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STRIKING FOR THE STRAIT

With a Vigor That Bodes Well for the Success of the Aberdeen & Victoria Railway.

"A SPLENDID RAILWAY PROJECT"

Is the Way the Victoria News Designates the New Enterprise, Concerning Which it Presents Some Interesting Details—The Rich Country That the Railroad Will Develop—Something About the Men Who are Engineering the Project, and What They Desire to Accomplish—The New Corporation Showing Fight at Aberdeen.

THE Aberdeen & Victoria R. R. Company, which proposes building a railway from Aberdeen, up through the Olympic peninsula, to Port Crescent, and to establish connection with Victoria by means of a railway-ferry, is developing into a most energetic, aggressive institution. This is evidenced by the following dispatch from Aberdeen to the Post-Intelligencer of Friday last:

"The city council has finally passed the ordinance granting a franchise through several streets of Aberdeen and to a connection with the Northern Pacific track on the North Side, to the Aberdeen & Victoria Railway Company. This opens up an interesting question. Over a year ago the Northern Pacific Railroad Company had a roadbed graded into Aberdeen on the north side of the Chehalis river, from where the present line turns southward to cross the river. This roadbed was and is laid on a route selected and surveyed by Hunt for his line from Centralia. Hunt had offered the owner of the land, E. C. Finch, $16,000 for a right-of-way, but before the deal was closed, Hunt was forced to the wall, the Northern Pacific had the grading about finished and had instituted condemnation proceedings in the Superior Court. A jury gave Finch $5,550 damages, and it was thought the matter was settled. But during the fight for right-of-way, the fact was lost sight of that the grade was thrown up directly in a legally established county road, that had, under the law, become a street of Aberdeen when the city was re-incorporated, and it is to this day a legal street. Thus the Northern Pacific Company had paid E. C. Finch $5,550, a Mr. Viles about the same, and expended not less than $50,000 in constructing a roadbed along the face of a precipitous bluff, only to find out that the city of Aberdeen yet owned the ground. The Aberdeen & Victoria Railroad Company has been granted the use of twenty feet of that street, and proposes to occupy it."

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Another dispatch to the daily press, from Aberdeen, adds this information: "Ex-Mayor Benn and Dr. Book left this morning for Victoria and other places which they will visit in the interests of the Aberdeen & Victoria Railroad. The gentlemen connected with this enterprise are quite sanguine of its ultimate success, they having already assurance of assistance, and several outside parties are making inquiries concerning the scheme with a view to joining in it. Aberdeen citizens and residents all along the line will give liberally in lands to help along the enterprise. Settlers in the Quinault, Queets and Hoh valleys having heard of the proposition, have proposed to give liberally of their lands, taking the stand that, as they are now literally shut out from the world, a half-section of land is worth less than forty acres would be, had they a railroad. There are also the Wishkah, Hoquiam and Humptulups valleys that are well settled and contain the finest kind of land, which are now little cultivated for the same reason. These people take much interest in the Aberdeen & Victoria Railway, as it promises them an outlet. It is also conceded that the timber the road would tap and bring to market would be worth the building of it."

The Aberdeen & Victoria Railway project is now attracting a great deal of attention in Victoria, and Sunday's issue of the Victoria News contains the following article, referring to the visit of a party of Aberdeen gentlemen to that city, in the interest of this enterprise:

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A SPLENDID RAILWAY PROJECT.

Officials of the Aberdeen & Victoria Company in the City to Confer With Citizens.

A delegation of three railroad men are in the city, representing the Aberdeen & Victoria Railway Company. They are Judge M. J. Cochrane, Samuel Benn and William B. Book.

The object of their visit is to confer with the citizens and find what inducements will be offered the company to come here; to locate terminal facilities and to see if the citizens desire to purchase any shares in the corporation.

The Aberdeen & Victoria Railway Company was incorporated under the laws of the state of Washington, in January. The object is to build a railway through the new and rich agricultural and timber lands lying between the Olympic mountains and the Pacific ocean, from Aberdeen, on Gray's Harbor, to some undetermined point directly opposite Victoria, on the Straits of Juan de Fuca. From there it is the intention to operate transfer boats to Victoria. If inducements are thrown out the company expresses its intention of putting on a ferry to transport the cars, as is done in many places.

The capital stock of the company is $2,500,000, all of which is owned in Aberdeen, except that owned by Dr. Book of Washington D. C. The incorporators are J. M. Weatherwax, Samuel Benn, A. J. West, Eugene France, W. P. Book, C. T. Wooding, C. E. Perkins, E. W. Cummings, John O. Lewis, Sanford Shumacher, Alexander Young, Arthur T. Dabney and M. J. Cochrane. The last named is the company's attorney.

Yesterday a News representative had a lengthy and interesting conversation with Messrs. Cochrane and Benn in regard to their plans. "We are not trying to get people to purchase our shares or anything of that sort. We can float our own bonds either in the United States or England. What we want to do is to confer with your citizens and find out how they look upon us. Of course, we have shares for sale, and if any one wants any they can buy them. However, we want to have some talks with the business men, first of all. To-day we are merely getting acquainted. On Monday we intend to visit several persons.

"As to the route we intend to take that is not accurately fixed yet. Last week we sent a party into the field north from Aberdeen. The route will cross all those many streams running into the Pacific, and will keep pretty close to the shore. From the mountains to the sea is about sixty miles. That stretch of land is the finest agricultural and timber land in the world. We estimate it can support a population of 50,000 people, occupied in purely agricultural pursuits. The road will pass through the famous Quillayute country and will then swing to the right, so as to strike somewhere near either Port Crescent or Port Angeles. We are going over there when we leave Victoria, to arrange our terminal matters there.

"The trade of this country, which is practically undeveloped, will be enormous when we put a road through there. We estimate that the bulk of the trade in the northern part of the state will naturally come to Victoria, while that of the south will come to us at Aberdeen. The Northern Pacific now runs into Aberdeen, and when we have our road completed, Victoria will have a shorter and better route to Portland and the South than she ever did before."

The party is staying at the Driard and will remain there for several days.

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Referring at length to the advent of the delegation of Aberdeen capitalists in Victoria, the Daily Colonists of Sunday, after imparting all the detailed information contained in the above extract from the News, says:

"Just what Victorians are expected to do to secure the northern terminus of the new short line, has not yet been stated. As one member of the railway committee puts it, they are simply feeling the pulse of Victoria at present, and out of this operation something definite is expected very soon.

"Taking Aberdeen for their starting point, the prospecting surveyors have blocked out the route from Aberdeen almost directly north, some ninety miles of rail being required. At first, the track is to follow the course of the Humptulups, then it skirts the sea coast for a considerable distance, and then ascends the rich valley of the Quillayute to some point on the Strait of Fuca convenient to Victoria, which will be the Washington terminus of the connecting ferry line. Port Crescent is the only point yet spoken of.

"The great advantage to be gained by Victoria in the construction of the road will be in securing connection with the Northern Pacific now operating to Aberdeen. Though the projected road will be a feeder to the great transcontinental line, it has no connection with the N. P. R. R."

It has been repeatedly stated, in print, that the Aberdeen & Victoria R. R. Co. purposes operating in conjunction with the Canada Western Railway enterprise, in affording the latter road an outlet through the United States to the South and East, and in this connection, this extract from the Victoria News of Sunday is especially significant:

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REPRESENT MONEY.

A Big Party of Capitalists at the Driard Hotel.

There are the representatives of a good many million dollars stopping at the Driard hotel just now.

The Aberdeen & Victoria Railroad people, of whom mention is made elsewhere, are some, while Senator Drum of Tacoma is here, with a "choice aggregation of capitalists," as he puts it, in regard to the Canada Western Railway scheme. Those in the party are Senator Henry Drum, W. H. Fife, P. A. Paulson, W. B. Allen and J. D. Caughran. L. H. Northey of Tacoma, who has been here several weeks in regard to the scheme, had the party in charge yesterday, and took them all over town.

The party is composed of a very jolly set of gentlemen and they have styled themselves the Fife and Drum crowd. They make noise about everything else but railroad matters. These they avoid. When a reporter says "railroad" they smile blandly, and ask how the "cooking" is in Victoria.

SURVEYOR SHEETS' DILEMMA.

He Hasn't Filed His Report, as Yet, and Explains the Reason Why.

The following letter was received by the Leader, on Friday last, from Surveyor J. T. Sheets, in answer to an inquiry addressed him on February 10th, asking whether or not he had made his report to Surveyor General Cavanaugh, covering the survey of Lake Crescent township; and if he had not made it, just when he was going to do so:

Shaw's Island, February 24th, 1892.

Mr. M. J. Carrigan, Port Crescent, Wash.:

I have not reported to the Surveyor General yet. I have been nearer to reporting to Christ than to any person else. For the past three months I have been confined to my room and bed. I will certainly let you know when I report. I received your letter dated February 10th, on the 23d.

Yours Truly,
J. T. SHEETS.

Still on Dress Parade.

Saturday afternoon, as Messrs. W. A. Langley and Fred Harris were coming up the avenue, from the beach, they saw, deliberately moseying up the broad walk, and not 200 yards ahead of them, a large and interesting-looking wild cat.

Contrary to the fate of most men who see strange things at unexpected times, Langley and Harris had not left their guns at home. They had their rifles with them, and quickening their pace, they were soon within range of the wanderer from the forest.

The wild-cat, noting, in its quiet way, that two men with guns were trying to force their company upon it, suddenly made a break for the wooded hillside to the west of the telegraph office, and when Langley and Harris fired, they failed to hit the beast. They sent several shots after it, at least one of which took effect, for the animal set up a vigorous howling as it plunged into the thicket and out of sight.

The cat is still in this immediate vicinity, for it was seen by Mr. Sam Snecal, Tuesday morning, very close to the telegraph office. Snecal and Mr. Otto Hart went in search of it, a little later, but could not locate the retreat to which it had retired.

Mr. Davis' Pleasing Discovery.

Mr. James B. Davis, the Postmaster at Twin, this county, brought to the Leader office, a few days ago, a package of anthracite coal, taken from a vein that he has found on his own land in Twin Rivers township. The coal is unquestionably of fine quality. The vein from which the specimens shown the Leader were taken, is a small one, but Mr. Davis is hopeful that, when followed into the hill, it will develop into a workable deposit. He is strong in the belief that there is coal in paying quantities under his land.

A Pair of Five-point Antlers.

Earl Veuve, the boy hunter of the Solduck, has added another trophy to his collection of prizes of the chase. He killed another elk, a few days ago, and although the antlers he secured were not very large—having but five points—they are well-nigh perfect, and very handsome. Veuve is a very fortunate young hunter, and when he goes into the woods with his rifle, he generally finds something worth killing.

Opening of the Hotel Getty.

Mr. R. N. Getty's new hotel at Gettysburg will be formally opened on Friday evening of next week, March 11th. The event is to be celebrated in a very pleasant manner, and both Port Crescent and Port Angeles will assist in making the house-warming an occasion not to be soon forgotten.

Mr. Richard McDonnell returned Monday, from Angeles, whither he had been called by the serious illness of Mrs. McDonnell. Dr. Strother, her attending physician, is hopeful that Mrs. McDonnell will be strong enough to stand the journey to Port Crescent, to-morrow.

Justice Win S. Miller went down to Gettysburg, this morning, to transact some legal business in connection with the sale of timber privileges recently made by Miss Downie to Hall & Bishop.

The Light That Gleams from Flattery Rock.

The Cape Flattery lighthouse, stationed on the lonely Tatoosh rock, called by courtesy an island, is an interesting place to visit for the first time, writes the Clallam Bay correspondent of the Post-Intelligencer. The journey of seven miles by sailboat from Neah Bay was made one day last week by the Post-Intelligencer correspondent. It is a dangerous trip even in smooth weather. At first sight it seems impossible to land on the island. The top of the rock stands eighty feet above you, and a perpendicular bluff in front to climb up. Visitors would have to be hoisted up with a derrick were it not for the fact that the island is honeycombed with tunnels or caves, made by the action of the waves. The boat went into one of these caves, down to which a pathway had been hewn, which could be climbed. The lighthouse is in charge of Keeper Sampson and three assistants, who have a comfortable two-story dwelling house. The house is well ballasted and weighted down with stone to prevent its being blown into the sea. The duties of the light-keepers are easy, but the life is one of excessive monotony and dreariness. Each man has three hours' watch in twelve. Mr. Sampson, the head keeper, has kept his vigil on the rock for the past twenty-eight years, and has no notion of resigning, either. The island is four acres in extent, and the little community take pride in a small but well-cultivated garden, some chickens and several cows. Besides the heavy storms there is danger sometimes from the breakers. Although the lighthouse tower stands 230 feet in all above the ocean, the light-keeper has seen waves dashed over the top of it.

A weather observer and signal officer, Mr. F. R. Beahan, is stationed on the island. His wife and two children live with him. The house is built close to the edge of the bluff, and from his office all vessels passing in and out of the Straits are in plain view. Over the house are heavy chains, well-fastened at both ends, and the floors are ballasted heavily with stone. The wind blew once during the winter at the rate of 150 miles an hour. The rainfall will average over nine feet each year.

The March Arena.

The Rev. M. J. Savage, who has long occupied a foremost position among the ablest Unitarian ministers of this generation, contributes an extraordinary paper upon "Psychical Research," to the March Arena, in which he cites many marvelous, yet seemingly well authenticated psychical phenomena. The paper is remarkable in itself, and as interesting as fiction, but gains an additional interest when it is remembered that it comes from the pen of the foremost evolutionary thinker in the American clergy. Prof. Jos. R. Buchanan's contribution on "Full-orbed Education" is one of the most scholarly and practical papers on popular education that has appeared in months. General J. B. Weaver writes upon the "Threefold Contentions of Industry," contending that monopoly in land, money and transportation operates to make the poor man grow poorer, while a specially favored class necessarily grows richer. Henry Wood writes in a scholarly manner on "Revelation through Nature." Hamlin Garland discourses on the "Farmers' Alliance Wedge in Congress." This article is illustrated with nine photogravures. It is an interesting and chatty paper, conveying an excellent impression of this little coterie in our present Congress. Hon. Walter Clark, LL. D., Associate Judge of the Supreme Court of North Carolina contributes one of the most powerful arguments in favor of governmental control of telegraph and telephone that has ever yet appeared. Wm. Q. Judge, who is at the head of the Theosophical movement in America, defends Madame Blavatsky, and Charles Schroder institutes a comparison between Christianity and Buddhism. Miss Will Allen Dromgoole furnishes another of her charming stories of East Tennessee, this one being entitled "The War of the Roses." Nellie Booth Simmons appears in a "Battle Hymn of Labor," a poem of great power. Mr. Flower contributes two editorials, one on "The Dead Sea of Nineteenth Century Civilization," and the other "Behind the Deed the Thought." The first paper treats on the many trials and privations of the very poor in our great cities, and merits the careful attention of all persons interested in the great social agitation of the hour. The contents of the Arena are rich and varied. It always contains many striking and thought-stirring papers from able and fearless thinkers.

Mr. J. C. Haswell returned from Angeles, where he had been attending to some business for the Port Crescent Improvement Company, Monday.

Mr. Al Miller went up to Seattle, Tuesday morning, on a matter of business.

ATTEND THE PRIMARIES,

And See That None But Anti-Ring Republicans are Sent as Delegates to the County Convention.

PIN YOUR FAITH TO YOUR BEST MEN,

Men Whom You Know to Stand Squarely With the People Against Ring Rule, Petty Bossism, Prostitution of Office, Collusion of Public Servants With Private Contractors, and Against All the Miserable Gouge Games by Which the Money Taken from the Pockets of the People is Manipulated in the Interest of the Treasury Raiders, and Against the Best Interests of the Tax-payers—And Choose Men as Delegates Who, if Possible, Will Attend the Convention in Person.

THE REPUBLICAN primaries, to select delegates to the County Convention, will be held in every precinct in the county on Saturday of next week, March 12th.

The official call of the County Central Committee, for the County Convention, to be held at Port Angeles on March 19th, will be found on the second page of this paper. The number of delegates to which each precinct in the county is entitled is given in this call, but each precinct is left at full liberty to determine the manner in which the primaries at which these delegates are to be selected, shall be conducted.

It has been decided to hold the primary in the Port Crescent Precinct at the Leader office, Saturday afternoon of next week. An organization will be effected at 2 o'clock, when candidates for delegates will be regularly nominated and balloted for. The polls will be kept open for one hour—from 2 to 3 o'clock—so that every man may have a full and fair opportunity to express his choice as to who shall represent this community at the County Convention.

We are entitled to two delegates at the Convention, and it is earnestly desired that there be a full turn-out of Republicans at the primary, to participate in the work of selecting these representatives, and two alternates.

Care should be taken, in every precinct in the county, to see that good, true men are chosen as delegates, who will attend the County Convention in person. They should be men who are known to be vigorously opposed to the Court House Ring and its allies, and men who, when the Convention comes to select the members of the County Central Committee for the ensuing two years, will see to it that Anti-Ring Republicans comprise the majority of the Committee. It is all important that the machinery of the party organization should not fall into the hands of the Ring, to assist its members in perpetrating further outrages upon the people; and this can only be prevented by sending Anti-Ring delegates to the County Convention at which the Central Committee will be chosen.

Rebuplicans, don't lose sight of the importance of this latter consideration. Upon it may hinge our success in the coming campaign.

The Enervating Energy of Americans.

In thirty years time, less than half the Biblical allowance of man's life, the United States has multiplied its wealth six times, and has nearly trebled that per capita, says Dr. Cyrus Edson, in his able paper in the North American Review for March, "Do We Live Too Fast?" What energy, what work, what unceasing effort has been needed to bring about this marvelous result! What can we do to retard this development of the brain and nerves at the expense of the body? Obviously it is impossible to change our surroundings, to change our food, to lessen the drive of our modern life, to relieve the strain on the mind, to make the competition less fierce. It is apparent then, that as we cannot lessen the strain, we must increase the ability to undergo it. We must, as a people, learn to understand this; that while we drive the brain we must build the body. The methods of doing this are so simple that they are apt to be overlooked; they may be summed up in two words—exercise and fresh air. As we teach our children to wash their hands and faces in the morning, and continue our teaching until ablutions become a habit so fixed as to produce positive discomfort if they are omitted, so we must teach them to exercise until this, too, becomes a habit, a second nature, a something that when omitted causes real physical distress, and we must choose a form of exercise which is adapted to persons of middle age as well as to children. . . Build up the body, build up the body! In our modern life this should be dinned into the ears of all until it is obeyed, for, verily, unless we build up the body the strain on the brain will ruin the American people. The very elements in ourselves that have made us great, the push, the drive, the industry, the mental keenness, the ability and the willingness to labor—these contain in them the seeds of national death. No race may endure that has not the stamina and power of the healthy animal. The American race has run too much to brain.

The North American Review for March.

The North American Review for March is vital with thought and suggestions on affairs of moment by men high in the counsels of the Nation. Thus in "The Issues of the Presidential Campaign" the principles upon which the two great parties will go before the Nation in the coming Presidential election are outlined with a precision and authority that in a manner anticipates the conventions, by Senator Hiscock, Representative Benton F. McMillin, Senator Hale, Representative W. C. B. Breckinridge, Governor Merriam, Senator McMillin and Representative Bland.

All these articles are marked by conciseness of statement and frankness of expression. The divergence of opinion on the subject of silver seems to foreshadow no discord, and the party lines appear to be forming with an order that promises a contest of peculiar interest between the two parties. In the same line of political discussion the articles published under the common head of "Spending Public Money" marshall all the facts and tendencies of the two parties in the matter of appropriations. Naturally the two men most competent to speak on that subject are the Hon. T. B. Reed and the Hon. W. S. Holman, whose relations to the question are known in their special functions in Congress. Dr. Cyrus Edson contributes a most readable and practical article on the subject, "Do We Live Too Fast?" He counsels an observance of the laws of health in the way of exercise as a remedy for national evils. The Belgian Minister at Washington, Alfred le Ghait, gives a hopeful view of the results as to Africa in his article "The Anti-Slavery Conference." The Hon. Wm. M. Springer makes clear the needs and certain benefits of "A Monetary Conference."

Politics come in for further and very piquant discussion in the comments that are made by the Hon. Dorman B. Eaton, on "The Degeneration of Tammany." A specially informed writer is Mr. Wm. E. Curtis, the chief of the Bureau of the American Republics, and in that capacity a valued assistant of Secretary Blaine, in his article, "Our Commercial Relations with Chili." Of the same practical character, and yet in the region of a yet unsettled controversy, is the cogent discussion by Captain John Codman of the question, "Shall We Have Free Ships?" It is worthy of note that these contributions are directed specially to stimulate public thought in the concerns of the day, and they fit well with the promise of the display of our national prosperity, a subject of agreeable contemplation to us all, that is made in the paper written by the Director-General of the Exhibition, Col. Geo. R. Davis, on "The World's Columbian Exposition." This article is certain to awaken the attention of the public to the reality of the splendors of the great enterprise. Lady Blake, the wife of the Governor-General, writes with enthusiasm and brilliancy of "The Highlands of Jamaica," arguing their fascinations and their qualities in the way of healthgiving. The Right Hon. W. E. Gladstone continues his scholarly papers on "The Olympian Religion." In the notes and comments are suggestions as to some of the newest features in modern progress and thought, including an article on the nature of consumption, as less hereditary than contagious, and the care to be taken at health resorts. An unpublished letter written by Henry Clay, on the telegraph in its early days, is of interest. Julien St. Botolphe defines what seems to be the solution of the problem of navigating the air.

A Democratic Club was organized at Gettysburg, Saturday night, of which Mr. Michael Minnihan was elected President and Mr. Frank Mackintosh, Secretary. The Club has a good membership, and proposes to be an active factor in the campaign.

Mr. Herbert Beach, one of the well-known and well-liked ranchers of the Elwha district, was here, Monday, the guest of Mr. O. B. Hart.

Mr. Henry H. McMillin of Twin Rivers township was here, Tuesday, tsansacting business before Commissioner Harry E. Lutz.

Mrs. Jennie H. Wood, of near Gettysburg, was the guest of friends here, the present week.

Postoffice Inspector Thrall is a business visitor to Port Crescent, today.

Mr. S. J. Lutz returned from Puyallup, Monday.

That's Exactly the Reason.

[Port Angeles Democrat.]

The Tribune has backed completely down from its lofty position as Republican dictator, assumed a few weeks ago, when it was going to accommodate anyone who wanted war. It no longer attempts to defend itself or its friends against the Times or Leader. Is it because they are indefensible?

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REPUBLICAN State Convention.

A CONVENTION of the Republican party of the state of Washington is hereby called to meet at the city of Seattle, in King county, on

Thursday, April 14th, 1892,

at 10 o'clock, a. m., for the purpose of electing eight (8) delegates and eight (8) alternates to the National Republican Convention to be held in the city of Minneapolis, in the state of Minnesota, on the seventh (7th) day of June, 1892, for the purpose of nominating candidates for president and vice-president and for the transaction of such other business as may properly come before it.

The basis of representation to the state convention hereby called shall be as follows, to-wit:

One delegate at large from each county; one delegate from each county for every two hundred (200) votes, and one delegate from each county for each fraction of thirty-three (33) votes or more over two hundred (200); the same to be calculated from the number of votes cast in each county for the Republican candidate for governor in 1889.

Upon the foregoing basis the several counties in the state are entitled to representation as follows:

COUNTY.	DELEGATE.	VOTE
Adams	3	261
Asotin	1	171
Chehalis	6	897
Clallam	2	222
Clarke	7	1,216
Columbia	5	666
Cowlitz	5	663
Douglas	3	353
Franklin	1	38
Garfield	4	517
Island	1	180
Jefferson	6	867
King	23	4,319
Kittitas	8	1,339
Kitsap	4	619
Klickitat	5	686
Lewis	7	1,219
Lincoln	7	1,104
Mason	3	322
Okanogan	3	322
Pacific	4	494
Pierce	23	4,362
San Juan	3	264
Skagit	6	949
Skamania	1	62
Snohomish	6	880
Spokane	18	3,256
Stevens	4	460
Thurston	7	1,067
Wahkiakum	3	284
Walla Walla	9	1,433
Whatcom	9	1,534
Whitman	12	2,149
Yakima	4	537
Whole number	213	

It is hereby further recommended that the Republican County Central Committees call the primaries in their respective counties to be held on Saturday, the 12th day of March, and that Republican County Conventions be held on Saturday, the 19th day of March, 1892, for the election of delegates as hereby apportioned.

It is further recommended that at said primaries and county conventions, the precinct and county committees be chosen in accordance with the "rules" of the party.

Done at headquarters by order of the Republican State Committee, this 1st day of February, 1892.

EUGENE T. WILSON, Chairman.
RALPH K. NICHOLS, Secretary.

CALL FOR Republican County Convention.

A DELEGATE convention of the Republican party of Clallam county is hereby called to meet in Port Angeles on

Saturday, March 19th, 1892,

at 10 o'clock a. m., for the purpose of electing two delegates and two alternates to the Republican State Convention to be held in Seattle on April 14th, 1892, to elect delegates to the Republican National Convention; also to select a County Central Committee for the ensuing two years, and to transact such other business as may come before said convention.

The basis for the election of delegates to said County Convention is one delegate for every 20 votes cast for John L. Wilson for Congressman in 1890, and the number of delegates for each precinct is as follows:

PRECINCTS.	DELEGATES.
Angeles Precinct, No. 1	3
" " No. 2	4
" Geraghty Precinct	2
" Carver Precinct	2
Dungeness	2
Sequim	2
Port Crescent	2
Gettysburg	1
Edgewood	2
Blyn	1
Beaver	2
Pysht	1
Clallam Bay	1
Neah Bay	1
Forks	1
Quillayute	1
Shuwah	1
Eden	1
Total	30

It is recommended that the primaries in the various precincts to elect the above delegates be held on SATURDAY, MARCH 12th, 1892, at the usual voting places.

Dated at Port Angeles, Washington, February 23d, 1892.

By order of the Republican County Central Committee.

T. H. BRADSHAW, Chairman.
A. H. HOWELLS, Secretary.

Ex-Governor Campbell, of Ohio, while in Chicago, the other day, announced in an interview that he would not accept the nomination for vice-president on the Democratic ticket, if it were tendered him. He said he was not a candidate for the Presidency, but added that no man would be likely to refuse the nomination if tendered him. It is evident that the Governor wants first place, or nothing. He'll get nothing.

The LEADER, our amiable and forceful contemporary down at Crescent, has at last got onto to right scent and licks into the work of 'doing' the gang in a handsome way. For a time the LEADER seemed to think its only salvation lay in roasting Contractor Burlingame. The Times believes Contractor Burlingame to be a modest, quiet, honest, inoffensive, poetry-loving young man. Everybody believes it to be impossible for any contractor, in any county, to rob the treasury without collusion among the officials about the court house. We are glad that our neighbor down the way has found the correct solution, and we take pleasure in quoting copiously from his last issue, all of which we commend to the earnest consideration of our readers as a fair and honest statement of the situation.—*Port Angeles Times.*

Isn't the Times a trifle off in its statement of fact? Either its memory or its understanding is certainly at fault. The LEADER has made no particular fight against Contractor Burlingame. It has simply written of him as an unscrupulous, rascally contractor, who was robbing the people through collusion with "officials about the Court House."

From first to last, it has been against the "officials about the Court Honse" whom the LEADER believed were in collusion with Burlingame, that the fight made by this paper has been directed. It was only through connivance with those officials that Burlingame's county road steals were made possible; and it was only after the LEADER had conducted the fight on the line indicated for over three months, that the Times concluded it was time to squarely join in the contest the LEADER had inaugurated and persistently prosecuted in the interest of the tax-payers of the county.

The Times finally tumbled to the fact that the LEADER was making a winning fight for the people, and at last jumped in to catch a tail-hold on a successful cause. It made the jump in handsome style, though, and the LEADER took pleasure in saying so. It is pained to have to add, however, that the evident admiration of the Times for Contractor Burlingame, a shark of the first magnitude, is not particularly creditable to the Times. If it is going to train with the people, it had better "shake" Burley.

There is a large measure of truth in the appended wail from the Port Angeles Tribune; and the fact that it is a wail from a man whose throat was cut with "proxies in the hands of an unscrupulous manipulator," should not rob it of the value that attaches to it as a timely warning to Republicans to beware of the proxy fiend at the approaching county Convention:

"The Republicans of Clallam county should elect as delegates to the coming convention, pronounced men of the party who will agree to attend the convention in person, and not bunch their votes in one or two persons hands by proxy. Proxies are the sure means of defeating the will of a majority of the party, who have no interest in the personal ambitions of individuals. Proxies in the hands of an unscrupulous manipulator are frequently used to cut the throats of others in order to gain a personal advantage, or for spite."

Mr. Ulmer's provocation to pen the above sensible paragraph was found, of course, in the fact that he had been slaughtered in the house of his supposed friends by Mr. W. R. Hoole—the "unscrupulous manipulator" above referred to. Ulmer was a candidate for the position of State Central Committeeman from this county, and he was most anxious that the County Central Committee, which met at Angeles on Tuesday of last week, should confer the honor sought upon him. But his friend Hoole appeared at the Committee meeting with a pocketful of proxies and a knife for poor Ulmer; and the result was that the editor of the Tribune was betrayed in the hour of his supposed triumph by a man at whose hands he has certainly earned better treatment, and his dear ambition cruelly defeated.

Ulmer, himself a victim to the dangerous power that may lurk about a proxy, now raises his voice to urge Republicans to elect as delegates, at the approaching primaries, men who will attend the County Convention at Angeles, on the 19th inst., in person; men who will not delegate to others the duty they were chosen to perform. It is an easy matter for one man, by collecting and voting a lot of proxies, to utterly defeat, in a convention, the will of the people of the precincts represented by the proxies thus corralled and voted.

The point raised is a good one. Choose men as delegates, at the primaries, who will attend the County Convention in person, and truthfully and manfully represent the will of the people of their respective localities. There is nothing Republican about this business of voting proxies by wholesale, anyway. It is a Ring scheme, and should be frowned down, just as everything else that savors of Ring tactics and Ring rule must be frowned down.

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HENRY LITTLETON,

Pre. D. S. No. 16,547, for the W ½ SW ¼ Sec. 26 and E ½ SE ¼ Sec. 27, Tp. 31 N., R. 10 W.

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LAND OFFICE AT SEATTLE, WASH., FEBRUARY 9th, 1892.

NOTICE is hereby given that the following-named settler has filed notice of his intention to make final proof in support of his claim, and that said proof will be made before Harry E. Lutz, Commissioner U. S. Circuit Court at Port Crescent, Wash., on Thursday, March 31st, 1892, viz:

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