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The Chinese on the Pacific Coast.

AS THE EDITOR SAW THEM IN SAN FRANCISCO CHINATOWN.

Continued from issue of June 30th.]

It has been estimated that the number of Chinese engaged in manufacturing pursuits on the Pacific coast is not far from 12,000. A careful observer has classified them approximately as follows: Clothing, 4,000; cigars, 3,000; boots and shoes, 2,000; shippers, 1,000; in woolen mills, 1,000; making matches, 200; white shirts, 200; tanneries, 600. These are exclusive of occupations that are not classed among manufacturers, such as house servants, laundrymen, peddlers, rag-pickers and those occupied as attendants in various ways.

Generally speaking, Chinese labor in manufacturing is confined to the coarser and cheaper articles of wear. They readily adopt American labor-saving machinery, and, applying it together with their capacity for drudgery, for living on cheap fare and in squalid, ill-ventilated quarters where rents are low, no wonder they undersell and still make fair profits. Formerly wages for women expert with sewing machines ranged from \$12 to \$14 per week; the Chinese have reduced these prices to about \$7 or \$8. A glance shows why this is so. In a Chinese workshop the sewing machines are ranged closely together, economizing space and consequent rent expense, and the operators drive along steadily from twelve to fifteen hours per day. White women cannot stand such hardships. Dealers in articles made by Chinese are compelled to patronize them or be driven from the markets. Selfishness prompts people to buy where they can get a fair article for the least money. A lecturer recently said a pungent thing when he described a noted disclaimer against Chinese as a man who was clamorous for coolie labor to be driven from the country yet wore shirts prepared at a Chinese laundry, smoked cigars of Chinese manufacture and ate from Chinese cooking. Formerly boots and shoes were brought to this coast in large quantities from Philadelphia, Chicago and other eastern cities, but since the Chinese in San Francisco got fairly started to manufacturing these articles, they have almost killed this trade. The Chinese by forming combinations among themselves, force white manufacturers to employ them. They club together and start on a small scale; content with small profits, and having no such incumbrances as families, they can always undersell.

CIGAR MAKING.

This is a branch of industry which the Chinese in California have largely usurped. Up to about 1870, most of the cigars used on this coast were imported from Havana, or from New York. It is now estimated that over two-thirds of the cigars consumed in San Francisco are manufactured there, and a large proportion of them by Chinese labor. Even a cursory glance through one of their manufacturing factories is sufficient to convince an observer that the article turned out is in general of the poorest and cheapest quality. Probably if those who smoke these cigars could witness the process of their manufacture they would either quit smoking or buy more expensive weeds. It is vouchsafed for that these Chinese workmen, who crowd together so closely and labor so incessantly, frequently use tobacco cuttings instead of towels and handkerchiefs. Very cheap, inferior goods, such as white men throw away, the Chinaman works up and puts on the market. In this way he utilizes cigar stumps in fact anything containing tobacco. Another thing they do is to roll cigars in their mouths, putting spittle on them in order to bring out a finishing polish. As a rule the com-

petition from Chinese labor in this line does not reach into the manufacture of the better qualities of cigars in the market, yet white laborers find their occupation declining. In 1878 the Trades Union reported of 3,000 cigar makers out of employment in New York.

CHINESE AS MINERS.

As far back as 1853 the attention of prominent miners was called to the fact that the employment of Chinese in the California mines was detrimental to their business. At that time wages for white men were very high, and frequently ground was vacated that would pay three or four dollars per day to the hand. The Chinese took possession of such ground. They engaged largely in wing-dam and river-bed mining, and eventually went into regular hydraulic mining. Placer county was noted for the extent of its surface diggings, which would pay from two to four dollars a day. The Chinese settled in this country in large numbers, and by purchase and location got possession of much ground that was comparatively poor in early days, but which became valuable as wages depreciated.

SUNDRY OCCUPATIONS.

The Chinese have wonderful adaptability for miscellaneous occupations. Their handiwork is seen everywhere. In fact a man who would undertake to live on the Pacific coast to-day without in some way contributing to the support of Chinese labor would have a hard time of it.

OUR REPORTERS' BUDGET.

IRONDALE, July 17, 1882.

There has been a big fire raging in what is known as Miller's Coal Camp since the 12th instant. The fire was doubtless the work of some evil disposed wretch, as the tracks going to and from where the fire originated could be plainly seen the next day. The fire must have been started in the early part of the evening, as it was under full headway by 9 o'clock. Having been started on the west side of the chopping, with a strong wind blowing from that quarter, with the ground thickly covered with fallen timber and tree tops, which had become as dry as tinder during the hot dry spell we have had, it certainly looks as though the fire was started with the intention of burning up some 600 or 700 cords of wood with all of the buildings used in Miller's camp, belonging to C. C. Bartlett & Co. A large portion of the wood had been hauled and pitted, ready for burning into coal. By strenuous efforts the fire has been got under control and the buildings and wood will be saved.

The Puget Sound Iron Company's works are being delayed for the want of material which is anxiously looked for, and is expected to arrive at any time. Farmers are taking advantage of the good weather we are now having and rushing their haying through as fast as possible. Mr. Eldridge, one of Chimacum's most enterprising farmers, has just bought a new mower with which to lay his grass low and save elbow grease. J. B. D.

FERNDALE, W. T., July 11, 1882.

ED. ARGUS:—Rev. W. S. Harrington, pastor of the M. E. Church in Seattle, and eleven of his flock took passage on the steamer Chehalis at 10 p. m. July 9th, to attend the camp-meeting in Ferndale, Whatcom county. Touched at Tulalip reservation at 4:30 p. m., on the 10th. The tide was out and the mail had to be taken off half a mile in a small boat. Called at Conville, Oak Harbor, LaConner, Fidalgo, Anacortes, Guemes, Samish, Sehome and Whatcom. Mr. D. E. Payne is mail agent. He is a pleasant, agreeable business man. Five years' service proves his efficiency in his place of trust. At LaConner a new mill is building to manufacture oat meal. Grain is looking well in Snohomish, Island and Whatcom counties. The farmers are preparing for a lively harvest. Underdunk shadows from San Francisco to Yale, B. C., pass overland to Whatcom and try to bum passage to all parts of the Sound. There are three ships and one schooner at Utsalady loading with lumber. Sehome and Whatcom are situated on Bellingham Bay. This bay is famous for a superior quality of stone that is shipped to all parts of the Sound. Adjacent to the north part of the bay is a large hotel, at a point favorable for the terminus of the N. P. R. R.; bold shore, deep water and a land-locked harbor—the best on the Sound. The land is well situated for a large city with a beautiful lake of fresh water. Lake Whatcom is at the rear with a sufficient fall to water the city. It is true that several other towns at present have the advantage, but I believe that no distant day will develop a wealthy town here. The country is settling up very fast. There are extensive farms well stocked where four years ago the wild beast and savage roamed at will. The Lummi reservation is five miles square. The Indians are engaged in farming and stock-raising. They have

a church 30x60 feet, and a schoolhouse 24x30. The coal beds on Bellingham Bay have been abandoned, as it can be shipped with less expense from Seattle.

The Chehalis landed in the evening at Mr. Clark's on the Nootsack river, within seven miles of the camp-ground, as it is not safe to navigate the river at night. Capt. C. Brownfield is a gentleman of fine qualities—kind and careful of the welfare of his passengers. The boat was heavily loaded with freight and passengers, yet all were provided for.

There is a small steamer building to navigate the Nootsack river—a needed want from increasing trade. The trip from Seattle to Ferndale is a pleasant one. It is said that the St. Lawrence has a thousand islands; Puget Sound is a rival that excels. Green hills and snow-capped mountains, rich valleys and waving grain, thriving towns and happy people, broad water and narrow straits—a beautiful inland sea—all all inspire the beholder with wonder at the lovely scenery. It seems more like a fairy land than the "tremendous woods where rolls the Oregon," and yet it is our beloved chosen home of earth, from where we expect to go to the heavenly beyond, where fields are ever green and flowers never fade. The boat arrived at 10 a. m. safe and sound. A. J. SMITH.

Shipping Items.

THE schooner Perry is to be repaired on Mr. Tobey's ways.

BARK Revere sailed to-day for Port Blakely to load with lumber for the Sandwich Islands.

SCHOONER TEASER from this place for Quillente sprung a leak and carried away her jib-stay soon after leaving here, and is now lying disabled in Port Angeles. Her deck load of lumber will have to be discharged in order to get at and repair the damage.

BARK Atlanta arrived here on the 17th, from San Francisco.

PORT DISCOVERY, July 15.—Sailed, bark Mary Glover, for San Francisco.

PORT GAMBLE, July 17.—Sailed, bark James Cheston, for San Francisco.

THE schooner Perkins has been lying alongside of Waterman & Katz' wharf, taking in a full load of general merchandise for the store of John Robertson in Coupeville.

THE Dispatch arrived Saturday evening with a sea-load of hay for Waterman & Katz, from Whidby Island. Sch'r Carrie Hayden also arrived with a load of produce for the same firm.

ON Monday the Dispatch left for Neah Bay and way ports with a large load of freight and a number of passengers. Among the latter were Mrs. Clapp and Miss Grace Davis, of Dungeness, and Capt. Stratton, of Port Angeles.

PORT TOWNSEND, July 18. Bark Revere, Capt. McIntyre, arrived Saturday night from the Sandwich Islands. She is waiting orders. Sch'r. Courser arrived Sunday night from Mexico. Bktn. Jno. Smith, newly built at Port Blakely, went to sea yesterday in tow of the tug Blakely, lumber laden, for San Francisco. Ship Syren, loaded with spars, from Seattle for Boston, Mass., sailed last evening. C. Lillian Bk. Aconagua arrived yesterday from Tacoma, lumber laden for Valparaiso.

THE Teaser is leaving our harbor to-day, en route for Quillente, loaded with merchandise. She will return to this place and thence to Seattle where she will take another load.

ON the fourth of July the old bark Amethyst, at San Francisco, was decorated in all her bunting, one flag bearing 1822 on it, signifying the date of her building, sixty years ago.

A FLOAT AGAIN.—The old steamer Eliza Anderson, which sunk and settled down on a pile near Mitchell's shipyard some two months ago, was successfully raised yesterday. What will be done with the old craft we are unable to say. Capt. Thos. Wright, her owner, talks of fitting her up, but we have serious doubts about his doing so.—Post-Intelligencer.

TO LOAD AT TACOMA. The American ship Iroquois, 2130 tons, and H. S. Gregory, 2020 tons, have finished discharging cargoes of railroad iron at New Tacoma and will load there with Walla Walla wheat. The O. R. & N. and Northern Pacific companies have contracted to deliver for these two vessels 6000 tons, which will be transported by boats and barges from Bonneville to Kalama, thence by rail to Tacoma. They will get their cargoes from the earlier shipments, about the middle of August to the middle of September.—Oregonian.

SAN FRANCISCO, July 16.—Bonds have been given in the sum of \$4000 in the case of the British steamer Cairnsmuir, held in custody of Marshal Drew for an infraction of the law regulating passenger berths, and the vessel released from libel. Four British steamers, the Anger Head, Serapis, Strathairny and Cairnsmuir, at present in this port, are libeled in various amounts for irregular construction of berths. Attorneys for the defendants will make their defense principally on the ground that the term "vessel" as stated in the statutes is only applicable to sailing vessels and not to steamships.

SAN FRANCISCO, July 12.—The steamer Umatilla, of the Oregon Improvement Company, went over to Oakland to-day

and took aboard two locomotives for Oregon. The locomotives were manufactured by the Baldwin Locomotive Works of Philadelphia. They are for the Oregon and California Railroad, and are the last of a consignment of seventeen which have been taken to Portland by the Umatilla. They are placed on the deck near the after hatch, and blocked and secured in place by heavy timbers and bolts through the deck and iron plating. The two engines and tenders weigh about 150 tons. On the deck near the forward hatch, after loading the hold, is to be placed a large steam excavator, weighing about fifty tons. This is shipped to Portland, and is designed for work on the Northern Pacific railroad. The steamer is loading her lower hold with 800 tons of rails for the same road.

CLIPPINGS.

A FORCE of men are engaged in removing the jam in the Skagit river near Mann's Landing. It will cost several thousand dollars to clear the jams created by the last flood.

THE Palouse Gazette places Edgar N. Sweet, of Colfax, in nomination for the delegateship. He is a staunch Republican, and for a number of years was Receiver in the U. S. Land Office at Colfax.

DURING the half year ending June 30, 1882, 5206 claims for land were filed, in the Fargo (Dakota) land office, for in the aggregate \$32,960 acres. This indicates a filling up of the country at a wonderfully rapid rate.

IMMIGRANTS.—Three immigrants who arrived here last evening from Walla Walla, via the Barlow pass. They came from Iowa last year, and are headed for the Skagit valley. The immigrants camped on Pike street, and will take the Josephine Friday morning for their destination.—Post-Intelligencer.

OVER sixty corn canneries in the state of Maine, says *Bradstreet's*, annually put up nearly 12,000,000 cans. An exchange has made an estimate of the cost at which corn is so prepared for the market. The farmer is said to receive 3c. for the corn contained in the can; the tin and solder costs 3c., and the remaining 4c. or 5c. goes to the manufacturer for putting up and marketing. The cans contain 25 pounds of corn, so that farmers raise from 1,000 to 3,000 cans per acre, the average being about 1,500, giving it a cash value of \$10. There are several factories in Massachusetts, but Maine is said to put up one-third of the corn canned in the country.

PRESIDENCY TENDERED.—The regents of the University have tendered the presidency of that institution to Hon. J. L. Powell, Superintendent of Public Instruction in Oregon. Mr. Powell is thinking seriously of accepting the position, and is at present in Seattle looking over the ground. Mr. Powell is an educator of high rank, and the regents are very anxious to secure him for the University.—Post-Intelligencer.

The receipts of the Federal Government for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1882, were \$403,460,264; the receipts of the year before were \$369,782,292. The expenses of the two years, including payment of interest on the public debt, were \$258,886,000 in 1882 and \$260,612,888 in 1881. The interest burden was reduced from \$82,508,742 to \$71,256,000. The amount taken from the principal of the debt was \$151,684,350. Ten more years like the last will cause the extinguishment of the whole debt.

THE DAILY ARGUS.—We are in receipt of a copy of the DAILY ARGUS, a neat little paper, publication of which was commenced at Port Townsend the 1st of July, by Allen Weir. When we commenced the publication of *The Register*, Mr. Weir gave us very little encouragement, saying that we would doubtless find it an expensive venture, unless we had counted the cost. We can now return the compliment (?). Mr. Weir, if you may have plenty of "bull-dog tenacity," you may win. We hope you do.—*Vanconver Register*.

[That hits us where we live.—Ed.]

BORN.

At Quillente, June 28, to the wife of M. Whittee, a daughter.

MARRIED.

In Dixon, Cal., July 24, Mr. James Campbell, of Seattle, to Miss Lucy Dunlop, of Dixon. Mr. Campbell was for a time employed in the machine shop at Port Discovery, and subsequently went to Seattle where he is one of the firm of Wahl & Campbell. He is well known and is a deserving young man.

Just received at Jns. Jones', a large lot of Sensides, double, elephant drawing paper, Drawing pencils, tracing cloth, etc.

Housekeeper Wanted.

One who understands caring for children and doing general housework. Inquire at this office for particulars.

NOTICE.

If you want to BORROW MONEY, or to BUY LOTS in Port Townsend, or a farm in Jefferson County, apply to D. W. SMITH, Port Townsend.

WANTED.

A good Farm Hand who understands milking cows, or a girl who can do housework. Fair. Address at once, HALL DAVIS, Dungeness, W. T. June 9th.

Horse and Top Buggy FOR SALE.

The horse is an A 1 Buggy Horse and a good traveler. The harness is new and in good repair. Will be sold cheap for cash. For further particulars apply to F. W. PETTYGROVE, Jr., At Waterman & Katz' Store.

FOR SALE.

THE SCHOONER MIST. In first-class condition. Recently been thoroughly overhauled and repaired. Rigging, sails, etc., complete and new. Will be sold cheap. Apply to H. LANDIS, Port Townsend.

Right of Fishing.

HEADQUARTERS, DEPARTMENT OF THE COLUMBIA, Vancouver Barracks, W. T., June 1, 1882.

Written proposals will be received by the undersigned at Vancouver Barracks, W. T., until August 1st, 1882, for the right of exclusive fishing on the Point Roberts Military Reservation, (extremity of peninsula between Georgia and Boundary bays, Puget Sound), during the next fishing season. The right to reject any or all bids, as may be deemed best, is reserved by the undersigned.

O. D. GREENE, Major and Assistant Adjutant General, Brevet Brigadier General U. S. A.

Notice.

PROPOSALS TO CONTRACT FOR the entire maintenance of the County Poor of Jefferson County, W. T., for one year, commencing September 1st, 1882, will be received by the County Commissioners of said county at the County Auditor's Office at Port Townsend, until 4 o'clock p. m., August 7th, 1882. Maintenance also to include medicine, medical attendance and nursing.

Proposals to be opened and award made by the Board of County Commissioners at their regular August meeting, 1882, the Board reserving the right to reject all or accept any bid.

By order of the Board, JAMES SEAVEY, County Auditor Jefferson Co., W. T.

For Sale.

In South Port Townsend.

12 BLOCKS—192 LOTS, 45x120 FEET.

This property is eligibly located 1/2 of a mile south of the furnace at Irondale, 3 corners on tide water. Flat nearly level; timber partially removed and being removed. Good water obtained anywhere at a depth of about 12 feet.

Title Perfect; Terms Reasonable. The above lots will be offered for sale cheap for cash. Apply to

JAMES JONES, Port Townsend.

Or Charles Case, Seattle. June 22, 1882.

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W. H. PUMPHREY,

Ticket Agent for Seattle, H. L. THIBALS, Jr., Ticket Agent for Port Townsend.

For freight or passage apply to H. L. THIBALS, General Agent for Puget Sound, June 27, 1882.

BITS OF COMMON LAW.

DEFENSE IS NO EXCUSE FOR CRIME. The law provides that every person intends to do that which he does. A ransom gift of personal property must be accompanied by possession. The attempt to commit a felony or misdemeanor is an indictable offense. The mortgagee and not the mortgagor must pay the fees for recording the mortgage. A release of debt, not founded on a valuable consideration, will not bar recovery. Any one who takes possession of a person's estate without authority of the law may be held responsible as a guardian. Intention of the law is no excuse for the commission of crime, but ignorance of facts may render a civil contract voidable. GUARDIANS, if practicable, must lend out the money of their wards, on good security, and must collect the interest annually. An unwritten will of personal property is valid when the property does not exceed \$500, and the bequest is made during the last sickness of the deceased. A person may have his domicile in one county or State, and his citizenship in another. Citizenship is not lost or changed by residence abroad, so long as the "intention to return" exists. If an administrator or executor gives a note, or makes any other contract in his representative capacity which the law does not authorize, he fails to bind the estate, but is individually liable upon the same. The father is the natural guardian and custodian of his children; but, in case of separation, their custody may be given to the mother, if the father is from any cause unfit for their control or unable to support them. An action for the recovery of specific property may be brought without giving the bond required in the code when the simple question of title is tried, and the possession of the property is left undisturbed. It is a violation of the law for the occupiers of lands under a common fence to turn the stock within the general enclosure during the cropping season. The party so offending commits an indictable offense, and is civilly liable for all damages that ensue. There is no warranty of title at an administrator's sale, but a personal representative is bound to make the purchaser as valid conveyance of such title as his decedent had. He is liable, personally, for all damages arising from his failure to follow the law. The voluntary concurrence of competent parties is required to make a valid contract. If deception be practiced by one of the parties in a material matter, or either be so intoxicated as to be unable to comprehend the nature and effect of the transaction, this invalidates the contract. How to Make Labor Cheerful. A dozen or so years ago the wife of President Garfield wrote her husband a letter, in which the following passage occurs: "I am glad to tell that, out of all the toil and disappointments of the summer just ended, I have risen up to a victory; that the science of thought since you have been away has won for my spirit a triumph. I read something like this the other day: 'There is no healthy thought without labor, and thought makes the laborer happy.' Perhaps this is the way I have been able to climb up higher. It came to me one morning when I was making bread. I said to myself: 'Here I am, compelled by an inevitable necessity to make our bread this summer. Why not consider it a pleasant occupation, and make it so by trying to see what perfect bread I can make?' It seemed like an inspiration, and the whole of life grew brighter. The very sunshine seemed flowing down through my spirit into the white loaves, and now I believe my table is furnished with better bread than ever before, and this truth, old as creation, seems just now to have become fully mine, that I need not be the shirking slave to toil, but its regal master, making whatever I do yield me its best fruits. You have been kind of your work so long may be you will laugh at me for having lived so long without my crown, but I am too glad to have found it at all to be entirely disconcerted, even by your merriment. Now I wonder if right here does not lie the 'terrible wrong,' or, at least, some of it, of which the woman suffragists complain. The wrongly-educated woman thinks her duties a disgrace and frets under them, or shirks them if she can. She sees man triumphantly pursuing his vocation, and thinks it is the kind of work he does which makes him grand and regnant; whereas, it is not the kind of work at all, but the way in which, and the spirit with which, he does it."

BRITAIN'S RULERS. The Kings and Queens of England—Length of the Reigns of the Several Houses. The Norman line began with William the Conqueror; then came in succession the houses of Plantagenet, Lancaster, York, Tudor, Stuart, the Commonwealth, Stuart-Orange, Stuart and Hanover. William the Conqueror was the sixth sovereign of Normandy. Henry II., the first of the Plantagenets, was the son of Matilda of Scotland, a direct descendant of Edmund II., surnamed Ironside, who was the son and successor of Ethelred II., born in 987, and King of the Anglo-Saxons in 1016. Henry IV., as the last of the Plantagenets (Richard II.) left no children, was the eldest son of John of Gaunt, Duke of Lancaster, fourth son of Edward III., and of Blanche, daughter and heiress of Henry Plantagenet, Duke of Lancaster, great grandson of Henry III. Edward IV., the first of the House of York, was descended from the fifth son of Edward III., as the Lancasterian Kings had descended from the fourth son of the same sovereign. Henry VII., the first of the Tudors, was a descendant of Henry V. James I. of England, and VI. of Scotland, was the son of Lord Darnley and Mary Queen of Scots, and his right to the succession rested on his descent from Henry VII., through his great-grandmother, Margaret. Charles II. was the second child among six of Charles I., and started on the Stuart line at the restoration. Mary, who with William of Orange, ruled Britain, was a Stuart, as was also Anne, "the good Queen." George I., of the House of Hanover, was descended on his mother's side from James I. The following will show the length of the reigns of the several houses:

Table with 2 columns: Name of Ruler and Length of Reign in Years. Includes Norman line, Plantagenet, Lancaster, York, Tudor, Stuart, Stuart-Orange, Commonwealth, Stuart-Orange, Hanover, and various monarchs like William I, Henry I, Richard I, etc.

The following will show at a glance the rulers. There were often a number of Queens, and, as the space is limited, only the actual rulers' names are given:

Table with 2 columns: Name of Ruler and Length of Reign in Years. Lists monarchs from the Norman line to the Hanoverian line.

Cobblers Who Went Beyond Their Last. No one but a shoemaker could have thought Coleridge serious in his strange saying that the shoemaker's bench had produced more eminent men than any other handicraft. The Shoes and Leather Reporter has, however, compiled a "bill of particulars" in the shape of a list of famous cobblers, which seems to act as an effectual estoppel on all jealous craftsmen. Hans Christian Andersen, who needs no introduction, may head the list, and Hans Sachs, of Nuremberg, who, though he made shoes all his life, yet also made 6,000 poems, plays, farces and rhyming fables, may be put next. Sir Cloudesley Shovel was a shoemaker until he enlisted in the navy, and so was Sir Christopher Minns, another English Admiral. John Hewson, one of Cromwell's Colonels, and a signer of Charles I.'s death-warrant; Samuel Bradburn, the "Demosthenes of Methodism," as well as a Bishop; James Lackington, whose catalogue of publications reached the total—enormous for that time—of 30,000 volumes, in 1787—all these were cobblers at first, if not at the last. Continuing the English list, William Gifford, whose memory is preserved by a complimentary allusion in Byron's "English Bards and Scotch Reviewers," and whose body is buried in Westminster Abbey; George Fox, the arch Quaker; William Carey, a missionary famous a century ago, and who read the proofs of the Bible in twenty-seven Oriental languages; Samuel Drew, "the Locke of the nineteenth century," whose experience as an author led him to formulate the sad truth that "the man who makes shoes is sure of his wages, but the man who makes books is never sure of anything;" Thomas Holcroft, whose name is not nearly so well known as that of a single one of his plays, "The Road to Ruin;" the Bloomfield brothers, whom Byron thus apostrophized:

Ye tuneful cobblers, still your notes prolong, composed at once a supper and a song; John Pounds, whom school-children cried at being turned away from—all these and lesser lights too numerous to mention were English shoemakers. Coming to our own country, Roger Sherman, one of the "signers," leads the list in time, but Vice President Henry Wilson in rank. Beside these were Congressmen Sheffield and Noah Worcester, not the lexicographer, but the founder of the Massachusetts Peace Society. And ex-Govs. H. P. Baldwin, of Michigan, and William Claflin, of Massachusetts, if they never made shoes, at least dealt in them largely enough to be named here. Altogether, the list is sufficiently imposing and convincing to justify a verdict in favor of Coleridge's saying.

AT JAMES JONES. Just received, a large quantity of California Port, Sherry and Amber Wines, direct from the vineyard.

CASTS FROM ANIMALS.

"Takes it easy, don't he?" said a sharp-eyed man, patting a long, winding mass of clay hanging over a bench. "You don't mean that it is alive?" "Well, I should say so. Look here." he replied, and picking away a little clay at one end a bright, bead-like eye appeared, and a forked tongue that darted out for a second belonged to a rattlesnake.

The cast-taker was Joe Palmer, employed by the Smithsonian Institution to restore animals, etc. The qualifications of the animal sculptor who works from life models are varied. Artistic talent, a cool head and steady nerves are indispensable, especially when the subject is a rattlesnake or a copperhead. Reproducing a snake in clay in former times, and preserving lifelike proportions, was an immense work, many of the scales having to be worked over and over with instruments for the purpose; but now the operation is much more simple, although dangerous. A living snake is chloroformed, and, after it is completely under the influence, placed on a limb or in a coil, and plaster quickly put on. If it shows signs of consciousness before the clay has hardened properly, more chloroform is given, and finally the cast is cut off and ready for the mold, which, when completed, is painted, making a perfect fac simile. The operation is not always conducted easily. A copperhead "came to" one day suddenly, and, throwing the clay aside, made a dash for liberty that created a stampede. He was recaptured later.

Among the larger animals are dolphins, porpoises, manapuses, and the white whale that was in the New York Aquarium. Twenty or thirty heads standing on the top of the cases in the Archeological Hall attract considerable attention from the variety of expression shown. In one the lips are drawn tightly together, and determination is shown in every lineament. Another looks as if it had lost all hope; while in others, fear, rage, astonishment, disgust and dogged imperturbability are seen. They are the heads of a band of Indians that visited Washington several years ago, and were coaxed by the sculptor to undergo the process of cast taking. They all declined at first, but, the chief finally consenting, the others followed suit, and their different emotions as they sat for an hour with their heads and faces plastered with clay (breathing through straws), are accurately recorded.—New York Sun.

The Two John Thomases. A young school-miss who has been told to hunt up the story of the "Two John Thomases" writes to us for the particulars. They were Dr. John Thomas, who graduated at Catherine Hall, Cambridge, in 1713, was rector of St. Vedast, Foster Lane, was consecrated Bishop of Lincoln April 1, 1744, and translated to Salisbury in 1761, and who died July 19, 1766; and Dr. John Thomas, Fellow of All Saints College, Oxford, rector of St. Baudelot's and St. Peter's, Paul's Wharf, consecrated Bishop of Peterboro, Oct. 4, 1747, translated to Salisbury in 1757, and who died May 1, 1781. The story of the difficulty in describing them is certainly genuine. Bishop Newton was speaking of Dr. Thomas, when some one asked, "Which Dr. Thomas do you mean?" He answered, "Dr. John Thomas." The questioner replied, "They are both named John." "Well, I mean Dr. Thomas who has a living in the city." "They both have livings in the city." "Dr. Thomas who is Chaplain to the King." "They are both Chaplains to the King." "Dr. Thomas who is known to be a very good preacher." "They are both known to be very good preachers." "Then," said Newton, triumphantly, "the Dr. Thomas who squats." "They both squat!" was the equally-effective answer, and Bishop Newton gave it up. Whether they squinted equally bad we cannot say, but the first above-named was one of the most decided specimens ever presented in good society. He was once telling a humorous story and remarked of the hero that "the fellow squinted most hideously." This point was telling, but the Bishop increased the effect by turning his own ugly face around to each person present, with an extra distortion at each turn, and remarking, in a subdued undertone, "Do you know, I hate your squinting fellows!"—New York Journal of Commerce.

Husbands and Wives. A good husband makes a good wife. Some men can neither do without wives nor without them; they are wretched alone in what is called single blessedness, and they make their homes miserable when they get married; they are like Tompkins' dog, which could not bear to be loose, and howled when it was tied up. Happy bachelors are likely to be happy husbands, and a happy husband is the happiest of men. A well-matched couple carry a joyful life between them, as the two spies carried the cluster of Eshcol. They are a brace of birds of Paradise. They multiply their joys by sharing them, and lessen their troubles by dividing them. This is fine arithmetic. The wagon of care rolls lightly along as they pull together; and when it drags a little heavily, or there is a hitch anywhere, they love each other all the more, and so lighten the labor.—John Ploughman.

"In what condition was the patriarch Job at the end of his life?" asked a Sunday-school teacher of a quiet-looking boy at the foot of the class. "Dead," calmly replied the boy.

Immense arrival of cooking stoves at Sheehan's. Also steam hot fittings, gas pipes, and pumps.

For good cigars, go to James Jones' head of Union Wharf opposite Central Hotel.

FLOURING MILLS.

The difference between the mills now used for the manufacture of flour and those of half a century ago are marked as those between the modern woolen mill and the old-fashioned loom in which homespun cloth was manufactured for the purpose of providing stout and serviceable garments to clothe the hard-working farmer and his sons. In ancient times wheat bread was the exception; the daily bread of the rural household was made of rye and Indian corn. Two or three bushels of wheat was regarded as a sufficient allowance for a moderate family, and that ground into flour was kept for such state occasions as quillings, weddings, Thanksgiving and other holidays, when the good wife was wont to exercise her culinary skill in compounding shortcake to grace the bountifully-spread table. It was also considered the proper thing to have a loaf or two of wheat bread on hand in the house should the clergyman or other respected visitor come to take tea. The grinding of the wheat was usually a matter of considerable solicitude on the part of the owner of the grist. A bushel or two was measured up in a bag and thrown across the back of a gentle and trusty farm-horse, and the owner would wend his way to the grist mill, where, while waiting for it to be ground, he would have an opportunity to indulge in a little social gossip with the dusty-coated miller, who was generally well posted in all the local news. The miller, having satisfied the farmer that the run of stone was perfectly clean and that there was no danger of an admixture of rye flour or corn meal, the wheat would be transferred to the hopper and ground; and, when finished, the farmer would joyfully wend his way homeward, knowing that the good wife would test the flour on his arrival and that his chances were favorable for an excellent supper of shortcake and golden butter. This was the grist mill of early days.

The modern flouring mill is a huge structure, employing many men, and the wheat is turned into flour by the freight train loaded daily. One of the monster mills in Minneapolis, Minn., covers an area of 380 by 80 feet, and is several stories in height. Its capacity is 4,200 bushels of wheat, or fifty car-loads, to keep the mill in operation. It does not depend upon the old-fashioned burr mill-stones to convert the wheat into flour, but the process of manufacture is to first run the wheat through a brushing machine, the old-fashioned smut machines having been discarded. After the wheat has been cleaned by being run through the brush machine, it is run through corrugated iron rollers, which split the crease of the berry open, thus liberating the dust which lies in the crease, so that it can be removed by bolting. A very small percentage of low-grade flour is made during this first reduction. The grain then passes through a process technically known as a scalping reel, to remove the dirt and flour, after which it passes through a second set of corrugated rollers, by which it is further broken. Then it is passed through a second reel, which removes the flour and middlings. This operation is repeated successively until the flour portion of the berry is entirely removed from the bran, the necessary separations being made after each reduction, sometimes requiring five or six. The middlings from the several operations are reduced to flour, after being run through the purifiers, by successive reductions, on smooth iron or porcelain rollers. One of the principal objects sought by this system of grinding is to avoid all bruising of the grain; another, to extract all the dirt from the crease of the berry; and a third, to thoroughly free the bran from the flour, in order to obtain as large a yield as possible.—Albany Evening Times.

Weather Prophets. Speculations about the weather are not wholly useless if we are to accept the testimony of Prof. J. Hyatt, who has been engaged for a long time in studying the relations between the phases of the moon and the rainfall at certain stations. It has long been known that when the moon is full the sky is most likely to be clear. This is not only the testimony of sailors and farmers, but also of eminent astronomers and scientific men. It appears that the rays of the full moon have the power to dispel clouds, and it therefore seems not unreasonable to suppose that the moon exerts an appreciable influence upon the weather. Prof. Hyatt's observations have led him to divide the lunar month, of about twenty-nine and a half days, into eight periods, or octads, of three and two-thirds days each, and he has found that every lunation is apt to acquire its character as regards rainfall within the first octad, or within three and two-thirds days from the time of the new moon. It also appears that the same kind of weather, as regards temperature, cloudiness or rain, is apt to occur on or about the same day of the week, or, more accurately, at the same stage in the lunar quarters. A number of instances are given, extending over a considerable period of time, which seem to bear out the truth of these conclusions with remarkable accuracy, and it would seem that if seven-tenths of an inch or more rain falls within three and two-thirds days of the new moon, the entire lunation was very likely to be a wet one; but if very little rain falls during that time the remaining seven-eighths of the lunation will probably be dry. These observations verify the old saying that the first three days rule the month. As a result of observations conducted at two localities, extending over a period of three years, the rule has been found to hold good in at least eleven cases out of twelve, and they would doubtless hold good for all places in the hilly country between the Appalachians and the Atlantic, not too near either the sea or the mountains. Such conclusions are only reliable for places similarly situated, since peculiarities of location, elevation, the peculiar direction of the wind, etc., necessarily affect the result, and these characteristics must be studied for each place. The distribution of rainfall is very irregular throughout the year; two or three dry or two or three wet lunations are apt to be grouped together.

Boarding-House Life. Oliver Wendell Holmes once said: "Think of it, not even a dog to lick his hand, or a cat to purr or rub her fur against him! O, the so boarding-houses! What forlorn people one sees stranded on these desolate shores! Deceased gentlemen, with poor wrecks of what once their homes—no, beautiful disposed of, around them in narrow chambers as best they may be, coming down day after day, poor souls, to sit at the board with strangers, their hearts full of sad memories which have no language but a sigh, no record but the lines of sorrow on their features. Orphans, creatures with growing tenders and nothing to cling to, lonely rich men, casting about them what to do with their wealth, they never know how to enjoy when they shall no longer worry over keeping and increasing it. Young men and women left to instincts, unguarded, unwatched, save by malicious eyes, which are sure to be found and to find occupation in their miscellaneous collections of human beings, and now and then a shred of humanity like this little specialist, with just the words needed to keep the radical moisture from entirely exhausting from his attenuated organism, and busying himself over a point of science, or composing a hymn, or selling patent rights—such are the tenants of boarding houses, whom we cannot think of without feeling how sad it is when the wind is not tempered to the shorn lamb, when the solitary beings whose hearts are shriveling are not seen in families.

An Irishman who had on a very ragged coat was asked of what stuff it was made. "Bedad, I don't know; I took the best of it is made of fresh air."

The Denver and Rio Grande Railroad is now building at the rate of two miles a day, and will close the gap between Denver and Salt Lake in December. The rolling stock and rails for this end are coming over the Southern and Central Pacific roads from Denver.

TELEGRAPHIC.

OLYMPIA, July 12.—The Grand... of the Ancient Order of United Workmen met this morning...

WASHINGTON, July 13.—The War Department is preparing to begin the proposed new system of giving alarm...

BOSTON, July 13.—Six boys have died in this city and vicinity since July 4th...

SAN FRANCISCO, July 13.—The United States war steamer Ironsides has been ordered to join the squadron in the South Pacific...

WASHINGTON, July 13.—The President is approved the act enabling National Mining Associations to extend their corporate existence.

WASHINGTON, July 14.—There was a vast sensation, and court and counsel pressed profound surprise, when the aid and jury in the star route cases...

PHOENIX, A. T., July 12.—The following has been received from Globe: Last Saturday eleven men under Capt. Lacey left...

OKLAND, R. L., July 13.—John L. McCall's cotton yarn mill was burned today, \$110,000, insured.

CHICAGO, July 13.—The mill and lumber yards of B. M. Holmes at Ogona, Wisconsin, were burned yesterday. Loss, \$50,000.

SALT LAKE, July 11.—Last night, a stranger named H. C. Keno, was riding about the city in a carriage...

SAN ANTONIO, July 12.—Six American citizens have just been released from the jail at Pedro. They made affidavit before the U. S. Commissioner...

PEORIA, Ill., July 11.—During the year ending June 30th there were used by distillers in this city 31,568 bushels of grain...

NEW YORK, July 12.—The Erie railroad locomotives were fired to-day freely by hydrogen gas, produced chemical decomposition of water...

WASHINGTON, July 11.—Severe hail storms in this vicinity occurred early this morning. They broke all the glass in the north windows...

WASHINGTON, July 11.—Postmaster Taft, of Charleston, arrived to-day from South Carolina. He says the evidence is overwhelming showing that the killing of Blair at Camden, last Tuesday, was a political assassination...

WALLA WALLA, July 10.—James McAniff was re-elected Mayor and John G. Justice re-elected Marshal. After a very spirited contest Winans, Caton, Dovel and Fletcher were elected Councilmen.

CLINTON, N. C., July 11.—Philip Haison was hanged here this afternoon for the murder of Henry Sellers. A great crowd was present at the scaffold, which was in an open field. Haison never flinched. The drop was five feet.

HASTINGS, July 11.—Severe hail storms in this vicinity occurred early this morning. They broke all the glass in the north windows, injured crops and fruit considerably within their circuit, unroofed the depot and elevator at Geaville, and overturned the school-house. A strong wind prevailed for the time, and the elevator at Kenesaw was considerably racked.

WASHINGTON, July 11.—Postmaster Taft, of Charleston, arrived to-day from South Carolina. He says the evidence is overwhelming showing that the killing of Blair at Camden, last Tuesday, was a political assassination. As soon as Blair was killed the friends of Haile, the murderer, took possession of his body. A post mortem was held, and Haile was brought before the judge and liberated on \$500 bail. The law requires the prosecution to be notified, and to be present whenever there is application made for bail under suspicious circumstances, as those of this case. He was not notified. Judge Kersher admitted Haile to bail, as he is a relative of the latter.

ST. LOUIS, July 11.—Two hundred and fifty Russian exiles, who arrived here yesterday morning, are being cared for by a local commissioner. All are destitute. Some of the most terrible stories of their treatment in their native land. One old man said: "Two months ago I saw my own daughter, a girl 15 years old, taken by the mob and outraged so that at night she died. Other women of our family were at the sport of the mob for hours. My brother's wife, a young woman of 20, was outraged and then whipped to death by a drunken crowd of devils. So with every family. You can't find one in the house who has not lost some one. They spared neither old nor young. Those ten or twelve years old were treated as badly as those much older. People in the villages suffered most. No police ever pretended to help the Jews. Women were carried out into the fields, stripped naked and burnt. Old men had their beards pulled out and then thrown alive into privy vaults to stide. Young girls were branded and scarred with red hot irons. Everything that drunken brutes could think of was done to torture our people."

NEW YORK, July 14.—The Herald's Alexandria correspondent writes: "Col. Lang, African explorer and acting American Consul at Alexandria, and party, entered the city this afternoon, followed by a battery of gatlings, which engaged the rear guards of the arms of Arabi, who had fled. The massacre of the 11th of June was avenged by the inflexible's 80 ton guns. One hundred and fifty Arabs were found dead and 200 wounded."

LONDON, July 11.—A correspondent on board the invincible telegraphs as follows: ALEXANDRIA, July 11.—At 7:30 A. M., the Alexandria, Sultan and Superb opened fire upon the fortification. The batteries at once replied, but their shots at first fell short of the ships. The rest of the fleet then joined in, and the action became general. After twenty minutes cannonade the two forts ceased firing. Fort Pharos appears to be much damaged. The ships as far as can be perceived have not suffered any damage.

ALEXANDRIA, July 11, 9:10 A. M.—The attack on the forts has now been kept up two hours. Smoke hangs over the town and along the line of shore batteries and among the ships, and it is difficult to see what damage has been done. It is certain, however, that the enemy has suffered very heavily. Fort Marsal Kanat has been blown up by the fire from the other batteries. The forts are slackening their fire. The top of the tower of Fort Pharos has been carried away. Many guns have been dismounted on that and the other forts. The flag of the Geneva Red Cross is flying over the hospital in the city. The Dutch and Greek flags are hoisted over their respective consulates. At the beginning of the bombardment immense excitement was visible. Crowds of people were seen wending their way toward the palace. The streets are now deserted, the people having fled or taken refuge in the cellars. There are no signs of a surrender so far. A telegram from the Eastern Telegraph Company's steamer Chitern, sent at 11:45 this morning, says the bombardment still continues. The forts are gradually being silenced. The vaseline forts are suffering severely from the heavy and disastrous fire of the ships Alexandria, Superb and Temeraire.

The fire of the fleet commands the railway to Cairo. Up to noon four forts in all were blown up. No casualties to the fleet were discernible.

In the fleet, the Invincible had four men wounded, and the Inflexible was hit five times.

By half past twelve the American squadron of three ships, the Russian ships, one Austrian and one German had all gone.

6:30 P. M.—The action is finished for the day. Casualties on the English side are 40 wounded but none killed.

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U. S. LAND OFFICE, OLYMPIA, W. T., July 6, 1882. Notice is hereby given that JOHN H. CARR, has filed notice of intention to make final proof before the Judge or in his absence, the Clerk of the Probate Court, at his office in Friday Harbor, W. T., on Saturday the 19th day of August A. D. 1882, on Homestead application No. 202, for the lot 4 and sec. 2, 1p 34 n, and sw 1/4 of sec 33 and sw 1/4 of sec 34, 1p 33 n, r 2 west. He names as witnesses: Andrew P. Mann, Warren C. Mail, James L. Davis and T. J. Weekes all of Lopez Island, W. T. JOHN F. GOWEY, Register.

UNITED STATES LAND OFFICE, Olympia, Washington Territory, July 6th, 1882. Notice is hereby given that EDGAR J. BUCKLIN has filed notice of intention to make final proof before the Judge or in his absence, the Clerk of the Probate Court at his office, in Friday Harbor, W. T., on Friday the 18 day of August, A. D., 1882, on Homestead application No. 269, for the lot of sec 29 and e 1/2 of sec 29, 1p 33 n, r 2 west. He names as witnesses: Robert Firth, Jr., Thomas Sutcliffe, James M. Fleming and John Hankinson all of San Juan, San Juan Co., W. T. JOHN F. GOWEY, Register.

U. S. LAND OFFICE, Olympia, W. T., July 6th, 1882. Notice is hereby given that THOMAS FLEMING has filed notice of intention to make final proof before the Judge or his absence, the clerk of the Probate Court, at his office, in Friday Harbor, W. T., on Friday the 18th day of August, A. D. 1882, on Homestead application, 264, for the e 1/2 of sw 1/4 of sec 29 and e 1/2 of sec 29, 1p 33 n, r 2 west. He names as witnesses: James M. Fleming and T. A. M. Fleming of San Juan, W. T., and John Hankinson and Frank M. Boyce of Friday Harbor, W. T. JOHN F. GOWEY, Register.

Notice of Application to Purchase Timber U. S. DISTRICT LAND OFFICE, OLYMPIA, WASHINGTON TERRITORY. Notice is hereby given that, in compliance with the provisions of the Act of Congress approved June 3, 1878, entitled "An Act for the sale of Timber Lands in the States of California, Oregon, Nevada and Washington Territory," GUST COLMAN, of Clallam county, Washington Territory, has this day filed in this office his application to purchase the sw 1/4 of sec 21, ne 1/4 of sec 21, and e 1/2 of sec 28, in township No 23 north range No 2 west of the Willamette Meridian. Any and all persons claiming adversely the said described land, or any portion thereof, are hereby required to file their claims in this office within sixty (60) days from date hereof. Given under my hand, at my office, in Olympia, W. T., this 11th day of May A. D. 1882. J. T. BROWN, Register of the Land Office.

UNITED STATES DISTRICT LAND OFFICE, OLYMPIA, WASHINGTON TERRITORY. Notice is hereby given that, in compliance with the provisions of the Act of Congress approved June 3, 1878, entitled "An Act for the sale of Timber Lands in the States of California, Oregon, Nevada and Washington Territory," WILLIAM SANFORD of King county, Washington Territory, has this day filed in this office his application to purchase the sw 1/4 of sec 21, ne 1/4 of sec 21, and e 1/2 of sec 28, in township No 23 north range No 2 west of the Willamette Meridian. Any and all persons claiming adversely the said described land, or any portion thereof, are hereby required to file their claims in this office within sixty (60) days from date hereof. Given under my hand, at my office, in Olympia, W. T., this 18th day of May A. D. 1882. J. T. BROWN, Register.

UNITED STATES DISTRICT LAND OFFICE, OLYMPIA, WASHINGTON TERRITORY. Notice is hereby given that, in compliance with the provisions of the Act of Congress approved June 3, 1878, entitled "An Act for the sale of Timber Lands in the States of California, Oregon, Nevada and Washington Territory," JOHN CARROLL, of Jefferson county, Washington Territory has this day filed in this office his application to purchase the sw 1/4 of sec 27, and e 1/2 of sec 27, and ne 1/4 of sec 27, in township No 23 n, r 2 west of the Willamette Meridian. Any and all persons claiming adversely the said described land, or any portion thereof, are hereby required to file their claims in this office within sixty (60) days from date hereof. Given under my hand, at my office, in Olympia, W. T., this 11th day of June, A. D. 1882. J. T. BROWN, Register of the Land Office.

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Editorial Notes.

It seems that Conkling is tired of private life already, and longs for a chance to serve the "dear people" in the U. S. Senate again...

OUR Victoria neighbors are working themselves up to fever heat about who to elect to represent them in the Parliament at Ottawa.

THE SUNDAY LAW.—This will undoubtedly be one of the prominent issues in the coming territorial election. Strenuous efforts will undoubtedly be put forth to secure the repeal of the law enacted at the last Legislative session on this subject...

THE Seattle Post-Intelligencer does not treat the Argus with candor and fairness on the question of the Custom House and revenue cutter. As to the matter of paying off sailors, we simply called attention to the fact that they could lawfully demand their wages as soon as the vessel arrived at this port...

By Telegraph.

ALEXANDRIA, July 17. Several fresh fires occurred last night. Troops from the troop-ship Temeraire are disembarking and will raise the total British force ashore to 6000 men.

The war steamer Helicon has intercepted two regiments going to Port Said from Cyprus, and ordered them to Alexandria.

Ramleh will not be occupied. Five hundred marines will occupy seven different centers, guarding the whole town. The native police are organizing to aid the military. Detectives are searching for suspicious persons.

Later.—The Khedive has found an officer willing to undertake to carry the decree for Arabi Pasha's dismissal to his camp.

ALEXANDRIA, July 16, 4 P. M. I visited the American consulate today and found it occupied by sixty American marines and twenty sailors and small guns. Houses around being on fire, the Americans were preparing to blow them up in order to save the Consulate.

The British fear they will be attacked by a large force of Bedouins, which it is said are assembling in the desert. There are also 1500 Arabs at Fort Guelmie, six miles hence, throwing up earthworks.

PORTSMOUTH, England, July 18.—The troop ship Euphrates is ordered to be in readiness within twelve hours. She will take 2,000 men to Egypt.

MARSEILLES, July 18.—All French marines retired from the service, who have not served fifty-one months, are ordered to return to the navy.

PARIS, July 18.—A correspondent of the Times says the idea of a renewal of close co-operation of France with England has now forced itself upon the French government. The Cabinet Council to-day adopted a resolution to this effect.

SPRINGFIELD, Ill., July 16.—Mrs. Lincoln, widow of late President Lincoln, died in this city at 8:15 tonight.

THE immediate cause of Mrs. Lincoln's death was apoplectic paralysis. The last words she was heard to utter were spoken last evening (15th inst.) at 10 o'clock, when she looked to her brother-in-law, Mr. Edwards, and said "I am dying."

SAN FRANCISCO, July 14.—Juan B. Alvarado, Governor of California from 1836 to 1843, died at San Pablo yesterday, aged 73 years.

WASHINGTON, July 15.—The pension appropriation bill, as passed the Senate, makes no change in the amount appropriated by the House, which remains at \$100,000,000.

ALEXANDRIA, July 15, 5 p. m.—The marines from the Minotaur have landed. American marines occupy the great square, with headquarters in the St. Marks building. Captain Fisher, of the Inflexible, commands the forces landed.

NEW YORK, July 14.—The published report that President Villard, of the Northern Pacific, had issued an order that the company's lands west of the Missouri river should be sold only to actual settlers and in quantities not to exceed 160 acres is wholly untrue.

WASHINGTON, July 14.—Secretary Frelinghuysen says, in answer to inquiries as to the safety of our officials and countrymen at Alexandria, that we have no consul in that city, but our vice-consul is a resident of that place and an Israelite, and one of the members of the Consular Court at Alexandria.

asking as to the safety of missionaries. He received answer to the effect that they were all safe on our vessels or had gone to the interior. He trusts, therefore, American residents at Alexandria have suffered none.

CHICAGO, July 15.—A special from Washington says the transfer of General Howard from the command of West Point to the Department of the Platte, is a good deal commented upon here in army circles. The occasion for the transfer, however, seems to be in fact that affairs in Arizona have been in a very bad condition during the past year, and the Department has come to the conclusion to make an improvement.

LONDON, July 11.—One shot went clear through the Inflexible.

A correspondent on board the U. S. steamer Quinnabog says the Egyptians fought splendidly, and the ships behaved magnificently. The Quinnabog was anchored only five cables on the port beam of the Temeraire, and had a fine view of the contest.

A correspondent on the Invincible telegraphs that the fort and batteries on the sea wall are a heap of ruins. The Egyptians stuck to their guns until the forts were crumbling. The aim of the Egyptian gunners was chiefly against the Penelope and the Inflexible, and they fired principally round shot.

A CARD.

I desire to express my sincere thanks to the people of Port Townsend for their generous patronage since I have been doing business among them. I hope that Port Townsend will become the metropolis of Puget Sound.

NOTICE

My wife, Norah Hitchens, having left my bed and board, this is to warn the public that I will not be responsible for debts contracted by her.

EDWARD HITCHENS, Orcas Island, W. T., June 30, 1882.

Capt. R. W. de Lion. Capt. Chas. A. Enell.

R. W. de Lion & Co., STEVEDORES,

In all Ports in Puget Sound, From our long experience in the business, we guarantee satisfaction.

OFFICE, New Wharf, Quincy Street. PORT TOWNSEND, W. T.

N. B.—Capt. Chas. A. Enell, Agent San Francisco and Philadelphia Board of Marine Underwriters for Strait Juan de Fuca and Puget Sound. AGENT for the Tacoma and Blz, W. T. February 3, 1882—no 51.

Vessels Consigned to R. W. de Lion & Co.

CHILIAN BRIG MIRAFLORES.

FROM ANTOFAGASTA. NEITHER THE CAPTAIN NOR THE UNDERSIGNED AGENTS OF THE ABOVE NAMED VESSEL WILL BE RESPONSIBLE FOR DEBTS CONTRACTED BY THE OFFICERS OR CREW OF THE ABOVE NAMED VESSEL.

H. G. KILNESS, Master. R. W. DELION & CO. Agents. Port Townsend, July 3, 1882.

HONDURAS BK. BOLOMBURA.

FROM GALLES, PORT. NEITHER THE CAPTAIN NOR THE UNDERSIGNED AGENTS OF THE ABOVE NAMED VESSEL WILL BE RESPONSIBLE FOR DEBTS CONTRACTED BY THE OFFICERS OR CREW OF THE SAID BARK.

J. AGUIRRE, Master. R. W. DELION & CO. Agents. Port Townsend, July 5, 1882.

British Bark Osseo.

FROM BUNOS AYRES, VIA ASTORIA. NEITHER THE CAPTAIN NOR THE UNDERSIGNED AGENTS OF THE ABOVE NAMED VESSEL WILL BE RESPONSIBLE FOR DEBTS CONTRACTED BY THE OFFICERS OR CREW.

S. WILLIAMS, Master. R. W. DELION & CO. Agents. Port Townsend, June 24, 1882.

Ship H. S. Gregory.

FROM PHILADELPHIA. NEITHER THE CAPTAIN NOR THE UNDERSIGNED AGENTS OF THE ABOVE NAMED VESSEL WILL BE RESPONSIBLE FOR DEBTS CONTRACTED BY THE OFFICERS OR CREW.

E. A. WAYTS, Master. R. W. DELION & CO. Agents. Port Townsend, June 15, 1882.

DRUGS. Paints, Oils, Varnishes Stationery

Wholesale and Retail, by N. D. HILL & SON Port Townsend, W. T.

- DRUGS, MEDICINES, CHEMICALS, TRUSSES, GLASS, PAINTS, OILS, Patent Medicines of all kinds, A Large Assortment. SOAPS, POMADES, PERFUMERY, HAIR OILS, WALL PAPER, BRUSHES, Etc. And all articles for the Toilet. Quick sales and small profits.

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I have just added a full Line of Groceries to my Stock of Stationery, &c., and intend to sell cheap for ready pay. In Either Produce or Cash!

Fine wines and liquors;

Choice Butter, Cheese, Honey, Foreign and Domestic Fruits, Provisions and Supplies, Flour, Oat and Corn Meals, Bran, Oregon Apples, Dried Fruits, all Kinds. STATIONERY, a complete Stock & Cheap. The BEST Brands, of Cigars and Tobacco.

Agent for the Celebrated "WILDWOOD" WHISKY, Covington, Kentucky, For Port Townsend and Vicinity.

JUST RECEIVED—A large lot of Imported and Domestic Cigars of the best brands. Subscriptions received for all books, newspapers and periodicals published in the United States, at publishers' prices.

ship Iroquis. FROM NEW YORK.

Neither the captain nor the undersigned agents will be responsible for any debts contracted by the crew of the above named vessel.

R. W. DeLion, agents. Port Townsend, May 19, 1882.

British Bark Yuca. FROM VICTORIA.

Neither the captain nor the undersigned agents will be responsible for any debts contracted by the crew of the above named vessel.

JOHN JAMES, Master. R. W. DeLion & Co. agents. Port Townsend, May 6, 1882.

Ship Syren. FROM HONG KONG, VIA VICTORIA.

Neither the captain nor the undersigned agents will be responsible for any debts contracted by the crew of the above named vessel.

GEO. W. BROWN, Master. R. W. DeLion & Co. agents. Port Townsend, May 17, 1882.

SHIP CORA.

Neither the Captain nor the undersigned Agents will be responsible for any debts contracted by the crew of the above named vessel.

J. S. THOMAS, Master. R. W. DeLion & Co. Agents. Port Townsend, March 28, 1882.

Chilian Bark Oregon.

NEITHER THE CAPTAIN NOR THE UNDERSIGNED AGENTS WILL BE RESPONSIBLE FOR DEBTS CONTRACTED BY THE CREW.

THOMAS HARDY, Master. R. W. DELION & CO. Agents. Port Townsend, March 24, 1882.

Ship Osceola.

FROM SAN DIEGO. Neither the captain nor the undersigned agents will be responsible for any debts contracted by the crew of the above named vessel.

CHAS. P. BOWELL, Master. DELION & Co. Agents. Port Townsend, April 23, 1882.

Ship Jeromiah Thompson.

FROM IQUIQUE. Neither the Captain nor the undersigned agents will be responsible for any debts contracted by the crew of the above named vessel.

NICHOLAS KIRBY, Master. R. W. DELION & CO. Agents. Port Townsend, April 15, 1882.

SHIP ANNIE H. SMITH.

FROM PHILADELPHIA. NEITHER THE CAPTAIN NOR THE UNDERSIGNED AGENTS OF THE ABOVE NAMED VESSEL WILL BE RESPONSIBLE FOR DEBTS CONTRACTED BY THE OFFICERS OR CREW THEREOF.

J. F. Bartlett, Master. R. W. DELION & CO. Agents. Port Townsend, April 2, 1882.

Bark JONATHAN BOURNE.

FROM HONG KONG, VIA VICTORIA. NEITHER THE CAPTAIN NOR THE UNDERSIGNED AGENTS WILL BE RESPONSIBLE FOR DEBTS CONTRACTED BY THE CREW OF THE ABOVE NAMED VESSEL.

A. DOANE, Master. R. W. DELION & CO. Agents. Port Townsend, June 26, 1882.

Chilian Bk. Aconcagua.

FROM VALPARAISO. NEITHER THE CAPTAIN NOR THE UNDERSIGNED AGENTS OF THE ABOVE NAMED VESSEL WILL BE RESPONSIBLE FOR DEBTS CONTRACTED BY THE OFFICERS OR CREW.

JOHN GRIFFITH, Master. R. W. deLion & Co. agents. Port Townsend, May 27th, 1882.

British Ship Niveveh.

FROM HONOLULU. NEITHER THE CAPTAIN NOR THE UNDERSIGNED AGENTS WILL BE RESPONSIBLE FOR DEBTS CONTRACTED BY THE OFFICERS OR CREW OF THE ABOVE NAMED VESSEL.

JOHN L. GLUTOW, Master. R. W. deLion & Co. Agents. Port Townsend, March 27, 1882.

SHIP INDIA.

FROM PHILADELPHIA. NEITHER THE CAPTAIN NOR THE UNDERSIGNED AGENTS WILL BE RESPONSIBLE FOR DEBTS CONTRACTED BY THE CREW OF THE ABOVE NAMED VESSEL.

J. S. Rich, Master. R. W. DELION, Agents. Port Townsend, April 13, 1882.

Chilian Ship Julia.

FROM GALLES. NEITHER THE CAPTAIN NOR THE UNDERSIGNED AGENTS OF THE ABOVE NAMED VESSEL WILL BE RESPONSIBLE FOR DEBTS CONTRACTED BY THE OFFICERS OR CREW.

I. G. WILSON, Master. R. W. DELION & CO. Agents. Port Townsend, Mar. 25, 1882.

Bark Nonantum.

FROM WILMINGTON, CAL. NEITHER THE CAPTAIN NOR THE UNDERSIGNED AGENTS OF THE ABOVE NAMED VESSEL WILL BE RESPONSIBLE FOR ANY DEBTS CONTRACTED BY THE OFFICERS OR CREW.

FRANK B. FOSTER, Master. R. W. DeLion & Co. agents. Port Townsend, June 12, 1882.

BARK W. H. BESSE.

FROM HONG KONG, VIA VICTORIA. NEITHER THE CAPTAIN NOR THE UNDERSIGNED AGENTS OF THE ABOVE NAMED VESSEL WILL BE RESPONSIBLE FOR DEBTS CONTRACTED BY THE OFFICERS OR CREW.

R. C. BAKER, Master. R. W. DeLion & Co., agents. Port Townsend, June 9, 1882.

PUGET SOUND ARGUS.

OFFICIAL PAPER OF PORT TOWNSEND.

BRIEF LOCAL ITEMS.

From Wednesday's Daily. ANOTHER excursion to San Juan is talked of.

A BROTHER of Alex. Vincent arrived here today from Colorado.

On the outgoing Dakota Master Howard Hill, son of Dr. N. D. Hill, of this place, is a passenger, on his way to Sackett School in Oakland, Cal.

Mr. Eisenbeis has purchased a lot of land in Plummer's Addition, on the northeast side of town. Property in that locality will advance in value rapidly in the near future.

PROPOSALS for the entire maintenance of the county poor of Jefferson County, for the ensuing fiscal year, will be received by the county commissioners at their August sitting. See advertisement.

In the East the toy pistol nuisance has become almost unbearable, as will be seen by the telegraphed reports of deaths resulting among the juveniles. Makers and vendors of these life-destroying playthings ought to be punished severely.

We learn that the business stand occupied by Gross Bros. so long, opposite the Cosmopolitan, owned by Mr. Eisenbeis, has been rented by a Mr. Harker, who will put in a stock of goods. The location was too advantageous to remain unoccupied long.

An excursion party consisting of some thirteen persons arrived here today from Port Gamble, on their way to San Francisco. Among their number were "such old stand-bys" as D. B. Jackson and Mike Drew. They leave on the outgoing Dakota, and are prepared for lots of fun.

The initial number of the Breeder and Sportsman, a sixteen page monthly, published at 508 Montgomery street, San Francisco, edited by Joseph Cairn Simpson, and accurately described by its name, has reached our table. It reveals evidence of ability and can be had for \$5 per year.

Mr. Freeman has sold the Holly Tree Inn to Messrs. Rhodes & Williams, two enterprising young men who are starting in with the evident intention of making things move to a lively tune in their business. Read their notice elsewhere. Mr. Freeman goes to Olympia to attend upon his sick wife whom the doctors have given up.

At the M. E. church on Sunday next there will be service in the morning at the usual hour; in the evening the service will commence at 6:30, an hour earlier than usual, in order to afford members of other congregations a chance to attend both. This will be a farewell service. On Monday morning, the pastor and family take their departure.

Work on Mr. Eisenbeis' new stone building is likely to be delayed for want of material. Mr. Seidel informs us that there are eight men at work at the Chuckanut quarry, yet they cannot get the stone ready as fast as is wanted. About a thousand tons are required at Seattle, and the Irondale order must be filled besides what is needed here.

Mr. Landen's residence on the Dennison property will be, when finished, one of the finest in town. It is hard finished through out and will be elegantly furnished. It was moved from the upper edge of the lot to a more central location, in order to leave spacious grounds on all sides. Nothing that is any way can furnish for the convenience and enjoyment of the family has been spared.

GRAND LODGE OF WORKMEN.—At the recent session of the Grand Lodge, A. O. U. W., a good deal of interest was manifested in perfecting existing laws of that order and enacting new ones. The session of last year being the first since Oregon, Washington and British Columbia were set apart as a separate jurisdiction, a special committee was at that time appointed to draft a new constitution. That constitution was presented this week for adoption, and occupied the attention of the Grand Lodge for a whole day. Retiring Grand Master Hare, in his report, as the result of mature deliberation, urged the formation of a perpetual sinking fund, to be drawn upon in case of death assessments running over 10 to 20 in any one year, intention being to let the order over any epidemic or misfortune calculated to weaken the security of policy holders. A crude plan was also suggested which called out earnest and thoughtful discussion. As a result, the whole matter was referred to a special committee to draft in appropriate form and submit to the direct action of subordinate lodges during the current fiscal year. The recent grand body was constituted privately at the close of a session, by Past Grand Master Hare, who has had long and varied experience, as being the ablest body of men he had ever seen together. Their efforts in perfecting this order and bringing it to a state of excellence will doubtless be effectual.

From Tuesday's Daily.

THE Vancouver Register has added a job office to its outfit.

SOME of our exchanges are still illustrating the Guiteau execution.

WONDER if that noted comet has fallen into the sun; or what makes it so warm?

ASHER FREEMAN is home again, and the Holly Tree Inn is "on deck" for orders.

MR. N. R. SMITH, of Port Angeles, has accepted a position in the employ of Messrs. C. C. Bartlett & Co.

DROWNED.—Yesterday afternoon a son of Chas. Sparks, aged about 9 years, was drowned at Port Ludlow.

PROF. L. J. POWELL, Supt. of Public Instruction for Oregon, has accepted the presidency of the University of Washington at Seattle.

Mrs. WEYMOUTH will be a passenger on the outgoing ocean steamer tomorrow, to visit her sister, Mrs. Capt. Sorman, in San Francisco.

MR. GEO. KELLY and family arrived from Seattle this morning. Mr. Kelly is the engineer engaged to put the machinery in the new saw-mill here.

CAPT. GARST and wife, formerly of the U. S. surveying schooner Ernest, and for some time stationed at this place, are about to leave for the Eastern states.

We noticed Mr. Neil Healy in town yesterday. He is one of the keepers of the Point No Point light house, and does not come to town as often as formerly.

QUITE a social gathering took place at Mrs. Barthrop's residence last evening, it being complimentary to Master Henry George on the attainment of his eighteenth birthday. The hall was well filled, chiefly with young folks, who seemed to enjoy themselves hugely.

NEW BUILDING.—Workmen are engaged in raising the little building owned by Mr. F. Winslow and occupied by the Chinese store of Zee Tai & Co., next door to the Post Office. It will be moved back and a large new building will be erected on its present site. Part of the lumber is already on the ground.

FOREST fires are raging in many localities. Seattle papers complain of them near by. At Olympia the other day subscriptions were being taken to pay for fighting the flames, they were so near town on both sides. Dense clouds of smoke may be seen from this place, indicating the close proximity of large fires. In many cases these fires are the result of carelessness. At no distant day it will become necessary to prevent such acts by law. Aside from the danger to life and improved property, it is gradually consuming our valuable forests to have these fires going every year.

From Monday's Daily.

HON. C. M. BRADSHAW and family arrived home from Olympia today.

THE O. R. & N. Co's steamer Idaho has commenced regular trips between Seattle and Olympia.

Mrs. J. T. NORRIS expects to take a trip to the Sandwich Islands for her health some time this fall.

JOHN BRATT, a typo for some months past employed in the ARGUS office, left today to accept a situation on the Tacoma Ledger.

REV. W. I. COSPER returned from Dungeness on Monday. Next Sunday evening he will preach his farewell sermon at this place.

MR. H. WATKINS was buried in the cemetery near town last Saturday afternoon. Rev. J. B. Alexander, of the Episcopal Church, officiating.

THE Overseer, at Portland, has been adopted as the official paper of the A. O. U. W. It is ably edited by W. D. Palmer, Esq., and deserves success.

FROM the Courier we learn that Judge Kuhn, of this place, is talked of for the Democratic candidate for Delegate to Congress. The Convention will meet in Vancouver, October 13th.

DR. HUNT went up the Sound this morning, after a very successful trip among us. He will return on or about the 1st of September, as will be seen by reference to his advertisement elsewhere.

THE Gerrish house on the spit above town, that was purchased by Judge Kuhn a short time ago, has been refitted and enlarged. It was finished Friday at 4 P. M., and a tenant moved in and cooked supper in it. Kuhn says he had five offers to rent it since fixing it up.

MR. WHITING, the West Shore artist, who has been in town several days, has made a few admirable sketches of Port Townsend. One, a view looking south from the Marine Hospital, shows most of the lower part of the town and the bay with remarkable accuracy. A separate view of the Central Hotel, and one of the Cosmopolitan, are quite life-like.

ERRATA.—An item crept into our columns on Saturday, in reference to the Catholic church and its new bell, that was full of glaring errors. It was not of

our own writing, or more care would have been exercised in its preparation. It was corrected this morning before the edition was printed for mailing, so that none but those of the town knew the difference. We would not permit an intentional slur on the Catholic Church any more than on any other church. Our Catholic friends have manifested as much enterprise in the development of this place as any other denomination has, and, while we are not of that faith, we respect it and propose to treat it at all times justly.

A GOOD ONE.—While we are in the yarn business, the following is not out of order: A few years ago an attempt was made to sink an artesian well at Hunt's corner. Old Judge Smithsonian, who is of a scientific turn of mind, would pass by every day or two, adjust his spectacles and critically examine the earth taken out. One day the boys, thinking to have a joke on the Judge, mixed some sulphur with the loose sand around the mouth of the well. When the Judge made his usual examination that evening he started nervously and remarked, "Boys, I guess you'd better stop; you must be getting mighty near h—l."

From Saturday's Daily.

THE editor returned home today, and will give the wheel an extra turn during the coming week.

MR. J. McCURDY, proprietor of the well-known lime kiln on San Juan, came down this morning from Seattle and is now in town.

THE clam-bake at Olympia in honor of the A. O. U. W. Grand Lodge, was a magnificent success. Over 300 persons were in attendance.

MR. G. W. DOWNS, of Port Discovery, has gone to San Francisco. Mr. D. B. Jackson, of Port Gamble, has also taken a trip to the Bay city.

We learn that Mrs. McAlmond, of Dungeness, has been seriously ill, and that relatives here were telegraphed to visit her immediately.

CAPT. MORRIS, of Dungeness, is in town for a short time. The captain is suffering from inflammatory rheumatism, but is recovering.

We are pleased to announce the return of Mr. Al Plummer and family from New Tacoma this week. They will hereafter make this their home.

READ the advertisement of "Teachers wanted" in today's paper. All who desire to obtain situations of this kind will find it to their advantage to watch their opportunity.

DEAD.—Old Doctor Whitehead, an old English surgeon, died last Wednesday at the Insane Asylum, where he has been confined for a number of years. He was well known to Port Townsend and Dungeness people.

CATHOLIC BELL.—A new bell for the new Catholic church arrived on the Dakota yesterday, from the foundry of Van Dusen & Tift, Cincinnati, Ohio. It bears on its surface the following inscription: "Sanctus Joannes Franciscus Regis, (St. John Francis Regis), Father Manionloux, Priest in charge, is deserving of great credit for his energetic work in having erected one of the finest Catholic churches in Washington Territory, and procuring a bell which by its delectable tone will summon the faithful at all times to their proper devotions. The bell was hung in the church tower this forenoon."

A HARD STONE.—The Port Admiral related yesterday his experiences in mining in early days. Said he: "We once struck a ledge of rock so hard that after twelve hours' work and using up sixteen steel drills we had only penetrated four inches into the stone." As he saw expressions of doubt on the countenances of his hearers, he appealed to Capt. Tom Stratton, of Port Angeles, who was present. Tom said: "Yes, I know that rock, I worked on it once, and after wearing out seventeen drills and working steadily for eighteen hours, I found there was a bump on the rock four inches high!" The Admiral looked at Tom in speechless astonishment a few moments and then said: "Tom, you are a blank liar, and the truth is not in you," Tom says his story is as true as Jack's.

FRENCH BARK COQUIMBO.

From San Jose de Guatemala, via Victoria. NEITHER the Captain nor the undersigned Agents will be responsible for debts contracted by the officers and crew of the above named vessel. T. BARRE, Master. ROTHSCILD & CO., Agents. Port Townsend, July 13, 1882.

French Barque Notre Dame Auxiliatrice.

FROM NEW CALEDONIA. NEITHER the Captain nor the undersigned Agents will be responsible for debts contracted by the officers or crew of the above named vessel. J. VAN DER BEEK, Master. ROTHSCILD & CO., Agents.

Am. Bark Charles B. Kenney.

FROM SYDNEY, N. S. W. NEITHER the Captain nor the undersigned Agents will be responsible for debts contracted by the officers or crew of the above named vessel. H. M. G. DALLER, Master. ROTHSCILD & CO., Agents. Port Townsend May 25, 1882.

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FARMERS' STORE! NEW DUNGENESS, W. T. JUST RECEIVED IN ADDITION TO OUR USUALLY FULL AND COMPLETE stock of General Merchandise the Largest and Best Selected Stock of Clothing ever brought to Clallam County. Come and see our \$10.00 suits. Dry Goods, Boots and Shoes, Rifles and Shot Guns, Groceries. Come and see our Cutlery. Furniture, Stoves and Tinware, Crockery ware, Hats and Caps, New Sewing Machines, the best and cheapest in the world, sold on easy time without interest. N. B.—Come and see the only person on Puget Sound who will buy any thing and every thing from a COON-SKIN to a FARM. Drafts bought and sold on liberal terms. C. F. CLAPP.

ROTHSCHILD & CO., Port Townsend, SHIPPING and COMMISSION MERCHANTS, Custom House Broker Ships Disbursed. AGENT FOR STEAM TUGS, Goliah, Blakeley and Politkofsky. Letters and Telegrams addressed to our care will be promptly delivered on Board. D. C. H. ROTHSCILD, CONSULAR AGENT OF FRANCE, VICE-CONSUL OF NICARAGUA, CONSUL OF COSTA RICA, CONSULAR AGENT OF PERU, VICE-CONSUL OF URUGUAY. Port Townsend, W. T. JUNE 1, 1881

Vessels Consigned to ROTHSCILD & CO.

AMERICAN SHIP PLEIADES

From Valparaiso. NEITHER the Captain nor the undersigned Agents will be responsible for debts contracted by the officers and crew of the above named vessel. W. M. E. FROST, Master. ROTHSCILD & CO., Agents. Port Townsend, July 6, 1882.

AMERICAN SHIP HOPE

From Callao, Peru. NEITHER the Captain nor the undersigned Agents will be responsible for debts contracted by the officers and crew of the above named vessel. H. G. CURTIS, Master. ROTHSCILD & CO., Agents. Port Townsend July 6, 1882.

BRIG T. W. LUCAS

From Guayaquil. NEITHER the Captain nor the undersigned Agents will be responsible for any debts contracted by the officers or crew of the above named vessel. C. F. KROEGER, Master. ROTHSCILD & CO., Agents. Port Townsend, July 1, 1882.

BR. STR. GLAMIS CASTLE

From Nanaimo, B. C. NEITHER the Captain nor the undersigned Agents will be responsible for debts contracted by the officers or crew of the above named vessel. R. J. C. TOD, Master. ROTHSCILD & CO., Agents. Port Townsend, June 28, 1882.

French bk. Louis IX.

From Melbourne, Australia. NEITHER the Captain nor the undersigned Agents will be responsible for debts contracted by the officers or crew of the above named vessel. FRANCIS THEOBALD HUGH, Master. ROTHSCILD & CO., Agents. Port Townsend, June 27, 1882.

AM. SHIP MATILDA

From Iquique, Peru. NEITHER the Captain nor the undersigned Agents will be responsible for debts contracted by the officers or crew of the above named vessel. J. H. MERRIMAN, Master. ROTHSCILD & CO., Agents. Port Townsend, June 27, 1882.

British bark Malinche

From Callao, Peru. NEITHER the CAPTAIN NOR THE UNDERSIGNED Agents of the above named vessel will be responsible for debts contracted by the officers or crew. L. KICKHAM, Master. ROTHSCILD & CO., Agents. Port Townsend, June 17, 1882.

German Bk. Black Diamond

From Nagasaki, Japan. NEITHER the Captain nor the undersigned Agents of the above named vessel will be responsible for debts contracted by the officers or crew. GEO. BOYD, Master. ROTHSCILD & CO., Agents. Port Townsend, June 8, 1882.

French Barque Prudent

FROM SHANGHAI, CHINA. NEITHER the CAPTAIN NOR THE UNDERSIGNED Agents will be responsible for any debts contracted by the crew. A. ALLLET, Master. ROTHSCILD & CO., Agent.

British Bark Carmel

FROM VALPARAISO, CHILE. NEITHER the Captain nor the undersigned Agents will be responsible for debts contracted by the officers or crew. PHIL McCALLUM, Master. ROTHSCILD & CO., Agents. Port Townsend, May 21, 1882.

British Bk. Star of Peace

FROM MELBOURNE, AUSTRALIA. NEITHER the Captain nor the undersigned Agents will be responsible for debts contracted by the officers or crew of the above named vessel. H. B. FRANCIS, Master. ROTHSCILD & CO., Agents. Port Townsend, May 19, 1882.

Barque John Worster

FROM NEWCASTLE, N. S. W. via TAHITI. NEITHER the Captain nor the undersigned Agents will be responsible for debts contracted by the crew of the above named vessel. F. A. HOUGHTON, Master. ROTHSCILD & CO., Agents. Port Townsend, April 27, 1882.

Ship Majestic

BOUND SYDNEY, N. S. W. NEITHER the Captain nor the undersigned Agents will be responsible for debts contracted by the crew of the above named vessel. J. A. HATFIELD, Master. ROTHSCILD & CO., Agents. Port Townsend April 26, 1882.

BRITISH BARK KEBROYD

FROM HONOLULU. NEITHER the Captain nor the undersigned Agents will be responsible for debts contracted by the officers or crew of the above named vessel. JOHN STOREY, Master. ROTHSCILD & CO., Agents. Port Townsend March 28, 1882.

British Bark Birchgrove

FROM SYDNEY, N. S. WALES. NEITHER the Captain nor the Undersigned Agents of the above named vessel will be responsible for debts contracted by the officers or crew. J. B. FRANCIS, Master. ROTHSCILD & CO., Agents.

French Bark Prospere

FROM NANTES, FRANCE. NEITHER the Captain nor the undersigned Agents will be responsible for debts contracted by the officers or crew of the above named vessel. F. DUBREUILH, Master. ROTHSCILD & CO., Agents. Port Townsend, March 28, 1882.

German Bk Martha Brothelman

FROM SHANGHAI. NEITHER the CAPTAIN NOR THE UNDERSIGNED Agents of the above named vessel will be responsible for any debts contracted by crew. JACOB KLUTH, Master. ROTHSCILD & CO., Agents.

British Bark Martha

FROM SHANGHAI. NEITHER the CAPTAIN NOR THE UNDERSIGNED Agents will be responsible for debts contracted by the crew. ALEX. M'PHERSON, Master. ROTHSCILD & CO., Agents.

Holland Bark Hollander

FROM SHANGHAI, CHINA. NEITHER the Captain nor the undersigned Agents will be responsible for debts contracted by the officers or crew belonging to the above named vessel. J. G. VAN BERT, Master. ROTHSCILD & CO., Agents.

British Bk Earl of Elgin

FROM SHANGHAI, CHINA. NEITHER the CAPTAIN NOR THE UNDERSIGNED Agents of the above named vessel will be responsible for debts contracted by the officers or crew. JAMES MORRISON, Master. ROTHSCILD & CO., Agents.

PUGET SOUND ARGUS.

OFFICIAL PAPER OF JEFFERSON CO

ALLEN WEIR, Editor and Proprietor.

FRIDAY, JULY 21, 1882.

LOCAL ITEMS.

From the Daily of last Friday.]
H. L. DENNY, late engineer on the Messenger, and well known on the Sound, is now on the Chehalis.

The steamer Dispatch that has been repairing at Seattle, arrived here last night, all ready to go back on her Neah Bay route.

DEDICATION.—The fine new Catholic church, which presents such an attractive appearance on the hill, will be dedicated on the first Sunday in August.

You are dared to read Mr. Gerrish's advertisement about filing saws; and dared also to test his skill when you have anything of that kind to do. Will you take a dare?

MARRIED.—At Carson City, Nev., on the 13th inst., W. L. Bryant and Lizzie Stewart. Mr. Bryant was formerly mail agent on the route between this city and Tacoma.

ON account of sickness in his family at Olympia, Mr. Freeman will go up Sound tomorrow morning and will be absent for a few days. The Holly Tree Inn will be closed until his return.

A PARTY consisting of D. H. Hill, H. L. Tibbals jr., and Chas. Finn, went to Whidby Island a few days ago on a hunt. They returned this morning with plenty of game, and report having had a good time.

The Good Templars of this city, are about to enlarge their hall by building an extension behind it, to be used as dressing rooms. This will make the hall very convenient for dances, etc. We are informed that they also intend enlarging the stage.

WORK is progressing rapidly at Irondale. The old furnace has been torn down, and the foundation commenced for a new one of much larger dimensions. The schooner Mary Parker, that took a load of stone for the foundation a few days since, will go to Bellingham Bay immediately for another to be used for the same purpose.

FRENCH NATIONAL HOLIDAY.—The 14th of July is the day celebrated through the French nation, as the day on which the Republic was declared, and is similar to our 4th. We notice that our French citizen who resides at the foot of the zig-zag steps walk has noisted the tricolor flag seems not to be in a cheerful frame of mind. *Vive la France.*

DIED.—Mr. Henry Watkins formerly of Sequim Prairie but latterly a resident of this city, died at the hospital this morning at 10 o'clock, of dropsy and general debility. Deceased was a native of New Bedford, Mass., and was one of the pioneers of this Territory, and was well known as "Old Yank." He was a man of inventive genius and obtained several patents for improvements of various kinds, but died before reaping any benefit from them.

THE machinery for the saw mill was brought here last night on a scow, towed from Seattle by the steamer Celilo. Everything has now been received except the fly-wheel which will come down on one of the steamers. The work will progress rapidly. We learn that the delay has been occasioned by the unprecedented demand on the Seattle machine shops and saw-mills which took precedence over the order for the Port Townsend mill, but now the machinery has come it will be immediately put up.

At the annual meeting of the stockholders of the Puget Sound Telegraph Co., Cyrus Walker, Wm. Benton, T. T. Minor, N. D. Hill and F. A. Bartlett were elected Directors for the ensuing year. At the Directors' meeting held last night, T. T. Minor was elected President; N. D. Hill, Secretary and F. A. Bartlett, Treasurer. The affairs of this Company are in a very flourishing condition, the line this year having been extended to Port Angeles half way between this place and Cape Flattery.

EISENBEIS' NEW STORE.—Workmen commenced this morning on the new stone building to be erected between Mr. Eisenbeis' present store and C. M. Gerrish's. An iron pipe has been laid across the street to Bartlett's pump, and water for mason's use is thus conveyed into a large reservoir close by the mortar bed. When the new store is completed it will make a continuous front with the present store, which will have the front facade altered to correspond, and will make a fine appearance on the street.

PLENTY OF FRESH WATER.—Capt. Henry Morgan informs us that yesterday he found a fine spring of pure water at the foot of the bluff where the breakwa-

ter ends. The water is only three feet from the surface. A well 8 feet in diameter will be dug and from it a pipe will be laid in the ditch alongside the breakwater to the mill where it will be connected with the steam engine and the water pumped into a reservoir to supply the mill and shipping. This lucky discovery is of incalculable benefit to the mill company and insures success.

The port admiral complains that a party of northern Indians have hauled their canoe on the beach in front of Hancock's warehouse and have entrenched themselves directly under the admiral's sail-loft, and he asks when are the city officials to abate the nuisance. We respectfully suggest to the city council that the best thing they can do to appoint the port admiral with full power to look after all northern canoes, and direct the Indians to camp where they will not offend any one. As the port admiral's duty is connected exclusively with shipping, he seems to be the proper person to look out for Indian canoes.

DEATH OF A FAMOUS EDITOR.—Hon. Frank Soule, for many years connected with the *Alta California*, as editor in chief, died in San Francisco on the 3d inst., at the ripe age of seventy-three years. Mr. Soule was born at Freeport, Me., in 1809, and was a graduate of Bowdoin College, in Brunswick, Me. In 1847 he edited the *New Orleans Mercantile*, which he successfully conducted for two years, and in 1849 he went to San Francisco, where he became one of the editorial force of the *Alta*, with Edward Gilbert, editor in chief. Since then he has been identified with every public movement for the public good and his name is intimately connected with the history of San Francisco, and the whole State of California. His funeral was largely attended by the members of the Masonic Order and the Society of Pioneers.

Our old friend, Capt. William Barker, formerly of Dungeness, who has been sojourning in Whitman county, has just returned and today made us a friendly call. Bill says that he has seen no place since he left that equals or even approaches Port Townsend in grandeur of scenery or magnificent prospects. He says the reason why he returned is that he wanted to breathe salt air once more and have a good square meal on clams. Captain Barker has been at The Dalles, Walla Walla, Vancouver and Portland, and he gives it as his candid opinion after mature and careful deliberation that he has seen no store in his travels that equals that of C. C. Bartlett & Co's. Bill told us the story how the hornets attacked him once at George Gerrish's on Sequim Prairie but want of space prevents our giving the story entire. It will be sufficient to state that Bill beat the hornets.

SHIPPING NEWS.

FRENCH bark Coquimbo from Royal Roads was towed to Tacoma to load lumber.

A NUMBER of the old settlers of Clallam county—mostly of Dungeness—have chartered the schooner Letitia on which they will go to Quileute to locate and pre-empt land on which to settle.

The schooner Lottie has been on the beach, near the Quincy street wharf, for the past few days having her bottom cleaned. She was taken off yesterday, and the schooner Mary Parker took her place to be repaired.

A LITTLE sloop or plunger about twenty-two or twenty-three feet in length and seven feet beam, hull painted black, deck and cabin a light lead color, was found beached on the west shore of Whidby Island, July 11, 1882. Further particulars can be had by inquiring at this office.

The steamer Hope with a full cargo of freight and a large number of passengers left for San Juan, Bellingham Bay and Semiahmoo this morning. The steamer Dispatch having been temporarily repaired goes to San Juan lime kiln with freight from Tacoma to Mr. James McCurdy. There seems to be a great demand for lime and the kilns are in full blast.

New Vessels.

SAN FRANCISCO, July 13.—At the shipyard near Longbridge five coasting schooners are being built for San Francisco. Two of them for the Humboldt trade have a capacity of 200,000 feet of lumber each. The keel of a three-masted lumber schooner of 400,000 feet capacity will be immediately laid on the stocks. The same firm are also building still another three-masted, 135 feet keel, also for the lumber trade. A steam whaler, somewhat like the Bowhead, recently launched, is in course of construction, and the firm have received orders for a gunboat on the standard American model, for the Mexican Government. This craft will be armed with the guns of the old *Democrata*, which has been in port for over a year.

J. D. Spreckels & Bros., agents for the

Oceanic Steamship Co., have signed a contract with Wm. Cramp & Sons, the well-known shipbuilders of Philadelphia, for the construction of the Honolulu trade. Their dimensions will be 320 feet in length from forward part of stem to after part of sternpost, 41 feet beam and 26 feet hold. The carrying capacity of each will be 2300 tons dead weight on a draft not exceeding twenty feet, and first class accommodations for 104 cabin passengers. The vessels will have compound engines, one cylinder 43 inches in diameter and two of 61 inches, and 51 inch stroke, propeller blades and hubs to be of gun metal, and wheels being 17 feet in diameter with 24 feet pitch. The engines will develop power equivalent to two thousand six hundred horse power, and a speed of fourteen and one-fourth knots per hour is guaranteed.

A SCOTCH SEA SERPENT.—There is little danger of the regular crop of sea-serpent liars running short as long as Europe does its part so thoroughly. Listen:

An encounter with a sea monster took place last month near one of the Shetland islands. A decked fishing boat, with Bertie Goudie as master and half a dozen men, were hauling their lines 28 miles east-southeast of Fetlar, when they saw at a short distance from them something that resembled three small hillocks, each about the size of a large boat upset, which, when coming to the surface, blew like a whale. It went down but shortly afterward reappeared, making directly for them, with its mouth wide open—a maw large enough to take in the boat. The monster had whiskers of a green color, seven or eight feet long, very large green eyes, and on its head were great lumps, the size of a herring barrel. The fishermen threw stones at it, but still the monster came nearer, until a fowling-piece charged with swan-shot was fired into its mouth. The lines were then cut and all sail made for home, when the creature again appeared in their wake. This time the fishermen observed that it had two large fins, which were stretched out from its back, and its length they computed to be no less than 150 feet. It chased them for a distance of nine miles and then disappeared. The narrators of this incident are regarded as intelligent, and are considered the best crew of the fishing fleet of the islands. The chief points of their statement are not doubted, although the excitement they labored under tended to exaggeration of the dimensions of the monster. The British papers express no doubt about the story, but believe that the strange creature was a giant cuttle-fish or one of the species known by the old fishermen in Scotland by the name of "Skate Brigdoes."

THE DISCHARGE OF SAILORS.

DEAR ARGUS:—It is said that there are two sides to every question; are there not to the above? Complaint is more that captains prefer to discharge their crew elsewhere than at Port Townsend. Why should they? It may be argued that the captains of vessels are looking after their own interest, and that they require the sailors to take their vessels up Sound. No doubt this is so, and a captain having once been at this port knows full well the truth of what sailors have often said: "I can keep sober anywhere but in Port Townsend." Why? there is nothing in the natural atmosphere to make sailors guzzle and besot themselves but there is in the social atmosphere, and as long as some of the "lesser sort" of men openly entrap the unwary sailor into gambling dens to lose his hard earned cash, and some of the more respectable of our citizens look upon the sailor not as a human being but as a beast, and treat him accordingly, captains and sailors will be averse to discharging here. If they have ridden the "beast" to death, let them thank themselves for it. "Woe unto him that offereth his neighbor drink and maketh him drunketh thereby" for evil purposes. The evil of deluding him into doing or buying what in his sober senses he would not do or buy! Let us treat the sailor as a fellow man and remove the blot from our fair fame, oh citizens. To continue as heretofore means loss, total loss!

FAITH, HOPE, CHARITY.

[We apprehend that our correspondent mistakes the character of the sailor somewhat. As a general thing, the first place they strike for after getting on shore is somewhere to have a good solid drink. They call that having a "good time." However, there are exceptions, and where undue influence is brought to bear to debauch such as really try to keep sober, it certainly is reprehensible.—Ed.]

Notice to Mariners.

TEMPORARY LIGHT-VESSEL OFF ENTRANCE TO SAN FRANCISCO BAY.

Notice is hereby given that, on or about July 1, 1882, a Light-ship will be moored near the wreck of the steamer Escambia, off the coast of California, near the entrance to San Francisco Bay, in six fathoms of water. The vessel is schooner rigged, with the words "WRECK" on each side in large white letters. A fixed white light will be shown from each masthead.

The approximate position, as taken from the charts of the coast and Geodetic Survey, is as follows:
Latitude 37° 44' (42')
Longitude 122° 35' (15')
Point Boneta Light-house bearing N. by E., ½ E., distant 5½ nautical miles.

Port Point Light-house bearing N. E. ¼ N., distant 6½ nautical miles.
Ocean House, bearing E. by N., distant 3¼ nautical miles.
Peak of Angel Island and Lime Point in range.
During thick and foggy weather a bell will be rung.
By order of the Light-house Board.
R. H. WYMAN,
Rear Admiral U. S. Navy, Chairman,
Office of the Light-house Board,
Washington, D. C., June 23, 1882.

OUR REPORTERS' BUDGET.

THE FOURTH AT LACONNER.

July 5, 1882.

1. Salute at sunrise.
2. Muldoons at 10 o'clock P. M.
3. Procession at 11 A. M., of the A. O. U. W., school children, and citizens from the Hall to the picnic grounds.
4. Reading Declaration of Independence by J. A. McGilliland. And the oration by W. T. Stoll, Esq.
5. Boat and canoe racing from 1 to 3 P. M.
6. Horse racing morning and evening.
7. Tub-racing at 4 P. M.
8. Foot-racing at times to suit the children.
9. Everybody and friends are invited. Bring something in the eating line; there will be ground prepared to spread your lunch.
10. Grand ball in the evening at the Hall. Tickets, including supper, \$2.
By order of Committee.

MADRID, July 12.—News of the bombardment of Alexandria has caused a profound sensation. The action is unfavorably commented upon in some quarters.

PHILADELPHIA, July 12.—England's immediate interest in the struggle between the Khedive and Arabi Bey is not confined to the question of the future administration of the Egyptian finances under the decree which gave England and France full control of that department. England has acquired controlling proprietary rights in the Suez canal, which is now the indispensable route to her Indian dependencies, and though she has no rights of sovereignty over the isthmus she is justified in taking the initiative for the protection of so important an international highway. The threat of Arabi to send two regiments to drain the canal or obstruct navigation leaves England no recourse but to provide for the immediate and effective repression of any such attempt.

SALT LAKE, July 12.—Nine hundred and twenty-three women converts from Great Britain and Scandinavia arrived yesterday. This company will be followed by two others soon. Thirty-four missionaries who have been abroad for two years returned with this company.

LOUISVILLE, July 10.—J. B. Gaines, editor of the *World*, and Col. Sears, of the *Post*, emptied their revolvers at each other this afternoon as a result of an editorial controversy. The only result was a slight wound in Sears' foot and two bullets under the skin of an unoffending witness of the fusillade. Both were arrested.

KANSAS CITY, July 11.—A very high wind storm passed over Marysville, Kansas, on the St. Joseph and Western railroad, 100 miles west of St. Joseph, about 10 o'clock A. M. From the fact that wires are prostrated it is thought serious damage was done to the town. A heavy storm also prevailed at Lincoln, Nebraska, and through that section of country, but as telegraphic communication was stopped there also no particulars can be obtained.

KALAMAZOO, Mich., July 11.—Frank Cobb, residing in the township of Texas, Mich., who has been six months in the insane asylum in California, stepped up to the breakfast table yesterday, drew back his younger brother's head, and nearly severed it from the body with a razor and caused instant death.

Teachers Wanted.

TEACHERS FOR THE PRIMARY and Intermediate Departments of the Port Townsend School. Applications will be received until the 10th day of August, 1882.

D. H. HILL, School Clerk.
Port Townsend, July 15, 1882. 3w

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ALOPECIA, or Baldness, also depends upon a fungus destroying the roots of the hair. A spot may first arise where first inoculated, spreading in a circular form, and so enlarging by degrees that the whole hair is swept away, leaving a glistering scalp; or, the disease may first appear in various places. The hair is dull and lustreless and easily extracted, or it begins to fall, and progressing by degrees is soon lost unless remedied.
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SHERIFF'S SALE OF REAL ESTATE.

BY VIRTUE OF AN EXECUTION issued out of the District Court of the Third Judicial District of the Territory of Washington, holding terms at Port Townsend, in the suit of J. C. Kellogg, Plaintiff, and Belle Thomas, Rachel Morgan, Charles Morgan, Thomas N. Potter, Sarah E. Vrooman and Sydney B. Vrooman, Defendants, duly attested the 23d day of June, A. D., 1882, I have levied upon the real estate described as follows, to-wit: All of the east half of the south-west quarter (e ½ of sw ¼) lots two (2) and nine (9) and the east half (e ½) of lot eight (8) in section twenty-one (21) and lots one (1) two (2) and three (3) in section twenty-eight (28) all in township thirty-two (32) north of range one (1) east of the Willamette meridian, in Island County, Washington Territory, and containing one hundred and sixty-two and 54-100 acres, as the property of said Defendants. Notice is hereby given, that on MONDAY, the 7th day of AUGUST, 1882, at the hour of 11 o'clock, A. M., in front of the Court House at Coquille, in Island County, I will sell all the right, title and interest of the said Belle Thomas, Rachel Morgan, Charles Morgan, Thomas N. Potter, Sarah E. Vrooman and Sydney B. Vrooman, in and to the said above described property, to the highest bidder, for cash, gold coin of the United States, or so much thereof as will satisfy a judgment of four hundred and thirty-nine (\$439) dollars, and costs of said suit amounting to seventeen and 75-100 (\$17.75) dollars, and accruing costs.
Dated this 3d day of July, A. D., 1882.
JOS. C. POWER,
Sheriff of Island County.

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Port Townsend, W. T.

C. C. BARTLETT & CO.

PUGET SOUND ARGUS.

General Land Office Decisions.

EDWARDS vs. SEXSON.

Where a person, although not at all times on the land, has no other recognized home, and claims and improves the land entered, in all respects showing that his claim is made in good faith, he has fulfilled the requirements of the statute.

In every case an actual, personal, continuous residence is not necessary. The homestead act of 1862 should be liberally construed.

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR, OFFICE OF THE SECRETARY, WASHINGTON, D. C., June 23, 1882.

The Commissioner

of the General Land Office:

Sir: I have considered the case of Thomas J. Edwards vs. Andrew J. Sexson, involving homestead entry No. 5621, covering the S. W. 1/4 of Sec. 18, T. 3 N., R. 23 W., Nebraska, on appeal by contestant from your decision of July 13, 1880, sustaining the decision of the Register and Receiver and dismissing the contest.

This homestead entry was made October 14, 1878. Affidavit of contest alleging abandonment and defective cultivation was made January 12, 1880, and trial was held February 20, 1880.

A question has been raised as to the admission of the oral cross-examination of contestant's witnesses in the depositions taken before C. H. Bane, notary public, upon written interrogatories on the part of the contestant. For such irregularity the testimony should have been stricken out upon the motion made for that purpose, and in considering this case the testimony so taken proves satisfactorily the following facts, viz: That the defendant, Sexson, was a single man, twenty-nine years of age, that he made settlement on the land early in April, 1879, with the intention of remaining there; that he had a team, wagon, breaking-plow, cooking utensils, and some other articles of personal property; that he employed help and built a house twelve feet square, partly a dugout and partly sod, with roof of willow and earth, and an opening for a door and window. One witness who had been acquainted with the land six years, and knew the house, testified that it was like most of the first dwellings built in that country. After building the house Sexson commenced breaking upon the lines of his land for the purpose of setting trees or hedge, and a piece for crops the ensuing year. He occupied the house a short time, eating and sleeping there. About the 1st of June, 1879, on account of the death of a brother, he went to the eastern part of the state to attend to some of his brother's business and some of his own that was left with his brother. He remained away until September. During his absence he spent part of his time in cultivating crops left by his brother, part in attending to his own affairs and part of the time working out for wages.

He arrived at his homestead again September 16, 1879. He occupied the house a short time, put a door in it and otherwise made it more comfortable for the winter. The ground was too dry for further improving it, and being out of money and having no work he again returned to the eastern part of the state. He left the house in good condition, with a bed, table, cooking utensils, crockery, clothing and some other articles of personal property in it. It was proved that a month before the trial the house was there and the personal property in it. When Sexson returned, February 10th, a short time before the trial, he found the house destroyed and all the wood-work and personal property taken away. He had no other home and returned with the intention of remaining.

The claimant, Sexson, seems to have acted in good faith and with the intention of appropriating the land to his own use and making a home of it. The facts in the case are quite similar to those in the case of Waldo vs. Schless, (Copp's Public Land Laws, p. 28). It was held in that case that "where a person, although not at all times on the land, has no other recognized home, and claims and improves the land entered, in all respects showing that his claim is made in good faith, that he has fulfilled the requirements of the statute." And that in every possible case an actual personal continuous residence is not necessary. And to same effect see Baker vs. Hess, W. p. 293.

I am of opinion that neither the charge of defective settlement and cultivation or that of abandonment has been sustained. Your decision is therefore affirmed and the contest dismissed. The papers submitted with your letter are herewith returned. Very respectfully, H. M. TELLER, Sec'y.

THE Eastern Washington Medical Society was organized at Walla Walla last week, by Drs. Pietryzok, Manzey, Block, Sloan, Marion, Cropp, Matron, Williamson, Deinson, Hitt, Burch and Mc-

Mr. L. SAMUEL the stirring West Shore man, is on the Sound, accompanied by his artist, Mr. J. F. Whitney, for the purpose of making illustrations and writing up descriptive articles of this growing country. We had the pleasure of meeting these gentlemen at Seattle, and of knowing somewhat of their work; though they need no introduction to our readers as to the quality and value of their pictures. The West Shore has always been liberal toward Puget Sound, devoting much of its space to delineations of our pleasant towns and magnificent resources. Mr. Samuel informed us that he purposed taking in Port Townsend on his tour and doing it full justice. If our citizens and business men are properly alive to their best interests they will encourage this effort by liberal financial support. Mr. Samuel does not represent any petty, traveling catch-penny concern, but a growing and already influential journal whose chief aim is to develop the Pacific northwest. Our citizens will appreciate this effort in behalf of their town. It is high time for every town that wants to keep pace with the growth of the country to advertise itself thoroughly. In no way can this be done more effectually than through respectable illustrated papers.

1st Presbyterian Church Festival. The above took place on Thursday evening last, and passed off in good style. The musical programme was of refined and elevating character—a stranger to our town remarking "You have some excellent musical talent in Port Townsend and some fine sopranos." The Rev. Reid, (pastor) presided and in the course of his remarks thanked every one who in any way contributed to the success of the festival. The total receipts were \$2.50, which will probably leave about \$30 towards church expenses—"Nothing succeeds like success."

Big Fire At Colfax, W. T. COLFAX, July 14. About half-past 1 this morning a fire broke out in D. M. Osborne & Co.'s warehouse and swept the east side of Main street down to Benton's saloon on the west side. The buildings between Lippett & Bros.' cellar and Frank Bros.' agricultural house were burned. Fifty-eight buildings were destroyed, including three bricks. A strong south wind rendered the efforts of citizens powerless. The business portion of the city is gutted. All stores are burned and the people are without supplies. It was undoubtedly the work of an incendiary, but no clues as to who the guilty party is can be obtained. Loss estimated at two hundred and fifty thousand dollars.

All the U. S. Land Office records were destroyed, as well as those of the Workmen, Masonic and Odd Fellows' lodges. Business buildings left are: the brewery, Linde's stable, W. Mose's blacksmith shop, Noble's tailor-shop, Corlette's office, Rueda's barber shop, Millwau's harness shop, Benton's saloon, Frank Bros.' and Knapp, Burrell & Co.'s warehouses, Colvin's paint shop, City Hall and county records safe. No one hurt.

CRINNIATI, July 17.—The arrival of 250 Jewish Russian refugees on Saturday, sent here in a starving condition, and without a word to the Jewish Relief Committee of this city, created considerable indignation among the Jews, who have cabled committees in London and Hamburg to send no more here. In the mean time the most strenuous measures to relieve the distress of refugees and to secure permanent homes and employment are making. Two thousand dollars in cash have been already subscribed, and a soliciting committee was appointed to collect more.

ALEXANDRIA, July 16 10 a. m.—It is reported that Arabi Pasha is awaiting reinforcements from Cairo. Firing was heard outside the town during the night. All available marines and sailors were sent to the front last evening in expectation that Arabi Pasha would attempt to enter the city. The report that Arabi Pasha was marching upon Alexandria caused Admiral Seymour, who did not credit the report, to take precautions. The night passed quietly, yet there was a rumor of fighting occurring at three o'clock this morning outside the gates. Orders were given to send all manure to headquarters with written statements of their causes to be fogged. Incendiaries continue to be shot. Five rebel soldiers captured by the marines have been handed over to the Kadhive, and will be shot by the loyal Egyptian troops. The Kadhive has dismissed Arabi Pasha from the ministry of war. Fire continues and the aspect of the town is indescribable. It reminds spectators of Pompeii. Whole families of Christians have disappeared, and it is believed they were thrown into the flames.

A MINISTER recently preached a very effective sermon on the Scribes and Pharisees spoken of in holy writ, who are described as "delighting to occupy the chief seats in the synagogues, and to be esteemed in the market places as rabbi, and who make broad the phylacteries of their garments." A gentleman discussing the matter afterwards said that any man who would make his phylacteries over an inch broad was a snob and ought to be made to sit down to eat with republicans and sinners to "take him down a peg." "What are they?" said his companion, "has Chizer got any?" "You kin jest bet he has," said speaker No. 1—"at least he keeps most everything. And sells powerful cheap too."

THE Eastern Washington Medical Society was organized at Walla Walla last week, by Drs. Pietryzok, Manzey, Block, Sloan, Marion, Cropp, Matron, Williamson, Deinson, Hitt, Burch and Mc-

THE RESULTS.

All persons feeling dull and depressed, or perhaps feverish with no appetite, no energy, the system clogged, the liver torpid, and the bowels inactive, who are wondering how to find relief, should purchase a 50 cent or \$1 bottle of Syrup of Figs, read the circular around the bottle, follow the directions, taking a few doses of this pleasant remedy and be restored to health and happiness. It may be had of N. D. HILL & SONS.

NOTICE.

Mrs. Wells would like to say to the ladies of Port Townsend that she will keep a nice assortment of Ladies' and Children's Underclothing, Ladies' Dressing Sacks and Children's Clothing a specialty. At the residence of Mrs. REVELL.

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Having bought the Restaurant known as the "Holly Tree Inn," formerly owned by Asher Freeman, we will say to the public that we shall endeavor to conduct it differently than heretofore—that our efforts shall be to please the people and we hope by so doing that we shall receive a full share of the public patronage. Give us a call. RHOADES & WILLIAMS.

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MINING NOTICES.

BRYANT MINING COMPANY.

Location of principal place of business, San Francisco, California; location of works, Harris Mining District, Takona country, Alaska Territory. Notice is hereby given that at a meeting of the Board of Directors, held on the 14th day of June, 1882, an assessment (No. 1) of One Cent per share was levied upon the capital stock of the corporation, payable immediately, in United States gold coin, to the Secretary, at the office of the company, room No. 1, 609 Sacramento street, San Francisco, California.

Any stock upon which this assessment shall remain unpaid on the Twelfth day of August, 1882, will be delinquent, and advertised for sale at public auction, and unless payment is made before, will be sold on FRIDAY, the Fifteenth day of September, 1882, to pay the delinquent assessment, together with costs of advertising and expenses of sale. By order of the Board of Directors.

W. M. PIERSON, Secretary.

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CZAR MINING COMPANY.

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JAMESTOWN MINING COMPANY.

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JEANNETTE MINING COMPANY.

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