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DR. G. A. WEED,
SURGEON AND PHYSICIAN,
Seattle, W. T.
Office over Morrill & Co.'s Drug Store.
Office hours from 10 to 12 A. M.

FREELAND & RAYMOND,
DENTISTS.
Office—In DISPATCH BUILDINGS,
Seattle, W. T., March 30, 1874.

DENTISTRY.
Dr. J. C. GRASSE, DENTIST,
Office in Stone & Commercial street. All work warranted.

DRS. A. & H. B. BAGLEY,
HOMOEOPATHISTS,
SEATTLE, W. T.

DR. H. B. BAGLEY, LATE PROFESSOR OF
Principles and Practice of Surgery in
the Michigan Central Medical College, will
make Operative Surgery and Surgical Diseases a
specialty, and will attend to cases in any part
of the Sound.
Dec. 17, 1874.

F. W. SPARLING, M. D.,
PHYSICIAN AND SURGEON,
Late of the U. S. Army.

RESIDENCE—On Front St. in the house
formerly occupied by Amos Brown.
OFFICE—On Commercial St., opposite
the office of the late Dr. Maynard,
Seattle, May 20th 1875.

Dr. C. V. CALHOUN,
Seattle, W. T.

Office in Kelly's Drug Store.
Seattle, W. T., July 31, 1875.

J. J. MCGILVERA, THOS. BURKE,
MCGILVERA & BURKE,
Attorneys at Law,
SEATTLE, W. T.

Will attend to business in all parts of the
Territory.
N. B.—Real Estate bought and sold Mon-
day evening.

D. P. JENKINS,
Attorney-at-Law and Solicitor
in Chancery.

PARTICULAR ATTENTION GIVEN TO
Chancery Cases.
OFFICE—On Commercial street opposite the
C. S. Hotel.

IRVING BALLARD, (W. A. ISMAN,
Stellacoom, W. T.) (Seattle, W. T.)

BALLARD & INMAN,
Attorneys-at-Law, Solicitors in
Chancery and Proctors
in Admiralty.

WILL PAY PROMPT ATTENTION TO
all business entrusted.
Aug 24

EASTWICK, MORRIS & CO.
CIVIL AND MINING
ENGINEERS,
(Room No. 6 Burnett's Building)
Cor. Commercial & Washington sts.,
SEATTLE, WASH. TER.

COAL, and other mineral lands, and mines,
surveyed, examined and reported upon.
Plans and estimates for mining improvements
furnished. Special attention given to land
surveys and to the location of city lots and
blocks. Maps and mechanical drawings executed.
Nov. 2, 1874.

McNAUGHT & LEARY
Seattle, King County, W. T.
Attorneys-at-Law, Solicitors
in Chancery and
Proctors in Admiralty.

MR. LEARY WILL GIVE PARTICULAR
attention to the purchase and sale of
Real estate
Collections &c.
Loans negotiated
City property, Timber and Agricultural
lands for sale.

AGENTS for the Phoenix of Hartford,
North British and Mercantile of London
and Edinburgh Fire Insurance
COMPANIES.

McNAUGHT & LEARY.

NOTICE.
THE TREASURER OF KING COUNTY
prepared to pay all outstanding Con-
tract orders, principal and interest, bearing
prior to Jan. 1st, 1876. GEO. D. HILL
Feb. 11, 1876. Treasurer.

NOTICE.

TO ALL WHOM IT MAY CONCERN:

WHEREAS THE COMMISSIONER OF THE
General Land Office, in letter dated Ju-
ly 8th, 1874, ordered that the lands in Township
23 North, Range 5 East, in the district of lands
for sale at Olympia, W. T., should be withheld
"from disposal as agricultural lands until the
nominal character thereof shall have been
fully established." And whereas Patrick O'Connell,
of King County, W. T., who made pre-
emption filing, D. S. No. 3401, for land in said
Township and Range, viz. W. 1/4 of Section
28, now makes application to make his final
entry of said land, and has filed in this office
his affidavit declaring that there is not within
the limits of said land, to his knowledge, any
coal or other valuable mineral deposits, and
that said land is essentially non-mineral land.

Now, therefore, in accordance with instructions
from the Commissioner of the General
Land Office, it is ordered that testimony touch-
ing the character of said described land shall
be taken before the Clerk of the United States
District Court, at his office, in Seattle, King
County, W. T., on the 11th day of March, A. D.
1876, beginning at 2 o'clock P. M., at which
place and time all persons having interest in the
matter of the character of the above de-
scribed land are required to appear and there
and then to present such evidence as may serve
to fully establish the character of said tract of
land.

Given under our hand, at the United States
District Land Office, at Olympia, W. T., this
27th day of December, A. D. 1875.
T. BROWN, Register.
ROBERT G. STUART, Receiver.

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THE SEATTLE

Hospital!

CONDUCTED BY G. A. WEED, M. D.

COMMERCIAL ST., BETWEEN
MAIN AND JACKSON,
SEATTLE, W. T.

TO MEET THE PRESSING WANTS OF
many persons on Puget Sound needing
Medical and Surgical aid, and for comfortable
rooms, good care and moderate prices, I
have fitted up a Hospital, where every con-
venience and comfort will be provided in con-
nection with experienced and skillful Medical
and Surgical attendants.

We aim to make this a permanent Institution,
and to give special attention to cases of fracture
and injuries of all kinds that are constantly oc-
curring in the saw mills, coal mines and log-
ging camps surrounding us.

Seattle being centrally located, with regard to
these interests, and more accessible than any
other point, we mean with the aid of these ad-
vantages, and by giving personal and thorough
attention to its entire management, to build up
an institution indispensable to the sick and dis-
abled, who have homes, and worthy of their
confidence and that of the public.

The Hospital is in a pleasant and healthy lo-
cation, the rooms neatly and cheerfully fur-
nished.

For further particulars apply either in person
or by letter to G. A. WEED, M. D.,
Feb 16 Seattle, W. T.

G. W. BULLENE,

PRACTICAL AND THEORETICAL
ENGINEER & MECHANIC

FIRST ST., SEATTLE, W. T.

IS PREPARED TO DO ALL
kinds of Mill, Steamboat and
Logging Camp Work in Iron,
Brass, Steel and other
Metals.

All kinds of Blacksmith work
Done to Order.

PONY SALOON,

KEPT BY
BEN. MURPHY.

Cor. Commercial and Main Streets,
Opposite U. S. Hotel.

THIS IS THE PLACE TO VISIT TO HAVE
the inner man replenished.

Cigars, Tobacco, Wines
(and Liquors)

Always on hand.
Seattle, W. T., February 8th, 1876

G. N. MCCONAHA, C. H. HANFORD,
MCCONAHA & HANFORD,
Attorneys-at-Law, Solicitors in
Chancery and Proctors in
Admiralty.

G. N. McConaha District Atty. 2nd District, W. T.
OFFICE—On Commercial St., Seattle, W. T.

PAINTING!

T. H. STRINGHAM
DOES ALL KINDS OF

House, Carriage,
Sign and
Boat Painting,
Graining,
Gilding,
Bronzing,
Varnishing,
Paper-hanging,
Etc., Etc.

Shop on Mill Street, Seattle, W.

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FROM DAILY OF THURSDAY.

ORCAS ISLAND.—Mr. William
Herard was drowned in East
Sound, Orcas Island, last Satur-
day. He was a native of Eng-
land. Everything is quiet in the
old disputed Islands and, we
are pleased to say, prosperous.
Vegetables are raised in abun-
dant, for which a ready market
is found in Victoria, Nanaimo,
and Burrard Inlet.

DIED.—In this city last night,
of pneumonia, infant child of
Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Pike, aged
about two years and a half. The
funeral took place this afternoon
at 2 o'clock.

SCOTTISH ENTERTAINMENT.—As
will be seen by his advertise-
ment in another column, Mr. J.
S. Fergusson will give one of his
grand Scottish entertainments
at Yesler's Hall, to-morrow eve-
ning. Mr. Fergusson's Scottish
entertainments are spoken of
in terms of the highest praise by
the press everywhere, as being
of the most amusing, instructive
and joyous nature. Miss Lillie
Bell will preside at the piano to-
morrow evening.

PUBLIC NUISANCE.—The house
of John Stott, who keeps a hur-
dy-gurdy house on Main street,
was complained of by his neigh-
bors as a public nuisance. He
was examined yesterday before
Scott, J. P., and fined \$20 and costs,
amounting in the aggregate to
\$45, for keeping a public nuisance.
A great deal of interest
was manifested in the trial and
the Justice's office and the side-
walk in front of it was crowded
with persons desirous of hearing
the evidence.

THE LEWIS COMBINATION.—This
well known and meritorious
combination will appear at Yes-
ler's Hall on Saturday and Mon-
day nights, February 19th and
21st. The company consists of
artists of rare ability. The Cor-
vallis Democrat says:

"This troupe of performers
visited our city on last Friday,
coming unheralded, and announce-
d that they would give a couple
of performances at Huck's
Hall on that and the succeeding
evening. On Friday evening
they were greeted with a very
light house, many staying away
for fear of being bilked, as they
had been by a number of travel-
ling humbugs, such as Potter's
magic lantern, and others. In
this performance they showed
the superior excellence of their
entertainment, and the announce-
ment of their entertainment on
Saturday evening was received
with applause. On Saturday
evening the hall was filled to its
utmost capacity at an early
hour, and the performance was
well received by the large audi-
ence. The feats of juggling and
leggerdemain were particularly
good, the "pictures in the air,"
by Mile. Cecil DeCourcy, show-
ed with brilliant effect and daz-
zling beauty, and the vocalists,
orchestral and musical genes re-
ndered by Miss Leona Watson,
were of an order that won well
merited applause. On Monday
evening the troupe gave a third
entertainment, at which the hall
was as densely crowded as on
Saturday night, and the perfor-
mance was as amusing and en-
tertaining as on either of the
previous occasions. This is a
fine troupe of legitimate perfor-
mers and deserves success."

SENTENCED.—Frank Burke, in
the District Court this morning,
was sentenced to pay a fine of
\$300 and costs, and put under
bonds not to keep a house of ill-
fame in the future.

Mr. Freeman, agent of
the P. M. S. Co., informs us
that on and after the first day
of April, the steamers will run
weekly between here and San
Francisco. Olympia will proba-
bly be the terminus of the route.

Mr. W. T. Balou has our
thanks for favors rendered.

The body of the trained
horse Mazeppa, belonging to the
Hurlbert & Rockwell troupe,
lost in the Pacific disaster, has
been picked up on the beach at
Useless Bay.

The barkentine Ella is
now loading at Freeport with
lumber from lower California.
She takes an assorted cargo of
small lumber to order.

The bark Aureola will
finish loading with Seattle coal
this afternoon. She takes 1,100
tons. The J. B. Bell takes her
place.

THE COMET.—The Comet was
raised and came down the river
this morning, with a scow on
each side of her. She goes on
the grid-iron at the foot of Com-
mercial street for repairs, and
will soon be ready for duty
again.

The logger's convention
that was to be held last night
did not come off.

We are informed that the
Port Gamble Mill Company are
buying considerable timber land
on the Stilagamish.

STONE.—Mr. Karkeek received
quite a lot of stone by the
Libby, from the Chuckanuck
quarry, on Bellingham Bay. It
is to be used for tomb-stones.

Busby's mill is now grind-
ing flour of a superior quality.
he mill turns out 100 1/2 sacks
or 25 bbls every ten hours, and
has orders ahead. The schooner
Carrie Hayden is now dis-
charging 34 bushels of barley
to be ground for parties on the
Stilagamish.

Two of the County Com-
missioners of Snohomish County
have interviewed the King Coun-
ty Commissioners, relative to
the road from Lake Washington
to Snohomish. There is some
probability that the road may
be made next summer.

The Centennial Lottery
of Messrs. Wildman & Crosson
opened up last evening.

DEEDS RECORDED.—Sarah A.
Webster to Eliza Hammond, lot
3, block 7, Boren's plat; \$1,400.
D. M. Crane and wife to Es-
telle Collins, lot 7, bl 14, Sum-
mit addition; \$50.
E. W. Hewett to Laura Coff-
man, lot 1, bl 30, Denny's addi-
tion to Bell & Denny's add; \$400.
D. R. Cambell to W. H. Sny-
clader, lots 3 and 4, 46.66 acres, in
T. 23, N. of R. 4 E.; 973.
John Pike to Thos. Pease, lots
6 and 7, block 22, Denny's add; \$1,200.
P. J. Hedges to John Sullivan,
W. 1/2 of lot 4, bl 15, Maynard'
plat, \$800.
J. C. Kinear to McNaught &
Leary, blks 7 and 15, J. C. Kin-
ear's add; \$180.
D. M. Crane to Jas. L. Hunt,
lots 3 and 4, block 13, Summit
add; \$100.

The Alida came down
from Olympia this morning with
mail, freight and passengers.
No news.

District Court.
[HON. J. R. LEWIS, JUDGE.]
Feb. 9.
John R. Williamson vs. J. M.
Colman et al. Cause dismissed
without prejudice.
Waterman & Katz vs. J. M.
Colman. Judgment for defend-
ant for costs.
William R. Impett vs. J. M.
Colman. Judgment for defend-
ant for costs.
John E. Hale vs. Johnston
Bros. and L. C. Harmon. Motion
to retax costs overruled.
George Plummer vs. Henry
L. Yesler. Report of Master
confirmed. Judgment for plain-
tiff for \$250.85.
Margaret Taylor vs. Theo. Tay-
lor, divorce. Testimony heard
and case taken under advise-
ment.
Meigs & Bullene vs. Kitsap
County. Case dismissed from
the docket.

The Scottish Entertain-
ment of Mr. Fergusson is to be
given this evening at Yesler's
Hall. From all we have read
concerning this gentleman we
can safely assure our readers
that it will be one of the most
amusing and instructive enter-
tainments ever given in this city,
and one which they will all
do well to attend. Miss Lillie
Bell will preside at the piano.

To NIGHT.—We would remind
our readers that Mr. Fergusson's
Scottish Entertainment comes
off to-night at Yesler's Hall.
Those who wish to hear the
beautiful songs of Scotland, and
the thrilling music of the Bag-
pipe should go to-night; they
will be rarely entertained, and
the price is only 50 cents.

THE LEWIS BROTHERS.—We
call the attention of our readers
to the advertisement of the Lew-
is Brothers, which appears in
another column. These gentle-
men, with their troupe, have
been making a most successful
tour of the Pacific coast and
have everywhere been spoken
of in the highest terms by the
press. They give two per-
formances in this city on Sat-
urday and Monday the 19th and
21st inst. Those that fail to at-
tend their performances will, we
are convinced, miss a rare treat.

The City of Panama will
be here Tuesday morning. We
are informed that the fare on
the route between Portland and
San Francisco has been raised
to \$25, on account of the delays
experienced at the Columbia
River Bar, which make the trips
longer and consequently more
expensive. This increase in the
fare will have the effect of bring-
ing more of the Portland traffic
through the Pacific Mail route.

UNITARIAN PREACHING.—Rev.
D. N. Uter will preach on Sun-
day in Reing's new hall over
the music store of Messrs. Hur-
ford & Francis. It is believed
that this hall will prove a very
comfortable and pleasant place
for such meetings, and all friends
of the cause are cordially invited
to attend, afternoon and even-
ing. Services at 3 and 7, P. M.

VALENTINE'S DAY.—A large
assortment at Johnny Jamieson's,
ridiculous and sublime.*

The telegraph lines are
still down, so that we have no
telegraphic report to-day.

The Skagit Coal Co. had
a meeting last night and adjourn-
ed until Saturday night, owing
to the illness of the Secretary,
Prof. J. A. Hall.

CHANGE.—We are informed
that Mr. Fox, of Steilacoom, is
to take charge of the American
Exchange Restaurant, Messrs.
Wiggins & Russell retiring in a
few days.

We are pleased to see
that Captain Wright, formerly in
command of the steamer
Zephyr, has resumed charge of
that boat.

FROM DAILY OF SATURDAY.

THE SCOTTISH ENTERTAINMENT.
—The entertainment given by
Mr. Fergusson at Yesler's Hall
last evening was a decided suc-
cess. Interspersed through an
exceedingly interesting lecture
on "Scotland, her Poetry, Her
Music and Song, were many
racy anecdotes and poems read
so as to draw out new beauties.
The singing of the dear old
Scottish songs was excellent and
the performance on the bag-
pipes was inimitable. To-night
he gives another entertainment
with an entirely new programme,
among which we notice Mr. Yes-
ler's favorite song, "John Ander-
son, My Joe," and a duet in
which Mr. Fergusson will be as-
sisted by Miss Lizzie Bell. Mr.
Fergusson's entertainments are a
rare treat. All should go to-
night, the last opportunity.

MILITARY NOTES.—A general
court martial will convene at
Fort Vancouver, W. T., Thurs-
day, Feb. 17, 1876, at 10 o'clock,
A. M., or as soon thereafter as
practicable, for the trial of such
persons as may be properly
brought before it. The follow-
ing officers have been detailed
for duty: Major R. H. Alexan-
der, surgeon; Captain Robert
Pollock, 21st infantry; 1st Lieut-
enant William H. Spurgin, 21st
infantry, regimental quartermas-
ter; 1st Lieutenant Joseph A.
Sladen, 14th infantry, aide-de-
camp; 1st Lieutenant Henry H.
Pierce, 21st infantry; 2d Lieut-
enant Jos. W. Duncan, 21st in-
fantry; 2d Lieutenant Charles
E. S. Wood, 21st infantry; 2d
Lieutenant Francis E. Elton-
head, 21st infantry; 1st Lieut-
enant George W. Evans, 21st in-
fantry, adjutant, judge advocate
of the court.

It was expected that the
bark Windward would be haul-
ed off the beach at Useless Bay
and towed up to town to-day by
the steamer Teazer but the fact
that there was considerable wind
blowing this morning may pos-
sibly have prevented it. No news
has received from Mr. Colman
since he went down to her last
Monday.

There will be services in
the Congregational Church to-
morrow morning and evening at
the usual hours. Morning sub-
ject, The two lives; evening sub-
ject, The Character of the Pil-
grim Fathers.

The usual services will be
held at the Baptist Church to-
morrow morning and evening.
Sunday School at 12 1/2 P. M.

M. E. CHURCH.—Preaching to-
morrow at 11 A. M. and 7, P. M.,
by Rev. A. Atwood. Sunday
School at 12 1/2 o'clock. Prayer
and praise service at a quarter
to 4 o'clock.

Monday next is St. Valen-
tine's Day. Those desirous of
sending valentines can obtain
them of all styles at Johnny Jamieson's.

IN TOWN.—Mr. L. Samuels
of Portland, publisher of the West-
ern Shore and the Business Di-
rectory of Portland, is in town.
He is making a trip around the
Sound, canvassing and "writing
up" the Sound for his paper. He
paid us a visit this morning.

MARRIED.—At the M. E. Par-
sonage, in this city, on the 10th
inst., by Rev. A. Atwood, Mr.
Peter Wikstrom to Miss Anna
M. Peterson, both of King Coun-
ty, W. T.

EPISCOPAL.—Services at Trini-
ty Church to-morrow morning
and afternoon.

THE MISSING SCHOONER.—A
dispatch from Port Townsend
received just previous to going
to press, is as follows: Captain
Selden, with the Revenue steam-
er Wolcott returned from his
search for the missing schooner
Urania. During a fearful storm,
the cutter was driven ashore, but
provisionally got off with some
damage to her bottom, the ex-
tent of which is not yet known.
She also lost a few tons of coal
and one of her guns, thrown
overboard to lighten her. She
learned nothing of the missing
vessel.

**Communication from Judge
Jacobs.**
WASHINGTON CITY, D. C.,
Jan. 18th, 1876.

EDITOR OF DISPATCH:—I deem it but
justice to myself to give to the peo-
ple of Seattle a synopsis of the argu-
ment made by me, both verbally and in
writing, before the 2d Assistant Postmaster
General for a daily mail, or rather a
mail six times a week between Tacoma
and Seattle.

1st. I stated the population of the
City of Seattle to be from 3,000 to 3,500,
but that a far larger number of people
would be directly and immediately ben-
efitted by such increased mail facilities
—that Seattle was the centre around
which were quite a number of smaller
towns which were in daily communi-
cation with it, and that they would par-
ticipate in the advantages arising from
such increased mail facilities.

2d. I urged that the size or popula-
tion of the city was not alone to be
considered, but that the volume and im-
portance of the business ought also to
be taken into consideration. In this
respect I argued that the volume of busi-
ness transacted in the city was equal
to, if not greater than an ordinary town
in the States of ten thousand inhabi-
tants. I stated that there were in opera-
tion two lines of steamers from San
Francisco to Seattle and other ports on
the Sound—that they made four trips
per month—that they principally loaded
at Seattle with coal and lumber—that
there were in addition to that over one
ship a day the year round coming into
our harbor for coal and lumber—that
there was of the latter at Seattle and
Freeport over two hundred thousand
feet a day manufactured; of the former
at least five hundred tons, and the
quantity delivered was rapidly increas-
ing. That the mail steamers made
three trips per week, and besides these,
there were a large number of other
steamers arriving and departing every
day. I stated that we had five mercan-
tile firms that were doing a business
well on to half a million dollars each
in gold coin per year, with a large number
of other smaller mercantile establish-
ments—that our foundries and ship-
yards and machine shops and manufac-
turing establishments were commensu-
rate with the wants of the people, and
gave employment to a large number of
skilled workmen—that our streets were
lighted with gas, and that general go-
ahead enterprise and prosperity pre-
vailed.

3d. I stated that the daily mails were
brought just to the edge of the largest
population on the Sound and then
stopped.

4th. I stated that a daily mail was
carried from Portland to Astoria, a dis-
tance of over a hundred miles, and that
it did not accommodate as many people
directly as were found in Seattle alone,
only twenty-four miles from Tacoma.
I argued that there could not be an-
other town found in Washington Terri-
tory, Oregon or California with a popu-
lation of twenty-five hundred who did
not have as great mail facilities as I
asked for Seattle.

I have but given you a skeleton of
the argument made, but with all the
above facts I was denied, and that for
the reason that the net receipts of the
Seattle office were only between six and
seven hundred dollars per year, and the
extra cost would be between four and
five thousand dollars. If this principle
was one which had heretofore been
uniformly applied in such matters, we
could not complain; but has it been so
applied? I think not. The truth of
the matter is we are on the eve of a
Presidential election, and everybody has
run wild with the idea of retrenchment
and reform in the public revenue. I
believe in retrenchment and reform
myself, but as the government is more
beneficially felt in its postal service
than in any other branch, I think a lib-
eral policy ought to characterize this
service.

O. JACOBS.

A TIED-BACK CREATURE IN VENICE.
—She wore a round hat put upon the
back of her head, like the aureole of a
saint, to which her sweet face gave her
an appearance of kinred. Her bodice
was close fitting—indeed, drawn tight
about the waist like the bark of a young
sleender tree. Her scant skirt pulled
tight in front so as to show her form,
and "tied-back," terminated in a short
fan-like tail, like the tail of the mer-
maid. She was mounted on shoes seven
inches too small for her feet—indeed,
only her toes appeared to have accom-

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BERIAH BROWN, EDITOR

California Correspondence.

SACRAMENTO, CAL., Feb. 3d, 1876.

ED. DISPATCH.—A short letter from the capital of the Golden State may prove not unacceptable at this time, while our law-makers are at work making new laws, amending the old, and giving vent to their long pent-up feelings on the political issues of the day and hour. As you are well aware, our present Legislature is strongly democratic, elected pledged to economy, retrenchment, and reform. To a certain extent they have acted up to their promise made the people—that is, they have introduced two or three bills looking to retrenchment in the expense incident to the proper management of the State and our several Municipal Governments, regulating gas and water rates, and also, one in relation to freight and fares on the railroads of our State; but from the present outlook little, very little more will be done by them. The session is limited to one hundred days and half of the allotted time has already passed. As in all similar bodies of the past, it is feared that the people most desire to see become laws will be hastily considered, and passed into laws with many objectionable features—leaving large openings or favorable chances for those who desire, and are always ready, to profit at the expense of the many. The truth is, that politicians have so long been permitted to plunder the people, or else willfully neglect their constituents' interests without being punished, or even interested to private life in disgrace, that they seldom hesitate to perpetrate great wrongs whereby political or pecuniary gains can be secured, either for themselves or for their special friends and immediate followers.

If our present Legislature, however, desires to retain the democratic party in power in this State, it must now go to work in earnest, and scrutinize every measure submitted for their consideration, and see that no swindling schemes are allowed to become laws. They will find our newly elected State officers ever ready to assist them in advocating the State's best interests.

Up to the present time we have had an abundant fall of water from the heavens, with a pretty fair prospect for a good rush of waters from the mountains as soon as the snow begins to melt in the spring.

Owing to the snow blockade, the trains from the east are regularly behind time now-a-days, and for this reason the travel both east and west is light. Immigrants are not so numerous now as they have been in the past few months, or as they will be during the approaching spring and summer.

Why is it that the leading men of your Territory are not doing something to attract a portion of these immigrants to your portion of the coast? You must have a good field there for men of moderate means to begin life in, which needs only to be made known to turn the tide in that direction. To show you how little is known here in relation to your Territory, its extent, resources, productions, capabilities, healthfulness, &c., where the government lands subject to entry lie, their distance from navigable streams, proximity to schools, markets and general centres of civilization, &c., the price of improved and unimproved lands, and every other matter of special interest to those who are seeking for new homes, I have been earnestly engaged in an effort to post myself in relation thereto for a month, and as yet I am none the wiser for my trouble. It is no trouble to learn all about Southern California, and the Sacramento and San Joaquin valleys, but Washington Territory is hardly known here. Why is it thus? Who is, or are blame? I know of a number in this State who no longer see an opportunity to secure homes here, simply because lands are held at such high rates that they cannot purchase, and in consequence, are now looking in your direction for homes. But they do not want to "leap in the dark." Can't you give them a little light?

Our crop prospects were never better at this season of the year than they are now, and farmers are jubilant. Centennial wheat will cause the hard times to hie away to other lands, and July 4th, 1876 will be a day of great rejoicing if the northwinds do not blast our present hopes.

Wishing the Dispatch a long life of unbounded prosperity, I have the honor to sign myself yours, most obediently, H. A. P.

A PHILOSOPHIC HUSBAND.—A European correspondent tells the following amusing story: I hear of an elopement which fills me with alarm for the morals of such of our diplomatic agents as are quartered at St. Petersburg. A certain Blank had persuaded the wife of a friend "to fly to other climes" with him. By some miscalculation of time and trains the fugitives were detained in the Russian capital some four hours after the lady had left the usual explanatory note (considered necessary in good society) on her husband's table. The guilty pair, surrounded by travelling apparatus, are waiting for the hour of departure in Blank's house, when the husband is announced. Naturally the fair one bolts into an adjoining room. The husband comes into the room with his wife's letter in his hand. "My dear Blank," he says, "my wife tells me that you are going to be good

enough to escort her over the frontier. I therefore thank you in person for the greatest service which any man has ever done for me. Only, as I have some regard for my family name, I must beg that when you are tired of her, as must soon be the case, you will not bring her back again, or we may disagree. Bon voyage," and he left the room. I understand that a gloom was cast over the excursion by this speech, which resulted in a separation soon after the parties reached Paris. So Blank returned to Russia alone. The first person he meets is the husband, who said, "What! back already? I told you it would be so." "Yes, my dear fellow," replied Blank, "but you forgot to let me into the secret of your wife's confounded ill temper." "Come and dine," laughed the husband, "and remember that there are secrets in every family, which, when found out, generally burn the fingers of the discoverer. As it is, I look upon you as my truest friend." All of which is very immoral in theory, but moral in its bearings, for it teaches us not to gather forbidden fruit without counting on its unripe propensities.

WOMAN SUFFER-AGE.—A maiden once said, "I'll not mate with a man who has not fortune great." So she pouted and waited, and scorned to be mated. She's a maiden yet—age 48.—New York Commercial Advertiser. A maiden once thought, "I cannot be bought—I'll marry a man who is poor," but the man he drank beer, died driving a "keer," and twelve orphans went out from her door. "Tis better to wait and be aged 48 than to marry the average man; for there's trouble ahead for the maiden who'll wed the very first person she can. Louisville Courier Journal. A maiden once cried, "Now, whatever betide, I'll marry a man who is wise," but, his wise views asserted, she pouted and flirted; she sicken'd full soon of the prize. Scan. mag. was the case; 'twas an 'awful disgrace," said the judge, in decreeing divorce; and the woman's a fool who a general rule will adopt in deciding her course.—St. Louis Republican. But most of the girls (dash their frizzes and curls) make their minds up, quite early in life, to take any one who'll let himself be "done;" the point is to be some one's wife. And the poor silly chaps who are caught in their traps will find out when it is too late, that a girl who is charming can be an alarmingly terrible ill-tempered mate. Only this much is certain, once back of the curtain, the young man who marries will find that the fellow who weds will deserve all he gets—and get all he deserves of his kind.—Inter-Ocean. Now the maidens all swear by their purchased back hair, they'll be blest if they wed any scamp of a poet; especially one who at women pokes fun, and rhymes in prose form, so that no one would know it.—Philadelphia Times. But if any one fears that the sweet little dears will "cut" him for his poetical turn, let him leave off the rhymes, and ninety-nine times in a hundred his fault they will never discern.

SCARLET FEVER DIAGNOSIS.—The London Lancet is high medical authority. It says: The throat symptoms are the most trustworthy for the purpose of diagnosis in the initial stage of scarlet fever. The soft part of the palate is extensively reddened, and not merely the tonsils, as is the case in the first instance in ordinary sore throat. When this condition is met with, accompanied by a very hot skin and a very quick pulse, accompanied or preceded by sickness, with a thickly furrowed tongue, red borders and prominent papillae, a case of scarlet fever may be prepared for.

LOCATION OF BRAINS.—John Henry's young hopeful had been behaving badly when his uncle was there to dinner. He had, indeed, gone to the extent of asking the dignified and rather crabbed brother of his ma how he got "a skating-rink on the top of his head." John Henry chuckled a little in secret at this, for he had his own opinion of his wife's relatives; but when the boy, who remembered his own early teaching, advised his uncle not to make "such a bustin' noise" when he "chawed," there was nothing for mammy to do but to take him up stairs for a brief introduction to the slipper.

"Well," said the uncle, as the young hopeful returned, red as to his face, and unsteady in his breathing—"Well, did you have some brains beaten into you?" "Brains?" gulped the little fellow, with a sob, and moving his hands about uneasily in his pantaloons pockets—"May be your brains is there, but mine hain't."—Cin. Times.

A Frenchman, who supposed he had mastered the English language, was sadly puzzled one day when a friend looked at him and said: "How do you do?" "I mean how do you find yourself?" "Saire, I never looses myself." "But how do you feel?" "Smooth—you just feel me."

A Methodist preacher, while traveling through Missouri, stopped at a cabin, where an old lady received him very kindly, giving him a warm supper, and asking him many questions. "Stranger, where might you be from?" "Madam, I reside in Shelby county, Kentucky." "Well, stranger, hope no offense, but what might you be doing?" "Madam, I am looking for the lost sheep of the tribe of Israel." "John," shouted the old lady, "here's a stranger all the way from Kentucky a huntin' lost stock, and I'll just bet my life that old curly ram that came into our yard last week is one of his."

Telegraphic

New York, Feb. 15.—Gold closed at 137 1/2 @ 138. It is stated that the Atlantic and Pacific Telegraph Company will to-morrow reduce rates to all points 20 to 30 per cent.

LONDON, Feb. 15.—Winslow arrested here was formally arraigned at the Bow Street Police Court, and remanded for one week. When arrested, he asked to be sent to America immediately. He said all money in his possession was his wife's, amounting to 6,000 dollars. He denies having any cash or bonds, and says nearly all the newspaper accounts are erroneous.

CINCINNATI, Feb. 13.—A Commercial Golconda, Illinois, special of 14th, says, Sunday's storm blew down several houses and barns near there, and dawning a sail boat in the river, drowning five out of the six occupants.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 15.—In the House Hale moved to suspend the rules and adopt the following resolution:

LA CONNER, Feb. 15.—A Sehome, W. T., dispatch says: A sailor on board of the E. B. Coal Co's. ship Germania, met with a very painful and serious accident this morning, caused by the parting of a large rope with which the ship was being hauled up to the wharf; the end of the rope striking him with great force on one arm, throwing and rolling him 15 or 20 feet across deck—breaking his arm in two places below the elbow, and cutting a deep gash in the head. Dr. Carpenter was called, and set the bones and sewed up the cut.

Whereas, the currency now used by the people of the United States consists of national bank notes and greenbacks; the latter being the debt of the Government widely distributed among the people, and the former being redeemable in greenbacks, and subject to fluctuations with it. And whereas, the United States Treasury has thus far failed to meet its obligations and to redeem its notes, thereby depreciating the value of the people's money and keeping it at a low discount. And whereas, Congress, by its enactments, and both political parties by resolutions adopted in their several national conventions, stand committed to an early resumption of specie payment, therefore, Resolved, that prompt measures should be taken by such legislation as is needed to render effective the policy of resumption of specie payment by placing in the hands of the Secretary of the Treasury all necessary powers to carry out the said object, to the end that a sound and stable currency may be provided.

A motion to suspend the rules was lost. The vote was pretty nearly a party one; yeas 86, nays 137. On motion of Kelley, it was ordered that Saturday next be set apart exclusively for debate. In the Senate Mr. Clayton from committee on military affairs, reported with amendments, the Senate bill granting the right of way for a railroad and telegraph line to the Walla Walla and Columbia River Railroad Company across Fort Walla Walla Military Reservation in Washington Territory. Placed on Calendar.

New York, Feb. 18.—The advisory council of Plymouth Church opened at 2.15 o'clock, with delegates from about 140 churches occupying body of church. The gallery was filled chiefly by ladies. Mr. Beecher greeted all the delegates on their arrival, and opened proceedings by an address. He said this is the largest council ever held in America to discuss the affairs of any one church. He referred to the storms which Plymouth Church had gone through, and said nevertheless, though it had been set upon by various adversaries, it was a united church, numbering between 2,500 and 2,600 members, while the average membership of the American churches is 100. Each delegation was handed a long, printed statement of the case of Plymouth Church, containing an elaborate review of the difficulties arising from dropping Moulton's name from the roll.

Dr. Bacon, moderator, said it is proper to remark at the outset that we are not here to whitewash either this church or its pastor. If they need whitewashing they should have called other than us—not to amuse the public by drawing off their attention to side issues. Nor to decide or try the main question. It has not been submitted to us. That we are here to advise this church concerning the manner in which it has dealt, and how it ought to have dealt with, is as well known as the great scandal. The moderator announced that Shearman would make a further statement on behalf of the church to-morrow morning.

LONDON, Feb. 15.—In the House of Commons this evening, Disraeli moved a bill enabling the Queen to take the style and title of Empress of India. VIENNA, Feb. 14.—Negotiations are progressing favorably between Count Andrássy and the Porte for assuring a safe conduct to Bosnians and Herzegovinians who have taken refuge in Austrian territory and the prospect is that a speedy and satisfactory conclusion will be arrived at.

A NEW PROCESS OF MAKING BREAD.—M. Cecil, a French engineer, has invented a new process of preparing the materials for making bread, which has received the approval of the Minister of War, and will hereafter be adopted in the French army. By this process an increased percentage of the nutritive properties of grain is retained, so that

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Notice.

THE ANNUAL MEETING OF THE STOCK-holders of the Seattle Homestead Association will be held at the office of the Company, in Seattle, on Monday, the 21st inst. at 11 o'clock P. M. for the purpose of electing officers for the ensuing year. JOHN M. BLANCHARD, Secretary. Seattle, W. T., Feb. 7th, 1876.

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AUTHORIZATION

By authority of an Act of the Legislative Assembly of Washington Territory, entitled, "An Act to aid in the construction of a wagon road across the Cascade Mountains," approved November 12th, 1875, and by order of the Board of County Commissioners of King County, Washington Territory, made February 9th, 1876, Val. Wildman and Bernard Crosson having filed their Declaration and Bond in conformity with said Act, and the said Board of Commissioners having approved said Declaration and Bond, said Val. Wildman and Bernard Crosson are hereby Licensed to carry on their Lottery Scheme under the provisions of said Act.

Witness my hand and the seal of said Commissioner's Court, this 8th day of February, A. D., 1876. M. S. BOOTH, Auditor of said County.

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SATURDAY, MONDAY and TUESDAY NIGHTS, Feb. 19th, 21st & 22nd.

Puget Sound Dispatch.

Seattle, W. T., Feb. 17, 1876.

From Daily of Monday. A COUNTY JAIL.—The County Commissioners have at last taken action in regard to the building of a jail in this county. At their meeting last week they purchased from Mr. H. L. Yesler, for \$3,500 in county warrants, lot 1 and fractional lots 5 and 6, in block 36, Boren's addition.—These lots are situated on 3d street, and extend from Jefferson to Mill. They comprise rather more than two lots, sufficient for jail and court house both. In accordance with an act to provide for the erection of a jail in King County, passed at the last legislature, the commissioners are preparing plans and specifications for said jail, and will, about next March, advertise for proposals for the building of the same, said proposals to be handed in by April. The act requires the jail to be built of brick or stone and not to exceed \$12,000 in cost.

A SPIRITUALIST IN TROUBLE.—Chas. Jacobs, of spiritual manifestations notoriety, has been getting into trouble over in Oregon. A Mr. Corwin of Astoria, a firm believer in spiritism, was induced to go into partnership with Jacobs, putting up \$250 in coin as an offset to Jacobs' celestial stock in trade, which was certainly cheap at the money. After making a short tour with Jacobs, Mr. Corwin arrived at the conclusion that he was dealer in ways that are dark and tricks that are vain, and being unwilling to connive at any fraud on the public, he drew out of the firm and had Jacobs arrested for obtaining money under false pretences. Jacobs was, however, discharged.

SKAGIT COAL CO.—A meeting of the stock-holders of the Skagit Coal Mining and Transportation Co. was held at their office in this city, on Saturday evening, and following officers elected for the ensuing year: President, Col. Larrabee; Vice President, Col. Morris H. Frost; Prof. J. H. Hall, Secretary; W. W. White, Treasurer. The trustees include all the above officers and the following named gentlemen: H. L. Yesler, S. F. Coombs, L. S. Stevens, D. B. Jackson, and Jas. O'Laughlin. An assessment of 10 cents per share was levied to be paid within 30 days.

THE SCOTTISH ENTERTAINMENT.—The lecture of Mr. Ferguson on Saturday was attended by as large an audience as on Friday eve, and the entertainment was of the same general character, with the exception of the singing of Miss Lizzie Bell. Mr. Ferguson has concluded to remain over and lecture again this evening, at which time we hope he will have an audience more in proportion to the merits of the entertainment.

ROAD WASHED OUT.—We are informed by Robt. Abrams, Esq., that the roads up Duwamish and White River are in very bad condition. There are two large and deep holes in the road this side of the long bridge, and near Carr's and at Adams', on White river, the road has been washed entirely away, and persons passing are compelled to go through different fields.

FROM SNOHOMISH.—The Zephyr arrived from Snohomish at 1:30 this afternoon and landed her passengers on the north side of Colman's lumber wharf, it being too rough to come around to her usual landing. She had a rough trip up. She brought some freight, consisting of hay, shingles, and vegetables, and quite a number of passengers.

The old fish-market, adjoining the Intelligence office, is being fitted up and having a store front put on it.

FINISHED REPAIRING.—The steamer Comet has finished repairing the injuries done by running on a log up the river, some days since. She went off the grid-iron Saturday night.

In Justice's Court.

BEFORE JUSTICE SCOTT. Wm. Simpson, drunk and disorderly. Fined \$10 and costs and in default sent up.

BORN.—At Snohomish City, Feb. 9, 1876, to the wife of Mr. F. Foss, a son.

The C. L. Perry is unloading a cargo of cedar lumber from Port Gamble at Stetson & Post's mill.

The bark Iconium went to sea yesterday, with a cargo of 421,000 feet of cedar lumber for San Pedro. She was only 6 days loading.

From Daily of Tuesday.

ALMOST A FIRE.—A partition between two rooms over Hovey & Barker's building caught fire last evening from some cause at present unknown. The alarm of fire was raised by some boys who saw the smoke issuing from the room, and for a few minutes there was considerable excitement. Buckets, axes, ladders, etc., were hurriedly brought to the ground, and as the flames had but little headway they were soon put out without material damage. Mr. Mundt, had his hands severely burned in extinguishing the flames.

A mare afflicted with the colic kept a small crowd congregated in the square all forenoon, and it presented the appearance of a hospital very soon. Some 700 or 800 infallible remedies were given by those present, all of which were tried, and yet, remarkable as it may appear, the animal appeared to get no better very fast.

The City of Panama, on account of the rapidly increasing traffic on this route, is to have her passenger accommodations greatly enlarged. She is to have staterooms capable of accommodating 40 additional passengers put on her upper deck, on her return to San Francisco.

Advertised Letter List.

The following is the list of letters remaining in the Seattle Post Office, King Co., Washington Territory, for the week ending, Feb. 17, 1876. Auerback, Heiman Alexander, Mrs. Jas. Andersson, Andrew Armstrong, Thos. Anderson, A. F., Barnum, M. C. Baell, Henry L., Barnes, Mrs. N. D. Byrd, Orion A., Bennett, Wm. W. Coyle, James, Craige, John Carson, Wm. N., Carnie, John Cornob, Osborne, Church, Mrs. J. Carnes, Joseph Davis, Miss Mary David, Wm. M. Good, Edward Day, Michael Evans, Lambert B., Elliott, Mrs. Martha Fisher, William Fitzliff, Herman Finkbonner, C. C., Frederickson, H. Erye, George Foster, Mrs. M. J. Giddy, John Good, William Goyeth, Alfred Gray, Robert Good, Henry M., Day, Michael Highland, Thomas Hoffer, Wm. Henspeter, Lewis Holley, Paly P. Hemmenway, S., Holley, Joseph Jensen, Hans James, Ellen Kelley, William Lane, Wm. Lane, Timothy Love, J. D., Mercer, Aaron Mitchell, Miss E., Merritt, Miles Moore, William Meguire, William Oweas, Owen T., Phillips, Scott Parker, Miss Alice Pickard, G. Roney, Walter, Rock Barney Ryan, John H., Smith, Miss Jennie Stockwell, Mrs. H. D., Sudd, Oliver Swiss, Merrick Walton, Miss M. Wilson, John Wilson, Thomas Wilson, Wm., Whitaker, Henry McJorim, W. L.

Persons calling for the above will please give the date. W. H. PUMPHREY, P. M.

CITY OF PANAMA.—The Pacific Mail steamer City of Panama, W. B. Seabury, Commander, left San Francisco, Feb. 10th, at 1:30 p. m., with 54 cabin and 125 steerage passengers, 330 tons of cargo, 1 package of treasure, and 14 bags mail matter. Feb. 13th, at 4 p. m., arrived at Esquimalt. Time from San Francisco to Flatery, 68 1/2 hours; to Esquimalt, 74 1/2 hours. Encountered strong westerly winds during the entire passage. Weather in the straits very thick.

Landed 101 passengers, 255 tons of cargo, mails, etc., and left February 14th, at 8:30 p. m. Arrived at Port Townsend the same day at 11:45 p. m. Landed passengers and discharged 22 tons of cargo. Left February 15th, at 3:35 a. m. Arrived at Seattle, February 15th, at 8:30 a. m., bringing for Seattle 55 passengers and 771 packages, 65 tons of cargo.

Tacoma—9 passengers and 5 tons cargo. Portland—8 passengers. Steilacoom—1 ton of cargo. Olympia—3 passengers and 24 tons of cargo.

Passengers for Seattle—Fred. Blum, Mrs. Grey and child, Mrs. Grey and child, Mrs. S. Kenny, Frank Conkerman, H. E. Clark, L. Ornn, H. Platt, Mrs. S. McLean, Mrs. A. Ferguson, D. W. Coffin, M. C. Engley, W. Russell, D. Slocum and 40 in steerage.

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WANTED.—By a lady with one child, a situation as house-keeper for a single man or cook in a logging camp. Inquire at this office.

DISOBEDIENCE OF ORDERS.—A man named John Randle, belonging to the bark J. B. Bell having refused to obey the orders of the Captain of that vessel, was complained of by him, arrested, and examined before the U. S. Commissioner. His examination resulted in his being bound over to the District Court, where his trial came off this morning. It resulted in his being found guilty and sentenced to the Penitentiary on McNiel's Island for 40 days.

THE BARK WINDWARD.—The Teazer came up from the wreck of the bark Windward last night, bringing up Mr. Colman. He informs us that the weather has been so rough that he has not attempted to get her off and has decided to postpone the attempt until the next course of tides, at which time, if the weather is favorable, he believes he will be successful. He has, however, succeeded in saving all her rigging of every description, which was towed up as far as Apple-tree Cove. He is getting up a gang of men to go down and discharge her load of lumber.

Go to Johnny Jamieson's for your books and stationary. *

From Daily of Wednesday

United States District Court.

[HON. J. R. LEWIS, C. J., PRESIDING.]

On the meeting of the Court, this 16th of February, 1876, Col. Charles H. Larrabee, from the Committee heretofore appointed for that purpose, presented the following, which was entered on the journal of the Court: Reverdy Johnson, for sixty years a member of the Bar, has, in the Providence of God, been removed, by sudden and unwitnessed death, from the scene of his earthly labors.

As a member of the legal profession, he deserved and acquired the highest reputation for industry, ability, learning and unyielding integrity. As a Constitutional lawyer, he had no peer in the profession.

As Senator of the United States, Attorney General and Minister to the Court of St. James, he discharged his varied duties with conscientious diligence and with learning and ability rarely equalled. As a citizen he was patriotic, as an individual, of pure life, as a lawyer animated with a pure and incorruptible honesty of purpose, which sought to declare the law only that justice should be administered in accordance with its enlightened precepts.

In memory of his worth and of the great loss to our profession, we make this record and do

Resolve, That we are deeply grieved at the death of Reverdy Johnson, taken from us ripe in years and full of honors; we feel that the nation has lost one of its best citizens and the profession its brightest light.

Resolved, That we recall with pride and pleasure and will hold in memory his many virtues and unblemished life, his marked eximiousness as a member of our profession, of that industry, honesty, and fidelity to duty which must characterize him who would who would worthily aid in the administration of justice, or who hope to become truly great as members of our profession.

Resolved, That these resolutions be presented to the District Court, and that we request that they be entered on the record.

LECTURE.—Rev. A. L. Lindsley, D. D., of Portland, Oregon, will lecture to the citizens of Seattle and vicinity, at the Pavilion on Friday evening, February 18th. Those who have heard Dr. Lindsley on former occasions will be glad of this opportunity of hearing him again. All may be assured of an intellectual treat.

BOAT CLUB.—The boat purchased by the Seattle Boat Club in Victoria, came over on the North Pacific last night. It is a clinker-built racing boat, 35 feet long. We are of the opinion that boating will be a very popular amusement here next summer.

The Celilo towed the barkentine Amelita into Freeport this morning.

The Revenue Cutter Oliver Wolcott, which was at anchor here nearly all yesterday afternoon, left for down-Sound this morning.

The bark J. B. Bell sailed for San Francisco last evening. The Aureola took her place at the coal wharf.

Town lots for sale cheap for cash, on the line of the Seattle Coal and Transportation Co.'s railroad, between Seattle and Lake Union. Inquire of G. L. Hatch, Jan 26th.

SPECIAL.

PORT TOWNSEND, Feb. 16.—H. L. Blanchard and G. M. Haller arrived here to-day from Whidby's Island. They came in a Whitehall boat with two boatmen and owing to the strong tide and wind were carried below Point Wilson and in attempting to land the boat was caught by a wave and rolled over several times finally being thrown with great violence on the beach. Both gentlemen were comparatively uninjured. The boatmen were severely hurt and the boat badly stove.

FOR SALE CHEAP.—A cottage and lot. Also other desirable property. Enquire of G. L. Hatch.

Marine Intelligence.

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 14.—Arrived, barkentine C. L. Taylor, Port Blakely; bark Oregon, Seabeck; ship Commodore, Seattle; bark Amie, Departure Bay.

15.—Arrived, bark Enoch Talbot, Seattle. Sailed, bark Antioch, Nainaimo.

PT. GAMBLE, Feb. 15.—Sailed, ship King Phillip.

PT. MADISON, Feb. 15.—Sailed, barkentine W. H. Gawley.

VICTORIA, Feb. 14.—Arrived, ships Itaska and Mathilde.

TO THE BLACK HILLS.—An expedition is being fitted out from this place to go to Black Hills the coming Summer. Quite a number have already joined.—The head-quarters of the expedition are at the City Beer Hall.

We had a call this morning from Mr. J. N. O. McCown, travelling agent of the Portland Daily and Weekly Bee. The Bee is spicy and newsworthy little paper, published at extremely low subscription rates, and cannot fail to be popular.

The bark J. B. Bell goes to sea this afternoon, loaded with Seattle coal.

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LAWYERS AND THEIR CLIENTS, jurors, witnesses and others, during the fatigue of a trial, strain their mental faculties to their utmost extent. To restore the equilibrium oysters prepared in various styles are recommended by the highest judicial authority. The culinary artist of the Puget Sound Confectionary Saloon knows how to serve them.

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LETTER NO. 1.

"When rogues fall out Honest men get the dust." Honest men get their dues to settle a question that has agitated the public mind for some time, it is my privilege to explain. I was interested in the Central Seattle Homestead only as Managing Agent, up to about the first of July, 1875. Up to the time I advertised myself as a swindler, I endeavored to deal justly by the public. As you will notice my article in the DAILY DISPATCH, of about the 1st of July, one of the reasons that caused me to do so, was the proposition made to me by the principals of the enterprise to go on and sell all the lots that I could, intimating that it made no difference if I did sell more than the quantity designated in the circular. I thought by that, that I would not be dealing fair by those that had purchased from or through me up to that time. The reason for saying that I was sorry that I could for this falling off was that their lots or many of them were thrown back over the mountain where they were worthless, and it is well to state when I settled with the Trustees, that he alleged the cause of non-payment to be from my publishing a short circular denouncing the Homestead as a swindle. Now in conclusion, I believe that every dollar paid by parties to the Central Homestead is due to be returned to them and ought to be collected. I ask the public to be charitable to me if they find this true. J. M. RICE.

The other day in New York, a would-be fashionable lady called at a neighbor's at what she thought would be supper time, "Come in," said the neighbor, "we are having tableaux," "I'm so glad," said the visitor, "I thought I smell 'em, and I like 'em better than any thing for supper."

British Columbia Items.

Mr. G. A. Walkem, ex-Attorney General, is said to be an applicant for the position of City Police Magistrate at the hands of the Elliott Government.

Louis Baker, who came from Canada some eight months ago to build the Victoria and Nanaimo lighthouses for a sum far below their cost, has absconded from Nanaimo leaving \$900 due his workmen and large sums owing to storekeepers. The Victoria lighthouse is completed, and the Nanaimo structure is about two-thirds done. The sum for which Baker contracted to complete both structures was \$6900, of \$950 less than the figure that one tenderer offered to build the Nanaimo lighthouse for alone. The absentee drew all the money that was coming to him before he sloped in the steamer Goliath.

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Telegraphic

PORTLAND, Ogn., Feb. 11.—The steam ship Gussie Telfair will probably sail for Puget Sound ports and Victoria tomorrow. Yesterday afternoon at 1.30 o'clock the nuptials of Mr. Sam. Frauenthal of Seattle and Miss Ida Borjes, of this city, were celebrated at Synagogue. The committee on ways and means make the following announcement: That all associations and societies who desire to participate in the celebration of Centennial anniversary of American Independence are hereby requested to appoint their delegates, each to meet with undersigned committee of the Common Council for consultation, at Council rooms, on Feb. 12th at 7 o'clock, P. M. Invitation general, and it is hoped that all organized bodies will co-operate.

The McGibney family intend making the tour of Puget Sound and Victoria before leaving for California. Advice from Astoria state that the weather has been terribly rough at that point for several days past.

Warrants have been issued from justice court for arrest of three well-known cyriani of Portland upon complaint filed by District Attorney Thompson, for keeping a house of ill fame. There are others, we understand, likely to be arrested on same charge.

Information coming to Prosecuting Attorney Thompson that a young lady named Mary C. Taylor, was lying at St. Charles Hotel with illness from effects of an attempt to commit rape on her person by D. J. Quimby of this city, Mr. Thompson notified Chief of Police, who, upon visiting the woman and hearing statement of circumstances, swore out complaint against Quimby who was arrested and gave bail. She was to have sailed on the Ajax on Feb. 1st, but Quimby and a hotel runner, who rode down to the steamer with her, told her the Ajax was an old rotten ship and not seaworthy, reminding her of the fate of the Pacific. She concluded to remain over. That evening Quimby asked her to take a walk. They went around streets, up by post office, and again to business part of city, where he took her into a well furnished house, having folding parlor doors, where there were a number of ladies and gentlemen. After a while, they came out, and went up past a large brick building, where he said he wanted to leave his overcoat in his room which was in that building. She hesitated, but went up; he opened the door, started a music box in the room, and asked her to step inside. She did so, when he locked the door on the inside and took the key. Then he began his efforts to have carnal intercourse with her; at times throwing some fluid over her with a syringe. She fought him and frustrated all his attempts. He undressed and lay in bed trying to prevail on her, she meanwhile sitting in a chair, and entreating him to let her go. In such ways he kept her confined there until 6 o'clock the following morning, when he let her out alone, and she found her way back to the hotel where she has been ill ever since.

Mr. D. J. Quimby asserts that the woman's statements are not true, and that the whole is a piece of black-mailing, and he will fully justify his conduct on examination to-morrow. The following card appears: "As my name was mentioned in your paper in connection with an affair of which I am entirely innocent, I ask the public not to pass judgment, on me until it is passed in court. Signed, D. J. QUIMBY."

The telegraph line is still prostrated on Scott and Trinity Mountains, caused by heavy fall of snow.

PORT TOWNSEND, Feb. 11.—Arrived ship Dashing Wave, San Francisco.

PORT DISCOVERY, Feb. 10.—Brig Merchant sailed for San Francisco to-day.

ANAPOLIS, Feb. 11.—Dr. Stenor, who examined the body of Reverdy Johnson shortly after it was found, gives the following as his theory of the cause of death: "Mr. Johnson either stumbled over a piece of coal, or being seized with vertigo or symptoms of apoplexy, and striving to save himself, staggered along by the northerly side of executive mansion, and at each step, his body gaining additional momentum, so that having reached the door into the basement, he swayed around to the south and fell, his head striking a sharp corner of granite at the base of the house, which gave the first wound in the head. Reaching the pavement of rough cobble stones, a second wound was received in front of the first. At this instant probably the bones of the nose were fractured, and one joint of second finger of eight bones was dislocated. The wounds in the scalp were accompanied with fractures externally—the bones of cranium and base of skull also, with a probable rupture of arteries at the base. Death must have resulted instantly."

Mr. Gwynn, attorney general of State and son-in-law of Mr. Johnson, is of opinion he was seized with vertigo, and fell, as he had a similar attack, lasting three hours, while attending a trial in South Carolina several years ago. When the Assembly met to-day it was immediately informed by communication from Gov. Carroll of the death of Mr. Johnson. Both houses adjourned. They will assemble in the hall of the House at 3 P. M., and then go to Executive Mansion and escort remains to depot, where they will be taken to Baltimore.

BALTIMORE, Feb. 11.—Major Latrobe

this morning issued an order convening the City Council in extra session this evening, that municipal authorities may give expression to great loss sustained in death of Mr. Johnson. The flags on public buildings are at half mast. In the U. S. Dist. Court this morning the death of Mr. Johnson was announced, when the Court at once adjourned.

NEW YORK, Feb. 11.—A Havana letter of recent date says: Government has arrested some twenty persons in different classes of society for being in correspondence with Cuban refugees in New York; among them is Hon. Guillermo de Sabalongo. The letters were seized by police in the hands of one of the postoffice carriers; and clerks at the post office have been examined. It is said important discoveries have been made, and that many persons hitherto supposed to be good Spaniards, are implicated.

PITTSBURGH, Pa., Feb. 11.—The Time's Sioux City special says the excitement over Black Hills news lately received is on the increase, and parties are fitting out and getting ready to depart. A company has been formed to start about the 21st of this month. The leaders profess to have positive assurance that the military will not only not interfere, but will assist them under certain circumstances.

SYRACUSE, N. Y., Feb. 11.—Owen Lindsay, convicted of murder of F. A. Calvin, was hanged to-day in the prison yard. Lindsay persisted to the last in declaring his innocence.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 11.—The fact that Senator Bruce denounced President Grant yesterday in executive session, charging him with interference with southern colored republicans, and with having unjustly taken sides against them in Mississippi, occasions much comment. It is said the President, on hearing of the remarks, sent for Bruce, but his friends say he will not accept of his invitation, as he considers the breach between them too wide to be closed.

LONDON, Feb. 11.—It is reported that differences between British and French fishermen have led to destruction of certain machinery the French used in their operations at New Foundland, and the government has impressed upon the colonial office the advisability of stationing men-of-war permanently at St. Johns.

Sir John Taylor Coleridge, formerly judge of court of Queen's Bench and afterwards editor of the Quarterly Review, died to-day, aged 86. Sir John was nephew of the famous poet, and father of the Right Honorable John Duke Coleridge.

CONSTANTINOPLE, Feb. 11.—The Porte has agreed to apply Count Andrassy's reform, except the clause that requires the revenue from the direct tax in Bosnia and Herzegovina to be employed for the development of those provinces. The Porte only consents to increase the sum for public works there.

YREKA, Cal., Feb. 11.—Since last Sunday we have had all sorts weather—rain, hail, sunshine and snow. The latter is now prevailing with weather quite warm on the mountains. It is the heaviest snow storm ever known for many years. At New York house, Trinity Valley, about seven feet of snow has fallen and about half as much at Trinity Centre, while on Scott Mountains it is up to the top of the telegraph poles. There has been no mail over Trinity and Scott Mountains since last Saturday, but men are hard at work and expect to break a road within two or three days. There has been no stage for two days but the Company have a large force breaking a road and will soon be able to run a stage through.

A STRANGE WEDDING FEE.—A clergyman who was formerly located in this city, but is now in New York, married, a little over a year ago, a couple who at once started for Europe and have recently returned. The bridegroom was a gentleman of wealth, and before he presented himself at the bridal altar, he placed a \$100 greenback in his vest pocket to give the parson for the marriage fee, and did pay it as he thought. While crossing the ocean he discovered, greatly to his astonishment, the bill in his pocket where he had placed it, and could account for its presence there only on the theory that he must have had another bill of a different denomination, which he had donated to the clergyman by mistake. On getting back to this country he determined to solve the mystery, and waited on the reverend gentleman, who did not recognize him and inquired if, on a certain date, he did not marry a certain couple. The clergyman remembered the occasion perfectly. "I know I am about to ask an impertinent question," said the visitor, "but I should like to be informed what fee you received for performing the ceremony?" The clergyman was not prepared to make any disclosure, naturally being astonished that his interviewer should propound such a question; but upon an explanation being made that the gentleman himself, whom he then recognized, was the one he had married, he said that he would of course gratify him, since he was so anxious to know. "I received," he then went on to say, "a very small quantity of chewing tobacco, folded in a very small piece of paper." That was enough; the only thing remaining to be done was to apologize, laugh heartily, shake hands, and make the \$100 deposit good.—Hartford Courant.

At a recent trial in the Elko County Court, says the Nevada Silver State, our friend Bischoff, of the Humboldt brewery, was called as a witness.

Mr. Bischoff is one of the "solid men" of Elko, where he has been in business since the town was started in the winter of 1858. Upon being sworn, Counselor Band, one of the attorneys in the case, who, by the way, is also an old resident of Elko, said: "Mr. Bischoff, where do you reside?" "Where I reside? What for you ask me such foolish questions? You drinks at my place more as a hundred times." "That has nothing to do with the case on trial, Mr. Bischoff; state to the jury where you reside." "De shurry! de shurry! Oh, py jiminy! ofery gentleman on dis shurry has a string of marks on mine cellar door just like a rail fence." His Honor here interceded in the counselor's behalf, and in a calm, dignified manner requested the witness to state where he resided. "Oh, excuse me, Shudge; you drinks at my place so many times and pays me notings, I thinks you know old Bischoff vat keeps the brewery."

DIAMONDS IN CALIFORNIA.—It is reported a diamond field has been discovered in the Coast Range of San Mateo county, on Santa Gloria creek. The discovery was made by Geo. F. Mondon, while prospecting for cinnabar. He found a pocket of brilliant crystals, which have been pronounced diamonds by experts. Mondon says he and his partner prospected the neighborhood carefully for deposits, but failed to find them. He represents that great excitement prevails among the neighboring ranchmen, who have left plow, harrow and seeding machines, and taken to the hills to prospect for diamonds.

BADLY FOGGED.—One night last week, says the San Juan Times, a gentleman at this place, who was up at a late hour, discovered away off in the distance towards Dobbins' Ranch, in Yuba county, a fire burning in the woods. He watched it until daybreak the next morning, and marked the spot in his mind's eye, being perfectly convinced in his own mind that the fire proceeded from the camp of the San Juan and Marysville stage robbers. The next morning he made his suspicions known to a few men that he thought he could rely upon in an emergency, and after making due preparations, he started off to capture the robbers and get the liberal reward offered by Wells, Fargo & Co. for their arrest. His posse was to meet him at an appointed place during the day. They did meet, and after skimming around for a while they made a descent upon the camp and found an Indian camp.

IN TROUBLE.—Dr. J. R. Haskell, well known in this community as a sensational temperance lecturer, was arrested at San Francisco on the 18th instant, on a charge of embezzlement, preferred by Geo. Baner. It is asserted that the Doctor advertised for an assistant, and required him to deposit in the Doctor's hands money conditioned for the faithful performance of the duties of doorker; and that after the performance of that assistance by Baner, of Santa Clara, the Doctor vanished, and failed in his turn to account for the money deposited as well as the salary. It is further hinted that other similar charges are impending by other victims.

Athelinda.—"Mother isn't it wicked to say 'You be blowed,' as Algy does?" Mother—"It's worse than wicked, my dear—its vulgar."

SINGULAR ACT OF A MONOMANIAC.—For a year past, at intervals of about a month, a man about forty-five years of age, of genteel appearance, fine figure, and good, rational conversational powers, has been in the habit of riding on the ferry boats between Philadelphia and Gloucester. He always brings a large paper package with him, and as soon as the boat gets fairly under way, he opens the package and drops its contents, piece by piece, into the river. In this way numerous articles of clothing, of good quality, books of large size and expensive binding, boots and shoes new and partly worn, have been committed to the tides. At times, he brings a box of cigars, and drops them, one by one into the river, until the box is empty. He was once questioned why he squandered things in that way; his reply was that "the tide would doubtless carry them to some one who would make good use of them."

The officers and crews of the boats have become quite familiar with his person, and whenever he comes on board his actions are watched with considerable interest. No attempt has yet been made to restrain him from committing these acts, as he always appears self-possessed and perfectly aware of what he is doing. His last ride was on Thursday last, when on the down trip he distributed to the waves a general assortment of clothing from the forward end of the boat. The deck hands tried to catch some of the articles with a stern-hook as they floated past the boat, but without result.—Philadelphia Ledger.

THE SATISFACTION AND SCIENCE OF EATING APPLES.—The boy is, indeed, the true apple eater, and is not to be questioned how he came by the fruit with which his pockets are filled. It belongs to him. His own juicy flesh craves the juicy flesh of the apple. Sap draws sap. His fruit-eating has little reference to the state of his appetite. Whether he be full of meat or empty of meat, he wants the apple just the same. Before meal or after meal it never comes amiss. The farm boy munches apples all day long. He has nests of them in the haymow, mellowing, to which he makes frequent visits. Sometimes old

Brindle, having access through the open door, smells them out and makes short work of them.

Take other evening he came home with the air of a man bent on business, and, after throwing off his hat and coat, deliberately produced a brace of revolvers, and clapped them down on the table. His wife gave a little shriek, and started to the door, but he spoke to her gently, saying: "Don't be alarmed my dear. The gas man's coming to inspect the matter to-morrow morning, and I thought I'd be prepared."

The apple is, indeed, the fruit of youth. As we grow old we crave apples less. It is an ominous sign. When you are ashamed to be seen eating them on the street; when you can carry them in your pocket and your hand not constantly find its way to them; when your neighbor has apples and you have none, and you make no nocturnal visits to his orchard; when your lunch basket is without them and you can pass a winter's night by the fireside, with no thought of the fruit at your elbow, then be assured you are no longer a boy, either in heart or years.

The genuine apple eater comforts himself with an apple in their season as others with a pipe or cigar. When he has nothing else to do, or is bored, he eats an apple. While he is waiting for the train he eats an apple, sometimes several of them. When he takes a walk he arms himself with apples. His traveling bag is full of apples. He offers an apple to his companion, and takes one himself. They are his chief solace when on the road. He sows their seed all along the route. He tosses the core from the car window and from the top of the stage coach. He would in time make the land one vast orchard. He dispenses with a knife. He prefers that his teeth shall have the first taste. Then he knows the best flavor is immediately beneath the skin and that in a pared apple this is lost. If you will stew the apple, he says, instead of baking it, by all means leave the skin on. It improves the color and vastly heightens the flavor of the dish.

The apple is a masculine fruit; hence woman are poor apple eaters. It belongs to the open air and requires an open air taste and relish.

AN INFANT ATTACKED BY A CAT.—A correspondent of the Richmond Dispatch says that on the 18th inst., as Mr. Daniel Jones' family, in James City, Va., was breakfasting in the kitchen, about 25 yards from the main dwelling, one of his daughters went to look after Mrs. Fanny Lipman's baby, three weeks old, that had been left snugly covered up and stowed away in the enjoyment of his usual morning nap. The little infant was found screaming convulsively and covered with blood. A pet cat, that had evidently ran at the sound of footsteps, was found under the bed, blood being upon his throat and fore legs. Two thoughts at the same time occupied the minds of those present—one to care for the baby, the other to go for the cat. The cat order, "Off with his head," was promptly obeyed. The baby being washed, presented a ghastly sight. One arm; shoulder, face, eye and one side of his head was terribly scratched, and the skin upon the head so badly torn and lifted as to expose the skull. Dr. Hankins was called in, and the little fellow is now doing well, with prospects of recovery.

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