

PUGET SOUND WEEKLY ARGUS SUPPLEMENT.

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LOCAL NEWS.

From the ARGUS EXTRA of Monday.

WITH US SURE.—This morning, after the arrival of the North Pacific, we were pleased to note the advent of a person from up Sound whom, despite the careworn and regretful look he bore from having left so many sorrowing dears behind, we recognized as Prof. W. H. Roberts, formerly of Olympia. The Professor will take up his residence among us permanently, making his main business that of music teacher. A class is to be organized immediately; and, in addition to our hearty expressed estimation of the Professor as a gentleman of social and intellectual merit, we may say that as a music teacher he has no superiors. If an equal, on Puget Sound; so we say, thrice welcome. It is confidently predicted and hoped that his bachelor career may be drawing to a close, among the many pretty sympathizers, sure to be found at this place.

COURSE OF LECTURES.—The Washington Literary Society has made arrangements for a course of Lectures to be delivered in Unity Hall, as follows: February 1st, by Gen. Milroy; 15th, Rev. D. N. Utter; March 1st, Francis Henry; 15th, E. X. Kubal; 24th, E. P. Ferry; April 12th, J. S. Allen. At the close of the course, the society will, if it has accumulated sufficient funds, procure some lecturer of note from abroad. Due notice will be given of the subject of each discourse. Tickets for the course \$1, to be obtained of Talcott or at the Post-office.—Olympia "Standard."

The election on Saturday resulted in an overwhelming majority in favor of abandoning the old charter and incorporating under a new one. Our citizens are sensible in getting upon a sound legal basis, establishing the right of the city to all its property, and preventing unnecessary litigation. We are pleased to note, to the credit of Port Townsend, that the day was one of unusual quietness, owing to the almost total suppression of the circulation of whiskey.

The following are the officers elect for Jefferson Lodge, I. O. G. T., for the quarter ending May 1, 1878: T. Drummond, W. C. T.; Sister Amy Harned, W. V. T.; D. H. Hill, W. Sect.; J. H. Parrish, W. F. S.; Sister S. H. Hill, W. Treas.; Allen Weir, W. Chap.; H. L. Tibbals, Jr.; W. M.; Howard Hill, W. I. G.; Jno. Stenkaud, W. O. G.

The following officers were elected by Tacoma Lodge, No. 4, I. O. G. T., of Olympia, on last Friday evening. J. D. Bolander, W. C. T.; Miss Annie Mills, W. V. T.; W. F. Thompson, W. S.; N. Pattison, W. F. S.; Mrs. Thompson, W. T.; H. Sabin, W. Chap.; J. B. Shelton, W. M.; Jos. Chilberg, W. I. G.; N. S. Porter, W. O. G.

The election of officers is the next momentous performance on the programme at this place. Let good men be selected, as much may depend upon the faithful performance of their duties. The choice of a new, legal charter in place of the old one, plainly shows the people of Port Townsend to be determined about having their rights.

Mr. Jas. Saley, proprietor of the Port Discovery stage line, has very properly notified the public that he will not carry any more letters outside of the mail, unless they are enclosed in his express envelopes which may be purchased at the store of Messrs. Rothschild & Co.

The schooner Page arrived this afternoon, from Port Ludlow and immediately left for San Juan. She took a load of lumber for a new church building to be erected at the latter place (the Captain informs us) by Rev. J. T. Weeks and others.

Some new paint, being displayed on the front end of Mr. Tilman's office, just across the street, serves the double purpose of advertising his business as a painter and improving the appearance of the place.

BERRAH BROWN, Esq., editor-in-chief of the Seattle "Dispatch," arrived in town this morning. We were pleased to notice his continued vigor and disposition to fight his own battles manfully to the end.

A FIRE nearly occurred one night last week, in the house occupied by Messrs. Briggs & Buchman's butcher shop, the cause being a faulty flue.

BUSINESS is reviving somewhat.

CAPT. BINN, of the bark Western Shore, whose melancholy death by the parting of a hawser was recorded in a dispatch of the 26th, was well-known to business men on the Sound, among whom he had many friends.

By the recently published standing at Union Academy at Olympia, Miss Adda Brown was noted as walking off with the laurels in her usual quiet way, having a standing of 10 on a scale of 10.

REV. D. N. UTTER, of the Unitarian Church, at Olympia, will preach at the Good Templars' Hall, on Sunday next, at the usual hours, morning and evening.

WE are informed that Miss Adda Brown and Mr. Hermas Hicklin, of Olympia Union Academy, expect to graduate at the end of the present school year.

HON. E. D. WARBUSS, of San Juan, has been in town during the past week, since his return from Olympia.

HON. E. B. EBEL, of Whidby Island, President of the Hoko Salmon Company, visited our town this week.

DR. KELLOGG, of Whidby Island, has returned home from the Sandwich Islands.

MR. CAMERON, of the North Pacific, is kindly remembered at this office for favors shown.

WHY IT PAYS FARMERS TO READ.

The following has been contributed by a friend who very profitably improved a few idle hours, in brain work:

One's physical frame—his body, muscles and limbs—is only a living machine, the mind controlling and directing, giving it power and efficiency. The successful use of the body depends wholly upon the mind; upon its ability to direct well. If one ties his arm in a sling, it finally becomes weak and powerless; kept in active service, and it acquires vigor and strength, and is disciplined to use this strength as desired. Just so one's mind, by active exercise in thinking, reasoning, planning, studying and observing, acquires vigor and power of concentration and direction. Plainly, then, the man who exercises his mind in reading and thinking gives it increased power and efficiency, and greater ability to direct the efforts of his physical frame—his work—to better results, than he can who merely or mainly uses his muscles.

Of all men the farmer, the cultivator, needs to read more and think more, to strengthen his reasoning powers so that they may help out and make more effective, more practical, his hard toil. There can be no doubt that the farmer who supplies himself with the most reading, the most of other men's thoughts and experiences, will in the end if not at once be the most successful.

"The mind makes the man" is a trite saying. How much above the brute who toils with him is the man who merely works, eats, sleeps and cares for his progeny? The brute does all this. The man rises in dignity, in self-respect, and in the respect of others just so far as he rises in intelligence.

We have little regard for a colony of ants that by long and patient toil accumulate a large mound of earth, yellow earth it may be, or silvery white, and yet how much superior to the ant is that man who spends his life and labors wholly in scraping together a pile of yellow gold or white silver, acquires the ownership of land and fine houses merely to be inhabited while he lives? He may be called a successful man, a rich man, but what does that amount to? After all it he be rich in good deeds, if he be able by his intelligence and the superior cultivation of his mind, his thinking and reasoning powers, to plan successfully and wisely for others, he commands our deepest respect.

Farmers, think of these things; and now, for the few coming months, while field work is not pressing, devote some time each day or evening to mind development. Lope it, if need be, a dollar or two here and there, and purchase a few books, especially those treating upon your own business, the character and nature of soils, of the crops you raise, of the animals with which you have to do, etc. This will lead you to further thinking and reasoning. It will develop mind power, make you more intelligent and raise you

higher in your own estimation, as well as that of others. It will aid you in planning for the future, and will really pay in dollars and cents. Find a book with something of interest and value to yourself and family, and let it be carefully studied. After its thoughts become your own, lend it to your neighbor and get him to read it; then choose another, and do with it likewise. Next summer's work will be more cheerfully performed; you will have more to think of while following the plow or harrow, and a year from now you will have a weightier pocket and a wiser head. These, in my belief, are among the reasons why you should read.

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