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WEST END DECLARES

Unanimously in Favor of Division.

THAT PUPLIC SPIRITED PEOPLE

Claim to Have Sufficient Population and the Ability to Maintain a County Government—The Great Wealth of Resources of the Proposed County of Quillayute—Two Restraining Orders Filed.

EAST CLALLAM, Feb. 20.—A strong movement is on foot throughout the western portions of Clallam and Jefferson counties to form a new county by separating the western ends from those counties and joining them into a new one, to be known, probably, as Quillayute county. The dividing line would be drawn from the straits, in the neighborhood of Gettysburg, due south to the Chehalis county, and the new county would comprise all the territory west of that line to the ocean.

For a month or more petitions to the legislature praying for the division have in circulation in every precinct in the territory interested, and have been numerously signed.

Last Saturday a meeting or convention of delegates from all the precincts took place at Beaver to make arrangements for the proposed division. The petitions were collected and formed into one and will be sent up to Olympia this week. A bill has also been ordered drafted containing the necessary provisions for the formation of a new county, which is expected to be introduced in the house by Representative Seevers within a few days.

The sentiment of the people of the western country is practically unanimous in favor of division. Western Jefferson is cut off from the eastern end by the Olympic mountains, and the people have to travel 150 miles or more in a round about way to get to the county seat, Port Townsend. The expense and inconvenience of doing public business under such circumstances is great.

What applies to Western Jefferson is also true of Western Clallam, to a lesser extent.

The size of the proposed new county would be about 52 miles from north to south and 36 miles from east to west. It would have an area of 1,600 square miles and the territory now has a population of over 2,000. Its taxable property has a value of close to $500,000. Vast forests of fir, cedar, hemlock and spruce cover its surface, hardly touched yet by the ax of the lumberman, and from the mountain down to the sea course numerous rivers and streams, water half a million acres of the richest bottom lands of the state, producing anything and everything that the soil of Washington can produce.

Twenty-seven years ago the territorial legislature passed an act creating and organizing the county of Quillayute, which embraced the same territory now proposed to be set off as a county. The act was signed by Gov. Marshall F. Moore and became a law January 29, 1868. After defining the boundaries the law named:

Gideon Brownfield as the auditor; John C. Brown, Aurelius Colby and John Weir as county commissioners; Smith Troy as Sheriff; vacancies to be filled by the governor on petition by residents. Officers were to hold until the next general election. The people of the new county failed to take advantage of the enabling act, probably because there were only about half a dozen settlers in the county and these were scattered over miles of woods.

Now the inhabitants having grown into a thrifty and progressive community of 2,000 or more, come again to knock at the door of the legislature, asking for another enabling act.

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Death Mrs. Collins.

The death of Mrs. J. P. Collins occurred at the family residence last Sunday. The immediate cause of her death was hemorrhage of the lungs. For months past the estimable woman had been a patient sufferer from weak lungs, and would only rally to again be seized with a severe and incessant cough which threatened premature decline. During the past few months she had gradually been sinking to a point where the physician pronounced the case incurable, and the end only a question of a short time. Last Sunday she was seized with a severe spell of coughing, which produced hemorrhage of the lungs from the results of which the patient soon expired. Deceased was highly respected in this city, and her death will be sincerely mourned.

Mr. Collins left with the remains last Tuesday morning for Newark, New Jersey, where they will be interred in the family cemetery.

AN IOWA BLIZZARD.

An Old Citizen Tells of a Thrilling Experience in One.

The writer, L. Henderson, formerly of this city, very graphically depicts the visible beauty and inexpressible pleasure a person encounters in a typical Iowa blizzard, in the following letter:

MUSCATINE, Iowa, Feb. 12, 1895—To the Editor: They say the worst of the winter is over. If so I am indeed thankful, as I am a victim of its vigorous blasts, and have received as a memento of the unpleasant experience a frozen foot and both ears frost bitten.

The old settlers say it was the severest blizzard experienced in the state during the past twenty years. The snow, which had reached a depth of fourteen inches, was fanned in all directions by the storm, which was traveling at the rate of sixty miles an hour. The thermometer varied at from 16 to 30 degrees below zero.

Yes. I have taken the first degree in the noble order of "Howling Blizzards," and am reminded by the ancient members that my advancement in the order may be that rapid that I will be called upon to pass six degrees before spring. Times are possibly somewhat depressed in Port Angeles, but if the clams are not all exhausted, I advise my friends to remain there, even if it does rain a little there. Respectfully,

L. HENDERSON.

New Mail Route.

A postoffice inspector arrived last week to look up the matter of a new mail route from the bay to Dickey lake or Quillayute, going up the Hoko river, perhaps taking in Ozette. There are now four new offices in that direction and a new mail route is necessary. People here believe that the best plan is to carry the route through to Quillayute and La Push by way of Dickey lake, and change the present route to La Push at Shuwah, thence to Forks, Bogachiel, and further south to Queets in Jefferson county, where a new office has been established.—Record.

Installation of Officers.

The installation of the newly-elected officers of Olympic Club, No. 488, Lyceum League of America, took place at the Central School building last Friday evening.

Three new members were initiated; an exellent program was produced, and delicious ice cream and cake were served.

A pie, made by the president of the club, in honor of the first lady officer elected, was a feature of the evening, and provoked much laughter. Misses Dean, Burrows and Brown, of the Monitor Literary Society, of Sequim, were present.

Such Crowds

As are seen in attendence at our Great Fire Sale have never before been seen at any one establishment in Clallam county. Everybody leave our store in a happy mood after satisfying their appetites with our unmatchable bargains Do not fail to visit us and lay in a supply of high grade clothing and dry goods, shoes, hats and caps, ladies and gents' furnishings, at the sacrifice price of about **25 Cents on the Dollar.** The U. S. Clothing and Dry Goods Store.

COUNCIL WILL ACCEPT

The Williams Proposition as a Basis

FOR A SETTLEMENT IN FULL

Of the Work Done on the Electric Lighting Power Plant Force—The Final Acceptance of the Proposition Postponed Until the Next Regular Meeting—Group of Subscribers to Coal Subsidy Photographed.

The council met in regular session last Wednesday evening with the mayor and all of the councilmen present.

Councilman Graybill stated that the bridge near Souther's lots should be repaired; also that there was need of a sidewalk on 8th street, between Lincoln and Peabody streets.

The street commissioner was authorized to repair bridge near Souther's, and the road near Tumwater hill.

The electric lighting committee reported that the present management of the plant would cost $40 per month less than the former.

Councilman Lamoreux, on the part of the special committee, stated that they had met with Mr. W. L. Marquardt, for the purpose of considering a settlement of the Williams' electric lighting water power plant contract, and that Mr. Marquardt would receive $6,000 in bonds and pay all labor, etc., but that he (Marquardt) did not favor such settlement under circumstances.

The following proposition from Messrs. W. L. Marquardt and R. C. Wilson, attorneys for W. C. Williams, contractor, was submitted and read:

To the Mayor and Common Council of the City of Port Angeles:

WHEREAS, There is now an action pending between W. C. Williams, and the City of Port Angeles, relating to the electric lighting contract, and

WHEREAS, A compromise is proposed, now, therefore, said W. C. Williams makes this proposition, to-wit:

To take six of the electric lighting bonds of said city of $1,000 denomination, in full settlement of all claims and demands against the city, a cancellation of said contract, a full release and receipts from all the laboring men, material men and every one having any claims against the city by reason of debts incurred by said Williams by reason of said contract.

In explanation of this proposition, these bonds are to be used in payment of all debts first, the city to deliver these bonds to Marquardt & Wilson, upon delivering all receipts, dismissal of suit, etc., hereinbefore stated,

R. C. WILSON,
W. L. MARQUARDT.

The following report, relating to the settlement of the Williams contract, was submitted:

To the Mayor and Honorable Council of the City of Port Angeles:

GENTLEMEN:—I, your committee appointed to report as to the best method of settlement with W. C. Williams, respectfully submit the following:

That the mayor and city clerk be authorized to pay all bills for labor and material furnished in and for the actual construction work performed under and by virtue of the contract between the City of Port Angeles and W. C. Williams, contractor, when such bills will have been found to be correct after an examination by the council, then issue the electric lighting bonds with coupons detached to date.

Respectfully,
DONALD G. MUNRO.

The report was filed.

The following resolution was read and laid over for one week:

Be It Resolved, That the proposition of W. C. Williams and the Port Angeles Construction Company to accept six thousand dollars, in bonds, of electric light series No. 1, in full settlement of his claim against the city for damages and payment, growing out of the contract with the city to build an electric lighting plant, be and the same is hereby accepted on the following conditions, to-wit:

That the said W. C. Williams and the Port Angeles Constructing Company dismiss every suit now pending in the Superior Court of Clallam county at their costs, with prejudices to a new action, and file in the office of the city clerk of this city, a release under seal, releasing and discharging the city from claims, damages, payments and demands of every kind, growing out of said contract, or for any work done by them for said city; which said release is to be approved by Geo. C. Hatch, special attorney in said matter; and further, that said W. C. Williams also file with said clerk a release of all laborers and material men who either labored or furnished material, under said contract, to the satisfaction of the mayor, city council and finance committee, and if, in their opinion, all such laborers and materialmen are not included, that they require of said Williams and said Constructing company a bond sufficient, in their judgment, to protect the city fully in the matter; that upon said releases being filed as aforesaid, of said bond being given if required, the mayor, clerk and treasurer are authorized to deliver to said Williams or said Construction Company or their attorneys six of said electric lighting bonds, being numbers 31, 32, 33, 34, 35, and 36, the denomination of each of which is $1,000.

Health Officer Strother suggested that the city jail and premises be renovated, inside and out, and the building be whitewashed. The matter was referred to the health committee with power to act. The council adjourned.

INJUNCTION

Brought to Definitely Determine Limit of Salary Fund.

Summons was served County Treasurer A. B. Dorsey last Saturday morning, protesting against the payment of certain warrants which were issued on the salary fund.

The case is brought by County Clerk A. A. Richardson, to definitely determine what warrants can properly be drawn on the salary fund.

The warrants attacked were:

1st: Those issued to clerks in county office other than deputies.

2nd. Those issued on assignments to other parties than those to whom they were due.

3rd. Those issued for mileage and other fees to county officers who also have a stipulated salary as school superintendent, county commissioners, etc.

4th. Those issued to attorneys who were not regularly appointed deputies.

Stipulation has been agreed to dismiss injunction as to all except one small warrant of each class to test each phase of the case. Clerk Richardson states that there is no spite work in the matter at all and that he does not desire to imperil the warrants already issued or to cause any unnecessary hardship on holders of warrants, but simply desires a ruling of the court, that it might be determined what warrants can properly be issued against the salary fund in the future.

The case will be argued Tuesday.

INJUNCTION PROCEEDINGS

Against C. A. Dyer to Restrain Him from Exporting Ex-Treasurer's Books.

Another injunction suit has been brought in the Superior court.

The case is brought by S. G. Morse against C. A. Dyer, J. W. Troy, M. Whittier, T. M. Graybill and John Knapman.

Summons was served on each of the respective defendants last Friday. The court is asked for a temporary restraining order pending decision of the court, to restrain the said Chas. A. Dyer from exporting the books of ex-treasurer M. J. Clump. The complaint alleges, among other reasons, that the said C. A. Dyer is not a resident nor a taxpayer of Clallam county, and that the county has exceeded the limit of indebtedness. The case will be argued (to-morrow) Saturday.

SUBSIDY GIVERS GROUPED

For a Photograph, Taken in Front of the Board of Trade Rooms.

The contributors to the coal subsidy were grouped yesterday afternoon in front of the Board of Trade rooms, for the purpose of having a large photograph taken of the group.

The novel idea was devised by Mr. M. J. Carrigan, who desired to have a photograph of those who so generously contributed to the coal subsidy and in other ways had extended unqualified support and encouragement to the undertaking.

Agreeable thereto the following invitation was sent to each of the subscribers, and to representatives of the press:

"PORT ANGELES, Wash., Feb. 19, 1895.

"A large photograph of all subscribers to the coal subsidy will be taken in front of the Board of Trade at 3 o'clock p. m., on Thursday, February 21, 1895. You are invited to be present at that hour, punctually, as a member of the group that will form this picture.

Respectfully,
M. J. CARRIGAN.

The photograph will be invaluable as a memento, and as a reference it will provide a very truthful reproduction of an epoch in the earlier history of the city, and of the people who were conspicuous participants in weaving the fabric of a great commonwealth.

Real Estate Transfers.

The following is the list of transfers for the week ending Feb. 20th, as furnished by the Clallam County Title, Insurance and Abstract Co.

Kellogg Land Co to M E Church, lots 219 and 220, blk 12, Kellogg Land Co's Plat of Clallam	$ 1
J F McCarey to Henry Furhman, ne-ne, 15-30-7	400
L Prayer to Z Prayer, blks I and J Thornton add, and lots 25 to 48, blk I, Wilder add to Port A	1
P M Troy et al, to Smith Troy, se-ne and ne-se, 13-35-5	1
A R Kemig to G R Jewett et al, lots 3 and 4, blk 383, reserve	175
D McInnes, et al, to A J Cosser, ne-e-sw-se 29-30-6	100
J. Carlson to M. Earles, s-ne and e-se 36-32-13	1000
T Aldwell to D M Shanks, ne-ne and s-ne and nw-se 32-30-7	640
M A Carrigan to John Nelson, lots 11 and 12, blk 307, Reserve	1
A Nelson to R E Mathews, lot 18, blk 431, reserve	75
F A Lauridsen to Geo. Welsh, lots 15 and 16, blk 156, reserve	35
M Cross to L Mathews, lot 1 and 2 blk 286, reserve	63
P S C C to D Ferguson, lots 1 to 20, blk 23, Edgewood	360

Epworth League Entertainment.

The Epworth League will give a literary and musical entertainment on the evening of Washington's birthday, Feb. 22nd, at the M. E. Church on First St. Refreshments will be served during the evening. Everybody invited. Admission ten cents.

Some time ago Mr. Simon Goldbaum of San Luis Rey, Cal., was troubled with a lame back and rheumatism. He used Chamberlain's Pain Balm and a prompt cure was effected. He says he has since advised many of his friends to use it and all who have done so have spoken highly of it. It is for sale by J. C. Hansen, Druggist.

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UNJUST RESTRICTIONS.

The official career of Register O'Toole clearly demonstrates and eloquently attests the fact that in all his decisions touching the rights of the homesteader, he has favored him inasfar as it was possible to do so.

This fact was attested in his action granting a leave of absence to John Nordrum, a poor settler, from his homestead thus enabling him to earn money with which to support himself on his claim while prosecuting improvements thereon.

The action of Register O'Toole was finally reversed by Assistant Land Commissioner Bowers, who holds that the reasons given by Nordrum in asking for the leave of absence were insufficient, as they do not prove that the settler is unable to make a living on the land because of a total or partial failure of crops or sickness, but simply intimates poverty, and poverty in itself is not a casualty, therefore the application was denied. The conclusions of the learned Land Commissioner might resist a strictly legal and psychological analysis, but scarcely would be defensible in equity and justice.

Decisions effecting the interests of the struggling settler on government land, should be liberal, the primary intent of which should be to extend every encouragement and assistance to the claimant and not to inflict oppressive restrictions, from which no possible advantage is to be derived either by the government or the people.

The decision of Commissioner Bowers considered from the points involved, seems indefensible.

NO SILVER LEGISLATION.

Notwithstanding a majority of the present congress strongly favors free silver, the is little liklihood of any legislation in that direction during the present session.

The opponents to such legislation are bitter and uncompromising, partially for the reason, that the appeal to the free silver advocates to assist in relieving the government from the serious condition into which the treasury was involved, met with positive refusal.

The scheme of the free silverites was to force the administration to their terms, even though by doing so they sacrifice the duty unquestionably of the patriotic representative, to protect the credit, the honor of the nation.

The exceeding selfishness of the free silver advocates has carried them to the point of ignoring a sacred duty to the government, and what might have proved beneficial financial reform is thereby threatened with temporary if not permanent defeat.

THE Seattle Press-Times has twice changed ownership during the past fortnight. The present proprietors are prominent citizens of that city, one of whom is Mr. James Woolery, who seemingly has been the most active and untiring in perfecting the organization of the present company. Under the new management the journal will be independent in politics. The editorial department will be in charge of Mr. Mr. C. H. Lugrin, an able, fearless and clear writer who so vigorously even brilliantly filled a similar position on the Daily Telegraph at the time of its suspension.

Dr. Price's Cream Baking Powder
Awarded Gold Medal Midwinter Fair, San Francisco.

THERE is unmistakable evidence of a revival of business throughout the country, excepting the remoter Western and Pacific Coast coast cities. This fact is convincingly set forth in the bank clearances which indicate that Fort Worth, Tex., which was almost dead two years ago, shows an increase in one year of 77 per cent. St. Joseph shows 36.7 increase, Savannah 32.8, Los Angeles 47.9, Lexington 36.5, Akron 55, Rockford 26.8. Seattle remains stationary, but Tacoma, Spokane, Omaha, Denver, Saginaw, Sioux Falls, Hastings, Fremont, Fargo and Salt Lake all show a decrease. As the Pacific Northwest was the last to feel the effect of the depression, it will doubtless be the last benefitted by returning wave of prosperity.

EVEN the quiet and repose of the dead is not secure from disturbance by the Republican law-makers of Washington. Representative Fenton of Thurston, has introduced a bill foreclosing on tombstones and replevying coffins already in use. The honorable representative from Thurston, has immortalized his name.

THE deficiency judgment law has been pigeon-holed. The unfortunate debtor class is again denied reasonable and just protection by the Republican law-makers from the unscruplous, mercenary, and avaricious creditor. Another crushing evidence of unselfish loyalty to the cause of the masses.

THE local option law has suffered defeat. The Republican law makers of Washington evidently do not favor placing any restriction, whatever, upon the liquor traffic. Senator R. C. Wilson voted against and Representative Seevers for the passage of the bill.

IN the sphere of the law there are unfortunately many necessities. For the reason litigation frequently proves a luxurious pastime.

PORT ANGELES contains more unlicensed lawyers than any other place of its population in the civilized world.

Important Decision.

Assistant Land Commissioner Bowers has reversed the action of Register O'Toole in granting John Nordrum a leave of absence from his homestead from January 1, 1895, to July 1 of the same year. The decision is rendered on a technical construction of the law to the entire exclusion of consideration of the circumstances surrounding the case. Nordrum is a poor man who took up a homestead in May, 1893. Since then he has lived on the tract, practically making a continuous residence, during which time he has constructed a cedar house, 18x22 feet, with door and two windows, another house 12x14 feet, cleared and put into a state of cultivation two acres of land, and slashed eight more. Still further, according to the evidence, he has planted fourteen fruit trees.

His money having given out, he asked for permission to be absent from his land for six months in order to earn money wherewith to support himself and continue his improvements. All his statements were corroborated. Register O'Toole, considering the case meritorious, reported in favor of granting the leave.

Mr. Bowers continues to discuss the case in a learned manner by sections, etc., of the act of March 2, 1889, and then delivers himself as follows:

"As the party does not claim to be unable to make a living on the land by reason of a total or partial failure or destruction of crops or sickness, but simply intimates poverty. I will state that while poverty may be the result of a casualty, it is not in itself a casualty in the meaning of the law. The application is denied."

LEGISLATIVE NOTES.

A Few Things of Minor Importance the Legislature Has Accomplished.

The following bills have passed both houses and received the approval of the governor:

Appropriating $40,000 for the expenses of the fourth Washington state legislature; approved January 25, 1895.

To authorize county commissioners to condemn property for public purposes and levy a tax to pay for the same; approved February 12, 1895.

Memorial, declaring February 12, the anniversary of the birthday of Abraham Lincoln, a legal holiday; approved Feb-

Appropriating $20,000 for the establishment and maintenance of a state fish hatchery or hatcheries on the Columbia river or its tributaries, to be under the control of a board of fish commissioners, ex-officio, consisting of the governor, state treasurer and fish commissioner, with power to employ assistants and purchase supplies. The board shall receive no compensation, but shall be allowed actual traveling expenses; approved February 14th, 1895.

Amending the school law regarding studies, and regarding that not less than ten minutes each week must be devoted to systematic teaching of kindness to not only our domestic animals but to all living creatures; approved February 14, 1895.

The following bills have passed both houses and await the governor's approval:

Requiring that no teacher or other person employed in any public or private school shall, in the presence of any scholar, practice viv section nor exhibit any animal upon which vivisection has been practiced.

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The new departure will doubtless prove of great advantage to the western ports included in the service.

A Surprise Party.

The friends of Mr. Hugh Phelps of this city tendered him a surprise on the ev of his departure for San Francisco. The party was given at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Bowman, on the corner of Race and Fifth streets, last Tuesday evening. The party was comprised of some thirty persons, who unexpectedly, of course, gathered at the Bowman home, where Mr. Phelps was paying a farewell visit. The surprise was complete and the evening passed agreeably and pleasantly with music and games. Light refreshments were served.

An Old Soldier's Recommendation.

In the late war I was a soldier in the First Maryland Volunteers, Company G. During my term of service I contracted chronic Diarrhœa. Since then I have used a great amount of medicine, but when I found any that would give me relief it would injure my stomach. until Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhœa Remedy was brought to my notice. I used it, and will say that it is the only remedy that gave me permanent relief and no bad results follow. I take pleasure in recommending this preparation to all of my old comrades, who, while giving their services to their country, contracted this dreadful disease as I did, from eating unwholesome and uncooked food. Yours truly, A. E. Bending, Halsey, Oregon. For sale by J. C Hansen, Druggist.

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TAX NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given that the tax rolls for the year 1894, are now in my possession, that all County and City taxes are now due and payable at the Treasurer's office in Port Angeles, Clallam County, Wash. If taxes are paid before February 15th, 1895, a rebate of 2 per cent. is allowed; from February 15th to April 1st, full amount must be paid, and on April 1st, all unpaid taxes become delinquent, and a penalty of 5 per cent. is added and interest on that amount until paid, at the rate of 20 per cent. per annum. Statement of taxes will be furnished by Treasurer upon application.

Persons desiring a statement or to pay taxes must describe their property. No warrants will e accepted on taxes.

A. B. DORSEY,
Treasurer of Clallam County.

No. 964.

SHERIFF'S SALE.

Henry Fuhrman and Emma Gardner, Plaintiffs.
vs.
The Puget Sound Co-Operative Colony, a corporation, and R. C. Wilson, its Receiver. Defendants.

State of Washington, County of Clallam, ss.

Under and by virtue of an order of sale issued out of the Superior Court of the State of Washington, in and for the county of Clallam dated the 23rd day of January, 1895, in a certain action wherein Henry Fuhrman and Emma Gardner, plaintiffs in said action, recovered judgment against the Puget Sound Co-Operative Colony, a corporation, and R. C. Wilson, its Receiver, defendants therein, for the sum of four thousand, eight hundred and fifty-six ($4,856.00) dollars, and fourteen ($14.00) dollars cost of suit, and accruing costs, on the 23rd day of January, 1895, I have levied upon the following described property, as property of said defendants, to-wit;

Lots two (2) and three (3), in section seven (7), of township thirty (30), north of range six (6), west of Willamette Meridian, and the south east quarter (s e qr) of section twelve (12), in township thirty (30), north of range seven (7), West of Willamette Meridian, all in Clallam County, State of Washington.

Notice is hereby given that on Saturday, the 2nd day of March, 1895, at the hour of 10 o'clock in the forenoon of said day, at the north front door of the Court house, in the City of Port Angeles said county, I will sell all the above-described property, or so much thereof as may be necessary, at public auction, to the highest bidder for cash, to satisfy said judgment, costs and accruing costs.

Dated this 1st day of February, 1895.

WALTER J. DYKE,
Sheriff of Clallam county, Washington.
Date of first publication February 1st, 1895.

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Surveyor-General	T H Cavanaugh
U S Senators	Watson C Squire / John B Allen
Representatives in Congress	W H Doolittle / S. C. Hyde

Clallam County Officials.

Judge of Superior Court	James G McClinton
Auditor	John W Troy
Treasurer	A B Dorsey
Clerk	A A Richardson
Sheriff	Walter J Dyke
Assessor	John Cook
Surveyor	E A Fitzhenry
Attorney	James Stewart
Game Warden	J. N. Griffith, Dungeness
COMMISSIONERS	ADDRESS
Merrill Whittier, 1st Dist	Quillayute
T M Graybill, 2nd Dist	Port Angeles
George Knapman, 3d Dist	Dungeness

City Officials.

Mayor	C E Mallette
Clerk	Thad Wagner
Treasurer	L R Cole
Engineer	A Judson Adams
Attorney	H B Willson
Marshal	Frank Dustman
Health Officer	Dr. W T Strother
Electric Light Manager	Frank Hall
Street Commissioner	Charles Gilmor

COUNCILMEN.

R R Harding	Councilman-at-Large
J W Stewart	First Ward
H B Crockett	Second Ward
F O Lamoreux	Third Ward
T M Graybill	Fourth Ward
Donald Munro	Fifth Ward
H C Shelton	Sixth Ward

SOCIETIES.

I. O. O. F.

Clallam Lodge No. 72 meets every Thursday night at eight o'clock at its hall over the Post office. All visiting brothers are cordially invited to attend.
W. W. MCGEORGE, N. G.
FRANK MERRITT, Sec.

A. F. & A. M.

Meets every second and fourth Tuesday of each month in Masonic hall. Visiting brethren are cordially invited.
WM. BANKS, W. M.
C. H. PRESCOTT, Sec.

Carpenter's Union, No. 260.

Meets every Thursday at L. Henderson's, Second and Vine streets, at 7:30 p. m.
L. HENDERSON, Pres.
D. R. CALLEN, Sec.

Caledonian Club.

Meets every Wednesday evening at 7:30, in McInnes & Campbell's office, over First National Bank.
WM. RITCHIE, Chief
D. CAMPBELL, Sec

Gen. John W. Noble Camp, No. 28, S of V

Meets every Thursday at 8 o'clock in the G A R hall. Visitors in good standing cordially invited.
J. W. FOWLER, Captain
WALTER A. GAY, Sargent

I. O. O. F.

Home Lodge No. 82 meets every Monday at 7:30 p. m. at Odd Fellows' hall over postoffice.
W. L. ADAMS, Sec. J. F. LONG, N. G.

Pacific Post No. 48, G. A. R.

Meets every first and third Friday nights in each month in the Masonic hall.
R. R. HARDING, Post Com.
J. W. STEWART, Adjutant.

Scandinavian Society Norden

Meets every Saturday at 7:30 p. m. at Norden's hall, cor 5th and Lincoln streets. Scandinavian visitors are cordially invited.
J. CHRISTENSEN, Pres.
P. A. PETERSEN, Sec'y.

I. O. G. T.

Gate City Lodge No. 27, meets every Wednesday evening at 7:30 in Odd Fellows' Hall, over the post-office.
WALTER MILLER, Sec'y. A. P. JEWETT, C. T.

Improved O. R. M.

Clallam Tribe No. 1 meets every Monday evening at 7:30 p. m. at Masonic Hall. Visiting brothers are cordially invited to attend.
J. M. ALBERTS, S. W. MAXWELL, S

Knights of Pythias.

Gate City Lodge No. 65 meets every Wednesday evening at Masonic Hall. Visiting Knights are cordially invited to attend.
GEO. MEAGHER, K. of R. and S. L. R. COLE, C. C.

Port Angeles Fire Department.

The Port Angeles Fire Department meets the first Thursday of every month in the fire hall at 8 p. m.
C. W. SINNOTT, Secretary. JOSEPH PEARSON, Chief.

Knights of Labor.

Port Angeles Lodge, Local Assembly No. 2699, meets every Tuesday at 7:30 p. m., at McDonald's Hall
E. E. SEEVERS, W. M.
E. BURNS, Sec.

Order of Eastern Star

Meets the second and fourth Saturday of each month at Masonic hall.
MRS. CECELIA LAND, W. M.
STEPHEN LAND, Sec.

W. R. C.

Pacific Corps No. 21, meets every first and third Saturday afternoon at 2 o'clock in G. A. R. hall. Visitors in good standing are cordially invited.
MRS. THOS. MALONY, Pres.
MRS. ELLA PLACE, Sec.

O. D. H. S.

Port Angeles German Lodge No. 3 meets every Thursday at 7:30 p. m. at hall on Eighth and Peabody streets.
A. AHLVERS, Pres. GEO. WUNDERLICH, Sec.

A. O. U. W.

Port Angeles Lodge No. 59 meets every Friday evening at Odd Fellows' hall, over postoffice.
HENRY MCGUIRE, M. W.
A. R. PRINGLE, Recorder.

Mountain View Rebekah Lodge

No. 24 meets every second and fourth Saturday of each month at I. O. O. F. Hall.
MRS. W. L. ADAMS, N. G.
HERMAN CULVER, Sec.

Clallam County Horticultural Society

Regular meetings of the Society will be held the first Saturday in each month. All who take an interest in horticulture invited to join.
DR. E. H. STANLEY, Pres.
A. LINGHAM, Secretary.

Equal Suffrage League

Meets in City Hall every Tuesday afternoon at 2:30 p. m. All persons interested are earnestly invited to attend.
MRS. LIZZIE HAYNES, Pres.

HAVE YOU READ OUR LATEST.

If you are in the habit of subscribing to some outside paper call in and see us, we can save you money.

The Democrat-Leader.

FRIDAY, MARCH 1, 1895.

One swallow does not make a spring,
But in a shady hollow,
Upon a sultry summer day,
A spring can make one swallow.
—Exchange.

After the ground hog is over,
After he's played his game,
As far as we can discover,
The weather's about the same.
—Detroit Free Press.

What makes you rail about the snow
And winter's cold misdeeds,
And long for summer time to show?—
It's sure to sprout the weeds.
—Philadelphia Enquirer.

Don't growl because the sun is hid,
And the weather's out of tune;
Don't sigh and bawl, for you'll have all
The sun you want next June!
—Atlanta Constitution.

Man is like the beautiful snow,
He breathes a while and goes below,
Where he melts like the beautiful snow,
Except more longer, and more slow.
—Morganton, (Ga.,) News.

Dull discontent will never leave
The shadow from man's brow,
Next June you'll wish you could wade
Through snow as you do now.
—Detroit Free Press.

All bowed with grief he stood;
His frame with woe was bent,
No ray of hope to him
Its cheerfulness had lent.
They gathered around him thick—
"Say, what's the matter, man?"
"Alas! I am heart sick!
I have no financial plan!"
—St. Louis Post-Dispatch.

LOCAL PARAGRAPHS.

March.

Spring.

Planting time is drawing near.

The legislative session is drawing to a close.

Dr. F. George contemplates a trip to Alaska.

Mr. W. B. Main of Blyn, was in town Tuesday.

Mr. O. Pean of Blyn, was a visitor last Tuesday.

The commissioners held a short session last Saturday.

Mr. Frank Beahan of Tatoosh, was in town Monday.

Mr. W. G. Strong of Townsend, was in town Monday.

Mr. Moss Land of Seattle, was in town during the week.

Judge Sachs of Townsend, was a visitor, Saturday.

Mr. Warren Carroll of Townsend, was in town Saturday.

Col. Henry Landes of Townsend, was a visitor Saturday.

The Monticello makes her initial trip to East Clallam to-morrow.

The diamond drill is down 700 feet and is still working in sandstone.

Mr. Harry E. Lutz returned from a business trip to Seattle to-day.

Mr. Jno. W. Troy left for Olympia, last Tuesday, on important business.

British ship Glenalion arrived from Kobe, Japan, last Saturday, seeking.

Mr. C. M. Raymond has removed his stationery store into the Foss building.

Mr. and Mrs. Jno. B. Knapman and little daughter, of Sequim, were in town Tuesday.

A grand ball will be given by the Isabel Orchestra, Monday evening, March 18.

Mr. A. E. Patridge, of the Washington Oddfellow, Seattle, was in town Tuesday.

The Willapa will make her initial trip to Alaska next Tuesday, sailing from Townsend.

Mr. Geo. C. Hatch will embrace bee culture in his comprehensive plan of agriculture.

Rev. E. B. Sutton delivered a lecture in the opera house last Monday evening in the A. P. A.

Schooner Falcoln, inward bound from San Francisco for Port Blakeley, was in the harbor, last Tuesday.

Messrs. Ben Crockett, E. S. Schrewsbury, E. P. Long, F. M. Gilmur, of Seattle, and W. A. Nichols, of Everett, were in town during the week. Mr. Long an excellent banjoist and Mr. Nichols manipulates the guitar very cleverly. During their brief visit in the city, the young men were entertained at the homes of Messrs. Otto Shields and W. R. Hoole. On both occasions the company were favored with delightful music by Messrs. Long and Nichols, on the banjo and guitar, respectively.

Mr. Fred Thompson, of the steamer Lydia R. Thompson, spent several days with his family during the week.

Mr. P. J. Williams, the jeweler, will remove his entire stock to the Cooper building next Monday, the 4th inst.

Schooner Glendale, Capt. Johnson, inward bound from San Pedro for New Westminster, arrived last Wednesday.

The Lawn Tennis Club is having its grounds, opposite the Baptist church, put into shape for a brilliant season's sport.

Mr. L. F. Person has removed his restaurant and dining rooms, to the building formerly occupied by Geo. E. Fisher.

Until further notice the week day Lenten services will be held on Wednesday and Friday afternoons at 3 o'clock The public generally invited to attend.

Seven men were employed during the week repairing Dolan's wharf, under the supervision of W. S. Morrisey. The warehouse has been removed to the west side of the wharf.

Galvanized wire poultry netting makes a better and cheaper chicken coop than you can build with lumber. If you want the best and cheapest, write or call at H. C. Strong's Hardware Store.

A Dime Social will be given in the Congregational church, Friday evening, March 8th, proceed to go toward the pastor's salary. There will be a good program and refreshments. Come and have a good time.

An important meeting of the Horticultural Club will be held to-morrow (Saturday) afternoon, at the Board of Trade rooms. The subject of pruning, an important branch of fruit culture, will be discussed at length.

Mr. R. E. Strong, of Jamestown, New York, was in the city last Tuesday, a guest of his brother, Mr. H. C. Strong. Mr. Strong is en route to the famous gold fields of Yukon, and will sail north on the Willapa next Tuesday.

The Equal Suffrage League will give entertainments the last Tuesday in each month. The other meetings will be devoted to the study of parliamentary laws, the constitution of the United States, and other important subjects.

The Michigan Association will hold a special meeting in the old council room, in the Colony block, for the purpose of arranging for the regular meeting to be held March 18. All members and all desiring to become members are requested to be present.

Charley Dickensen unfortunately met with a severe accident this morning at the Dry Creek shingle mill, while running one of the saws. In some manner his right hand was caught in the saw, and he will loose all fingers, excepting the thumb. Dr. Lull attended the injured man.

At a special meeting of the board of county commissioners, held last Saturday, the contract for repairing the pier of the Burlingame bridge on the west bank of the Elwha river, was awarded to W. E. VanAllen, for a consideration of $345. Mr. VanAllen says that it will take two weeks to do the work.

Mr. Ansel, Worthy Noble Grand, of the grand lodge of Washington, I. O. O. F., was in the city Tuesday. The local lodges combined in tendering him a reception at their hall Tuesday evening, the members of the lodges and their families, only, were present. After a pleasant evening's pastime, they adjourned to the McGill building, where a tempting and delicious luncheon was in waiting.

Mr. and Mrs. L. H. Smith were very agreeably surprised last Wednesday evening, the occasion of the former's birthday, by a host of friends, who succeeded in making the evening one of uninterrupted pleasure, with games, music, and cards. A delightful feature of the evening's pastime was a serenade by the Gate City band, of which Mr. Smith is a member.

Last Tuesday was quite an active day at the custom house. There were six vessels entered and cleared for foreign ports as follows: Entered, Steamer Richard Holyoke, Nanaimo; Steamer Wanderer, Nanaimo; British ship Aristoniene, Iquique; Steamer Velon, Victoria; Steamer Evangel, Victoria. Cleared, Steamer Holyoke, Victoria; Steamer Wanderer, Victoria; Evangel, Victoria; Sea Lion, Victoria; Velos, New Westminster; Schooner Falcoln, New Westminster; Schooner Glendale, New Westminster.

The genuine liberality of the United States Clothing House in contributing wearing apparel to a number of poor and deserving families in the city, is to be commended.

An important measure to pass the Senate was a bill by McManus, to validate existing indebtedness of all counties, cities, towns or school districts when the only ground of invalidity is the fact the indebtedness is in excess of the 1½ per cent limit of the taxable property of such corporation at the last assessment. Tee bill is wider in its scope than measures of a similar nature and has the advantage of having been passed upon by the supreme court. The bill passed the senate without opposition and was sent to the house immediately, where it was considered in committee of the whole, reported favorbly and passed.

Sequim Items.

School will open Monday, March 4th.

Miss Libba Roose of Townsend, is visiting her friend, Miss Ida Sindars.

Miss Maude Grant is spending a few days with Miss Brown at Port Williams.

The dance at the F. M. B. A. hall Friday night was largely attended.

Adjuster Parkham of the Salem insurance company, was here this week settling the loss of the Grennen fire.

The mill company is getting out a large boom of logs, ready to saw for the spring trade which promises to be good.

"The Deuce is in Him," is the play the Monitor Society expects to entertain their friends with on March 8th.

The many friends of temperance are sorrowful in this vicinity on account of the failure of the local option bill in our legislature. Let them console themselves with woman's suffrage.

Surprise Party.

Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Davis were the recipients of a surprise party last Saturday evening. The gathering proved to be one of the most enjoyable of the season. The features of entertainment were games, cards and dancing. A light luncheon was served. Those present were:

Messrs. and Mesdames Peter Grubb, J. E. Peterson, M. O. Berg, Christ Mortensen, J. P. Christensen; Misses Christine Person, Bertha Olsen, Martha Mortensen, Anna Amundsen, Annie Grubb; Messrs. Knute Amundsen, Arnt Nilson, Gust. Noren, Gust. Johnson, C. J. Peters, Hans Erickson, Henry Anderson. Andrew Leeland, A. P. Setten and P. J. Wold.

WAIT-BRADLEY LAND CONTEST.

Decided by Secretary Hoke Smith in Favor of the Former.

Register O'Toole, of the Seattle land office, received notification Saturday from Assistant Land Commissioner Bowers that the celebrated case of Captain Thomas H. Bradley versus Francis M. Wait had been finally closed in favor of Wait.

March 14, 1884, Thomas H. Bradley, then a captain in the Twenty-first United States infantry, on leave of absence, filed a pre-emption declaratory statement for 160 acres of land near Port Angeles, alleging settlement on March 4, 1884. On June 27 of the same year he was ordered to his command in Wyoming. While on leave of absence he had constructed a small shanty and cleared and opened trails, but failed to reside on the land since 1884.

Two years after Bradley returned to his command Francis M. Wait filed a homestead entry on the same land and made valuable improvements.

After Bradley had retired from the regular army he returned to Port Angeles and made claim for the land. The question at issue between him and Wait was whether a man having made the initial steps and then been called away by military or naval service of the United States was entitled to the protection of the statute allowing six months after expiration of service in which to make final proof. The case went to Secretary Hoke Smith, of the Interior department, who decided the matter in the following pointed language:

"It was never contemplated that an enlisted officer, while on leave of absence from his company, might initiate a pre-emption claim and thereby hold in reservation the tract claimed until his death or discharge from the service. The act contemplated that the initiatory steps had been taken before a person had been called into the service of the United States."

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Edward Collins,
Horse Shoer, Blacksmith.
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Shop on Morse's Wharf.

No. 1044.

Notice of Sheriff's Sale.

Emily M. Baker, Plaintiff, vs. Puget Sound Co-Operative Colony, et als, Defendants.

State of Washington, County of Clallam, ss:

Under and by virtue of an order of sale issued out of the Superior court of the State of Washington, in and for the county of Clallam, dated the 19th day of February, 1895, in a certain action wherein Emily M. Baker, plaintiff in said action, recovered judgment against The Puget Sound Co-Operative Colony, et als, defendants, therein, for the sum of One Thousand, Four Hundred, Fifty-three and 81-000 ($1453.81) Dollars, and Fourteen and 05-100 ($14.05) Dollars costs and accruing costs, on the 12th day of February, 1895, I have levied upon the following described property, as property of said defendants, to-wit:

The west half (W½) of the northwest quater (NW¼) of section thirteen (13) in township thirty (30) north of range seven (7) west of Willamette meridian, in Clallam county, State of Washington.

Notice is hereby given that on Saturday, the 30th day of March, 1895, at the hour of 10 o'clock in the forenoon of said day, at the north front door of the court house, in the city of Port Angeles, said county and state, I will sell all of the above described property, or so much thereof as may be necessary, at public auction, to the highest bidder, for cash, to satisfy said order of sale and judgment, costs and accruing costs.

Dated this 1st day of March, 1895.

W. J. DYER,
Sheriff of Clallam County, State of Washington.
By W. E. Burnside, Deputy.

Date of first publication, March 1, 1895.

No. 1032.

SUMMONS.

In the Superior court of the state of the Washton for the County of Clallam, holding terms at Port Angeles.

Action brought in the Superior court for the county of Clallam holding terms at Port Angeles, and complaint filed in the office of the clerk of said board on the 9th day of January, 1895.

State of Washington, county of Clallam, ss:

Elwyn Pollexfen, Plaintiff, vs. Fred Ward, trustee for L. E. Taft; F. O. Guy, Richard Nevins, Ella F. Harding, William Hartshorn, F. G. Hattocks, H. R. Davis, F. S. Barry, H. M. Shaw, Joseph Green, David Boyd, W. A. Hashbrouck, Howard Tilton, Lansing & Braymer, Ernest C. Kanaston, William Nugent, B. A. Beard, Grant Mellar, Jay C. Dirlam, R. A. Chrisholm, S. W. King, A. Graham, F. O. VanBakkelin, W. E. Caraway, F. N. Smith, F. M. Jordan, W. H. Routledge and B. L. Routledge, defendants:

The State of Washington to the said defenants and each of them: You are hereby summoned and required to appear within twenty days after the service of this summons, exclusive of the day of service, answer the complaint and serve a copy of your answer on the person whose name is subscribed to this summons, at the place specified following his said name, and defend the above entitled action in the court aforesaid; and in case of your failure so to do, judgment will be rendered against you, according to the demand of the complaint filed herein on January 9th, 1895.

The object and prayer of said complaint is for judgment against you for $10,900, with interest at the rate of seven (7) per cent per annum from April 17th, 1890; for $100 as an attorney's fee; and the foreclosure of a certain mortgage deed executed by you to William Henry Routledge and Angus P. Johnson, given to secure said note, and upon lot 3, section 11, and lot 2, section 14, all in township 30, north of range 6, west of Willamette meridian, Clallam county, State of Washington.

LOUIS WILLIAMS & J. C. CAIN,
Attorneys for Plaintiff,
P. O. Address, Port Angeles, Clallam County, Wash.

Date of first publication, January 11, 1895.

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THE WEATHER.

U. S. DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE,
WEATHER BUREAU.

Port Angeles, Wash., Feb. 28, 1895.

Highest wind and direction for the week, 24 miles W. Date, 27th.

Average rainfall since January 1, 9.10 inches for eleven years.

Total amount of rainfall since January 7.23 inches.

Total deficiency since January 1, 1.87 inches.

WM. BELL, U. S. Observer.

The following valuable statistics compiled by the United States weather bureau, accurately demonstrates the condition of the weather in Western Washington during the months of December, 1894, and January, 1895:

"It appears to be the impression of a great many that this winter has thus far been unusually mild in Washington. Such is not the case, however, for although undoubtedly mild, it has not been more so than the average Washington Winter. Last December, although so pleasant a month at its close, was colder than the normal; and January past had a mean temperature which was a degree and a half below the normal.

Probably it is the extreme equability or uniformity in temperature from day to day, that has made this winter seem remarkable. There has been no extreme low temperatures this year, and, on the other hand, the maximum temperatures were not as high as in former years.

At Seattle, during January, the highest temperature was 58; the lowest 33; a monthly range of 25. The mean daily range was 8.3, and the average change or variability, only 3 degrees. At several of the Sound stations it was even less. In eastern Washington the lowest temperature at the coldest station was only 6 below zero.

No violent storms passed over the state, although there were two rather severe ones which swept the coast, January 2 to 6, and 11 to 13."

THE CLASSICAL LANGUAGE.

She finished a long course at Vassar,
The girl who won my heart,
And then she sojourned at Boston
To the polish of classical art.
The language she spoke was faultless—
It came with a musical flow,
In lines from an Emerson essay,
Or rhythmic fancy by Poe.

When courting I used to be fearful,
Kept on my tongue a sharp curb,
Lest I should get mixed in my pronouns,
Or make a mistake in my verb.
And once I shocked her so greatly
She almost fell in a faint;
I said, in a careless rejoinder,
"I am not," the briefer, "I ain't."

And all through our courtship and after
I've watched to see if she'd e'er
Utter a word or a sentence that wouldn't
The closest analysis bear.
I happed in the house to-day softly,
And out through the nursery door,
Came the sound of her voice much more sweetly
Than ever I heard it before.

What the language she used—'twas awful!
Her teaching must have been a farce;
For the words I heard her utter
Didn't a grammarian to parse.
"Where's dear 'ittle tootsy is oo pet?"
She cooed with, with rapturous joy;
"Mamma's p'ecious sweetheart,
Is 'oo tenty, teenty boy?

"Did 'oo let at him's footsy, wootsy;
Did 'oo let ying to bite him's toe!
Oo! of course him's hungie—
Want him's dinnie, so."
I was transfixed with horror,
Thought she had gone wild.
"My dear, such language!"
She turned and sweetly smiled.

"Language is perfectly proper,"
Kissed with a loving look;
"Like 'tis a great deal sweeter
Than ever was written in book.
"Talk in a far-away country,
The language of Babyland,
Is meant for mother and baby
To understand."

—Clement L. Pollock in the New York Ledger.

The present Congress is marching through a slaughter-house to the open grave; and the grave is near at hand.—Buffalo Courier.

Magistrate: "You say that this man defalcated $35,000,000. Anything exceptional about the case?" Prosecutor: "Yes, his family is in fairly comfortable circumstances." Detroit Tribune.

The pile-driver of public sentiment appears to have no perceptible effect upon the mulish disposition of the present Congress.—Buffalo Courier.

Prof. Theodore F. Seward of New York, founder of the Brotherhood of Christian Unity, says: "The weakness of our civilization is its failure to organize its best citizens for its own highest good."

Instead of binding their woman's feet so that they can't run, China should have done this with its soldiers—Philadelphia Times.

A full grown feather is lucky in one thing. It never gets turned down.—Buffalo Courier.

The fellows who have been lamenting the "old-fashioned winters" ought to be in high feather just now.—Toledo Blade.

Among the headlines most frequently seen nowadays is "Senator Hill at Dinner." No one in Washington except Senator Hill appears to be eating much of anything.—Buffalo Courier.

"This is nothing," remarked the shivering punster as he saw the mercury at zero. — Philadelphia Record.

The present Congress will have the distinction of dying without a complaint. Everybody will be satisfied.—Buffalo Courier.

George M. Pullman appears as anxious to have nothing to do with the conspiracy trial as Debs is to prove that he had nothing to do with the strike.

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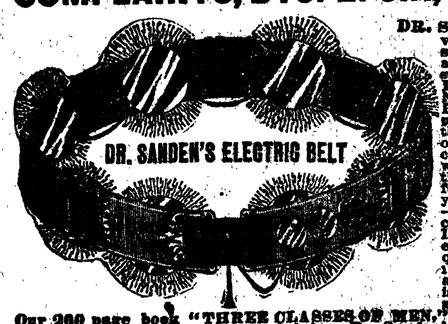

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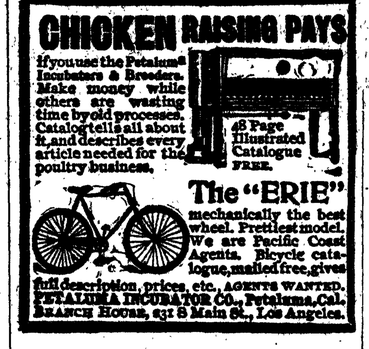

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