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POETICAL SELECTIONS. Homeward. The day dies slowly in the western sky; The sunset splendor fades, and woe and cold The far peaks wait the sunrise, cheerily The goatherd calls his wanderers to their fold; My weary soul, that fain would cease to roam Take comfort, evening bringeth all things home.

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Here and There. John Taylor, the Mormon, receives \$415,000 a year in tithings. Forty-seven per cent. of all the laborers in this country are farmers. During the past year our exports exceeded our imports in value by over \$200,000,000. The excitement in Canada over the expected raid is increasing, and great activity is manifested among the militia.

May 12th, Irave Bartlett, a farmer living near Littleton, W. Va., aged eighty years, cut his throat with a razor. Leamington, another of the famous old racers, has died. He was the sire of some of the leading horses now on the turf. The Providence (R. I.) Tool company have completed a contract with the Russian government for the manufacture of over a half million of rifles.

In the Indian appropriation bill this year there is a provision requiring that when practicable a portion of the subsistence funds may be used to encourage agricultural pursuits among the tribes. The Chinese in New York number about one thousand, and the Herald says if they continue to grow they will not be very long before they will have a fair share of the municipal offices.

The aggregate quantity of land under cultivation has increased from 90,000,000 of acres in 1870, to 120,000,000 in 1877; that is to say, we had 30,000,000 acres more under the plough in 1877 than in 1870. In Portland you can buy a splendid salmon for 25 cents, which, in New York, would readily bring \$10. In New York you can buy a fine shad for 25 cents, which would easily find a purchaser in Portland at \$10. A statistician, professing to be well informed as to the tide of emigration now starting westward, estimates that Nebraska will gain 50,000, Kansas 75,000, and Texas 200,000 population before the present year is finished.

Emperor William, of Prussia, keeps a diary of the things he sees, about 1200 a year. In 1819, while shooting, he hit an eagle accidentally, and so on his right hand he has a great deal of a forefinger. The review of our mercantile marine, is a dreary story of our decadence in that branch of business. Our total tonnage to-day is only three-fourths of what it was seventeen years ago, while that of other nations has been in some cases trebled in the same period.

Eastern journals state that the vendors of five arms in New York and elsewhere have lately been receiving many letters from California, containing inquiries for price lists of arms, and particularly repeating rifles. In some instances the writers have not hesitated to say that the weapons were wanted to shoot Chinamen with. There are some indications that Austria has changed her intentions regarding intervention in the Eastern controversy, and that she is gradually tending towards an alliance with England. The recent speeches of Prince Aersperg and Count Tisza in the Austrian Reichsrath and the Hungarian Diet, fore-shadow an important change in the policy of the government.

The steamship Californian, originally intended for the Oregon trade, and recently purchased in Philadelphia by the Russian government, is said to be eminently adapted to the line of business the Albatross pursued so successfully, but instead of fitting out as a privateer, she will be a regular Russian war vessel. The waiting, which the English are said to be waiting will afford the Russians time to gather a number of these fast steamers to prey on British commerce. It will be borne in mind that the laws of the United States against furnishing aid to a belligerent at war with a country with whom we are at peace do not go into force until war has been formally declared, and until official notice thereof has been received at Washington. So as matters now stand, both Russia and England can buy just as many of our ships, recruit just as many of our soldiers, and export from us as many munitions of war, as they please.

In addition to those existing in New York and other large eastern cities, many communistic societies have been discovered in some of the southern states. A few days since, one was unearthed at Parkersburg, West Virginia. It is said to have a membership of 600, regularly officered and drilled, but have no arms or ammunition, so far as is known. The members are very reticent and will not tell the object of their organization, and its meetings are held with great secrecy. Other societies are said to exist in that state, but no others have been unearthed as yet.

Pischo (New York) Report.—An Indian, nicknamed Buck, who is brother to the chief of the Muddy Indians, lately paid a visit to Pioche, having just returned from St. George, Utah. He says that the Mormons in that neighborhood have been telling the Indians "Go swim (get baptized); that God come by me and kill all the Indians," and that in consequence, "heap Indians swim." Buck who is a wide awake Indian, and has a son to business, says he told the Mormon bishop, "You give me six white squaws me heap swim; you no give me six white squaws me no swim."

A Washington letter writer says: There is an impression in official circles that the communists have set the month of June for such a rising as they can effect, and that the San Francisco organization, having the most desperate chiefs, is likely to lead off. There is no doubt that a good many sensible people in western cities think that the law-abiding citizens are not unprepared, and there is an impression here that, while the government may be called on to help to suppress riots, the people will be better prepared for resistance than last year, and will perhaps in some of the western cities be found ready to take matters in their own hands, and teach the lawless classes such a lesson as they learned in San Francisco and as was not forgotten for a long time.

The Montana papers contain accounts of the marvelous discovery of a gold bonanza in that territory. In the recital of the incidents connected with this discovery we see unfolded another chapter of the romance of the mines, another wonderful surprise for a stolid worker who had been dogged by ill fortune from the time of his first going to California in the old "gold fever" days, and who, at last, from the depths of discouragement, finds himself made rich beyond all his dreams as suddenly and finely as things happen in a fairy story. But a month or two since, Vesta, the discoverer, could borrow in Helena only with the greatest difficulty on the security of his mine a few hundred dollars with which to continue his efforts to work it, and ere his small borrowed capital was gone he is offered by sharp men with their eyes to all chances there to be formed thousand and then four hundred thousand dollars for the property whose great value he has at last made clear.

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PEACE.—The cry of the cable dispatches is peace, peace! But there is no peace. What will be worth more next fall than it is now.

NO WAR.—Capt. Wilkinson, of General Howard's staff, has returned to Portland from a visit to Meese. Capt. W. represents that neither Meese nor his people want war, and that all reports to the contrary are without foundation.

THE MEETING OF THE CONSTITUTIONAL CONVENTION in this city will soon bring together in our midst a host of ambitious and highly intellectual politicians; yet so well established and so admirably adjusted is our city government, including, as a matter of course, our water works, that up to this time, we have not felt the slightest shock.

CONGRESS.—The New York Herald is our authority for stating that congress will not adjourn before sometime in July. In the meantime, God help the people, whose interests are suffering from doubt and confusion, superinduced by the many ridiculous measures now pending before either house. The world is governed altogether too much.

A GOOD PLAN TO FOLLOW.—Hereabouts when a jury has remained over night, and comes in the next morning with the statement that the jurors are unable to agree, they are discharged, and another jury empanelled and the country for the expense of a second trial. They do things slightly different in Philadelphia, where recently the court kept a jury out twelve days.

A BAD SHOWING.—Murat Halstead, of the Cincinnati Commercial, who has just returned from Paris, says that the exhibit made at the exposition by the United States is disgraceful and disgusting. According to the irate editor, the principal business of Mr. McCormick is to attend to the innumerable commissions who swarm over from this country.

SUSPICIONS.—There is something suspicious about the vehemence and frequency with which the radical papers of Oregon declare that the republican party in that state is "harmonious and enthusiastic." There is no better evidence of the absence of certain desirable qualities than the too blatant claim of their presence. The man who is half drunk is pretty sure to reveal his condition by the positiveness with which he declares that he has had a drop. Genuine vitality seldom advertises itself with words in lieu of works.

MYSTERIOUS.—One of the telegrams sent to the republican headquarters by Chandler, who went to Florida to see "a fair count" for Hayes, or, in other words, see that unmitigated lumbago was counted in, reads as follows:

William Robinson in small cherries; probably shall not need him; apples about twenty; best to be ready for any emergency. It strikes us that Robinson, surnamed William, who travels around the country in the shape of "small cherries," may have found his way to Oregon. Our friends on the line had better keep a sharp lookout for him.

RATHER TOO MILD.—Woolle, the man who murdered Mr. Sullivan, at Union, the other night, and attempted to murder Mrs. Sullivan, was arraigned one day last week to answer a charge of "murder in the second degree." Just what constitutes murder in the first degree over in Oregon will, judging from this, remain an unwritten mystery. There is no doubt but that if Woolle had been arraigned on both sides, he would have been hanged; and that too, without the intervention of judge or jury. As he only committed a cruel and foolish murder, he will in all probability be acquitted. The life of a fellow being should certainly be as valuable as a fifteen dollar cayuse horse.

MORE ABOUT THAT FARE.—We find this very sensible and appropriate paragraph in the Olympia Courier: "The Tribune thinks that the recent light vote for delegates to the constitutional convention was because the candidates on both sides were so unobjectionable that voters did not care to make trouble to go to the polls to vote against any of them. This may be true of the candidates, so far as their fitness for the places, was concerned, but after a great deal of talk with intelligent men from all parts of the territory, both east and west of the mountains, it seems almost certain that the opposition to our assuming state-hood at present is deep-seated and far-reaching and we look for the constitution to be rejected by a large vote."

THAT CONVENTION.—Says the Courier: "The vote for constitutional delegates has been canvassed. The counties of Wallowa, Skamania, Stevens returned no vote. For delegates at large W. A. George received 2,416 votes, S. M. Gilmore, 2,387, Edward Eldridge, 2,299, O. F. Gerrish, 1,911, A. J. Cain, 1,079, M. V. Harper, 917, J. P. Johnson, 761, and S. C. Wiegand, 250. The delegates from the judicial districts are: S. M. Wait, 1st district, R. F. Demission, 2d district, and C. H. Larabee, 3d district. Those from the council districts are: G. P. Lacy, L. B. Andrews, Francis Henry, O. H. Stewart, A. S. Abernethy, D. B. Hamann, C. M. Bradshaw, H. B. Emery and J. V. O'Dell. According to our estimate of the political complexion of the convention it will consist of 8 republicans and 7 democrats. Another electoral commission."

ROGUE.—As is well known, Shepherd, of the Bedford Democrat, bitterly opposes a portion of the Oregon democratic ticket, assigning as a reason that it was nominated through a fraudulent and corrupt bargain. To get even, and to show why the editor of that paper is so vehement in his denunciations, some of the abused candidates have published a letter from Shepherd, in which he intimates that his name is Cronmy, and that he wants money; otherwise he will go over to the enemy. At first we were disposed to think the letter a forgery, but a reliable person, who saw the precious document, vouches for its genuineness. The practice of black-mailing candidates has been very common with radical journals, and also with a certain class of so-called democratic papers. This is the first instance, however, where a leading organ of the party has ever resorted to that sort of an expedient to "raise the wind." There must be something very demoralizing connected with Oregon politics.

CONSTITUTIONAL CONVENTION.—In a few days the delegates selected at the recent fair, sometimes called L. for form's sake, and election, will meet in this city for the purpose of drawing \$5 per day from the territorial treasury. This mind destroying and laborious task will be relieved by an attempt to frame a constitution for a territory that does not, as yet, want to become a state, and if it did, would not be admitted. Notwithstanding the earnest protests of most of our leading citizens, a majority of the delegates propose to "go on with the play," a performance that of necessity must have a ridiculous ending. It is suggested that, in view of the appearance of Frank Henry as a delegate, that the convention be transferred into a mystical lodge, and that it adopt the ritual of the U. F's, an order, at one time, highly popular with many of our citizens. In any event the spectacle will be an amusing one, and if the tax payers can afford to pay for the music, why the STATESMAN offers no objection to the band playing. But we must have lively times.

A Few Facts.

A certain Oregon paper, for reasons known to its editor, has, from time to time with a great flourish of trumpets, and with such other variations as best suited its fair and purposes, and, at times, in order to strengthen its position, accompanied by what must hereafter prove to have been bogus manufactured telegrams, asserted that the Northern Pacific Railroad company would not accept the provisions of the bill, recent passed by the senate, extending the time for the completion of that road. This statement has been so persistently repeated that many people have at length, though reluctantly, come to believe it true. Now that writer happened to be in Washington when the bill, as it now reads, was prepared, and knows from his personal knowledge that it is satisfactory to a majority of the stockholders—the men who will have to furnish the money to carry on the work of construction when operations are resumed. A short time, about two weeks, before the bill was reported from the senate committee on railroads, a meeting of the stockholders, or at least a majority of them, was held in Philadelphia. The question of building the portage roads at the Dalles and Cascades was for the first time, presented to them in a manner that they could understand, most of those present, up to that hour, having no accurate knowledge of this country. Figures were laid before that meeting, showing the immense commerce on our river, the most fabulous profits made each year by the only transportation company controlling the navigation of the Columbia, and also the desirability of the Northern Pacific, in view of the construction of its road eastward on Snake river, to have these portages built as their construction would give the company a decided advantage in securing a through line of coast, so far as transportation of the Columbia is concerned. So favorable was this showing received that a committee was appointed to visit Washington for the purpose of conferring with the senators who had charge of the bill. On their arrival they called upon senators Matthews and Mitchell, and this whole subject was carefully considered, and at the request of senator Mitchell, senator Matthews drew up an amendment embodying the views of these stockholders in relation to the portages; and this amendment, as it now stands in the bill, is that as substantially recited upon and recommended by the committee of gentlemen of which we speak. The stockholders favored this proposition also shown by the debate when the bill was pending. Mr. Windom, of Minnesota, the most active friend the measure had in the senate, repeatedly stated that the bill was satisfactory to the company, and that he (Windom) hoped all amendments would be voted down. Yet, in the face of all these facts, public journalists, and a man who ought to know better if he don't, deliberately stated that the company will not accept the bill their own bill—and that the road will not be constructed. We tell him, and we plead our word to the people of this whole country, that the stockholders of the Northern Pacific are determined to build these portage roads. It is true that there are some gentlemen connected with that company, yet, for obvious reasons, are opposed to any legislation looking to the ultimate free navigation of the Columbia river. They are, however, in the minority, and their day, so far as shaping the destinies of the Northern Pacific, is rapidly drawing to a close.

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LOST STRAYED OR STOLEN.—His name is Morrison, and when at home, resides on the farm in New Jersey, a land famous for cranberries and muscadines. When last heard from he had been nominated for register of the land-office in this city; since which time all traces of his whereabouts have been lost. It is presumed by some that he accidentally found his way into senator Oglesby's pocket, and, like many other unfortunates, will be compelled to remain there. In the meantime Johnson is almost crushed with grief.

It now appears that the Earl of Leitrim was killed by the relatives of a woman whom he had seduced. They went from England to Ireland for the purpose of the deed of the three men who committed the deed are said to have escaped to this country.

The Iowa grangers are getting more and more reckless. They are now making sugar out of good corn, suitable for whisky. There must be an end to this wastefulness some time.

New Advertisements.

J. E. BINGHAM, M. D., OFFICE, ON MAIN STREET, NEXT TO Day's Drug Store. Residence, corner of First and Alder streets, opposite Glasgow's Planing Mill.

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LOCAL RATES OF FARE: Walla Walla to Waiilatpu, \$2 50; " " " Dayton, 3 00; " " " Marengo, 5 00; " " " Pomeroy's, 7 50; " " " Alport, 8 75; " " " Lewiston, 10 00.

New coaches, good stock, skilled drivers, reliable performance of service on time, are special features of the line.

OFFICE at Stine House, Walla, W. T. J. M. GORMAN, Agent; Dayton, D. C. GUENESY, Agent; Lewiston, RAYMOND SAUX, Agent. [26-4] M. FETTES, Prop'r.

Sale of Real Estate for Delinquent Taxes.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, THAT PURSUANT to law, I will offer for sale, at public auction, to the highest bidder, for each and every lot, the following described parcels of Real Estate, upon which the taxes for the preceding year, to-wit, the year 1877, have not been paid. Said Real Estate is assessed and described as follows:

- On Monday, the First Day of July, 1878, The following described parcels of Real Estate, upon which the taxes for the preceding year, to-wit, the year 1877, have not been paid. Said Real Estate is assessed and described as follows: Adams, E. G.—SW quarter of S E quarter, section 29, T 8 N, R 35 E. \$ 6 75; Armstrong, J. M.—Block 5 and 19, Shiel's Addition to Walla Walla City, 21 47; Childs, B.—Lots 4 and 5, block 3 in Waiilatpu 9 71; Fulford, Jesse—Lot 1, in block 14, Langford's Addition to Walla Walla City, 7 50; Galtcher, J. A.—SW quarter of section 29, T 8 N, R 35 E. 16 29; Graves, Josiah—SE quarter of lot 5, block 14, Walla Walla City, 30 61; Hartman, A. F.—Lot 1, block 18, Walla Walla City, 20 25; Jacobs, Richard—Lots 8 and 9, block 11, Walla Walla City, 31 83; Kenoyer, S. D.—SE quarter of section 14, T 7 N, R 35 E. 6 75; Lock, Daniel—Block 12, in Walla Walla City, 24 68; Malone, T. J.—SE quarter of SW quarter, and SW quarter of SE quarter of section 29, T 8 N, R 35 E. 17 17; Shoultz, Philip—SE quarter of SE quarter, and the E half of SE quarter of SW quarter, and E half of SW quarter of SW quarter, section 29, T 8 N, R 35 E. 40 61; Stewart, E. M.—SE quarter of SW quarter of section 3, T 8 N, R 35 E. 2 27; Vinnequeltz, Estate of—Commencing at a point 100 feet westerly from the NE corner of block 12, in Walla Walla City, thence running westerly along line of Main street to the easterly line of A. H. Reynolds', thence southerly, at right angles, to the alley thence easterly, at right angles, to a point opposite the place of beginning, thence northerly, at right angles, to said place of beginning. 39 47; Varney, Chas.—Lots 12 and 13, block 2, Shamba's Addition to Walla Walla City, 2 51; Ward, James—Lot 3, block 16, Walla Walla City, and E half of block 6 and 7, in C. M. Cain's Addition, 25 50; Whitley, S. H.—SW quarter of SE quarter of SE quarter, and SW quarter of NW quarter, section 17, T 7 N, R 35 E. 14 44; Also, the following described Real Estate, which has been previously sold to the county of Walla Walla, for payment of taxes, assessed upon the same for the several years hereinafter set forth, with the accruing interest and costs thereon, will be offered for sale, to-wit: Bergevin, Louis—Year 1872—NE quarter of section 25, T 9 N, R 31 E. \$16 31; Babcock, Ruth—1874—N half of NE quarter of section 29, SE quarter of SE quarter of section 27, T 7 N, R 31 E. 32 45; Courtney, J. H.—SE quarter of SW quarter, and the NW quarter of SW quarter of section 26, T 8 N, R 35 E. 15 80; Cozzogno, Mike—1873—Lot 4, block 4, in addition to Walla Walla City, 33 90; DAVIS, H. C.—1875—NE quarter of SE quarter and NW quarter of SW quarter of section 17, T 9 N, R 35 E. 15 86; Evans, B.—1872—SW quarter of section 33, T 7 N, R 35 E. 35 72; Fish, W.—Esterly of E half of section 17, T 8 N, R 35 E. 8 43; Ferrell, Seth—1873—E half of SE quarter of section 29; NW quarter of SW quarter of section 29, T 8 N, R 35 E. 25 78; Fay, A. R.—1873—Lots 1 and 2, block 8, Roberts' Addition to Walla Walla City, 15 27; Graves, Josiah—1875—SE quarter of lot 5, block 14, Walla Walla City, 30 61; Hastings, Enoch G.—1872—SE quarter of NW quarter and NE quarter of SW quarter of section 17, T 7 N, R 35 E. 17 20; Hart, Franklin—1873—Lots 3, 4, 7 and 8 in block 8, Reese's Addition, 17 94; Hunter, J. W.—1873—Lot 4, block 8, in section 14 and 15, block 7, Roberts' Addition 21 68; Hoon, J. E.—1872—Lots 2, 3 and 4, section 17, T 6 N, R 34 E. 43 60; Hunter, J. W.—1872—Lot 2 and 3, in block 11, in block N. 38 81; Hammer, L. and S.—1872—SW quarter of section 10, T 8 N, R 35 E. 33 90; Jacobs, John—1873—Esterly of E half of section 18, T 8 N, R 35 E. 24 77; Jenkins, H. C.—1873—Beginning at the SE corner of the NE quarter of SE quarter of section 19, T 7 N, R 35 E. thence N 40 rods, thence W 8 rods, thence S 40 rods, thence E 8 rods, to a point 100 feet westerly from the NW corner of section 23, T 9 N, R 35 E. 24 29; Scenally, J. R.—1874—W half of NW quarter and SW quarter of section 23, T 9 N, R 35 E. 24 29; McEvoy, Jas.—1872—S half of SE quarter of section 24, T 9 N, R 35 E. 11 47; Martin, Harrison—1875—Fraction of lots 1 and 2, in block B, town of Dayton, 5 00; Martin, Charles—1875—S half of SW quarter of section 8, T 6 N, R 29 E. 9 81; Nichols, John—1874—S half of NW quarter of section 29, S half of NW quarter of section 29, T 8 N, R 35 E. 22 74; O'Bryant, H. D.—1874—S half of SE quarter of section 21, T 8 N, R 35 E. 23 47; Popot, A. R.—1875—Lots 1 and 2, block 7, Roberts' Addition, 6 19; Rhoads, F. B.—1872—W half of SW quarter and SE quarter of section 36, T 10 N, R 36 E. 51 00; Ries, J. H.—1871—Lot 19, block B, town of Waiilatpu, 15 12; Store, Frank—1872—Fraction of section 10, in block 8, fraction of lots 3 and 4, block 11; and lots 6 and 7, block 11, Walla Walla City, 41 24; Stone, Frank—1872—Fraction of section 10, in block 8, fraction of lots 3 and 4, block 11; and lots 6 and 7, block 11, Walla Walla City, 49 84; Simpson, A. P.—N 1/2 of SW quarter of section 15, T 7 N, R 35 E. 14 37; Stiel, F. W.—1874—SE quarter and E half of NW quarter of section 23, T 9 N, R 35 E. 9 69; Vinnequeltz, J. G.—1876—Fraction of lots 3 and 4, block 13, Walla Walla City, 63 85; Westcott, A.—1874—NW quarter of section 24, T 9 N, R 35 E. 11 87; [26-3] Said sale will be held at the Court House door, in the city and county of Walla Walla, W. T., and will commence on said first day of July, 1878, and will continue, from day to day, until all the said Real Estate hereinbefore described, shall have been sold, each and every name or tract, or until the same shall have been offered twice on different days.

ORANGE JACOBS, Delegate Washington Territory.

Palouse Country. The demand for dwelling houses in Colfax is increasing. The Gazette favors an opposition line on the Columbia river.

The district court convenes at Colfax on Monday, the 3d inst. Strawberry festivals are becoming very common in and about Colfax.

Sixty thousand pounds of wool were shipped from Penawawa last week. The hand-engine formerly in use by the Tigers, of this city, has reached Colfax.

The people of Whitman county met today in Colfax for the purpose of organizing an agricultural society.

Moscow is to have a hotel. A number of buildings are in course of erection, and the town bids fair to be a permanent success.

Says the Gazette: "There have been several rumors circulated lately that the filians were going to cause more trouble in this summer. One was that chiefs Simboah and Moses had joined to make war against the whites. These rumors can be traced to a class of men who are doing all in their power to act up another scheme, keep the pole out of the country, buy improved claims cheap, and all kinds of speculation. We heard a freighter say last fall, he wished there was another war; he could make it the money he would ever want."

Colfax, the county seat of Whitman county, and the centre of trade of the Palouse country, is beautifully situated in the junction of the North and South Palouse, and has a population of about 500. It has no hotels, the principal of which is a nice two-story frame building, and capable of accommodating a large number of guests. The town has a lively trade, and new buildings are being erected on every corner. In the next two years the town will at least double its population. A schoolhouse and church are the most prominent buildings in town. Nearly all the mechanical trades, arts and professions are fully represented.

NOT TO BE REDUCED.—Notwithstanding the efforts of a number of demagogues, who sought to make a reputation for economy by reducing our already skeleton of an army the house, by a decided majority, refused to sanction this cheap party system of so-called economy. The army, therefore, for the next fiscal year remains at 25,000 men. Instead of reducing the number, it ought to be increased to 40,000. For contemporary means, the average congressman is a success. As a rule, they have about as much liberality as brains; and an ordinary luntan rooster has enough of the latter article to supply at least a dozen representatives.

Simply writing the above, the telegraph brings news that the demagogues have succeeded, and the number has been reduced to 20,000.

SAYS THE WASHINGTON CAPITAL: "England is likely, like Bob Acres, to 'fight, sooner than so much good passion should be wasted." She is wound up to go, and will probably go. "Those island mastiffs, when once they are aroused, are difficult to quiet; and conquer some great men may preach about peace, and will commend the peace policy, when England is once again, light and great at sea, it is the only thing that will ease her mind. The reports are like the bulletins of the weather in variety and uncertainty; but the spirit of the English people is now, as from the first, the reason and the angry of war."

HARVEST OF 1878.

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FARMERS OF WALLA WALLA VALLEY

Are unanimous in their expression that the

Agricultural Implements

—SOLD BY—

PAINÉ BROS.,

ARE THE PERFECTION OF MECHANICAL SKILL, AND ARE, IN ALL respects, the only articles of farm machinery adapted to the wants of this locality. For the harvest of 1878, MESSRS. PAINÉ BROS. invite the attention of farmers to

THE HARVESTER KING!

This Binder is recognized by all experienced persons as the only one yet invented free from serious defects. The Automatic Crane Binder Attachment, having been thoroughly tested, is admitted to be superior to all others in the market. A comparison will satisfy any one that the HARVESTER KING is the only one now in existence that has stood the test, and we caution farmers against purchasing any other.

The Champion Self-Raker!

Is the simplest, yet, at the same time, most durable and effective ever invented. Its merits are too well known to require any word of commendation from us. Every farmer who has used it is its friend; and to the hundreds to whom we have sold this implement, we refer, confidently believing that in every instance it will receive unqualified praise.

Buffalo Pitts "Challenger" Thresher!

This machine, embodying many improvements, and manufactured expressly to meet the wants of this country, stands at the head of all other machines, and by long experience, in which its reliability has been thoroughly tested, has deservedly earned the title of

KING OF THRESHING MACHINES.

An intelligent farmer, one who has any knowledge of his calling, would not think of purchasing any other. Go anywhere in the Walla Walla Valley, and ask which machine has proved the most durable, the best adapted to the climate and the work to be done, and the universal answer will be the BUFFALO PITTS CHALLENGER. This machine can be relied upon. Can as much be said of others?

The new and valuable improvement added to the

Haines' Single Gear Header,

Makes it superior to any now in the market, and purchasers should see that no inferior article is drawn upon them, as there are many machines offered, which, when tested, prove to be utterly worthless. An examination of this Header is earnestly requested.

PAINÉ BROS.,

26-4f Cor. Main and Second Streets.

Magic Pump!

First. Early risers report a heavy frost on the ground Tuesday morning.

Second. Matches at best are poor playthings. In the hands of small children they become very dangerous, and serious results are likely to follow.

AGENTS.—The O. S. N. company has established an agency at Alameda, with Miles Moore as agent.

BOATMAN.—The business on our local water courses at this time about 100 tons of down freight per week. The up freights amount to 225 tons for the same period.

PAID OFF.—Major Cochran's company of infantry, just down from Lapwai, was paid off on Monday by Major Maynard, who returned a few days ago from Colville.

DEAR.—John Wenzel, accompanied by his family, Mr. Ayer, clerk of the court, and Marshal Hughes, have taken their departure for Colfax, where the district court will convene on Monday next.

DEPARTURES.—Lillie, a very beautiful and interesting girl, the daughter of Judge Ballwin, left a village on Thursday last, to the result of this being made. In his address, the Judge has the sympathy of all our citizens.

FOR THE LATER COUNTY.—A train of wagons, containing the family goods of a number of enterprising men, who, having become disgusted with the wilderness here, concluded to move to a more settled spot, passed through the city on Thursday, bound for the Palouse country.

CHINESE.—A portion of the 800 Chinese who arrived in Portland one day last week reached Walla Walla on Tuesday last. After purchasing their picks and shovels and other implements necessary for successful mining they struck out for the upper Columbia.

WEST FRANCHISE.—In regard to the annual exhibit of the fair of this county, published in this issue of the Statesman, we will state that there is no time for the fair to be held in the city on Thursday, as the district court, which, owing to some misunderstanding in the matter, has not yet been settled.

COMPLETION.—The V. B. Church will hold completion at the following places: Pilot Rock Tuesday, June 2nd; Walla Walla Circuit, Wednesday, June 3rd; Touchet, Thursday, June 4th; Palouse, on the 5th; Colfax, Thursday, July 2nd. No peddlers or early starts permitted.

SOBRIETY ASSOCIATION.—The regular monthly meeting of this society, which will be held on Monday evening, will be held in the City Hall, on Thursday evening, the proceeds to be devoted to furnishing and otherwise promoting the cause of the Episcopate.

ENTERTAINMENT.—A very interesting entertainment, consisting of recitations, music, etc., will be given at the City Hall, on Thursday evening, the proceeds to be devoted to furnishing and otherwise promoting the cause of the Episcopate.

BOATMAN.—Some time ago the O. S. N. company entered into an arrangement by which the Rose men's men could obtain their goods at more reasonable rates by way of the Columbia river than by land to Wainwright and Kelso. The difference being quite as low upon a large shipment. The trade, under this arrangement, was gradually being done by way of Umatilla, and some parties had been almost a success. For some time, however, the freight rates have been so high, that the company, as a consequence, has been unable to apply to the railroad.

GRANDS BIRTHDAY.—The citizens of Walla Walla, who have of late been so busy with the sun's light, under the British flag, celebrated the fifty-ninth birthday of Queen Victoria by music, fireworks, and other manifestations of joy. The affair is said to have been highly enjoyable to those who witnessed the display of some fireworks, in this far country, the birthday of our queen is universally respected, and who are anxious to spend for all that is good and virtuous.

SUBSTITUTION.—The following bill was opened on the 24th of May, by Lieut. Upton, quartermaster, and are for the funds for the 24th of May, 1878: Fresh beef, on the block, for beef to two, all that may be required. Chris. Smith, 1 cent and 82 hundredths per pound; Wm. Kilduff, 4 cents and 74 hundredths per pound; A. Nichol, 4 cents and 29 hundredths per pound. Fresh, 2500 lbs., at \$2.50 per hundred; 5000 lbs. family flour, at \$2.25 per hundred; flour, all by J. M. Welch.

WALLA WALLA ARRIVAL.—In a recent copy of the Statesman, published at Bellefleur, Pa., we find this: "Walla Walla, Washington territory, must be a lively place, if the printed description we have from Mr. Jas. B. Thompson, a former resident of Bellefleur, does not exaggerate its beauties, advantages, or picturesque views. We would like to print the circular in full, but have not the space to spare, and presume any one contemplating making the full description of this lively place by addressing Mr. Thompson at Walla Walla."

A MISTAKE.—From the occurrence of Friday and Saturday last, it must be apparent to all that a blunder was committed in permitting the hand engine, formerly in use by the Tigers, to leave the station before its successor had arrived. The Statesman does not know who is responsible for this mistake; but that an almost criminal error was made in allowing the hand engine to be taken out of town, and thus cripple the department, is manifest. Our department when the two engines were here was none too large, and instead of a blundering effort ought to be made to make it more effective.

PLEASE EXERCISE US.—A communication addressed to the Statesman, and signed "Vindex," containing the recital of a scandalous rumor reflecting upon a well known citizen, is respectfully declined. The editor of this paper does not include in the character of literature, and we would say to the writer of the communication that no gentleman, or any man claiming to be such, would be guilty of retailing the dissemination of scandal. Instead of publishing his communication, we would much prefer advising the writer's person with a coat of tar and feathers.

OUR LOCAL ROAD.

The following communication received by telegraph from the senior editor of the Statesman, now in Portland, is sufficiently clear to render all explanations unnecessary: PORTLAND, May 27th, 1878.

EDITOR STATESMAN.—I have just this moment learned that the Oregon Steam Navigation company has purchased Dr. Baker's railroad. Dr. Baker and wife are here, and the transfer papers have been signed. The transfer is to take place at the commencement of the coming year, but, in the mean time, every arrangement will be made to accommodate the increased trade, and the trade that is expected to pass over the route. The company is building new boats at the Dalles and Celilo, and these, added to their present fleet, will enable them when the busy season commences to move a thousand tons of grain per day. The portage road is being placed in excellent condition, and the new road at the Cascades, on the Oregon side, will be pressed to an early completion. The company has now on the way from Europe thirty-five miles of railroad iron, which will be used to make railroad connection between Walla Walla. The people of Walla Walla valley have a bright future before them, and should be prepared to make the best of their opportunities. Every facility will be provided for moving their crops, and more favorable rates may confidently be expected.

W. H. N.

In addition to the above, the following telegram was received at this office on Thursday: PORTLAND, May 29th, 1878.

It is authoritatively announced that arrangements have been made between the Walla Walla and Columbia river railroad company and Messrs. J. C. Ainsworth, R. R. Thompson, S. C. Reed, W. S. Ladd, C. E. Tilton and Dr. P. S. Baker, for the purpose of building a general system of narrow gauge railroads to meet the requirements of the grain producing country bordering on the upper Columbia and Snake rivers; and that the Walla Walla and Columbia river railroad becomes a part of the new enterprise, and that the work of extending the same will be commenced as soon as practicable. It is also stated, on same authority, that in the month of July or August next there will arrive at Portland thirty-five miles of steel rails, with locomotives, rolling stock, etc., for the same enterprise.

OUR STREETS AGAIN.

EDITOR STATESMAN.—I note in the last number of your issue the attack of "California" on the present condition of the streets of this beautiful city. I will not attempt to make an entire rebuttal, but think there is a certain amount of injustice expressed, which Walla Walla does not deserve. All streets and alleys, as charged, are not in a filthy and unhealthy condition. This may apply to the business portion of town in a great measure, but I think the charge severe, when applied to the private residences of our best citizens. I am also glad to state, that the very streets on which "California" most likely founded his opinion are being bulldozed and graded in a very workmanlike manner, and, when completed, will present a clean and tidy, as well as a beautiful appearance. I am inclined to believe this statement for fear that strangers may get an erroneous idea of this most beautiful of all inland cities.

INDIANIAN.

NOT STICHER.—We learn that it is now considered positive that Lieut. Moore's death was accidental. It seems that in the dam on Fork creek there is a waterfall, through which the water flows with great force and descends into the creek. One day, a horse, built of bone and much inclined. Across the dam there is a single plank, used as a foot bridge, and it is thought that Lieut. Moore fell from this plank and was strangled in passing through the waterfall and down the flume, as his body was found in the creek just below, with one arm bent as if he had tried to catch himself as he passed there. His corpse was also found hanging to one of the timbers of the Standard.

SOME OF OUR FRIENDS OVER IN UMATILLA COUNTY, so far as their politics are concerned, just about now, are like the little girl who wanted to visit her grandmother because "she made lots of gingerbreads and always kept them on the 'lower shelf.'" Who stands in the place of the gingerbread we don't know, but the boys are very hungry for the gingerbreads.

GRAND MAN.—Contracts have been awarded for the lumber to be used in the construction of an immense steam mill just near Weston. We understand that the machinery for this enterprise will be manufactured by Messrs. Frong & Coles, of this city.

EXERCISE.—At a regular meeting of the Episcopate Lodge No. 2, I. O. O. F., held May 23rd, 1878, the following officers were elected for the ensuing term: Joseph Boy, N. G.; J. D. Johnson, V. G.; Mr. Brown, Treasurer; R. H. Williams, Secretary.

CITY ASSESSMENT.—The city assessor's returns for this year will show an increase in the taxable property of \$125,000 over the assessment of last year. The town numbers about 20 more in population than it did last year.

CHICKS.—There was not so fair a promise for so beautiful prospects as now. From all sections gratifying reports reach us of the favorable condition of the crops, the yield of cereals promising to be immense.

RELEASE FROM MACHINERY.—Those of our readers who contemplate purchasing agricultural implements will find it to their advantage to read the advertisement of Paton Bros., in another column. It is attractive, and contains some excellent reading.

A NEW TOWN.—A site for a new town, about three miles from Weston, near the mouth of Alkali flat, has been laid out, and the proprietor, with becoming modesty, has named this colony metropolis Kirkville.

MEMBER.—The mills in this vicinity are being run up to their utmost capacity, and even then it is found almost impossible to supply the demand, which is daily increasing at a rate that is astonishing.

FOR THE PALOUSE.—All of that portion of Linn county known as the Walla Walla head is getting ready to start on the Palouse country.

AT AN EARLY HOUR on Tuesday morning, the American Exchange hotel, in Portland, was partially destroyed by fire. Damage, \$12,000.

BUSINESS NOTICES. BATTERY PATTERNS.—Latest styles, just received at Mrs. Young's, Third street, next door to the Engine House. Paints, Oil and Glass. H. E. Holmes is putting in a good stock of paints, glass and oil, and intends to make these goods a specialty. "Confidential" quotations discounted. At Cost Prices. Miss O'Rourke offers her large stock of millinery goods for sale at cost prices, consisting of a large variety of ladies' dresses, underwear, bridal outfits, old ladies' bonnets, caps, real hair, switches and curls. The sale to continue until the end of July, at the old stand, Main street, near the Stine house. Relief for the Farmer. KILL THE SPURTELS.—H. E. Holmes, our druggist, has invented a specific Poison that is perfect and safe, and can be sold for one-half the price of any in the market. He is now making it in large quantities, and is ready to supply farmers or dealers. Put up in 2 1/2, 5 lb and 12 lb packages, or sold in bulk. Every package warranted. 15 3/4. Dr. J. M. Boyd, physician and surgeon, office in the old library rooms, opposite STATESMAN office. The doctor has had twelve years experience in the treatment of diseases prevalent in the valleys east of the Cascades. His inquiry be made as to his success in all branches of his profession, especially in all treatment of diseases of women and children, including obstetrics and surgery. Relies upon merit for patronage and upon patrons for references.

PERSONAL.

M. Ward and wife started on Tuesday last for Chicago. Lt. Garvey, formerly stationed at this point, is on recruiting service in Chicago. Hon. W. S. Goodman, of Umatilla county, called at the STATESMAN office on Wednesday. Gen. Cain is in the upper country lecturing upon the Indian question. At last accounts he was at Lewiston. It is a lamentable fact, but none the less true, that no man likes to hold a girl baby in his arms until she is seventeen years old. Governor Brayman, of Idaho, in addition to being a printer, is a gentleman, a scholar, and, above all, an honest and conscientious official. Sam Raymond, a former saloon keeper, and known to many of our citizens, is in the New York penitentiary, serving out a ten year's sentence for killing a sailor. Out in Nevada a young wife in Eureka asked her husband to take her to the circus, but he refused, and said, "I've lost four wives already, and you're the fifth, and afore them circus fellows get here I'm goin' to chain you up."

Among the passengers by the steamship Oregon on her recent trip from San Francisco to Portland were B. L. Sharpstein and family, Mrs. J. C. Smith, Miss Florence Sheets, Carl Dusenberry and Chas. Russell and family, all of whom are en route for Walla Walla. Confirming the statement, recently published in the STATESMAN, the Advertiser says: "We understand that Hon. John Hailey has been contracted for running the stage line from the Dalles to Kelton after July 1st, having bought out Gilmer & Saulsbury."

Says the Oregon City Enterprise: "When a young lady who is personally beautiful, intelligent and agreeable to all, leaves her home for a time, pain and regret is experienced by her saddened neighbors. Precisely this calamity does Miss Mollie Barlow inflict upon her friends. She goes in a few days to visit her sister at Walla Walla, and will be absent several weeks."

Capt. C. H. Armstrong, who for many years was chief clerk to the various quartermasters stationed at Vancouver, has, without any solicitation on his, or on the part of his many friends, been tendered the responsible position of chief clerk in the quartermaster's office, department of Arizona, with headquarters at Prescott. We understand the Captain has accepted.

STRAW or Felt Hats cleaned and pressed in the latest styles. Satisfaction guaranteed. Mrs. Young's, next door to the carriage house, 31 Street.

MARRIED. CARMICHAEL-ALLEN.—At the residence of the bride's father, May 26th, 1878, by J. E. Kirkland, J. P., George Carmichael to Miss Annie Allen, all of Umatilla county, Oregon.

DIED. MCCREARY.—In this city, Friday, May 31st, Thomas Bruce McCreary, aged 2 years and 5 months.

TO THE GREAT Palouse Country! The Best and Shortest Route

TERRITORIAL ROAD AND U. S. MAIL ROUTE, CROSSING THE SNAKE RIVER AT Penawalla, Walla Walla to Colfax, Palouse City, Moscow, Colville, Spokane Falls, and other points in the Palouse Country.

A Large Ferry Road With a Strong Wire Cable, capable of crossing the river at all seasons of the year. There is a GOOD HOTEL, AND FEED STABLE, Also, a store of General Merchandise, and a good Warehouse. Passenger conveyance daily, by stage or hack to any part of the country. CRAM, BYRD & CO.

TAXSAS FERRY ROAD! IMMIGRANTS and others are assured that THE TAXSAS FERRY ROAD is the Best Road in the Territory.

PLenty of WOOD AND WATER, at more convenient distances than any other road leading to the upper country. It is on the direct route to what is known as THE PALOUSE COUNTRY! Embracing Palouse river, Colfax, Rock Creek, Hangan's Creek, Pine Creek, Four Lakes, Spokane Falls and Spokane Prairie. There is an abundance of GOOD LAND

In the above mentioned country unoccupied and open to settlement under the pre-emption and Homestead laws. This land is unequalled for agricultural and grazing purposes, and here thousands of settlers may secure good homes. Good Corral on both sides of the River, and Hay and grain, Etc. SILCOTT & CO., 17-19 Proprietors, Texas Ferry, Snake River.

THE MULLAN ROAD. PALOUSE FERRY! Best Ferry Boat on the River. THE SHORTEST AND BEST ROUTE TO COLVILLE, SPOKANE FALLS, CRAB CREEK, and the FOUR LAKE COUNTRY.

This route is nearer to Colville by thirty miles than any other. Persons desiring to cross Snake River will find it greatly to their advantage to travel by way of THE MULLAN ROAD, AND PALOUSE FERRY. The Roads are in Excellent Repair, and there is no Scarcity of Wood, Water and Grass.

In the Crab Creek and Four Lake Country large bodies of excellent land are open to settlement, and well worthy the attention of immigrants. Good Hotel Accommodations. AND GOOD CORRALS On both sides of the River. FERRIAGE EXCEEDINGLY REASONABLE. LYONS & MARKLEY, Proprietors. 8-6m.

Dissolution of Copartnership. NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, That the copartnership heretofore existing between J. A. TAYLOR & R. H. RUMBLE, in the manufacturing of soap, at the Star Soap Works, in the city of Walla Walla, is this day dissolved by mutual consent. All debts due the firm must be paid to J. A. Taylor, and all indebtedness will be paid by him. J. A. TAYLOR, R. H. RUMBLE.

P. S.—The business will be carried on by S. A. Hodge, at the old stand, corner of 7th and Main streets. WALLA WALLA, May 21st, 1878. 25-1m

UNDERTAKER OPPOSITE THE COURT HOUSE. THE UNDERSIGNED RESPECTFULLY INFORMS the public that he now has on hand a full assortment of COFFINS, which he will sell at greatly reduced prices. THE HEARSE Is one of the finest this side of San Francisco, which is tendered to the public free of charge. Orders promptly attended to by leaving them at my residence, or at the Walla Walla Bakery. JOHN PICKET.

NOW IS YOUR TIME! TROTTERING STALLIONS.

San Francisco Patchen, and R. E. Lee. THE HORSEMEN OF WALLA WALLA valley now have the opportunity to breed from two of the finest Stallions on the Pacific coast. These horses have just been brought from California, and are widely known among leading horsemen as animals of superior qualities in every particular.

SAN FRANCISCO PATCHEN is a beautiful dapple bay; stands sixteen hands high, and for bones and muscle we doubt whether he can be excelled by any horse in America. He was sired by Geo. M. Patchen, Jr.; he by the celebrated trotting stallion Geo. M. Patchen; dam by Top Boltfounder, a well known mare for speed and docility; s. d. by Messenger Eclipse; he by Messenger; s. d. by Old Eclipse. This horse comes of the best stock in the world, and is a worthy representative of his ancestry. His owner may be justly proud of so noble an animal. San Francisco Patchen is ten years old, and is therefore just in his prime.

GEN. R. E. LEE is a chestnut sorrel; four years old; stands fifteen hands two inches; and is a marvel of horse flesh. For style and action he cannot be excelled by any colt of his age. The owner refused twenty-five hundred dollars for this colt when he was in his three-year-old. Gen. Lee was sired by San Francisco Patchen; dam by the thoroughbred mare Felita; she by Belmont; dam by Lady Charmer; she by Leviathan and Eclipse. No mare ranks higher in this country than Lady Charmer. The need of thorough bred stock has been long felt in Walla Walla, and it is fortunate for those who desire to breed fine animals, that they now have the best blood in America to breed from.

These horses are permanently located at the Walla Walla Driving Park, where they will both make the season. They can be seen every Saturday at Mr. Tom Tierney's livery stable, where horsemen are invited to call. As it has been reported by enemies of these Horses that they are going to leave Walla Walla at the close of the season, the owner wishes to contradict that statement, as it is his intention and he makes this the permanent home of Patchen and Lee.

For further particulars, apply to W. G. KEYNOLDS, Agent and Green. PERCHERON-NORMAN HORSES! THE FOLLOWING HORSES WILL STAND this Season, 1878, in Umatilla County, Oregon:

LEOPARD! Imported August, 1877; six years old; 14 hands high; weight 1650 lbs. in good condition; spotted like a leopard; rather rangy in appearance and very stylish; long neck, fine in the throat; clean bony head; fine eye and ear; high on the withers; round in body; well muscled, with clean, curly legs, set well under him; abounding in vital force; lofty carriage; abundant hair, action and unsuited trotting action for one of his kind.

LEOPARD will stand this season, commencing April 1st, 1878, at George Stalwart's, near the Cottonwood Bend Horse, 8 miles southeast of Walla Walla. He will be there 4 days out of each week, and 2 days at Milton, 10 miles south of Walla Walla, stopping a day later at each place.

GRAND VIZIER, Imported August, 1877; six years old; 14 hands high; weight 1600 lbs. in good condition; spotted like a leopard; rather rangy in appearance and very stylish; long neck, fine in the throat; clean bony head; fine eye and ear; high on the withers; round in body; well muscled, with clean, curly legs, set well under him; abounding in vital force; lofty carriage; abundant hair, action and unsuited trotting action for one of his kind.

GRAND VIZIER will stand this season at Thos. K. McCoy's ranch, on the Tuma-lum, 6 miles south of the city of Walla Walla, Washington Territory. BRIGAND, Imported August, 1877; 3 years old; 14 hands high; weight 1400 pounds; jet black; high nervous organization, full of life and energy, in fact, all horse; very fine head and neck; well shaped shoulders; a round body; the best set of a high stepper and rapid trotter; will stand 3 days at J. K. McCoy's, and 3 days at Weston, Oregon, stopping a day later at each place.

BRIGAND, Single leap, 40, cash down; season, \$35, due at time of service, payable at the end of the season; insurance, \$50, payable when the mare is known to be with foal. All bills payable in U. S. gold coin. Pasture furnished to mares from a distance free of charge; will not assume any responsibility in case of accidents. For further particulars, enquire of JOSEPH H. MCCOY, Walla Walla, W. T., W. S. GOODWIN, Milton, Oregon. We offer \$100 as a premium for the best colt, at weaning time, sired by Leopard or Brigand. 21-2m

Walla Walla Driving Park Club House! THOS. COLLINS, Prop.

THE HOUSE AND GROUNDS HAVE been entirely renovated, and the Driving Park is admitted to be the finest on the coast. The Bar will at all times be supplied with the FINEST WINES, LIQUORS & CIGARS. And every pains taken to make the Driving Park a pleasant place of resort. 15-17

Walla Walla Driving Park! Saturday, July 6th, 1878. SWEETSTAKES FOR 2 YEAR OLDS. Entrance, \$25; \$20 added. Second colt to save entrance. Entries close July 5th. 20-1d THOS. COLLINS, Proprietor.

TROTTERING STOCK! "LUSBY," (BY ERICSON.) THIS CELEBRATED MEM. brino Trotting Stallion will make the season at Walla Walla. See bill. For further particulars and pedigree of horse, for 16-17 JOHN YOUNG.

DR. R. F. PRICE'S Homeopathic Dispensary, MONASTES BUILDING, First St., bet. Morrison and Yamhill, Portland, Oregon. SKILLFUL ATTENTION GIVEN TO ALL classes of diseases. No ill pretensions or importunate; no flattering or experimental or unproven drugs; but careful examination and the most reliable treatment; the best remedies approved by science and experience, which may cure you, though discouraged and hopeless.

SPECIALTIES. Diseases of the Eye and Ear, Throat, Lungs and Heart, Liver and Kidneys, and all Chronic Constitutional Blood Diseases. Asthma, Catarrh, Rheumatism, Neuralgia, Epilepsy, Scrophulous, Piles, Dropsy, Protrusion, etc. Ladies out of health assured of prompt relief. Cancers and Tumors removed without the knife.

UNFAILING REMEDIES. Surest and quickest known for all private diseases of both sexes, young and old. The worst cases of stricture and chronic venereal diseases quickly relieved. No mercury used. Where from had treatment any symptoms remain, a radical cure should be sought at once from DR. PRICE. Travellers supplied with medicine, etc., at short notice.

TO YOUTH AND MEN. The only perfect cure, permanent and reliable, for seminal weakness, nervous debility, impotency, etc. worth \$1000 to the unfortunate. No quackery or deception. The best guarantee given. All business strictly confidential. Those who cannot call in person should write their names fully—age, married or single, name, symptoms, duration of illness, etc., and include \$1 to secure an answer.

OFFICE HOURS.—Gentlemen, from 9 to 12 A. M. and from 7 to 9 P. M. For Ladies, from 2 to 5 P. M., only. 50-2m LOUIS GOETZE. Scene, Fresco and Decoration PAINTER. Lessons Given in Drawing and Painting in Fresco, Water or Oil Colours. Corner of Main and Fifth streets, Walla Walla, W. T. 21

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Walla Walla Statesman.

SUPPLEMENT.

WALLA WALLA, W. T., SATURDAY, JUNE 1, 1878.

BASE BALL.—A meeting will be held this evening, at Tiger Hall, to organize a base ball club.

The house by a large vote adopted an amendment transferring the Indian bureau to the war department.

CHURCH NOTICE.—Services in the Unitarian church will be conducted to-morrow by Rev. D. N. Utter, of Olympia. Morning service at eleven, and in the evening at half past seven.

CALIFORNIA QUAIL.—W. F. Gwin, who has just returned from California, brings within a number of these birds, which he proposes to turn loose in this immediate vicinity, trusting that with proper care they will increase, so that in a few years there will be a sufficient supply in this valley to afford excellent sport for our hunters. Persons will refrain from injuring these birds, as they are protected by a stringent law, which inflicts a heavy penalty upon offending parties.

THE FOURTH.—The STATESMAN, in view of the fact that it will not only be profitable but intensely patriotic, urges upon our citizens the necessity for prompt action in making arrangements for the proper celebration of the approaching national holiday. As a matter of course we are patriotic, but, like all Americans, we are also eminently practical; and, as with religion and politics, so with patriotism, we season our sentiment with a earnest desire to benefit our pockets. So, therefore, if properly carried out and extensively advertised, a celebration, with the usual procession, oration, fireworks, etc., will on that day attract to our city many hundreds who would not otherwise visit us; and each visitor will represent so many dollars. Let us, therefore, celebrate in a royal, good old-fashioned style. Who will be the first to move?

INCIDENTARY TALK.—The San Francisco *Ita* says of Mark Hopkins, the late brains of the Central Pacific railway: "That gentleman was building one of the finest and costliest houses on the continent—a house which was to have cost several millions of dollars. Away back in September Kearney held one of his meetings on Nob Hill. His harangue was inflammatory and abusive in the extreme. He breathed threatenings of fire and slaughter, and the yells of his supporters affrighted Mr. Hopkins, at that time in poor health. The next morning he went down to the architect and told him to suspend work; that he could not feel justified in going on with an expensive house which might be burned down by a mob before the finishing touches were put upon it. That resolution caused 200 mechanics to be thrown out of work. His argument was that if the house must go down by fire it was economy to let it burn down in an unfinished state. It stands to-day precisely in the plight it is left in last September. Mark Hopkins is dead, and those who knew him well say that the agitation of that night was the real cause of his death."

THE INDIAN SITUATION.

EDITOR STATESMAN:—Having just returned from Moses' country, and having the best of opportunities of looking over the Indian situation carefully, I send you these few lines for the consideration of our people in general, and for Gen. Howard in particular.

My information is gathered from personal observation and from conversation with some of the most reliable men in Stevens county, some who have lived in that county for eight years. It is the opinion of the settlers that Moses does not want to go to war with the whites; that he says there is plenty of room for all; that he is glad to see the whites come and settle in his country and bring in their stock and make homes. In proof of this, his people have been particularly friendly to the settlers this year. Moses wants Gen. Howard or some one in authority to come and have a talk with him, and if Gen. Howard will tell Moses that there will be no war, unless he (Moses) commences, then everything will be settled, and the settlers' families can go back again and live on their farms. But from the present outlook I do not consider it at all safe for families to be in that country, as the least indiscretion is liable to bring on one of the bloodiest Indian wars ever known. If Gen. Howard will go up to that country, and go with two or three of the prominent citizens—Mr. Samony and Mr. Delany for instance—both of whom will be glad to go, and have a talk with Moses, I am sure all trouble can be arrested. He must not, however, listen to such renegades as Tomasket, the chief of the Okanagans. This Indian is not a friend to the whites. Last year, when there was real danger, he was with the Indians all the time; but now he wants to make friends with the whites, for the reason that he is not an hereditary chief of the Okanagans, but was made chief by the whites, and is jealous of the hereditary chief of the Okanagans—Sassepink. As Sassepink is having more influence over his people than the former, Tomasket thought by getting up a story about Moses being in a canyon with 50 warriors, holding a council and war dance, he would get some soldiers up there, and make his men obey him instead of the hereditary chief. Mr. Samony tells me that at the time Tomasket said Moses was holding this war council, he knows that Moses' men were at work at their gardens about 40 miles below him on the same creek.

This Indian Tomasket is a great liar, and ought to be taken care of. If trouble can be arrested for a year or so I think then there will be so many settlers in the country, that there will be no serious difficulty. I am aware that white men and Indians cannot live long peacefully together; that if bad white men could be kept away from the Indians there would be no trouble; but we know that cannot be, and I suppose Moses will be obliged to go on some reservation after awhile, but while there is so much unoccupied country, I think it would be wrong to force him on a reservation at present, as bloodshed and murder will surely follow, and he will fight with the desperation of a demon.

PHILIP RITZ.

RECOVERED.—Mr. Cumingham, who lives on Union Bar, has recovered nine of the fourteen horses that were stolen from his place some time since. In recovering these, he was greatly assisted by the Indians, who first gave him a clue as to their whereabouts. It appears that the thieves, who are described as two white men and one colored, in crossing the Spokane, give the Indians one of the horses in payment for ferrage. The horse speculators are well known in this vicinity.

Up at Dayton, the other night, editor of the *News* was burned in effigy.

REMEMBER the railroad meeting this afternoon. Let there be a full attendance.

OREGON election on Monday. At last accounts both tickets were ahead.

Original and Otherwise.

New York Sun: Party lines are now squarely drawn, and republicanism means the defense of fraud.

A company in New York proposes to guarantee the honesty of employes holding positions of trust. The party who is to guarantee the honesty of the company is now being hunted for.

When a Japanese wishes to spite his foe he kills himself. If this fact could only be brought to the attention of Mr. Hayes he might show his contempt for Mr. Tilden by emulating the example of his Oriental prototype.

Bayard Taylor has been received in Berlin with great éclat. A poem written by him about the battle of Sedan, has been reproduced by the German press, and has been the means of making him very popular.

Maine is getting excited over a recently confessed murder committed about 60 years ago. By and by those Dirigo people will attempt to re-open the Cain and Abel unpleasantness, to see if the coroner did his duty.

Absolute starvation is reported among the families of the striking miners in Missouri. Such wretchedness would seem to be a greater evil than reduced wages, to everybody except possibly a labor exchange composed of dead beats.

And now comes the Paris correspondent of the *New York Herald*, who says that the *deni monde* during certain portions of the day hold successful levees "in the heart of the main building" of the exposition. *En fin que voulez vous!*

A lady at Clinton, Illinois, went to a ball clothed in paper garments, from cuticle out. Six gallons of lemonade, accidentally spilled on her, strikingly demonstrated the instability and inutility of paper clothing. The lady retired in a bed spread.

The Presbyterian church has fired off a set of resolutions against intemperance. In its opinion to rent a house, make a cask or construct machinery for the whisky traffic is to participate in the crime. This is worthy of Knox, but what will his nineteenth century followers do about it.

The Czar has passed his sixtieth birthday, an epoch at which Romanoffs are generally roaming off in the pale realm of shades. Now that he has moved by the trying period, we hope he will brace up and resent England's bullying. We would like to sell the balance of our wheat.

And now we find a chip floating on the journalistic stream to this effect:—"Better go to bed sleepless than get up in debt." It was evidently written by a man of aldermanic proportions just after a hearty dinner; or by a sickly sentimentalist whose religious creed was evolved from his dyspepsia. Ordinary human nature with an empty stomach fails to see the "better." On the other hand, it disposes of the bowl of bread and milk which have been put down on the old score, and then grows sad to think that it cannot enlarge the indebtedness. There are very few of us who in our real inwardness think it better to starve than to have a little bill at the grocery.

SENATORS and members, always excepting those from Oregon and this territory, wait and maneuver several days in order to have their speeches begin on the first page of the *Congressional Record*. Senator Gordon, of Georgia, waited four days before publishing his last speech, which he read to the benches, and then it appeared on the coveted first page. You see you may send copies of the *Record* to your constituents, and if your speech is on the first page they will think that you are a big statesman.

News Items.

The run of salmon this year in the Columbia is unusually light.

Judge Greene, of the Supreme court of this territory, has been re-appointed and confirmed.

The bill providing for the sale of timber lands in California, Nevada, Oregon and Washington territory has become a law.

Pretended Russian emigrants are passing through Germany, believed to be scamen on their way to America, to man cruisers.

The Socialistic Labor party of New York have issued an appeal to the people of the United States, stating their aims and objects.

The new steamship *Oregon* beat her own time on the last trip down to San Francisco from Portland, making the run from dock to dock in fifty hours.

A dispatch from Constantinople reports that the Russians have again advanced their entire line slightly, without, however, violating the neutral zone.

A terrific rain storm and flood occurred in Colorado a few days since, doing great damage in Denver, and on the railroads in that section. Several lives were lost.

Col. Eugenbeel, an old army officer, is clear-headed and logical. He says the Sioux are the worst Indians in the business, because there are more of them.

In New York, a few days ago, Peralta accomplished his feat of riding 305 miles in fifteen consecutive hours, in 14 hours and 31 minutes—having 29 minutes to spare.

The news comes from Ottawa, Canada, that the Dominion government has been notified by the Imperial government that war between England and Russia is inevitable.

In the constitutional convention to be held in June, a name will be chosen for the new state. The *Seattle Tribune* says: So far as we can ascertain, Columbia is the favorite, and Columbia it probably will be.

Hon. E. B. Washburne, ex-minister to France, is visiting Oregon. All the Portland snobs and turf-hunters are highly elated over the prospect of being able to do homage to so distinguished a citizen. The usual trip to the Cascades, as a matter of course.

Seattle had a chance, says the *Intelligencer*, in the early spring not only to reassure but to insure her fortunes and commercial prestige by a masterly push on the line of the Seattle and Walla Walla railroad. That ought never to have been allowed to lag or drop.

Last week, while hunting near St. Helens, in Oregon, Judge Dennison mistook his brother, D. C. Dennison, for a deer, discharged two shots at him before discovering his mistake—the last only taking effect, in the fleshy part of his thigh, inflicting a very painful but not a fatal wound.

A Washington telegram, dated May 25th, says: "Senator Mitchell to-day offered his bill making an appropriation of \$300,000 for continuing the construction of the canal and locks at the Columbia river cascades as an amendment to the river and harbor appropriation bill, and gave notice that on Monday next he will address the senate on its purport."

A very remarkable and highly favorable example of Indian justice comes to us from Dakota territory. According to the statement of the dispatch an Indian buck committed an outrage upon an aged squaw, and in retaliation she killed her abuser. The friends of the dead man held a council upon the matter; decided that the woman had done right; and instead of taking revenge upon her they loaded her with gifts, and sent her in peace to her home.