mail sheet which serves only for pay, and the result has justified his expectations; he has had columns of editorial puffs and laudations in a paper which therefore would not permit his name or that of his law partner to appear in its columns in reports of matters of public interest. As a medium of communicating facts of general interest to the public we will not permit private interest or personal feeling to mar the record. The dearest friend we have on earth, had he stood in the same position that Mr. McNaught did in the matter under consideration, would not have deterred us from the publication, however much we might regret the circumstances. That an editor who recognizes no other rule than self-interest in his public relations, should impugn our motives, or that a lawyer who has offered his services to the litigant public for years without achieving a retainer on either side should defend the practice of accepting a retainer on both sides, does not affect the principle at issue, any more than would the proposed affidavits of Mr. McNaught's partner, brother and father-in-law, that he had a special agreement with his first client which left him at liberty to take a retainer on the other side. The question determined was a question of practice not to be affected by private understanding not of record. It is creditable to Mr. McNaught's skill as a lawyer that his services should be sought by both parties litigant, but this gives him no right to violate a rule of universal practice, which has been deemed necessary to protect litigants against the duplicity and treachery of dishonest attorneys; else, a lawyer so disposed, might become possessed of facts material to the rights of one client and sell them to the other without incurring any liability. That this rule has not been heretofore enforced in the courts in this Territory, may be owning to the fact that the attention of the court has not before been demanded, or that its non-recognition has not worked any detriment to the rights of clients. Thus, in the case of Bell vs. Bell, tried in the District Court in this county, Mr. McNaught appeared as counsel for defendant at one term and counsel for plaintiff at another, and no objection was made. But all intelligent men must admit that it is a dangerous precedent to establish, liable to the grosset abuse, and that the Supreme Court was fully justified in declaring and enforcing the common law rule on the first occasion on which it was demanded by the bar.

RAILROAD BONDS.—We would call the attention of small capitalists to the advertisement of the Northern Pacific Railroad bonds. To those desiring to purchase railroad lands peculiar advantages are offered. They may enter into possession of the land immediately on application, be in receipt of the interest on their money, and when the lands come into market, pay for the same at their appraised value exclusive of improvements, with bonds at ten per cent. premium. That is, bonds now costing ninety cents, and paying interest at the rate of eight and a half per cent. upon the investment, will be taken at one dollar and ten cents in payment for lands.

THEFT.—A man registering his name as Huges, took a bed at the Occidental Hotel, on Wednesday evening, in a double-bedded room. The clerk soon after lighted another guest to the same room, when he found the first one had fled, taking with him two pairs of blankets. Neither the thief nor property have been recovered.

Impracticable Reformers.

The *Echo*, a professed "organ of temtemperance," makes the occasion of our refusal to publish the advertisement of a lawyer proposing to procure clandestine divorces, the basis of the following assault:

"We would sooner advertise the business of the man whose business it is to procure divorces, than to advertise the business of those whose business does the real work that makes four-fifths of all the divorces necessary. In the same issue from which the above notice, and comments—with what "holy horror" they appear to have been made—are clipped, we find the columns opened, and at a very nominal price, to eight places of business, where can be procured all that is necessary "to promote vice, licentiousness and unlawful practices," support "doctors of private and disreputable practices, lotteries and other gambling devices, houses of prostitution, and procurers of clandestine divorces."

It is hardly necessary to say, that there is no business advertised in our paper which is not sanctioned by law; and of the class to which reference is made, endorsed by public sentiment, with as much right to the use of our advertising columns, at our usual rates, as any other class of business. That immense evils and sufferings grow out of excessive indulgence in intoxicating drinks, will not be disputed. That total abstinence is the most effectual remedy for the evils of intemperance cannot be denied. But that the cause of temperance will be promoted by the intemperate and unreasoning zeal and bigotry displayed in the foregoing extract, no reasonable man can believe. The use of intoxicating drinks, which "maketh the heart glad," has been sanctioned by the usages of centuries; it has the endorsement of the highest Christian authority and the example for its use of the most pious divines and the purest and best men in every age of the world, while its abuse by excessive indulgence has always been held as a sin. There are even now sincerely pious men who would as soon think of adopting the Shaker system of non-intercourse beween the sexes as a remedy for the social evil, as to expect universal total abstinence to be adopted as a remedy for drunkenness. Temperance organizations, with a total abstinence pledge, are modern institutions, demanded by a growing tendency to intemperance and excess, and calculated to do much good, under judicious management, in rescuing individuals of depraved appetites and infirm purpose from the evils of intemperance. But that good purpose is greatly thwarted by intemperate zeal which provokes resentment, or the disposition manifested to procribe or dominate a people habituated to freedom. It is as easy to establish new religious dogmas by force, as to establish new moral dogmas by the same means.

We have been laboring for some time in what we supposed to be the cause of morality and public decency, against houses of prostitution, public gambling houses, and to compel the retailers of intoxicating drinks to obey the laws and comply with the restrictions which the laws impose for the maintainance of order and public decency. And now comes in this "organ of temperance," and tells the keepers of brothels, gambling-hells, and like dens of infamy that their business is as respectable as that of the vendor of one of the elements used in the most holy sacrament of the Christian religion; that the business of John Pennell is of a higher grade, entitling him to a better social position, than the business of Merrs. Schwabacher Bros. & Gatzert, Stone & Burnett, Crawford & Harrington, and J. R. Robbins, all of whom are among the advertisers denounced by the *Echo*. This is well calculated to give aid and comfort to keepers of brothels, but if intended to aid the cause of temperance, it is a most miserable failure.

MORE ABOUT THE EARTHQUAKE.—Mr. Fares, of Snoqualmie, writes us from that point under date of 17th inst. as follows:

"This valley has been pretty well shook up during the past three days with earthquakes. The first was about 10 o'clock on Saturday night, lasting a minute and a half, and was very heavy. We had thirteen more shocks before day-light, but one as heavy as the first. Since then we have had ten. A very heavy smoke has risen in the mountains a little west of north, seen distinctly when not too cloudy. There appears to be two volumes of smoke."

Mount Baker is in the direction of the smoke seen from Snoqualmie, and it is not improbable that the earthquake shocks felt here were caused by an eruption of that volcanic mountain, as all accounts concur that it was most violent in that direction.

"We were boys together," said Thurlow Weed, while standing over the coffin of Horace Greeley. Weed was an apprentice in the printing office of the Cooperstown Journal when Greeley was born, and was one of the most distinguished editors in New York when Greeley entered New York city in search of employment. He was fourteen years Greeley's senior, and is yet a vigorous writer and irrepressible politician.

Thanksgiving Sermon.

BY REV. THEODORE CROWL.

A sermon preached on Thanksgiving Day, in this city, to a union congregagation, was requested for publication by unanimous resolution of the audience, and brought to us for insertion in the DISPATCH. It is too long for our limited space, but heartily endorsing its sentiments and spirit, we have retained it in our possession in the hope that we might make room for a comprehensiye review of its positions. Even this we find impracticable, and must be content with brief reference to a few practical points of public interest.

After an elaborate review of the events of the past year, relating to our industrial prosperity; the preacher proceeds to deal with our political situation, showing much cause for gratulation in the manifest improvement in political morals, as exhibited in the municipal elections in our chief cities, where party has been subordinated to public interests, and the general tendency to the suppression of vice, licentiousness and lawlessness. He says:

Again, there is cause for gratitude in the loosening of old party fetters. I do not speak for any political party, but I think we all must welcome the day of release of the American people from service in either of the great political organizations which for the past twenty years have been waging war. However much we may differ as to the questions of by-gone years, there is no longer any reason for presenting them again as political issues. The people of the United States have given their answer most emphatically. It is folly or madness to expect any change in public sentiment which will justify the presenting of these issues in any form to our people. Henceforth let other questions receive our attention. We are ready for another capter in the history of progress.

Again:

Now we can devote our energies and consecrate our ballots to securing the reform of abuses, to the developement of our resources, to the arts of peace, the improvement of our methods of government, and the reformation of society. Henceforth it is to be hoped that men's records will be reviewed not so much to ascertain whether they have been Republicans or Democrats, Whigs or Know Nothings, as to ascertain whether they are honest, trustworthy, moral, possessed of good judgment, and whether they are true friends of humanity and justice and truth. Let us not seek to keep fresh the old line of seperation. Men have been jostled to and fro over it, it has been trampled and trodden in the commerce of the opposing parties and in new adjustments of positions, and in fact disappearing. Let it go. Thanks for new departures from old parties.

And again:

Now, while we render thanks that the free will of the people has prevailed, let us not forget that fidelity to our free institutions demands that we should, if possible, discover and punish according to the laws, and brand with infamy, all officers and candidates for office, and voters, who have been participants in any way in bribery and fraud. Set aside forever the officer or candidate for office who has given or offered a bribe. Let his name be eraced forever from the roll of public favor. Let his memory rot. He has been a traitor to our Republic. He is a worse traitor than the man who has openly carried the sword or musket in honorable warfare against us. There is no treason so infamous as that which strikes covertly and treacherously at the foundations of our government. Let a candidate for office muster his followers, let him arm them with muskets and swords, let him openly advance to the ballot box, let him by force put himself in office if he can; that would be more honorable than to thrust himself on the people by the votes of hired mercenaries. Disfranchise the citizen who sells his vote, but disfranchise also the man who buys. Go out from the house of thanksgiving determined to do your duty as citizens, and God will bless you and your country.

This is but a meager report of a sermon which would fill a page of four daily, but is much as our space will allow.

TERRIBLE ACCIDENT.—Mr. Danforth Parmelee, a highly respected citizen of this town, met with a very terrible accident at his farm near the mouth of the Duwamish river. He was alone at the time, engaged in repairing a fence. In attempting to carry two rails upon his shoulder, his feet slipped from under him, and the rails fell across his hips, breaking a thigh bone and dislocating one hip. In this helpless condition he lay upon the ground, where he fell, 48 hours, from Monday till Wednesday afternoon, when he managed, by several hours of agonizing effort, to drag himself to his house, lying upon his back. Here he was found by neighbors the same evening and brought to the city this morning, and is now under the care of Dr. Weed, by whose skillful management a speedy recovery seems probable.

REMOVAL.—Sam Coombs, agent for Wells, Fargo & Co., has removed the Express office to the new building on Mill street, nearly opposite the Post office.

L. P. Smith & Son, have removed their Jewelry store to the same building and opened with a new addition to their stock, with many beautiful articles for Christmas presents.

DIED.—At Albany Oregon, on the 9th inst, Hon. N.H. Cranor, a distinguished lawyer and estimable gentleman, a native of North Carolina, aged 46 years. The *Democrat* says his last words were: "Give me a lift—help me over the precipice, and I will soon be home."

Ages of Distinguished Men.

The New York *Times* in the course of its article announcing the death of Horace Greeley, indulges in some interesting comparisons of the ages of distinguished Americans. It says:

Although most of us have been accustomed to speak of Mr. Greeley as an old man, yet if we estimate his life by the standard which often prevails among distinguished men, we are justified in saying that Mr. Greeley's life came to a premature close. If medical men are right in the opinion that smoking is injurious, and that even moderate indulgence in stimlants tend to shorten life, surely the absence of those habits in Mr. Greeley should have tended to prolong his days. It must be remembered that Mr. Greeley was much younger than many men whose names are associated with his own in American political history, or who have been on the stage of public life during the whole or a portion of his career. Mr. Seward lived to the age of seventy-one, and Mr Thurlow Weed still lives at the ge of seventy-five. Mr. Webster was seventy when he died, and Henry Clay, to whom Mr. Greeley was very much attached, was seventy-five. "Old Ben Wade" enjoys very fair health at the age of seventy-two, Mr. Chase is sixty-four, and Mr. Sumner is only Mr. Greeley's age. The late James Gordon Bennett was seventy-one when he died, and Martin Van Buren was eighty. The newly elected Governor of New York, is older than Mr. Greeley by thirteen years. If we look to other countries, and turn to the men who have led very active and hard-working lives, we find the comparison equally striking. M. Thiers is seventy-five. Lord Brougham lived to the age of ninety-three—no doubt an exceptional instance; but the present Premier of England, Mr. Gladstone, is sixty-three, and his great opponent, Mr Disraeli, is sixty-seven—six years Mr. Greeley's senior. Palmerston lived to the age of eighty-one, and the present Exchequer, Robert Lowe, is only Mr. Greeley's age, and is expected to do a great deal of hard work, to say nothing of his incessant attention to office duties during the day. Mr. Greeley, then, cannot properly be described as an old man."

INTERESTING TO OLD SETTLERS.—The following account of a recent legal decision in Missouri, will be of interest to many parties on Puget Sound:

It has been a common practice among the settlers in frontier States to contract what are called Indian marriages. That is, Indian traders and others would select wives among the Indians, whom they would wed according to the Indian custom, or otherwise as the case may be not always restricting themselves to a single wife. The question has now been brought before the Missouri courts whether the issue of such marriages can inherit property as legitimate heirs.—This is a question of great interest in the West, as in Missouri, Arkansas, Texas, Iowa, and nearly all the Territories, there are great numbers of persons who are the offspring of such irregular marriages. The case which has opened this novel question of legitimacy is one of peculiar interest. Mr. William Gillis, one of the first settlers of Kansas City, and its most wealthy citizen at the time of his death, some time ago died, a bachelor as every one supposed, leaving his property to his niece, a Mrs. Troost, who afterwards also died, leaving a will in which were bequests for the erection of an opera house, a church, and a seminary, and for the establishment of a park and other public improvements in Kansas City. Mr. Gillis, it appears, in early life, had been an Indian trader and had contracted an Indian marriage. His half-breed children have contested the will of Mrs. Troost on the ground that they were the legal heirs of Gillis, and the case has been before the jury in the Circuit Court, who decided in favor of Indian heirs, thus setting aside the will.

Of course an appeal was taken from this decision, and the case will be carried to the Supreme Court, when the question will be definitely settled whether a marriage contracted according to Indian customs consitutes such a marriage as the laws of the country can take cognizance of and enforce as legal and binding in all respects.

Under the African slavery rule, the child inherited the condition of the mother instead of the father, but that rule has been reversed by Emancipation and the Civil Rights Acts, which abolishes all distinctions on account of race or color, or previous condition of servitude. Hence, the half breed inherits the rights of the father, to the same extent as the white child.

ROBBERY.—A man whose name we did not learn, was knocked down and robbed, on the bridge near John Pinnell's, on Wednesday night.

SNOW.—The greatest snow storm of the season came upon this vicinity on Sunday night. This, Monday morning, the snow was about six inches deep, but is gradually receding under an atmosphere considerably above freezing point

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XMAS.—The 25th day of December, or the day which corresponded thereto in our calender, was for the first thirteen centuries observed and celebrated by Christians everywhere, as the natal day of Christ, the head of the Church. The first three centuries the Church was catholic, under the government of Bishops, Priests, and Deacons. Then it became divided into two branches upon the question of seniority between the Bishops of Rome and Constantinople, it being the right of the senior Bishop to preside in the Councils of Bishops.—The two branches retaining the same creed and forms of worship, being designated respectively as the Latin and Greek Church. Subsequently the Bishop of Rome was invested with supreme power over the Latin branch, with the title of Pope, the Greek branch continuing under Episcopal government until the present day, retaining the creed, orders of priesthood and forms of worship common to the Church catholic before the separation. For the next thousand years, these two branches of the Church embraced all Christendom. Then came the Reformation, under the lead of Luther, Calvin and Melancthon, the protest of the English portion of the Church against Papal supremacy, and the organization of new sects and denominations, which have subsequently continued to multiply. The Church of England maintained the doctrines, orders and observances of the Church catholic, while rejecting papal supremacy and the interpolation of new dogmas in the creed. The Lutheran church went a little farther, rejecting Episcopal supremacy, while adhering to the Apostolic creed, ritualistic worship, and the fasts and feasts established by the Church. The followers of Calvin, who divided into various denominations upon sundry differences in doctrine and government, rejected every thing connected with the church and its established usages, taking the Scriptures, according their own interpretation, for their only guide. The ritual, calender, fast and feast days, and all that would perpetuate the memory or history of the Catholic church—save its errors and corruptions—they abolished as a necessity to their own purification. Thus Christmas, the great festival of the Romish, Greek, English and Lutheran churches, was proscribed as a relic of papacy and idolatry by all sects and denominations but those above named. In the early history of New England, the public observance of this anniversary was prohibited under severe penalties, and to meet the instinctive popular demand for a holiday recognizing cause for special rejoicing and thanksgiving to God for Christian privileges, Thanksgiving Day was substituted for Christmas by the civil authorities. That day was accepted by all Christian people, as a civil ordinance demanding recognition, but by none as a substitute who sincerely believed in the Divine origin of the Christmas festival. But the prejudices growing out of extreme sectarian antagonism are passing away; every year brings all believers in the Divine mission of Christ more and more near to a common platform; the more narrow and proscriptive tenets of the Puritan fathers have no advocates; many Calvinists are approaching ritualistic worship; the Methodists vie with their mother church in the magnificence of their houses of public worship and the artistic style of religious music; all congregations are now addressed by written sermons; there are no longer any meeting-houses, conventicles or chapels, but all houses of Christian worship are churches, many of them, of all denominations, bearing the names of Saints canonized by the Catholic church; and now all Christian people, of every name and nation, again join in celebrating the natal day of Christ, and with one accord mingle their voices in the glad anthem—"Peace on earth and good will to men."

THE EARTHQUAKE IN SEATTLE.—Go away from home to learn the news, is illustrated in the following account of the incidents of the earthquake in this city, first published in the Olympia *Tribune* and subsequently copied in the Oregon and California papers generally:

At Seattle, W. T., the earthquake shock is said to have been more severe than at any other point on the Sound. Men, women and children rushed out of doors, and, for a time, the streets were black with the mass of human beings. Children were hurried from their beds by their terrified mothers, themselves, in many cases *en deshabille*, and into the streets were crowded to escape injury from buildings expected to fall. The lower end of the town is built on the site of swamps covered with sawdust ten feet deep. This is said to have opened in many places and left narrow and deep cracks.

The streets black with men, women and children in their night-shirts, is good; but lacks the descriptive probabilities of the narrow and deep cracks in the saw dust, which follows it, and is but little short of the miraculous parting of the Red Sea. We were pretty well shook up here, but failed to see any unusual crowds upon our streets or any masses of human beings blacker than the Indians who domicile upon the d walks.

The Titusville *Press* tells the story of a nocturnal serenader who sang: "When the moon is shi-hi-hi-ning o'er the l-a-ake Oh, the-hen, Oh, the-hen, I'll th-hi-hi-hi-hi ink of thee-e-ee l" The music aroused a dog about the size of a flour barrel, and the musician is doing as well as could be expected.

Forney's *Press* of the 7th inst., has the following sensible remarks on the death of Horace Greeley:

Optimists will take courage from the manner of the reception of the news of Mr. Greeley's death. Those who believed that the politics of the country and the partisan press were wholly bad, will now modify their views and adopt a new faith in human nature. Of all the men against whom the brutal political newspapers of the country have turned their bitter abuse, Horace Greeley was the chief sufferer. The columns in which he has been maligned are the worst blot on American journalism. Falsehoods without measure, ridicule without mercy, were the reward of his moral earnestness, his humanity, his great ability during life. A peculiarly sensitive nature, these blows must have wounded his very heart. Now that he is dead, the whole people (his libellers included) spontaneously express their admiration of his genius, and their appreciation of his honesty and usefulness.

The praise of those who lately libelled him means, if it has any meaning at all yond the mere mechanical eulogy that newspapers always pay the distinguished dead, that what they said before was false. Horace Greeley dead is no more a "later Franklin" than Horace Greeley living His mind was just as great, his heart was just as wide six months ago as it was when he paid his final debt to nature. He had his foibles—nay, his faults—but his whole life was loving and unselfish. During the last campaign, even, when the great majority of his fellow citizens differed with him, he was as honest as he was in any act of his long career. He himself wrote of this very canvass to a biographer: "I do not regret having braved public opinion when I thought it wrong and knew it to be merciless."

There are many lessons to be learned from Horace Greeley's life and death, and treatment during one and after another. One of them is addressed to that profession to which he gave so many noble faculties. When its members praise his honesty, his independence, his fearlessness, they study it. The age demands a new and better journalism, and this is the event from which to date it. If the press is ever to become the moral guide, the elevating influence, the instructor that was the ideal of Greeley, let us begin now. The time is ripe and the occason worthy. Above all things, let there be an end to the brutal slanders to the partisan newspaper. The people of the country will always differ in politics and so will the journals, but why not like gentlemen and Christains instead of as prize-fighters and savages?

PRESERVATION OF RECORDS.—In the tremendous fires which for the past eighteen months have raged like an epidemic in various sections of the country, we frequently learn of the utter destruction of the public records, involving immense loss and litigation in the settlement of titles and choses in action pending in courts. It has also been demonstrated that iron safes are no certain security against large fires, for books and paper. These facts suggest to us the exposed situation of the public records in this county. They are in a block the fronts of which are entirely covered with wooden buildings of inferior character, upon none of which can insurance now be effected at any rate. There is but one fire-proof building in the city, that is the new building of Schwabacher Bros. & Co., built at a cost of about $26,000. In it thre are rooms to let at reasonable rates, to accommodate all the county officers with comfort and convenience. The new county officers enter upon their several duties on the first of January, and without the knowledge or suggestion of the owners of the building recommended, we respectfully call their attention to this matter as of first importance.

ANECDOTE OF VICE-PRESIDENT COLFAX. Miss Laura Ream writes to the Cincinnati *Commercial* an account of an interview with Schuyler Colfax, in the course of which the retiring Vice President remarked: "I stood to-day on the very spot in the Senate chamber where I made my first reports for the Indianapolis Journal. It was then owned by Mr. Douglas, and he gave me two dollars a day for my services. I remember pleading with him for another dollar. I had to pay four do a for my board, and with that and the expense of clothes and coming here and returning home, I could not very well see my way clear. When I insisted on the other dollar, Mr. Douglas said to me: "You don't seem to consider the advantages you enjoy; you are in a way to make valuable acquaintances. See what Albert S. White has come to. He was once a reporter. You may be a member of Congress some day. Who knows?" "I frankly confess," continued Mr. Colfax, "that I said to him in reply, 'I will give all my chances of being a member of Congress for the other dollar a day."

We find this among the dispatches of Dec. 4, to the New York press:

Attorney General Williams has decided, in answer to a communication from the Post Master General, that postoffice officials have no right to open or detain letters or other matter transmitted through the postoffice, though they may know that they contain obscene matter. The Attorney General adds that postmasters have no more authority to open letters, other than those addressed to themselves, than any other citizens of the United States.

ACQUITTED.—L. D. Miller, who shot and killed Cherokee Smith, at Eugene City Oregon, has been tried, and acquitted.

Letters from Mr. Greeley.

[From the New York Tribune.]

In reply to a letter written by Senator Palmer to Mr. Greeley after the Cincinnati Convention, in which Mr. Palmer alluded to the fact that he had called upon Mr. Greeley in December, 1865, to persuade him not to publish the celebrated article upon General Amnesty and Impartial Suffrage, because its publication would prevent his election to the United States Senate, and also to other instances when he was in advance of public sentiment, Mr. Greeley wrote as follows:

NEW YORK TRIBUNE, May 21, 1871.

MY FRIEND;—Of course I threw away the Senatorship in 1866—knowing very well that I did so—and I did myself great pecuniary harm in 1867 by bailing Jeff Davis. But suppose I hadn't done either? Either God rules this world or He does not. I believe he does.

Yours, HORACE GREELEY.

Hon. A. W. Palmer, Amenia, N. Y.

From the Lexington, Ky. Observer and Reporter

We have been favored by Gen. Combs with the following correspondence between himself and Horace Greeley. Some of these are among the last letters ever written by Horace Greeley, one probably the last he ever penned:

NEW YORK, Aug. 22, 1872.

MY DEAR SIR: I have yours of 20th this moment. I beg you, my old friend not to borrow trouble about Blanton Duncan's Convention. If the South shall see fit to re-elect Grant by fooling away votes on a Bourbon ticket, that will cast no shame on you or me, any more than Clay's defeat in 1844 did. Let us do our duty and leave consequences to those who cause them.

Yours, HORACE GREELEY.

To Gen. Leslie Combs, Lexington, Ky.

NEW YORK, Sept. 8, 1872.

MY OLD FRIEND: I have yours of the 6th inst. You seem to be disposed to think too ill of such men as ——. Never mind me. If they beat us, let us remember how Henry Clay was beaten in 1844, and say: "Having endured that, nothing else can ever annoy us." We will do our duty, and trust the Al-wise Disposer for the result. Yours,

HORACE GREELEY.

To Gen. Leslie Combs, Lexington, Ky.

NEW YORK, Oct. 28, 1872.

DEAR FRIEND: My wife still lingers with us but is very feeble. She may drop off any day. I wish she was well and I lay where she does. Yours,

HORACE GREELEY.

To Gen. Leslie Combs, Lexington, Ky.

NEW YORK, Nov. 10, 1872.

MY DEAR OLD FRIEND: My sky is black. I may never write you again. I thank for your letter of the 4th, and pray that the evening of your days may be bright and sunny, and that you may be blest in your friends and your family. Yours.

HORACE GREELEY.

To Gen. Leslie Combs, Lexington, Ky.

Mr. Ward Hunt, who has been appointed to the Supreme Bench of the United States, to fill the place resigned by Justice Nelson, is a prominent lawyer of Utica, N. Y., where he was born in 1810, and where his whole life has been spent. He is a graduate of Union College, and of the famous law school at Litchfield, Connecticut. Like President Grant, he was originally a Democrat, and cast his first vote for General Jackson; he supported Martin Van Buren in 1848, and became a Republican in 1856. He has held no other political positions than as Mayor of Utica and member of the New York Assembly. In 1865 he was elected Judge of the Court of Appeals, and three years after became Chief Judge. As he has never figured in Federal politics his appointment is a commendable one, and we venture to regard it as an assurance that the Supreme Bench will be kept free from partizan influences, notwithstanding the intimation in our Washington dispatches that the new Justice is a friend of Senator Conklin, and is to hold the place only till March 4, when he will give place to the Senator, who will then be eligible.

Owners of safes, who have valuable books and notes deposited in them, can learn something worth knowing from this little incident, which we find in a New England paper:

A rather curious contribution to the incidents of the late Boston fire has just come to light. In one of the stores in the burnt district the porter with the keys of the safe was on hand, and perceived that the fire was rapidly approaching. In his terror he rushed to and fro in the counting-room, and at last caught up the plated ice-pitcher full of water, locked it in the safe and departed from the burning building in the proud consciousness that he had accomplished something to save his employers property. When, however, the safe was taken from the ruins, it was found that the books were uninjured. The heat which would otherwise have charred and destroyed the books only converted the water into steam.

Judge MacArthur of the Criminial Court in Washington city, has reversed the decision recently given against the keeper of a restaurant for his refusal to entertain colored men. He holds that the proprietor of the restaurant was the proper judge of whom he should receive in his house.

The Idaho Legislature met the other day, and an exchange says (the statement is a modest one) that there were four hundred and sixty candidates for the various subordinate official positions.

An Irish editor says that, "In the absence of both editors, the publishers have succeeded in securing the services of a *gentleman* to edit the paper this week."

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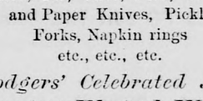

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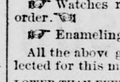

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Tickets, $4 00. A limited number may be obtained of the Committee.

Seattle, Nov. 13, 1872.

Administrator's Notice.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE undersigned has been appointed by the Judge of the Probate Court of King County, Washington Territory, Administrator of the Estate of H. P. Lathrop, late of said County deceased. All persons having claims against said deceased are required to present the same, with the necessary vouchers, within one year from the date of this notice, to me at my residence at Seattle, in the County of King. Dated Dec. 2, 1872.

dr 5-4y IRA M. OWEN, Administrator.

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Puget Sound Dispatch.

OFFICIAL PAPER OF THE CITY.

SEATTLE, THURSDAY, DEC. 26, 1872.

Financial and Commercial.

SEATTLE, Dec. 26, 1872.

The Puget Sound Banking Company report gold in New York 112, currency buying, 89¼; Sight Exchange on Portland and San Francisco, ½ per cent. premium, on New York 1 per cent. premium for Currency, 1½ per cent. premium for Gold. Sterling Sight Drafts on Jay Cooke, McCullough & Co., London, England, $5 10 per £. These drafts are cashed by special agreement all over Ireland, Scotland and the Continent free of charge.

In our local Money market there is a marked scarcity of loanable funds and it continues to work close, owing particularly to the scarcity of loanable funds and high rates of freight for our lumber and coal. Part of our mills are now running on three-quarter time, and the supply of lumber is steadily increasing, for there is no profit in shipping it at present prices and lower rates for tonnage can not be looked for until the grain crop of California is moved.

Any thing that affects our lumber trade influences to a great extent our other business interests for it is our chief export. Another drain during this month is for the payment of taxes.

Our exchanges from New York and San Francisco report the money market working easier and a cheerful feeling for the coming year We clip from the *Commercial Bulletin* of Portland:

"From San Francisco we are advised of the market working easier with the rates of discount shading. This was looked for, but we are under the impression that the rates of discount in the California money market will still further droop after the regular annual, semi-annual, quarterly and monthly dividends next month. From New York we have an easier market under the stoppage of the flow of bullion to England, and also the near approach of yearly and semi-annual settlements next month, when large sums will be disbursed by private incorporations and States and General Government—already has Treasurer Boutwell began disbursing the January interest, or at least he advertised that he would pay the interest without rebate from December 21. From Europe our advices give an easy money market. The Bank of England's rate of discount has been reduced to 5 per cent., and next month, when the new gold coin of Germany is disbursed, the rate is expected to rule still lower."

The Walla Walla *Union* speaks very hopefully of next year's prospects for that section. Imigrants are constantly arriving, the majority purchase lands or else take up homesteads, and the old settlers are improving their farms. In reference to grain it says; "Between this and Spring there will be large quantities of new land fenced and sown in grain, in addition to the already large crop that has been sown, and next year will be "flush times" if our produce commands fair prices, as the Fall sown grain now looks, as a general thing, very well." The *Union* also says that the city of Walla Walla is growing quite rapidly. The improvements erected are of a substantial character, and reflect credit upon the city.

Good times throughout the country will soon be felt on Puget Sound at the beginning of the year. Contracts will be let for the building of 40 miles more of the N.P.R.R. on this Coast.

From private advices from New York we learn that Jay Cooke & Co. are selling bonds as fast as the money can be used judiciously; and that the loan is popular and the bonds are sought after by investors, being safer and paying a larger interest than other bonds giving the same security, and that the coming year will be pushed even more than it has been this year.

FLOOD.—The snow storm of the season, which took place on Sunday night last, was followed immediately by a warm rain, which created a flood resulting in considerable damage. The side-walks upon the hill-side in this city were generally covered with several inches of sand, several lots which had just been teraced were reduced to their original surface, or a little more, and a crevace was formed across Front street, three blocks above Mill street, of six or eight feet in depth and twenty or thirty feet in width. The soil there is not saw dust. The same flood produced a land slide on the railroad near Pumphrey's which obstructed the passage of trains for a couple of days, until repaired.

THANKS.—To J. R. Robbins, Esq. for a demijohn, the contents of which we have not tested, but presume that it is something good in case of sickness.

Also, to Wolf Schafer, of the North Pacific Railroad Brewery, Steilacoom, for a keg of his superior Lager.

SEATTLE MARKET.—A better quality, greater variety or more splendid display of meats in every form, cannot be seen at any single market under the sole management of one firm, than are on exhibition at the market of Booth, Foss & Borst, in this city.

DENTISTRY.— Dr. B. R. Freeland, formerly of San Francisco, and more recently from Portland, has taken rooms over the Seattle Market, for the practice of Dentistry. He comes very highly recommended by notable persons who have TESTED his skill.

Telegraphic

EXCLUSIVELY FOR THE DAILY DISPATCH.

PORTLAND, Dec. 22.—A disastrous conflagration visited this city to-day, originating in a China wash house, on the East side of Front between Alder nd Washington streets, and nearly the entire blocks on the West side of Front, between Alder and Morrison streets. Carter's building is entirely destroyed. The Occidental and Gilman's block is badly burned. At twelve o'clock, a general conflagration of that portion of the city seemed imminent, goods, furniture, etc., were moved from several blocks in the direction of the fire, but a half-past twelve, the wind changed, driving the flames back on ihe burned district, and the firemen obtained contro confining the flames to the three blocks. Engines and men came from Vancouver, Albany, Salem and Oregon City. The Washington and Emmett Guards were stationed on blocks adjacent to the fire, to preserve order and prevent crowds collecting to interfere with the working of firemen.

The loss is roughly estimated at over $250,000. Insured for $150.000. The following are the principle losers: J. B. Congle, saddlery and harness, $25,000, insured for $12,000; W. Currier & Co., clothiers, $60,000, insured for $31,000; Chas Hopkins, $20,000, insured for $2,-500; G. W. Vaughen, $30,000; Barley & Mall, $3,600; E. Cahalin, boots and shoes, $4,000; Kast & Richards, $4,000: Quimby & Perkins, $12,000; Prager & Harris, $50,000, principally insured; A. G. Walling, job printer, $10,000; C. M. Carter, $50,000, insured for $25,-000; J. M. McCoy. $2,300; J. M. Gillman, $5,000; S. L. Stone, $4,000; Geo. L. Hibbard, feed and produce, $16,000, insured for $3,000; B. L. Stone, jewel er, $7,500; $1,500; Occidental Hotel, McCormick, $25,000. Several firemen were injured by the falling of Carter's building. Gallagher, foreman of No. 4, is not expected to live.

NEW YORK, Dec. 21.—At Washington it is thought that the polygamy problem will soon be settled by the Administration. A delegation in the interest of Brigham Young in that city, who recently came from Utah, are working with little hopes to avert the coming storm. President Grant has recently expressed a determination to put an end to the Mormon institution after the holidays. The necessary laws will be presented to Congress.

Information has been received that ex-Minister Catecazy has not fallen into disgrace with the Czar. He has just been employed to adjust certain Ecclesiastical difficulties between the Austrian and Russian Governments, concerning he appointment of Catholic Bishops in Poland.

The German Democratic Central Committee, last night, reaffirmed the principles of the Cincinnati platform, and took steps for reorganization principles.

John Mitchell, the journalist, lectured efore the Liberal Club, last evening, on "The Inaccuracies of France.".

CHICAGO, Dec. 21.—A New York special says: The last report with regard ta the *Tribune* is, that Orton has endered the chief editorship to Hon. Jas. G. Blaine, Speaker of the House of Representatives. It is said that Mr. Blaine was Mr. Orton's first choice, and that the negotiations with Colfax were due to Sinclair Blaine has the proposition under advisement.

The weather is intensely cold.

NEW YORK, Dec. 20.—George Francis Train was arrested this evening for publishing obscene literature.

BOSTON, Dec. 20.—The Committee on counting votes for Mayor and Aldermen, concluded the Mayoralty count this afternoon, and the figures elect H. L. Pierce, by a plurality of twenty-nine votes over Mayor Gaston. The re-count of ballots in the Second Ward shows a m ke of about five hundred.

SIOUX CITY, Dec. 20.—A Fort Sully dispatch says in regard to the shooting of Capt. Irvine by Sioux Indians, that the feeling there is that the only remedy for the troubles with them is to occupy the Black Hills country with miners.

Indians give accounts of wonderful mines of gold and silver in the hills, and as hostile Indians will not permit friendly ones or white men to go there, it is but a stronghold for hostile assassins, that should be given up. All demands for the surrender of Indians are treated with laughter and contempt by the chiefs and warriors.

Marine Intelligence.

SEATTLE.—Bark C. Mitchell, arrived at Port Madison, Dec. 24, 22 days from San Francisco. Arrived at this port in ballast. Will load with lumber for San Francisco, at the Seattle Mill.

PORT MADISON, Dec. 22.—Arrived the ship Coquimbo, from San Francisco.

☞ We have to acknowledge another Christmas offering to the poor, from Dr. Crichton. It was a dozen of his superior bottled ale; none better if as good. Our commercial reporter acknowledges a keg of lager from the same source. He knows what it is, and is very proud of his first professional fee.

LIBRARY OPEN.—The Seattle Library will be kept open every Saturday evening from 7 to 9 o'clock, for the purpose of drawing and returning Books.

The Commissioner of Indian Affairs under the head of "Oregon and Washington superintendence" says: "The Indians in Washington Territory, Idaho and Oregon have been peaceable without any exceptions, and all the tribes are making some degree of advancement in civilization. The accounts from the Nez Perees, Yakimas, Warm Springs, and others are of the most encouraging character, both as to their industrial and religious progress. The Nez Perces have made a proposal to build ten miles of the Northern Pacific railroad on terms which will probably be accepted by the company, thus presenting another and striking contradiction of the oft-repeated fallacy that 'Indians will not work.' A large part of the Indians around Puget Sound work at the saw mills, coal mines, logging camps, or upon their reservations. Some of them are Christians and but for the curse of color-caste could occupy average position in society. The moral condition of many others is at the lowest point to which imitation of the vicions whites and the temptations they offer could degrade a heathen.—Nearly all the tribes east of the Cascade mountains are rapidly diminishing in numbers, owing to the utter absence of any law for the protection of life among them, the impunity with which whiskey sellers pursue their infamous traffic and diseases engendered by their vices. It is to be regretted that the earnest recommendations of last year's report of the Board on these and other important points touching the welfare of the Indians in Oregon, Washington and California have not as yet been acted upon."

Capt. James S. Lawson of Olympia, took a scientific observation of the earthquake on Saturday night last. Its direction was from the south to the north, at first; subsequently it changed around to a course from the southwest to the northeast. It was timed with a chronometer watch, absolutely correct, and the direction noted by a swinging lamp. In an unofficial report to Prof. Davidson at San Francisco, Capt. Lawson says: A shock occurred precisely at 9:40½ P. M. It commenced with a light movement, gradually increasing for eighteen or twenty seconds. Then came the heavy shock, lasting four or five seconds; then it gradually decrased. In six minutes after the first shock there was another, followed by two others one minute apart. At 10:12½ there was another shock, and after 11 P. M. there were five others. During the night other shocks were reported, (I did not feel them) at three and five o'clock. On Sunday evening, at 6:37¼, a light shock. Dec. 16th, at 9:17½ A. M., another light shock.

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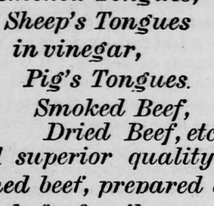

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Nov. 11, d&w3m.

Administrator's Sale.

PURSUANT TO AN ORDER OF THE PROBate Court of Whatcom County, Washington Territory, made on the 10th day of December, 1872, in the matter of the estate of J. D. Burmister, deceased, late of said county, the undersigned, administrator of said estate, will sell at public sale to the highest bidder for cash—gold coin of the United States—and subject to confirmation by said Probate Court, on Tuesday, the 21st day af January, 1873, at 3 o'clock, P. M., on the estate of the deceased, in Whatcom county, W. T., all the right, title and interes of the said J. D. Burmister at the time of his eath, and all the right, title and interest he said estate has by the operation of law or otherwise acquired in addition thereto, in and to the following described real estate, viz: Lot 3 in section 21, and the north-west ¼ of the north-east ¼ and the north-east ¼ of the north west ¼ and lots 3 and 4 of section 28 of township 35 north of range one east of the Willamette meridian, containing one hundred and sixty-three acres and eighty-one hundredths.

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Dec. 19th, 1872 4w20.

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WASHINGTON, Dec. 17.—House committee on postoffices and post-road agreed to recommend the establishment of the letter-carrier system in cities of twenty thousand population.

Arrangements have been made between the Post Office and War Departments, by which daily weather reports issued by the Signal office, shall be furnished to all postoffices which can be reached from several points of distribution by mail.

NEW YORK, Dec. 17.—At a meeting of the Board of Emmigration to-day, a communication was received from Secretary Fish, stating that the United States authorities in Italy had been instructed to adopt measures to prevent a repetition of outrages upon emmigrants.

The late S. N. Pike, left property valued at eight millions, in New York, New Jersey, Connecticut and mines of Utah.

HALIFAX, Dec. 17.—Brig E. Berths, of St. John's, struck upon the middle of Ingonish and went to pieces last Friday. Capt. Pipply, after seeing all the crew safe, was lost among the breakers by the sudden breaking up of the vessel.

The brigantine Princess Louise, of Sidney, while at sea, sprung a leak and was lost. Her crew took to boats and after ten days exposure reached shore.

NEW YORK, Dec. 17.—Commissioner Osborne to-day remanded Thos. Noonan, the alleged Irish forger, to await requisition of the British authorities.

RICHMOND, Dec. 17.—Edward A. Pollard, editor and author, died at Lynchburg yesterday, aged forty-five.

LONDON, Dec. 17.—It has been storming for 24 hours. The rain-fall has been the heaviest of the season. Large tracts of land in Leicestire are inundated. In Derbyshire, twelve inches of snow fell. Telegraph lines in all directions are badly damaged. Telegraphic communications with Liverpool and Leeds is interrupted. At Grimsby, the gale was a hurricane. Many casualities are reported. Ship Lacooma, from Philadelphia to Rotterdam, went ashore in the storm near Donlouge, and is a total wreck. All saved except one.

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 17.—The sailors in the interest of the boarding house keepers, made another public demonstration this evening, amounting to the number of 2,500, with a band of music. No disturbance took place.

James Casey, second officer of the Panther, accused of mal-treating a seaman named Geo. Gnagenbush, was examined before one of the United States Commissioners this afternoon, and was held to answer. He became very violent and broke the door and bars of the cell when he was confined, and not until he was bucked and gagged could the man subdued.

LOS ANGELES, Dec. 17.—The Holcomb Valley mine, sold to an English company, incorporated with a capital of forty thousand pounds sterling. The eight-stamp mill is to be replaced by a new twenty-stamp mill. The purchase includes one hundred acres of gravel deposit.

NEW YORK, Dec. 17—The Board of Immigration has now under its care nearly 20,000 Italian immigrants almost or entirely destitute. The Alms-house on Wards Island is taxed to its utmost capacity. Two hundred of these emigrants went to Virginia yesterday to work on the new railroad. It has now transpired that a large number of Italian children are purchased from their parents and brought to this country to beg and steal.

Terence Dolan was arrested last night charged with roasting his infant son to death on a red-hot stove yesterday.

Claude Mertangs, a Frenchman, formerly of San Francisco, suicided by shooting himself in the mouth with a revolver.

Hon. Wm. Orton went to Washington last evening. It is understood, to make arrangements with Colfax for the editorship of the Tribune.

BURLINGTON, Vt., Dec. 17—Burlington Munufacturing Company's planing mill was burned this morning. Loss, $34,000.

HAMILTON, Canada, Dec. 17.—The premises of Harvey & Co., wool brokers, was burned last night and adjoining buildings drmaged. Loss, $120,000.

NEW YORK, Dec. 17—Thurlow Weed has a long communication in the *Herald* showing the impractibility of carrying out the so called civil service reform.

Senate—The following were appointed a committee to consider the question of cheaper freights from West to East: J. Windam, Sherman, Couklin, Ames, Lewis, Casserly and Norwood. The Vice President also appointed Morrell of Maine and Osborne to fill vacancies in the military committee. The Vice President presented resolution of the House against removing from the Army Register the names of battles of rebellion. Edmunds hoped the resolution would be at once passed. Sumner objected. Edmunds gave notice it would be called up to-morrow. Rice offered a preamble reciting all actions of frauds on the part of the Administration party during the late election in Arkansas, and a resolution providing for the appointment of a committee of five to go to Little Rock and investigate the matter.—Laid on the table. Rice said he would call up the resolution Thursday next. The consideration of French spoilation bill was resumed.

House—On motion of Banks the bill to fix the compensation of claimants under the Geneva award was referred to the Judiciary committee.

Bill appointing commissioners to investigate depredations on the Texas frontier referred to committee on appropriations.

Bill providing for determining the boundary line through Haro channel, as decided by the Emperor of Germany passed.

Bill appropriating one hundred thousand dollars for American exhibitions at Vienna, after considerable discussion went over until to-morrow.

Brooks, in a personal explanation, denied the charge against him in connection with Credit Mobillier matter.

At an interview of the House committee on Territories with the President, yesterday, reference was made to the bill now before them for the admission of Colordo as a State. The President expressed himself warmly in favor of the bill. He said that the Territory of Wyoming would probably not within the lives of those present have requisite population to fit her for admission; that it was a useless expense and burden to keep up a Territorial form of government. He was therefore in favor of suitable action by Congress to abolish territorial government and restore the domain to Utah, Montana, Colorado and Idaho. He thought that would be just to all as Wyoming has only 10,000 inhabitants. Committee are in favor of the bill and think it will pass the House.

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 18—Last night was the coldest of the season. First heavy frost and ice formed in the streets wherever there was any water to be found.

There is a decided improvement in the business of paying taxes and there will soon be funds on hand to liquidate all city arrears and place the Treasury in good condition.

W. R. Hadamson lectured before a large audience at Mercantile Library Hall, last night, on the resources of British Columbia. His discourse was interesting and well received.

Liverpool wheat quotations are unchanged since last report.

A trial was made this afternoon of Kane's patent flash burglar alarm, which proved quite satisfactory. It is an arrangement by which burglars tampering with a safe strike alarm gongs and lights exposing their presence and operations.

SACRAMENTO, Dec. 18—The pclice arrested, on a dispatch from San Francisco, on the arrival of the emigrant train this way, Chas. Spencer, charged with grand larceny.

The case of Mary Thomas, charged with arson in the first degree and abduction, committed four years ago, is on trial.

SAN RAFAEL, Dec. 18—B. Hong, charged with committing an outrage on the person of a little girl, was to-day discharged.

LOS ANGELES, Dec. 18—Rich specimens of gold quartz have been exhibited, purporting to come from a ledge within 25 miles of this city.

The loss by the burning of Hardiville, Arizona, is much larger than was first reported. It is now estimated at $150,000. The Court House, archives of the county, etc., were all destroyed.

SALT LAKE, Dec. 18.—In John's Valley, Toole county, to-morrow has been appointed as a day of fasting and prayer that the Almighty might be merciful in preventing the spread of small-pox.

Great enthusiasm is manifested at Corinne at the prospect of a branch of the Utah Northern R. R. being built from that point through the Northern settlements of the Territory to Montana.

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 18.—This afternoon a fire occurred at the Pacific wood preserving works on Berry street, by which a portion of the main building was destroyed. Loss about $10,000. No insurance. This is the fourth fire at the same place.

An evening paper publishes serious charges against the management of the Orphan Asylum for boys at San Rafael. They refer to the subject of diet, general treatment and the nature of the punishments said to be employed there.

Charles Nutting was arrested this evening, for assaulting Patrick Gray, with intent to murder him.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 18.—The Postmaster General has made a very important decision in relation to the responsibility of postmasters under bonds, for loss of registered letters. It is decided that postmasters are responsible, and he will hold them accountable. This construction has never been made before, and is contrary to the opinion of many eminent jurists, and greatly increases the responsibilities of those under postmasters bonds. The committee on postoffices, this morning, overruled the ruling of the Postmaster General, relative to double postage on unprepaid matter.

BOSTON, Dec. 18.—Sumner's resolution was condemned by a resolution of the Senate, 20 to 9, and in the House, 109 to 75.

LEAVENWORTH, Dec. 18.—The epizootic prevails here to a great extent. In 18 livery stables, five hundred are sick. Half of the private horses in the city are affected. Street cars are withdrawn from the Leavenworth road.

NEW YORK, Dec 18.—Colfax has accepted the editorship of the *Tribune*. His salary may be looked for in a few days. It is said that Orton has offered the position of managing editor to Hazard. He will accept.

Three jurors obtained in the Stokes case.

Judge Ingraham to-day, denied the stay of proceedings, in the case of King the murderer of O'Neill. King's trial will follow that of Stokes'.

OMAHA, Dec. 18.—Jessie Turner, receiver of public lands, at Grand Island, Nebraska, accidedtally shot and killed himself to-day cleaning his gun.

A public meeting is to be held at Cheyenne to-night, in opposition to the proposal to divide that Territory among adjoining Territories. Reports from Laramie city and other points represent public opinion as pretty equally divided.

PARIS, Dec. 18.—A *World's* special says that Chansey's Corps is being increased to 100,000, while Ducorts, a doubtful Republican, has only 38,000 men.

BERLIN, Dec. 18.—A Provincial correspondent confirms the report of Bismarck's resignation of Premeirship and his retention of the war office in the Prussian Cabinet.

River Dregch and bay are frozen over.

LONDON, Dec. 18.—International convention to secure uniformity of coinage signed by Denmark, Sweden and Norway.

PORT BLAKELY, Dec. 19.—Sailed, the bark Martha Rideout, for San Francisco.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 20.—In the Senate Rice asked leave to take up his resolution for a special committee to investigate alleged irregularity in the Arkansas elections. Windom's House bill, extending time for the completion of Winona and St. Paul Railroad, passed. Bill passed to authorize the Kansas National Bank to change its name to the First National Bank of Topeka. Bill appropriating $18,799 for Texan frontier commission, passed. Rice endeavored to have passed his resolution for an investigation into the Arkansas election and made a detailed statement of cases.

The President, Hon. Jesse Marshall and Sharpe, left this morning for Covington, to visit the President's father. The President will return next Tuesday. In consequence of his absence the usual Cabinet sessions will not be held to-day.

At the Territorial Delegation meeting this morning, McCormick presiding, Claggett's bill to promote education in the Territories, was favorably considered, and the delegates agreed that the District of Columbia might be included. In McCormick's bill, advancing salaries of Territorial Governors and Secretaries, was recently agreed to by the House Committee on Territories.

A resolution asking the President to appoint one Commissioner to the Vienna Exposition from Territories, was adopted.

NEW YORK, Dec. 20.—The settlement of Jay Gould with the Erie Company, was the main topic of conversation throughout the city last night. It is everywhere regarded as a triumph for Erie. Gould yesterday made the following statement to a reporter: "Since the Erie war, my object has been to obtain a series of roads under practically the same management, from New York to San Francisco, and in this way obtain a fair share of all the traffic of intervening routes and that which accrues at either terminus. How well I have succeeded may be seen from the fact that the Lake Shore, Michigan Southern, Chicago and Northwestern, Union Pacific, Hannibal and St. Jo., Chicago and Rock Island, and Erie railroads are controlled by men who have common interests. Canada Southern and Wabash are also partly in our hands, and even the Pacific Mail Steamship stock is under our control." Gould's object seems now to be to enhance the price of Erie stock to the end that he may be measurably reimbursed.

TOLEDO, Dec. 20—The theft of a body from a graveyard, by the students of Charity Hospital Medical College, for dissection, some weeks ago, resulted seriously. The corpse was that of a victim of small-pox, though this was not learned until the body was conveyed to the dissecting room, which is in a large block in the heart of the city, occupied in the lower part for stores and offices and above for lodging rooms and the Medical College. The contagion was not only disseminated through the building and taken by the occupants; but was carried by the students to their boarding places and has been widely spread throughout the city. Though distributed from a corpse cases resulting therefrom are of the worst form of black small-pox. A number of deaths have occurred and other patients are in critical condition. The people are highly ind gnant and the City Council have taken cognizance of the affair with view to prevent any similar occurrence in future.

DEMONOMANIA.—A favorite horror of mediæval story is revived by an account given in the San Francisco *Bulletin* a paper of unsentimental of the superstitious delusion cherished at the present day by a venerable resident of this city. Living in a handsome house on Sutter street, possessed of riches that are princely for one of his lonely domestic estate, and taking his part in business pursuits during the day, this hapless gentleman no sooner finds the shades of night coming on than he is a victim to one of the most ghastly dreads that ever harrowed mortal breast. In the words of the journal named, a servant, who has grown old in the service of his master, has the sole duty of remaining constantly at his side during the night, and guarding his slumbers with slee less fidelity. As a further precaution against the intrusion of the evil one, an open Bible is invariably placed in proximity to his head ere he composes himself to rest. The gentleman subject to such uncomfortable apprehension is the descendentof an old French family, with the historyof which a curious tradition is associated. It is related that some generations back the head of the house entered into compact with Mephistopheles, or some other Minister of the Infernal Court, wherein the first-born of the family wss to be the forfeit, and his arrangement is supposed to run indefinitely through succeeding generations. The present subject of the contract declares that both his father and father's father died suddenly and mysteriously while nobody was by to observe the cause or manner of their demise, but in both instances the evidences were plain of death from strangulation. This horrible bond upon the family has prevented the gentleman from contracting a marriage and thereby perpetuating it, and with his own death, whenever it shall occur, the compact will end. His great anxiety is to meet a natural death under the solemn ministration of his church, and much of his time is given to pious devotions.

Marine Intelligence.

SEABECK, Dec. 16.—Sailed, the ship Isaac Jeans.

TACOMA, Dec. 17.—Sailed, the ship Shirley.

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 17.—Sailed, the brig L. P. Foster.

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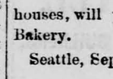

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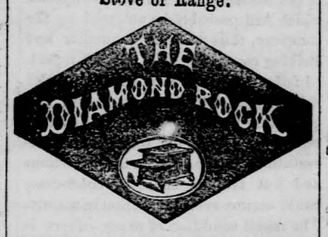

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