THE DEMOCRAT.

DEVOTED ENTIRELY AND EXCLUSIVELY TO THE INTEREST OF THE PEOPLE.

VOL 1. PORT ANGELES, WASHINGTON, FRIDAY, JANUARY 1, 1892. NO. 47.

PROFESSIONAL.

BENTON EMBREE—

ATTORNEY AT LAW.

Office in Opera House. Port Angeles, Wash.

DR. E. GEORGE—

DENTIST,

FOSS BUILDING - - - - - FRONT ST.

W. T. STROTHER, M. D.—

PHYSICIAN AND SURGEON.

Office Hours: 10 to 1 a. m. and 2 to 5 p. m.

Opera House - - - - - - - - Port Angeles.

DR. I. R. HERRICK—

PHYSICIAN and SURGEON,

Office over Lou Rockman's

F. S. LEWIS,

PHYSICIAN AND SURGEON.

Office Opposite Signal Office.

RESIDENCE:—On the corner of Albert and First Streets.

PORT ANGELES, WASH.

WILL R. GAY,

ATTORNEY AT LAW

And Notary Public.

Will practice in all the courts, State and Federal, and will give special attention to examination of Abstracts of Title and Conveyances.

Office, Front St., Cor. Laurel.

PORT ANGELES, WASH.

R. C. WILSON,

ATT'Y AND COUNSELOR AT LAW.

OFFICE, over Auditor's office.

PORT ANGELES, WASH.

JOHN C. MURPHY,

ATTORNEY AT LAW.

Front Street.

PORT ANGELES, WASH.

HAMMITT B. WILLSON

ATTORNEY AT LAW.

Will practice in all courts.

Office, Cor. Front and Laurel Streets.

PORT ANGELES, WASH.

D. W. BRYAN,

ATT'Y AND COUNSELLOR AT LAW.

OFFICE IN G. V. SMITH BUILDING,

Front Street, Port Angeles.

H. E. WILLIAMS.

CIVIL ENG. AND SURVEYOR.

OFFICE, Cor. Lincoln and First Sts.

PORT ANGELES, WASH.

PORT

- ANGELES, -

THE

GATE : CITY

-OF-

The State of Washington.

—o—

Offers Special Inducements

To Capitalists,

To Investors,

To Merchants,

To Manufacturers,

For Saw Mills,

For Factories,

For Foundries,

For Flour Mills.

Address

Chamber of Commerce,

PORT ANGELES, WASH.

—THE—

HALL DRUG COMPANY,

WHOLESALE AND RETAIL

DRUGGISTS

PORT ANGELES, WASH.

REMOVED

REMOVED

JOHN F. CHURCH

Has Removed His Stock

—OF—

FINE GROCERIES

TO THE

CLARK BUILDING

—THE—

Monogram Saloon

AND

BILLIARD HALL.

Only Place in the City with Private Family Rooms. Entrance at the Front and Rear. Every thing First-Class.

A SPECIALTY MADE OF THE FINEST BRANDS OF CIGARS AND IN MIXED DRINKS.

THE KENTUCKY LILY WHISKY.

MERRY CHRISTMAS

A Gala Day in Port Angeles and Vicinity.

OLD SANTA CLAUS IN IT.

Christmas Trees at all the Churches—Turkey Eaten in the Many Happy Homes—A Grand Ball—Christmas in the Neighboring Towns.

That all the pleasures which Christmas is want to bring were experienced by the citizens of Port Angeles, is forcibly attested by the number of social gatherings and entertainmests.

It seems, that out of the desire to make the day a pleasent one for all; the stranger within the gates, as well as the congenial friend were gathered around the festive boards of the different hospitable homes so, there was nothing lacking to make the occasion replete with happiness for one and all.

The crowd upon the streets was exceedingly orderly, and those events in large cities which casts their blot upon Christmas day were in Port Angeles totally lacking, so that pleasure, participated in by each and every one was of that nature which is not purchased by pain, consequently no pain followed in Joy's train, and rueful regets of the next day, did not mar the remembrance of Christmas 1891.

Christmas trees at the different churches on Christmas eve were burdened with presents for the little ones of their congregations, and Santa Clause distributed his gifts with an equity and fairness, that carried delight to the juvenile heart.

Nothing can be brighter, or more expressive of contentment than the "small boy's" face, when in his hands are placed those toys. for which his half doubting heart has so often moved his lips in prayer. For a moment the face of this devotee of mischief wears an angelic cast, and the fond parent is deluded into the belief, that he has resolved to forsake his "badness," and until next Christmas, will be, "a good boy."

The Red Men's Ball.

The fact that Angeles contains more beauty and pretty dancers to the square inch than any city in the Northwest, has been long since established, but it is seldom, if ever, that as much beauty, talent and wit are assembled together as were in the opera-house Christmas night as guests of the Ancient Order of Red Men. At 9 o'clock Protessor Dixon took his seat on the stage, cornet in hand, and two strangers from Seattle entered, one at the piano and one with a violin, and in the twinkling of an eye the room was filled with a combination of dulcet sounds, that called every lover of the terpischorean art to the floor, and the grand march was gracefully danced. Then one after another dance was called. The scene was one long to be remembered "Tiny Tims" Christmas invocation. "God bless everyone" was the prayer of the evening. The happy faces, merry laughter and pleasant talk mingled with the music made a most delectable combination of sweet sounds. It was impossible to obtain the names of all present, but everybody was in attendance. The Bearded Man, the beardless youth, the dark haired, sandy haired, red haired and the no-haired men were there, every now and then from amidst the happy throng, one of the latter kind of heads wonld rise up above the others as the owner would execute the upward motion in a waltz or schottish, and the girls all said they were pleasant sights "so perfectly suggestive of a heavenly spot, to see the crown shining way up there." The fairer sex were well represented. The large, the medium and the small, the long, the short and even the tall were present. At 5 o'clock a. m. the electric arch lights arose, trembled, spluttered and went out, and left the dancers, although they were in the Port Angeles Opera House, just where Moses was when the light went out. The dancers suffered a temporary shock as it brought vividly before them even in the dark, that the hour for retiring was nigh, but they rallied and by struggling rays of the incandescent lights found their partners and executed the home waltz. It was a happy evening and many a heart will palpitate with pleasure at the recollection of the Red Men's ball.

Baptists Church.

The entertainment at the Baptist church Christmas eve was such as to give the greatest satisfaction to all. After the following beautiful exercises were finished the tree was relieved of its gifts and every heart beat in gladness:

"Holy, Holy, Lord.....Choir
Recitation:—"Christmas".....A. Barr
Recitation — "The Star of Bethlehem".....Jennie Yandle and Isabella Leighton
Recitation—"Saint Nick".....Sylvester Yandle
Song—"The Christmas Bells.....Class
Recitation—"The Months".....Primary Class
Recitation — "Tommy's Letter to Santa Claus".....Lola Stoops
Recitation—"How Long Before the Snow Comes?".....Anna Peterson and Sadie Yandle
Recitation—"Christmas Day.....Gracie Clegg
"Galliee".....Choir
Recitation—"At Christmas Time"..Class
Recitation—"The Three Kings".....Myrtle Poyneer
Recitation—"The Star in the East".....Ella Mason, Emma Brant and Edna Finn
Song—"Jesus is Born".....Class
Recitation—"Kriss Kringle's Surprise".....John Yandle
Dialogue—"What is Christmas?"..Class
Song—"Ring Ring Merry Christmas Bells".....Choir
Recitation—"To Kriss".....Bertha Maggart and Frank Yandle
Song—"Glory to God in the Highest".....Class
Recitation—"Those I Love".....Lottie Cramer, Mr. Tongue and Clara Wunderlich
Recitation—"Christmas Song"...Class
Reading — "Annie's and Willie's Prayer".....Mrs. Squire
Dialogue — "Watching for Santa Claus"....John Martin and Carl Foss
Song—"Merry Christmas Bells"...Class
Song—"Merry Christmas".....Choir

The following is the program of the Christmas Eve services held at the 1st Methodist church Dec. 24th:

Singing Epworth Hymnal No. 54 School
Prayer.....Pastor
Singing—"'Tis Christmas Day."
.....Iris Hanna and Anice King.
Recitation—"Baby's First Christmas.....Mamie McDavitt
Recitation—"What We Like"....Class
Recitation—"Why Santa Claus Sneezed".....E. Chitwood.
Recitation—"The Birthday of Christ".....Clara Hatfield
Recitation—"Are You God's Wife?".....Grace Grant
Recitation—"Joe".....David McDavitt
Recitation—"The Drowning Singer".....Anna Fields
Recitation—"Jesus is Born".....Iris Hanna and Bessie Chitwood.
Recitation—"Christmas".....Myrtle Land
Recitation—"Kris Kingle's Visit".....Pearl McFadden
Recitation—"Little Robin".....Ethel Whittington
Recitation—"The Beggar's Home".....James Oliver
Singing—"Hear the Bells".....Class
Recitation—"Plenty for Your Money".....C. Whittington
Recitation—"Christmas".....Mamie Waechter
Recitation—"Repentance".....Bessie Chitwood
Recitation—"An Old--Fashioned Christmas".....Bertha Land
Recitation—"The Night Before Christmas".....Franchie Place
Recitation—"Watching for Santa Claus".....Alvan Henderson
Recitation—"Time for Santa Claus".....Stella Henderson
Distribution of presents....Santa Claus.

Congregational Church.

The exercises at the Congregational church Christmas eve were very appropriate and entertaining and all who endeavored to please the large audience by the display of their particular talent, either in recitations, essays, songs or instrumental music certainly met with success. The following is the programme of the evening exercises:

Coronation.....Audience
Prayer and reading.....Pastor
Christmas Carol.....Class
Duet.....Miss Stella and Master Verne Lane
Recitation.....Miss Bella Shearer
Christmas Carol.....Class
Recitation.....Roy Wilson
Lulaby song.....Misses Sarah and Ethel Ferguson
Song—"Beautiful Tree".....Class

After which Mr. Merrifield as Santa Claus appeared and distributed numerous presents and a treat of fruit and candy for the children. Two fine rocking chairs, a beautiful table cover and a parlor carpet were the gift of the Ladies' Aid Society to the pastor's family. The tree, a most beautiful one, by an ingenious device of Mr. A. H. Nottage, was made to revolve, which had a very pleasing effect.

The Tenth street class observed Christmas. The following is the program.

Opening prayer.....W. Ware
Song.....School
Recitation.....Harry Gray
Recitation.....Emma Sturgeon
Song No. 522.....Class.
Recitation, Walter Nicols, and Emma Sturgeon
Song—"Manger in the Hillside" School
Recitation, Ethel Nicols and Ethel Cramer
Song—"Star of Glory".....Class

Remarks by Mr Ware, after which the presents were distributed. The closing benediction by Frank Rich.

His Honor Elect Entertains.

On Christmas eve His Honor N. R. Smith mayor-elect of Port Angeles and Mrs. Smith entertained at a 10 o'clock dinner, Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Meagher, Dr. and Mrs. F. S. Lewis, Mrs. Kay, Mayor W. Brumfield, Messrs. B. F. Schwartz, Horace White and H. K. Humphreys. Mr. Smith contributed to the enjoyment of his guests by a ricitation. Santa Claus appeared upon the scene at 9 o'clock and remembered the children, and each of the guests with presents which will ever keep the remembrance of the evening bright in memory. An elegant repast was then served, after which the remaining hours until Christmas morn were passed in conversation. A delicious bowl of punch serving to brighten the mind and wit and sparkling repartee imparted its charm to conversation.

The Democrat Club.

The Democrat Club entertained a few of its friends at a 6 o'clock dinner. The guests and members present were Mr. R. S. Dimmick, of Clallam Bay; Colonel Frank Gestring, of Gettysburg; Messrs. Alexander Clark and John D. Hickok. Messrs. Horace White, Ben Smith, R. A. Grimes, John W. Troy, Mayor Brumfield W. Dedman.

At Mr. J. L. Worthley's Home.

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Worthley gave a 2 o'clock dinner at which were present Mr. and Mrs. Botsford, Miss Botsford and Miss Della Cosgrove. The afternoon was pleasently passed in games in which the little folk took part.

At Mr. L. H. Smith's Home.

Mr. and Mrs. L. H. Smith entertained at a 9 o'clock dinner Mr. F. R. Thompson, councilman elect of the First ward, and family. Whist was the order of the evening, and a most pleasent time was enjoyed by all.

A Musical Gathering.

Judge and Mrs. Lane entertained at "high noon" Mr. and Mrs. H. K. Bickford and Mrs. B. H. Paine. Being a coterie of lovers of music, sweet sounds from voice and piano filled the house and a happy afternoon was theirs.

A High Noon.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Wier gave a "high noon" Christmas day at which were present Mrs. H. M. Smith, Mr. and Mrs. Christopherson, Messrs. J. B. Cosser, Andrew Cosser, Ben Smith and J. W. Troy.

A Whist Party.

A whist party was given by Mr. and Mrs. George W. Meagher to Captain Dickson and John F. Smith. A punch graced the table and an elaborate dinner was served at 6 o'clock.

At Dungeness.

DUNGENESS, Dec. 26. — [Special.] — Christmas was celebrated here by everyone. On Christmas eve a number of family Christmas trees were had.

On Christmas night a grand ball was given in the Good Templars Hall. If there is anything Dungeness excels in more than anything else, it is the success of their dances. The one given last night was a grand success in every particular. The children are all happy over pleasant gifts.

Dance at Rena.

RENA, Dec. 26.—[Special.]—Christmas was quietly and happily spent at this place. The children were all made glad by visits from Santa Claus, who left well filled stockings behind. A dance was given by T. G. Moorehouse last night, also one at Joseph Henderson's. In both cases those present had a pleasant night.

Sequim Too.

SEQUIM, Dec 26. [Special]—Christmas of this year will be long remembered as one of the most pleasant in the history of this place. On Christmas eve a nice tree was arranged in the school house and there were presents in plenty for all.

Last night the seats in the spacious school building were cleared away and a general ball given. A large number of the good society folk gathered there and had a good time until the wee sma' hours of the morning.

Port Crescent Also.

PORT CRESCENT, Dec. 26. [Special]—Christmas is always a happy day for the good people of this place. As usual Santa Claus did not forget to visit this prosperous community, leaving cheer and gladness in his path. Balls were given last night by James Frank and Gus Colemane. At Mr. Frank's 52 persons were present. All spent the night at dancing and enjoyment. At midnight a well laden table was spread and all partook of a good supper. The citizens here vote Mr. and Mrs. Frank charming hosts. An equally good time was had at Gus Coleman's.

THE NEWS.

The Steamship Abyssinia of the Guion line was burned at sea. The Abyssinia for the past five years has been running between Victoria, Vancouver and Honkong as one of the Canadian Pacific's line. The entire company and crew were saved by the Spree, of the North German Lloyd line.

In a fight near Ainwell, Pa., which lasted all night, and in which over three hundred shots were fired, no one was hurt. The fight was between two factions, whose leaders were unfriendly brothers.

John Davies the original locator and owner of the mine "Little Chief" of Leadville, died in Chicago. In one night spent with poker, after he had sold the Little Chief he is said to have lost $30,000. The following night he won back this loss, and $20,000 beside.

The British bark Southesk arrived in San Francisco bay on the 21st. in distress. The vessel was much damaged in a storm off the Oregon coast, and tried to put back into the Columbia, after several attemps and failures, she gave it up and made a run for San Francisco.

The steamer West Coast was wrecked while landing alongside the wharf at Point Arena, Cal. Nine men were drowned. Captain Gerne and three men were saved.

Great distress prevails in the state of Durango, Mexico, on account of three successive failures of crops occasioned by drouth. Many families are on the verge of starvation.

It is the opinion of many of the most prominent financiers of the country, that the greatest boom ever known in the history of America, has just began in the United States, as there was never such a plethora of money in the banks of New York which amounted to $446,538,000. The surplus reserve being $20,000,000.

The whaleback Wetmore was visited by thousands of people at Everett.

Steps have been taken against Russell Sage for $100,000 dmages in a suit for having saved himself from the bomb thrower at the expense of W. D. Laidlaw. The suit is brought upon the statement of Sage that he deliberately drew Laidlaw between himself and the dynamiter.

Two physicians of Brooklyn performed a delicate surgical operation upon a woman whose husband stood over them with a loaded gun prepared to shoot if the woman died under the operation.

The United States steamer Boston arrived in Valparaiso Dec. 24th.

Jack Dempsey has challenged any man in the world to fight to a finish at 145 pounds, give or take five pounds.

The Millers Association of Michigan has contributed 56,000 pounds of flour for the starving Russians.

At Antwerp the French lugger Le Pilot containing 20,000 kilos of dynamite, was blown to pieces while tied up at the wharf. The explosion caused great loss of life.

In the report presented to Judge Wallace at San Francisco on the 23rd., by the grand jury, it states, that it found out a great many things against many politicians in and out of office, and had not the supreme court decided that the grand jury had no legal existance, it would have brought in so many indictments that the people of the city and state would have been appalled. Which goes to prove that the indictment of corrupt politicians is to be classed among the lost arts.

Miss Robson, an estimable young woman of Vancouver, was assaulted by two brutes, who endeavored to violate her chasity, but were prevented by the timely arrival upon the scene of William Ercues, engineer of the steamer Lois. William received a stab wound in the shoulder.

The post office department has commenced the issue of two new series of postal cards, at the larger offices.

William Brennan an aged recluse. living near Huntington, Pa. was beaten into insensibility by robbers. They failed to find a $1,000 package which had tempted them.

A collision in Sing Sing tunel on the Hudson River railroad caused the death of seven persons, and injuries to eight others.

Steven B. Elkins was sworn into the office of secretary of war Dec. 24th. He will enter upon the discharge of his duties January 4 th. 1892.

Captain Rouke with a small force of infantry and a detail of the third cavalry engaged and routed a band of Garcias revolutionists, a short distance from Fort Ringgold.

Operations are commenced on the great bridge to connect New York and New Jersey.

Eloquent Mr. Anderson.

Last week the editor of the Tribune had the pleasure of spending a few hours in the company of the Hon. A. M. Anderson, and found him an entertaining gentlemen, with a flow of eloquence which makes it a pleasure to listen to his discourse on the most ordinary subjects. He is full of interesting statistics regarding the present financial condition, and strikes the key note when lumber and logs is the subject under discussion, and his persuasive arguments, with always a liberal amount of facts behind them, explains in a measure much of the affective work accomplished by him at Olympia last session.—Union City Tribune.

Any Fate But That.

"Why did June Mayblossom, the farmer's daughter, run off with and marry the light house keeper? I should think she would find it terribly lonesome living her life away from all human society except that of her husband."

'Well you see she went to a fortune teller to have her fortune told, and among other things she was informed that she was destined to be a farmer's wife. She was determined to put a stop to that, so she ran off with the lighthouse keeper."—New York Press.

THE DEMOCRAT.

Published every Friday at Port Angeles, Washington.

JOHN W. TROY.....Editor

Entered as second-class matter, in the Post office at Port angeles, Washington.

SUBSCRIPTION RATES;

One Year	$2.00
Six Months	1.00
Three months	.75

THE LEADERSHIP.

In refusing to make R. Q. Mills chairman of the ways and means commitee, Speaker Crisp has not only made a political blunder, but he has thwarted the wishes of the people of the nation. The chairman of that commitee has. for many years, been the virtual leader of the House; as much so as if he had been chosen, as is done in the English parliment, for that specific purpose.

Ever since Mr. Morrison was retired from Congress, Mr. Mills has been the first Democratic member of the ways and means commitee, having been appointed its chairman by that, in some respects, greatest American Statesman, John G. Carlisle of Kentucky. Under the able leadership of Mr. Mill the Democracy achieves their greatest victory during the present quarter century. The Democratic victory of 1890 was won under the noble leadership of Mr. Mills. The people of this country, in unmistakable terms, have expressed their approval of Mr. Mills, and Mr. Crisp was overstepping the bounds of propriety, good judgment and the will of the American people when he rejected him as the leader of the House. However, Mr. Mills is still in Congress, and is altogether too patriotic to not take an active interest and part in the legislation there, and, notwithstanding his defeat in the House, the people of these United States recognize in him the true leader of Democratic thought. His following in Congress represents the true Democratic idea of reform. It includes such statesmen as W. D. Bynum, W. L. Wilson, the Breckinridges, J. F. Andrew, G. F. Williams, Sherman Hoar, Benton McMillin, and R. P. Bland. Despite the frantic efforts of the New York Sun, these men will control the legislation of Congress this winter, and it is well. To these must be given credit for our victories of the last two years, and to them the Democracy must look for the upholding of those principles that will give it victory this fall.

But then, although the Democracy wanted Mr. Mills continued as its leader in official position as well as in the opinion of the public, it is a matter if congratulation that it shall have a no less popular and true Demoerat than Mr. Springer to lead it on the floor of the popular branch of Congress. Mr. Springer's democracy has been tested in the crucible, and has not been found wanting. The principles of this party of the people are altogether too well defined and too sincere to be materially affected by the personnel of its leaders in action. They are all really one in principle, and while we would sooner have our greatest and most active exponents in the ostensible lead, as well as in the popular lead, must accept the position as it is. It matters not so much who leads the Democratic party, so long as the party remains truly democratic, and so long as Mr. Mills and his friends are continued in Congress, so long will the Democratic party always democratic.

AT LAST.

THE DEMOCRAT is pleased to chronicle the fact that the county commissioners have at last commenced an inspection of the county road. It is to be hoped that the inspection will be an impartial one and that the defects in the road will be carefully noted and the contractor compelled to correct them.

It is said that the commissioners have expressed themselves in advance, as firmly beleiving the road to be completed as required by the specifications, but that they must go over it to satisfy the people. If this is true the examination will avail nothing.

If they have made up their minds in advance they had as well stay at home and not waste the people's money. However, their actions are closely watched, and they need not think that the people can be fooled by any sham inspection.

The county commissioners have a chance now to do the people a great service by simply doing their duty. They have so far conducted the affairs of the county, especially in connection with the county road, in a slip-shod, careless and neglectful manner. No business man would conduct his own business as they have the county's. But all credit that is due will be given the commissioners should they now —right now—before another dollar is spent, see that every foot of the "finished" portions of the road is completed as it should be. And then see that no money is paid out except on portions of the road actually finished according to specifications.

THE NEW YEAR.

The new year now is upon us, and while we are turning over new leaves; swearing off—just to get on again—and otherwise seeking to raise our moral standing, it would be well to deviate a little from the precepts of the old rules regarding whiskey, cigars and the festive poker table, and resolve to cultivate a greater degree of amity between the warring factions of our town, and by unity of action seek to raise the prosperity of our community, which can only be accomplished by harmonious effort.

Swear to forgive him whom you have wronged, for he is the man you dislike most of all others, and give him a chance to forgive you for he hates you just as cordially. Swear to make the public weal your higest aim for '92, and Port Angeles will lead all other towns in the race for prosperity.

THERE is still a movement in newspaper circles in this state. During the month of December the Port Townsend Leader changed hands. W. B. Dennis is the new owner. Two new newspapers have started. The Clipper of West Ferndale, Whatcom county is a neat little paper.

The Observer is a new paper that has made its appearance at Oaksdale Whitman county. If it keeps up with the pace it has set, it will succeed.

COMMISSIONER Gray is wrong in accusing THE DEMOCRAT with trying to make political capital out of the county road question. That the two leading Republican journals of the county occupy exactly the same positions that has been maintained by THE DEMOCRAT for the last three months is proof of this. THE DEMOCRAT is actuated only by a sense of the people's rights.

THE DEMOCRAT wishes each and all of its readers a happy and prosperous New Year.

NEWS AND COMMENT.

Ernest Louhardt, a butcher of Chicago has been fined fity dollars for selling horse flesh to a restaurant keeper, representing it as beef. He made thirty six dollars on two horses, which cost him four dollars and thirty cents.

Let us hope that horse flesh has not yet found its way into the skin which surrounds the toothsome "barker." Dog with collar and buckle removed makes a dish fit for an epicure, but—ugh —spare us from eating a two dollar and fifteen cent horse.

Reports from Northern Mexico give accounts of several engagements between government troops and revolutionists.

Another revolution in Mexico seems inevitable.

The secretary of state has received dispatches from the United State's counsul at Laredo, Tex., saying that Captain Hardee, of the third cavalry, and his troop, with a United State's marshal, were captured near Fort Mackintosh, Texas, by Mexican insurgents under Garza.

How long, Oh Jim and Benjamin, how long? must we as Americans, who have loved to think ourselves the modern production of the ancient Roman prototype, be subjected to such insults, that makes us feel there is more honor in baying curs, than such Americans? The idea is quite prevalent among the Mexicans that they can whip the United States if Texas will hold off. Now, grant us your gracious permission to undeceive them, and remember the execution of Judge Howard, at Guadalupe in '87.

Fresh insults are reported to have been heaped upon Americans in Valparaiso. Claus Speckles has already told how he could conquer Chili with his tug "Fearless."

We will anxiously await the groan which announces the camel's back is breaking. What chumps these Chilians be, but maybe, they have had a doctor whose favorite prescription was Vigorous foreign policy.

It is probable that the Messiah craze will soon break out again among the Indians of the Fort Hall reservation, as Messiah Missionaries are at work among them.

The official circles in Washington are very reticent regarding Chilian affairs, but one thing is certain, that the greatest activity prevails in every department of the navy, which seems to indicate that Chili is about to get spanked.

Two policemen, of Seattle, were for a short time held at bay by a drunken Swede, who displayed the sheen of a snuff-box. The policemen, thinking it was a revolver, obeyed the Swede's command to halt.

If there is such wonderous potencey in a snuff-box, why would it not be well to prescribe its use for the hobos of Cle-Elum?

A San Francisco paper says that a friend of Senator Stanford says that the senator says that he will spend $25,000,000 to be elected president. If anybody likes to beleive the story there is no law rgainst his doing so.

So says the Seattle Telegraph, and "we" "says" that if there is a man who wants to be president $25,000,000 worth, that, that amount placed in the hands of blocks-of-five Dudley, and judiciously manipulated in certain localities, will come very near buying that office.

YOUR NAME.

Send your name and address to N. A. Sylvester & Co., Merchandise Brokers and Purchasing Agents 310 and 312 Commercial Street Seattle, Wash, and they will mail you Post Paid a complete Price List of Household necessities, which will save you money.

THE NEWS.

The sale of the Cherokee strip is in a fair way of being consummated.

Prince Bismarck had a narrow escape from death in a railroad accident on Christmas day.

A futile attempt was made to rob Agent Appleby of the Canadian Pacific railroad at Secamous on the 26th.

Lieutenant Zalinski, the inventor of the pneumatic tube for discharging dynamite is reported as being mentally ill.

Two robbers tortured V. Glenn from 8 p. m to 3 a. m., near Hope, Cal., to make him tell where his money was. They secured $80.

The Italian government is about to appoint a successor to Baron Fava, which argues that the New Orleans lynching is settled.

A sister of Christine Nilsson lives in Milwaukee in abject poverty, being too proud to inform her sister of her circumstances.

Bob Sims, Tom Savage and young Savage were taken from a sheriff's posse to whom they had surrendered, by a mob and hanged.

Nine companies have been incorporated in San Francisco for the purpose of engaging in the business of fishing, packing, canning and trading in Alrska.

The prisoners confined in the county jail at Olathe, Kans., made an unsuccessful attempt to escape. Their plans were frustrated by the brave wife of the sheriff.

Christmas night at Riverside, Cal., was the coldest on record. The mercury was at 26 and 28 degrees for ten hours, and great anxiety is felt for the orange crop.

John K. Brown; a rancher of Salt Springs Island was strangled to death. His wife and a hired man named Darrington were found guilty, and are now in jail.

The Tuscarora Indian reservation in New York is visited by La grippe The Indians are suffering terribly from the malady and have also the plague of garter snakes to contend with.

Bradstreet reports twenty-four failures in the Pacific coast states for the week ending Dec. 26, as compared with twenty-one for the previous week, and seventeen for the corresponding week of 1890.

It is reported that the United States has agreed to pay Italy the sum asked for as the indemnity for the lynching at New Orleans of those men who are known to have been Italian subjects.

The San Francisco left San Francisco on the 26th inst. at 1 o'clock. Her probable destination is Acapulco, where she will join forces with the Charleston pending the settlement of the Chilian affair.

A negro barber near Leesburg, Fla., boarded a passenger train and seated himself in the white passenger coach, and when told to go to the car for colored people by the conductor, the negro shot him dead- A race war is feared.

THAT FLAG.

The Seattle Telegraph of Sunday contains an article under a Port Townsend date line, which stated that a prominent citizen of this city presented our school with a flag and that the directors refused to hoist the same. Then followed what purported to be an interview with Mr. John C Murphy, of this city, in which he criticised the school directors quite severely and referred to them as being colonists and sympathizers of anarchists, etc.

To get at the facts a DEMOCRAT reporter saw Mr. Murphy and two members of the board. Mr. Murphy denied ever making a statement that could by construed to infer what the Telegraph correspondent said it. As to the board's refusing to hoist the flag, Mr. J. M. Grant and Dr. McGeorge were both seen. They seemed to think the idea of any of the directors being opposed to the American flag being raised a joke. Both laughed over the matter right heartily. Dr. McGeorge and Mr. Grant both said that the only reason why the American emblem was not flying every day from the flag-staff of the school house, was that the flag was too good to be whipped out and destroyed by the wind and rain of this season, and on account of the difficulty in hoisting it it would be asking too much to have it lowered every night and raised in the morning. As to the alleged proposition of the G. A. R., to furnish a new flag as soon as the old became unfit for holiday occasions, the directors said that they had not received any such offer officially, but if they will furnish a flag it shall wave.

VISITORS.

Donald McInnes of this city was fortunate in having his brother John McInnes, of Port Townsend, James McInnes, who is a chief engineer in the C. P. Steamship, Empress of China, to spend Christmas with him.

The Trail Opened.

GETTYSBURG, Dec. 30,—[Special.] —Since the storm of the 7th inst., which so completely distroyed the logging road and trails of this section, the work of opening the trails has been vigorously pushed until the present date and now the work is very near completed, The trails leading out from Gettysburg in all directions are opened and are in a better condition than before the storm, as the settlers who performed the work have in every instance shortened the trails.

Send your name and address on a postal card to the Fawcett Seed Co., Tacoma, for a free copy of their splendidly illustrated 1892 Seed and Garden Tool catalogue. f 25

The Secretary's Report.

The report of the secretary of the Ladies' Aid Society of the Congregational church shows that the society, since the day of its organization has held forty regular meetings, and has given entertainments from which they have realized $423.90. The amount of disbursments being $257.90, leaving cash on hand $166, of which amount $96.50 has been appropriated, though not yet paid, leaving $69.50 actual cash on hand Dec. 29th 1891.

This society started with fourteen members and at their last meeting their roll call was answered to by forty. The following officers were elected for the ensuing year: Mrs. Stewart was re-elected president; Mrs. F. S. Lewis, secretary; Mrs. Brewster, treasurer; Mrs. J. L. Worthley, vice-president. A vote of thanks was given Mrs. H. K. Bickford for her valuable services rendered upon the occasion of their last series of entertainments.

SPRINGER WILL LEAD.

The Chairmanships—Springer of the Ways and Means, Mills Commerce.

The following are the chairmen of the most important house committees as appointed by Speaker Crisp:

Elections—Charles O'Farrall of Virginia.

Ways and means—William M. Springer of Illinois.

Appropriations—William S. Holman of Indiana.

Judiciary—David B. Gilberson of Texas.

Banking and currency—William E. Haynes of Ohio.

Coinage, weights and measures—Richard P. Bland of Missouri.

Interstate and foreign commerce—R. Q. Milis.

Rivers and harbors—Newton C. Blanchard of Louisiana.

Merchant marine and fisheries—Amos J. Cummings of New York.

Agriculture—William H. Hatch of Missouri.

Foreign affairs—James H. Blount of Georgia.

Millitary affairs—Joseph H. Outhwaite of Ohio.

Naval affairs—Hilary A. Herbert of Alabama.

Public lands—Thomas C. McRae of Arkansas.

War claims—F. F. Beltshoover of Peensylvania.

District of Columbia—John J. Hemphill of south Carolina.

Postoffice and postroads—John S. Henderson of North Carolina.

Improvement of the Mississippi river—S. M. Robertson of Louisiana.

The Bank of Port Angeles is a State, not a National Bank. Pays interest on deposits. Makes no charge for drafts on Pacific Coast points.

A HERO GONE.

Captain Church, Passes Away—A Sketch of His Career.

Port Angeles has lost a most valuable citizen in the death of Captain W. L. Church, which occured at his residence at the head of the bay, December 26. Bright's disease at last carried away the man who had for years defied death at the hands of Indians and his country's enemies.

There are but few men living who have led a life in which adventure and hard military service have been blended to a greater extent than that which made up the life of Captain Church. A soldier in the Mexican war and a pioneer in the days when men who earned that name were the perfect embodiment of courage and fearlessness.

Captain Church was born in Richland county, Ohio, the 13th day of March 1827. He lived with his parents till five years of age, when his mother died; from which time till the age of sixteen he lived at the home of Mr. Taylor, of Knoxville, Knox county. From sixteen years of age until eighteen he lived with his aunt, Annie Graham, in Richland county, Ohio, and at eighteen, in the year 1846, he enlisted in the Third Ohio Infantry, which was detailed for active service in the ever memorable Mexican war, under General Taylor. The vicissitudes and trials of Captain Church's career as a faithful soldier and defender of this glorious union cannot in the least degree be described, but suffice to say, that he fought hand to hand in such battles as those of Tobasco, Vera Craz, Palo-Alto, Beuna Vista, Cerro Gordo, Cherubosco, Chepultepec and San Pascual.

One of Captain Church's greatest treasures was his "badge of honor" as he always termed it, made from the metal of a cannon he helped to capture in the battle before the city of Mexico, at the close of the engagement.

In July of 1847 he returned home to Richland county, and on the 16th day of December, 1847, he married Miss Louisa Jane Swanger, with whom he lived till the day of his death. His first home after marraige was made in Hancock county, Ohio, where he resided until he went to DeKalb county, Indiana, in the year 1851. In 1853 he was made Leiutenant of Company G, of Indiana State Militia, which company was held for service for the space of two years. In 1855 a change of residence again took place, when he moved to Hamilton county, Iowa. In 1856 another move was made to Springfield, (known now as Jackson) Brown county, Minnesota, fifteen miles north of Spirit Lake, where a pre-emption of 160 acres was entered, and resided there with his family till 1857, when the Indians made the raid on his home, known as the "Spirit Lake Masacre."

This Masacre being a matter of history herewith is printed a face-smile of the bronze tablet now in the hall of the Hamilton county court-house in Webster City, Iowa.

In March 1857, as the result of the massacre, a temporary residence with his family was made at Homer, Hamilton county, Iowa, till the fall of the same year, when he re-enlisted in a company of militia and returned to Spirit Lake as First Lieutenant of that company where his family again joined him. In the spring of 1858 his company was discharged and he, with his family, again took up his residence at Homer.

In Homer Capt. Church was appointed by the governor of the state, S. J. Kirkwood, to enlist company F for the Second Iowa Cavalry and in August, 1861, Company F was formed with Captain Church as 1st Lieutenant, The severe exposure and hardships of the Mexican and Indian wars were now telling on his already broken constitution, and after three months service he was compelled to resign. His resignation from Company F was one of the most trying events of his life. In bidding his comrades farewell they formed in a square at the barracks, where each member, being moved to tears, took a personal farewell. In the following year, 1862, a removal to Webster city was made where he resided till May 1888 a period of twenty-six years.

For the past ten years he has been an invalid and his removal to Port Angeles in 1888 was for the benefit of his health, where he died at his residence at the age of sixty-four years, ten months and seventeen days. During his life he was a very successful buriness man and was noted for his kindness and benevolence. He was a member of St. Paul's Universalist church, Webster city, Iowa.

Captain Church leaves six children and the wife who not only loaded his rifle for him at the Spirit Lake massacre, but who, in defense of her home, overcame those feminine feelings of tenderness, and seeing that a shot from her was necessary to protect her babes from the savage knife, with all the coolness of a veteran, discharged a rifle full in breast of their foe.

All but two of Captain Church's children were present at the funeral, they living at too great a distance to reach Port Angeles.

The interment took place Monday at 2 o'clock, when the remains of the honored father and brave old soldier were laid to rest under the willows near his home. The funeral ceremonies were conducted by the Pacific Post No. 48 G. A, R.

IN GRATEFUL MEMORY OF THE HEROIC VOLUNTEERS FROM HAMILTON COUNTY, IOWA, IN THE SPIRIT LAKE EXPEDITION.

Commanded by Major William Williams, of Fort Dodge, for the relief of the settlers who survived the Indian Massacre of March 8, 1857.

Roster of Company E.

Captain J. C. Johnson,
First Lieutenant. John N. Maxwell,
Second Lieutenant. Frank R. Mason,
Sergeant Harry Hoover,
Corporal A. N. Hathway.

PRIVATES;

Michael Sweeney,	Humphrey C. Millock,	Henry E. Dalley,
John Gates,	F. R. Moody,	John Eric,
James Brainard,	Jareb Palmer,	Elias D. Kellog.
William K. Laughlin,	John Nowland,	Thomas B. Bonebright,
J. C. Pemberton,	Patrick Stafford.	Josiah Griffith,
James Hickey,	A. K. Tullis,	Emery W. Gates,
Morris Markham,	Alonzo Richardson,	Thomas Anderson,
Andrew S. Leonard,	M. W. Howland,	Patrick Conlan,
Sherman Cassaday,	William L. Church,	John Bradshaw.

This tablet was erected at the public expense to commemorate the patriotism, valor and sufferings of these gallant men in one of the severest marches recorded in Indian border warfare. In memory also of Mrs. William L. Church, who shot an Indian while defending her babies, and of her sister Drusciltia Swanger, who was severely wounded.

CAPITAL, $50,000.

THE

BANK OF PORT ANGELES

(Incorporated.)

Transacts a General Banking Business.

B. F. SCHWARTZ.....President.
J. JEROME SMITH....Vice-President.
G. B CRAICK.....Assistent Cashier.

We Buy and Sell Foreign and Domestic Exchange and Transact a General Banking Business.

COLLECTIONS A SPECIALTY.

Every Accommodation Consistent with Sound Banking Accorded Patrons of the Bank.

Our Motto:

"SAFETY,
COURTESY,
PROMPTNESS,
LIBERALITY."

Interest Paid on Deposits

HAVING Purchased the Entire Stock of the MASON BAZAAR, I Wish to Announce That I am Here to Stay With the

LARGEST STOCK

—OF—

HOLIDAY GOODS

Here You Are. A Chance to Buy Your

CHRISTMAS GIFTS

—AT—

H. B. CROCKETT'S EMPORIUM.

All the Ladies and Gentlemen of Port Angeles and Vicinity are Invited to Call.

Mirrors, Albums, Dressing Cases, Toilet Articles, Toys and Notions.

BOOKS, BOOKS, BOOKS,

Every Kind and Nature. The Best Ever Exhibited on the Sound.

THESE ARE FACTS---Cold, Hard Facts. Sold Reasonably for Cash. Quick Sales and Small Profits Our Motto.

Crockett & Garrison,

Port Angeles, - - - - Washington.

THE DEMOCRAT.

JOHN W. TROY, Publisher.

JANUARY 1, 1892.

IN THE COURTS.

Grindings of the Superior Court During the Week—New Cases—Probate Notes.

NEW CASES.

The following new cases have been filed since our last report:

No. 218. R. H. Goldie vs. L. A. Mason and wife, an attachment suit to recover the following balances due the following firms for goods bought to conduct a store: Lowman & Hanford, $206.04; M. Seller & Co., $723.13; Zan Bros., Feilding & Cole, $613.26; The Mac Dougall & Southwick Co., $142.33. They attach acreage property, belonging to the plaintiffs near Port Angeles.

No. 219. William Cunningham vs. Anton Gerke, suit to recover $324.87 and costs of suit, for cloth and tailor's goods sold and delivered.

SUPERIOR BRIEFS.

The court has sustained the defendant's in the cases of Friend Bros. & Co., R. A. Ballinger and Toole, Hosea & Co., against the First National Bank, and in each case the defendant is given until Jan. 2 to answer, and plaintiff until Jan. 12 to reply.

In the case of W. & I. Steinhart & Co., vs. The First National Bank, the court sustained the defendants' demurrer and gave the plaintiff until Jan. 12 to amend complaint.

The defendants' motion in the case of The Angeles Mill and Lumber Company vs. W. B. Gould, to quash service was sustained and defendant permitted to go with his cost.

The defendants' demurrer in the case of Geo. W. Vail vs. Charles Tillman, has been overruled and the defendants given ten days to answer.

PROBATE NOTES.

Martha E. Merchant, administratrix of the estate of I. F. Merchant, deceased has filed an addional bond with John J. Southerland and Merriel Whittier as sureties which has been approved.

Henry Zimmerman appointed guardian of Richard Irwin, minor.

An order has been entered discharging R. P. Wallace as guardian of James Heard.

PERSONAL.

L. F. Persons visited Seattle this week.

Captain Greenleaf is in Port Angeles,

L. Rockman is in Portland on a buisness trip.

F. B. Morgart. of Sequim, was in Port Angeles this week.

Sheriff Gould and Mrs. Gould went up sound this week.

G. Soderstran, of Beaver, was in this city during the week.

Gilbert Craick spent the holidays with relatives at Anacortes.

Judge McClinton is out again, having recovered from a severe cold.

A. Decker of Clallam Bay. spent a few days in this city last week.

Jno. Brown, Jr., attended the ball at Dungeness, Christmas night.

W. A. Jackson of Sequim was in this city Tuesday, and Wednesday.

H. C. Miller returned to Port Angeles from Gettysburg last Thursday.

Atto Hart weather observer at Port Crescent was in this city this week.

Mrs. B. F. Schwartz arrived home Christmas day, as also did R. A. Grimes

J. W. Souther of this city was in Port Townsend several days this week.

Andrew Cosser of Port Crescent spent Christmas with relatives in this city.

C. D. Draper, of Port Townsend, spent Christmas with relatives in this city.

W. L. Church, of Dungeness was in this city during the week, for several days.

Mr. Swift, the Hermosa's pursur, after a serious illness is again taking up tickets.

The many friends of F. J. Hart, are glad to see him on the street again Mr. Hart has been quite sick.

C. E. Gay made his relatives and friends in this city glad by his presence Christmas.

A. A. Smith returned from Portland Wednesday night, where he spent Christmas.

R. L. Warson. Examiner for loan agent Edmiston was in this city a few days this week.

Major W. F. Hooker of Rena has been in this city this week. The Major is one of those interesting Democrats that makes one glad to see.

Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Routledge and Mrs. W. J. Gilespie of Blaine, were in this city this week, attending the last sad rites of Capt. W. L. Church.

LOCAL.

W. A. O'Barr, of Port Townsend, was in the city yesterday.

An arc light is to be put in at the corner of Sixth and Valley sts,

The crossing on Oak street at the foot of the zig zag is a splendid idea, Thanks awfully.

For fruits and cigars the Gem is earning an enviable reputation. Go there for the best 5-cent cigar in town.

Mr. W. L. Church Jr. and family express to the many friends and especially Pacific Post No. 48 G. A. R. their sincere appreciation of their great kindness during their late bereavement.

Prof. Binks will give his best lecture tomorrow night at the Congregational church. The subject will be "Matrimonial Mistakes."

The unusally high tide of the 29th accompanied by a large swell washed the electric light pole at the corner of Oak and Front streets out of plumb and in assuming its vertical position the wires were broken.

The Rapid Transit passed down the straits this week after touching at Port Angeles, for Clallam Bay. She was loaded with machinery and material for a new box factory to be erected at that place immediately.

Some one, probably with too much Christmas enthusiasm while strolling out Laurel street wharf fell off the end, and into the custom house efficers boat, which is kept hanging in the davits. One of the davits was broken off, which probably gave the worshiper at the shrine of Bacchas a very cold bath The boat was slightly injured, and who the unfortunate was is still a mystery, nor is it known what became of him.

The United States Savings, Loan & Building Company capital $10,000,000, of St, Paul, Minn. formed a branch company at Port Angeles Monday 28th. The meeting was held in the Colony's office where the following officers were elected, Local Board Thos. Maloney, C. E. Mallette, C. P. Brown, Frank Chambers Lewis Levy. President, Thos. Malony, Treasurer, First National bank, Secretary L. H. Jenns. The company's officers will be located in the building with Mallette and Jenns.

WEDDING BELLS.

Mr. Scott Wilcox and Miss Lena Boggess Married on December 26th.

On last Saturday evening the residence of of Mr. C. S. Stakemiller was decorated with flowers and evergreens and opened to receive a few select guests who assembled at 4:30 p. m. to witness the marriage ceremony of Mr. S. S. Wilcox and Miss Lena Boggess, both of this city.

The guests were Mr. Beardsley and wife, B. G. Wilcox and wife, C. S. Stakemiller and wife, Post Commander Armbrust and wife and Clarence McLaughlin and wife.

When all had arrived, a wedding march was played and the bride and groom, followed by Miss Leona Grant and Mr. John Moine as bridesmaid and groomsman, marched in and took their stations under the curtains of the bay window, which were draped with pale-green ribbons to match the costume of the bride. Superior Judge McClinton administered the marriage vows, and upon receiving the required "I do," the ring was given and received, the happy couple were pronounced man and wife.

When congratulations had been tendered, the guests were honored by partaking of the first hospitality of Mr. and Mrs. Wilcox in the form of daintily arranged plates of fruit and cake served by the bride and a social cup handed to each by the groom.

A pleasant hour was passed in social talk, and with many good wishes the company retired. The groom presented his bride with an elegant gold watch, and a number of beautiful gifts were presented by friends. The bride was becomingly dressed in creamy white, trimmed in pale green silk and natural flowers. Miss Boggess came here last spring from Greeley, Colo., and is teaching in our public schools. She is well known among the young people as Chief Templar, Angeles Lodge, 27, I O G T.

Mr. Wilcox is from Akron, Onio, but is popularly known, having been in Port Angeles several years. He is one of the leading cornetists of our city, also Captain of Camp 28, S of V, and has the good wishes of "the boys."

Happiness for Two.

Mr. E. A. FitzHenry and and Miss Rena Pearl Hooker, daughter of Major Hooker, of Rena, were married Dec. 23d in Seattle. The Rev. Elliot Brown, pastor of the Second Presbyterian church, performed the ceremony. The happy couple made a short tour to Tacoma and returned to Port Angeles last week. Their future home has been established in Mr. FitzHenry's neat little cottage on the reserve.

Real Estate Transfers.

The following is a list of the transfers for the week ending Dec. 23 as furnished by Baker & Hoole, Abstractors, office s in the County buildings.

Port Angeles Land Co. to Marie L. Rudd lots 26, 27 and 28 blk 12 Gay & Bickfor'ds 1st add....	$ 10.00
Gertrude to Miller lot 25 blk 12 Gay & Bickford's 1st add.....	10.00
Green to Green 60 lots Green's Belle View add.....	10.00
Smart to Pratt 6lots blk 1 Woodland add.....	300.00
Verrinder to Pfeil 7 lots townsite Clallam.....	270.00
Same to Cohenour 1 lot townsite Clallam.....	100.00
U S to R R Wilcox sw¼ sw¼ 12 nw¼ nw¼ 13 e½ ne¼ 14 tp 30 n r 8 w.....	200.00
Wilcox to Boggess above tract..	5.00
Bell & McGill to Smith 2 lots P S C C 2d add.....	375.00
Lewis to Spears lot 6 blk 60 Lewis & Mastick's sub div Pt Angeles	500.00
U S to Albright lot 1 sec 22 tp 30 n r 8 west.....	37.50
Trafton to Dufresne lot 26 blk 2 Ferry's Park add.....	50.00
Dufresne to Nott above tract.....	20.00
Weiland to Proestter lots 35 and 36 blk 8 B. T Smith's add	150.00
Pt Angeles Land Co to Bruce lots 1 and 2 blk 8 Gay & Bickford's	225.00
Pt Discovery Mill Co to Duncan s½ ne¼ sec 7 tp 30 n r 3 w....	800.00
Same Co to Cays e½ sw¼ sec 12 tp 30 n r 4 w.....	800.00
Pt Crescent Imp Co to Union Land Co 28 lots in Pt Crescent	10.00
Barnes to Walker 8 lots sub div lot 2 Lincoln Park adp.....	40.00
Measor to Slaughter lot 8 blk 18 oig townsite Clallam.....	200.00
Dolan & Fogarty to Randall lots 7 to 10 blk 4 F & D add.....	600.00
Petty to Petty, lot 13 blk 21 N R Smith Sub div.....	1.00
Same to same urban lot 9 blk 34 Pt Angeles.....	1.00
FitzHenry to Singleton lots 1 to 5 blk 1 Ocean Grove add Pt A	500.00
Messor to Hill lot 6 blk 16 orig townsite Clallam....	100.00

Friday Evening Dances.

The following gentlemen met in the office of the Clallam County Abstract & Investment company Tuesday evening for the purpose of organizing a hop club: J. W. Troy, B. F. Schwartz, R. A. Grimes, W. Bramfield, Horace White, C. Babcock, G, W. Meagher, Frank Fisher, Dr. F. S. Lewis and W. W. Dedman. Dr. Lewis was called to the chair and was subsequently elected president of the club, J. W. Troy being elected secretary.

It was the object of the meeting to organize, that a series of dances might be given every Friday evening of each week to occur at the opera House. One invitation will be extended which admits the bearer to the series of dances, and cards are to be presented at the door for admission. The name adopted is the "Angeles Club" and their first entertainment will be given Jan 8th, 1892.

FOR SALE—REAL ESTATE.

10 cents a line per month under this head.

FOR SALE—Four lots on Front st.; address L 1, this office.

FOR SALE—Lots on Georgiana and Eunis: address L 1, this office.

FOR SALE—160 acres in section 19, township 31; address L 1, this office.

FOR SALE—Forty acres in section 27, township 4; good bottom land; located within a mile of Rena; price $700; apply this office.

FOR SALE—Ten acres in section 13; 2¼ miles from postoffice; cheap; address B 2, this office.

FOR SALE—Two unsurveyed claims at Sequim near p stoffice; address C. E. Jackson, Sequim, Wash.

FOR SALE—Lots in B. T. Smith's addition; 2 miles from postoffic: address B 2, this office.

FOR RENT—HOUSES.

FOR RENT—House, two doors east of Times office; address Times office.

Business Locals.

L. H. Smith's for Garland stoves.

The freshest candies at Raymond Bros.

Nickle Plate Polish at L. H. Smiths'

Fine imported cigars at Raymonds's.

Fisher's Pharmacy, the 'Old Reliable.'

The best 5c cigar in town at Raymond Bros.

Plumbing and pipe fitting at L. H. Smith's.

Hall Davis' Dungeness butter at Rockman's.

A comlete line of stationary at Fisher's Pharmacy.

Take your washing to the Port Angeles Steam Laundry.

All kind of first class delacacies served at the Old Crow.

For a glass of cold St. Louis Lager, go to the Old Crow.

Call on Dick McDonell at the Abbey for Christmas cheer.

The finest on earth, WHAT? Kentucky Lily, at the Monogram.

The latest periodicals and finest stationery at Raymond Bros

The laterns at L. H. Smith's are the best in the world for 65 cents.

The Abbey will serve egg-nog and Tom and Jerry Christmas day.

If you want the very best of everything, go to Fisher's Pharmacy.

Don't forget the special BREW of Claussen & Sweeneys, at the Monogram.

The dozen of the best lanterns in the world at L. H. Smith's for 65 cents.

First-class imported and domestic bottle goods at the Old Crow saloon.

Patrons of the Abbey will be supplied with an elegant lunch Christmas day.

FARM LOANS, OPTION PLAN.
J. E. BEAM.

Cheap stoves, pumps, bath-tubs, sinks etc. W. Banks, at Martin's sash factory.

The Port Angeles Steam Laundry make a specialty of doing up collars and cuffs.

First-class furnished rooms to rent at the very lowest rates, by George E. Fisher.

Don't travel in the dark, buy the best latern in the world at L. H. Smith's for 65 cents.

Patronize white labor and take your washing to the Port Angeles Steam Laundry.

Call for a ham or swiss cheese sandwich when you imbibe in a glass of sparkling lager at the Old Crow.

Take home once in a while a few bottle of cold St. Louis Lager for your family.—Geo. E. Fishers' precription.

Money to Loan on Improved Farms on the OPTION plan.
J. E. BEAM, PortAngeles, Wash.

The Bank of Port Angeles is a State not a National Bank. Pays interets on deposits. Makes no charge for drafts on Pacific Coast points.

Geo. E. Fisher, of the Old Crow, has always on hand, the best brands of cigars, such as "Lillies' Cuban Blossoms," "Flor De Madrid," "Olympian," "Rio Columbia" and other asserments,

S. W. Shearer, the plumber, at Port Angeles, wishes to inform the people of Dungeness that they may have their houses fitted up with Hot and Cold water for Sinks, Bath Tubs, and Wash Stands. Any information freely given.

Subscribe for THE DEMOCRAT.

L. ROCKMAN,

Wholesale and Retail Dealer in

CIGARS, TOBACCO, CIGARETTES, PIPES AND SMOKERS' ARTICLES.

AGENTS FOR

The Lion and Imperial Fire Insurance Cos. of London.

SHERIFF'S SALE.

George Draper, Plaintiff.
vs. NO. 189
Benjamin F. Schwartz, Trustee, Virginia Schwartz, and the B. F. Schwartz Company, a Corporation, Defendants.

—NOTICE—

Under and by virtue of a decree of Judgement in foreclosure of mortgage, order of sale and special execution issued out of the above named Court, in the above entitled cause, and to me directed and delivered, I have duly levied upon as the property of the said defendants, the following described real estate, situate in the County of Clallam and state of Washington, described as follows, to-wit:

Southeast quarter of the northeast quarter and the south half of the southwest quarter of the northeast quarter of section 25, township 30 north, swe, 6 e i ing 60 acres more or less, according to the government survey thereof together with all and singular the tenements, appurtenances and hereditaments thereunto belonging or to anyway appertaining. Therefore notice is heacby given that on the 17th day of January, 1892, at the hour of ten o'clock in the forenoon of said day, at the north front door of the court house in the town of Port Angeles, county of Clallam, state of Washington, I will sell the above-described property, or so much thereof as may be necessary to satisfy the judgment in said case, with interests costs and attorney's fees, as stated in said execution, at public auction cash, to the highest bidder.

WILLIAM B. GOULD,
Sheriff of Clallam Co.,
State of ashington.

Dated the 14th day of December, 1891.

SUMMONS.

In the Superior Court of the State of Washington, for the County of Clallam, holding terms at Port Angeles.

State of Washington,
County of Clallam, } No 208.

The Port Discovery Mill Company, Plaintiff, vs. J. E. Hartagen, Defendant.

The State of Washington to the above named defendant:

You are hereby notified that The Port Discovery Mill company, plaintiff, has filed a complaint against you in the Superior Court of the State of Washington, for the County of Clallam, holding terms at Port Angeles, which will come on to be heard sixty days after the first publication of this Summons, to-wit: Sixty days after the 4th day of December, 1891, and unless you appear and answer the same on or before the 4th day of February, 1891, the same will be taken as confessed and the prayer of said complaint granted. The object and prayer of said complaint is for the foreclosure of a mortgage on a parcel of land in the townsite of Port Williams, Clallam county, Washington, described as follows: Commencing on Williams avenue on the northerly side of the land end of the said Port Williams townsite company's dock in said townsite of Port Williams, running thence in a northeasterly direction in a direct line along the line of said dock seventy, 70, feet to a point, thence at right angles northwesterly in a direct line seventy-five, 75, feet to a point thence at right angles in a direct line southeasterly seventy, 70, feet to a point, thence at right angles in a direct line seventy-five, 75, feet to place of beginning; also the hotel and business, buildings situated on above described land. Given by said defendant, J. E. Hartagen, to said plaintiff, The Port Discovery Mill company on April 17, 1891 to secure the payment of a certain promissory note of same date, April 17, 1891, for the sum of $322.29 dollars, and interest thereon at the rate of 1 per cent. per month and the further sum of thirty-two dollars and twenty-nin cents to be taxed as part of the costs, the attorney's fee provided for in said mortgage, together with costs and disbursements herein.

Witness my hand and the Seal of said Superior Court, affixed this 2d day of December, A. D. 1891.

{SEAL}

WM. K. CLARK,
County Clerk and Clerk of Superior Court.
TAUSSELL & PLUMLEY, Attorneys for Plaintiff.
Date of first publication Dec. 4.

Guardian's Notice of Sale of Real Estate.

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned, William Dodd, guardian of Bert and Walter Tillman, minor heirs of Laura Tillman, deceased pursuant to an order heretofore made by the Superior court of Clallam county, Washington will, on Monday, the 29th day of January, 1892, at the north door of the courthouse in said Clallam county at the hour of two o'clock, p. m., of said day, at public auction, proceed to sell to the highest bidder, lot one (1) in block nineteen (19) of Norman R. Smith's subdivision of the townsite of Port Angeles, Clallam county, Washington. Terms of sale one-half cash and one-half in six months, with ten per cent interest, secured by mortgage on said lot.

WILLIAM DODD, Guardian.

L. M. LANE, attorney.

SUMMONS.

IN the Superior Court of Clallam County, state of Washington, holding terms at Port Angeles.

STATE OF WASHINGTON, } ss. Cause, No. 211.
CLALLAM COUNTY.

Warriner E. Smith and H. R. Stevens, Plaintiffs.
vs.
N. B. Burch, Trustee; N. B. Burch, Stephen Hellstone, Carl Blickenger, Frank Schwarzlack, W. B. Jolley, Darius Lewis, Mary Harper, T. W. Johnson, John E. Webber, A. Hartman, Eliza Davidson, Patrick Killeher, J. B. Clark, J. E. Bonser, J. R. Bennett, O. A. Southerland, H. E. Gough, Geo. T. Pomeroy, E. Wetzell, H. M. Russ, W. W. Keffer, Mike Ward, S. S. Jolley, Louise Cooper, C. Poindexter, Maggie Saunders, Wing John, Geo. McBain, Andrew Cann, Geo. W. Jones, P. Haskell, A. Westley, William Draher, Edward R. Stocklin, William Jolley sr., Erdner & Hockull, W. G. Lovejoy, J. B. Patterson, Frank Sperger, Annie Clark, Z. J. Paxton. Defendants.

The State of Washington to the above named Defendants.

You are hereby notified that Warriner E. Smith and H. R. Stevens, plaintiffs, have filed a complaint against you in the Superior court of the State of Washington for the county of Clallam, holding terms at Port Angeles, which will come on to be heard sixty days after the first publication of this summons, to wit; sixty days after the first day of January, 1892, and unless you appear and answer the same on or before the first day of March, 1892. the same will be taken as confessed and the prayer of said complaint granted. The object and prayer of said complaint is for the recovery of One Hundred and Fifty ($150) dollars due the plaintiffs on account for services rendered defendants in surveying and platting the southeast quarter of he northeast quarter of section 17, township 30, north range 5 west, W. M., situated in said county of Clallam, together with interest on said sum of One Hundred and Fifty ($150) dollars, from and after the 8th day of May, 1891, at ten per cent per annum, together with costs and disbursements of this action.

Witness my hand seal of said Superior court affixed this 28th day of December, 1891.

WILLIAM K. CLARK,
County clerk and clerk of the Superior court.
By Frank P. Fisher, Deputy.

L. M. LANE and W. R. GAY, att'ys for plaintiffs.
Date of first publication Jan. 1, 1892.

NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned has, by the order of the Superior court of Clallam county, State of Washington, been duly appointed guardian of the person and estate of Nathaniel F. Tudor, a person of unsound mind residing in said county, and has duly qualified as such guardian.

Dated at Port Angeles, Wash., Dec. 19, 1891.

WILLIAM HOOKER, Guardian.

L. M. LANE, Atty.

NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned has, by the order of the Superior court of Clallam county, state of Washington, been duly appointed guardian of the person and estate of James Heard, an incompetent person, residing in said county, and has duly qualified as such guardian.

Dated at Port Angeles, Washington, December 11, 1891.

R. P. WALLIS.
R. C. WILSON, Attorney for guardian.

For Fine Cigars and Candies go to the

GEM

MOUNT BAKER SALOON

FRANK BAKER. Prop.

St. Louis beer and choicest drinks. Levy Building on Front St.

F. McGILL

DEALER IN

Groceries and General Supplies.

Front Street.

PORT ANGELES.

PIONEER BAKERY

AND

Confectionecy.

L. WERTH, Proprietor.

Front Street.

Port Angeles, - . Wash.

CITY MARKET

E. METCALFE & CO.

Wholesale and Retail Dealers in

Live Stock, Fresh Meat and Vegetables.

Family Trade Receives our Special Attention.

Shipping Supplied at Lowest Rates.

Port Angeles, - Wash.

TALK WITH WHITE AND GRIMES

FINE STATIONARY AT RAYMOND BROS.

The Finest Stock of Cigars and Candies in the City.

Agents for all American Publications.

A. L. JOHNSON,

Livery, Feed and Exchange Stables.

OFFICE—U. P. Dock, corner Front and Lincoln Streets. Port Angeles, Wash

C. J. PETERS,

CONTRACTOR AND BUILDER

All kinds of shop work and jobbing promptly attended to.

Front Street.

MONA'S SALOON.

T. MONA, Proprietor, P. O. Box 243. -:- :-

-: -:- -:- A MONA, Manager.

GRAND

CLEARING SALE

AT THE

NEW YORK CLOTHING HOUSE.

MEN'S YOUTH'S AND BOY'S SUITS

Overcoats, Hats, Rubber Coats, Goatskin Jackets, Blankets, Mitts, Overalls, Jean Pants, Umbrellas, Hose, Underware for Men and Boys, Mitts and Gloves of all Kinds, a Variety of Fine Suspenders, Men's Night Dresses and Neckware.

We Will Sell Overalls this Week for 50 Cents and Goatskin Jackets for $4.50. We will Sell Overcoats Worth $15.00 for $7.50. Men's Suits for $5.00, 5.50, 6.00, 6.50, $7.00, 7.50, 8.00, 8.50, 9.00, 9.50, 10.00, 10,50, 11.50 12.00 Worth Double the Price. Boy's Suits for Age from 10 to 18 $4.50, 5, 5.50, 6, 6,50; Extra Quality $8. Boy's Suits for 4 to 13 years $1.75, 2.60, 3, 3.75, 4, and 4.50.

COMMON SENSE.

Say, Jim, where have you been the past few days?"

Well. Tom, I thought I would go up to Seattle and buy a suit of clothes for Christmas."

Tom—Why, Jim, that suit is just like mine. how much did you pay for that suit, Jim?

Jim—Guess, Tom.

Tom—Fifteen dollars.

Jim—You hit it, by Jingo.

Tom—Ha! ha! ha! ha! ha!

Jim—What are you langhing at, Tom?

Tom—Why, you darn fool, Jim, that suit of mine only only cost me $10. Guess where I bought it. Give it up. do you? Well, go to the New York Clothing House. That is where you will get them, Jim. The cheapest place to buy clothing, I ever saw. But Jim, how much did that trip up sound cost you?

Jim—Oh, about $12, Tom.

Tom—Let me see; $12 for expense and $5 overcharge on the suit makes $17 in all. That would just buy, at the New York Clothing House, a nice suit and overcoat. Ha! ha! ha! you darn fool, Jim.

Jim—Now, Tom, I don't want any more of this giggling. You dont count the pleasure one has of seeing the beautiful stores with their plate glass windows and the nice cushion chairs one gets to sit down on. That's worth something isn't it?

Tom—You make me tired. Jim. That's no way to do. You can't expect your city will ever amount to any thing if you squander your money outside and get no benefit of it. Support home trade, old boy.

NEW YORK CLOTHING HOUSE.

Cor. Front and Laurel Streets, - - - PORT ANGELES, WASH.

DIRECTORIES

Public Officers.

Governor,	E. P. Ferry
Lieutenant Governor,	C. E. Laughton.
Secretary of State,	Allen Weir.
Treasurer,	A. A Linsley.
Auditor,	T. M. Reed
Attorney General,	W. C. Jones.
Supt. Public Instruction,	R. B. Bryan.
Commissioner Public Lands,	W. T Forrest.
Senators,	Watson C. Squire and J. B. Allen.
Congressman,	John L. Wilson.
State Senator,	F. W. Hastings.
Judges Supreme Court	R. O. Dunbar, T.C. Stiles, J. P. Hoyt, T. J. Anders, E. Scott.
Land Officers—Seattle Dist	T. M. Reed, jr., Register. C. M. Ogden, Receiver.

County Officers.

Representative,	Smith Troy.
Superir Judge,	J. G. McClinton.
Commissioners,	W. W. Gray. A. C. Davis. John Gordon.
Clerk,	Wm. K. Clark.
Sheriff,	Wm. B. Gould.
Assessor,	Thos. Knoph.
Auditor,	B. John Baker.
Attorney,	Geo. V. Smith.
Treasurer,	Warren R. Dodge.
Surveyor,	Warriner E. Smith.
Coroner,	Dr. W. W. McGeorge.
Justices of the Peace Port Angeles Pre.	Jno. M. Grant. Louis Williams.
Constables. Port Angeles Precinct,	Thos. McDonald, W. D. Stivers.

City Officers.

Councilmen,	D. McInnes, J. F. Meagher, S. G. Morse, E. H. Foster, Lewis Levy, Thos. Maloney.
Mayor,	W. Brumfield.
Clerk,	Horace White
Treasurer,	P. F. Kiernan.
Marshal,	W. D. Stivers.
Attorney,	R. C. Wilson.
Engineer,	H. E. Williams.
Police Judge.	S. P. Carusi.
Street Commissioner.	C. M. Armbust.

LODGES.

ORDER OF THE EASTERN STAR.—Meets on the second and fourth Saturdays of each month at Masonic Hall. All members of the order invited to attend.
MRS. LIBBY HARVEY, Worthy Matron.
MRS. MABLE R. THOMAS, Secretary.

A. F. & A. M.—Port Angeles Lodge, meets every Tuesday on or before the full moon, in Masonic Hall, Colony Building
W. BRUMFIELD, W. M.
WALLACE MYNATT, Secretary.

KNIGHTS OF PYTHIAS—Gate City Lodge, No. 65, meets every Wednesday evening at Masonic Hall. Visiting Knights are cordially invited to attend. S. A HALL, C. C.
JOHN W. TROY, K. of R. and S.

G. A. R.—Pacific Post No. 48, meets every first and third Friday of each month, at Masonic Hall, at 7:30 p. m. All comrades in good standing cordially invited. C. M. ARMBRUST, P. C.
HUGH H. MORRISON, Adjutant.

PACIFIC WOMEN'S RELIEF CORPS—No. 21, auxilliary to the G. A. R., meets every first and third Saturday of each month at Masonic Hall, at 2:30 p. m. MRS. C. M. ARMBRUST, President.
MISS BABCOCK Sec.

FUCA ENCAMPMENT, NO. 19, I. O. O. F.—Of Port Angeles, Wash., meets every Wednesday night at 8:00 p. m., at McDonald's Hall. All visiting brothers are cordially invited to be with us. JACOB HARDEY, C. P.
Attest: D. R. CALLEN, Scribe.

I. O. O. F.—Home Lodge No. 82. meets every Monday at 7:30 p. m. at McDonalds Hall.
W. ADAMS, N. G.
L. D. STEWART, Cor. Sec.

I. O. O. F.—Clallam Lodge No. 72, meets every Saturday evening at 7:30, at Hall in Colony Building. CLIFFORD BABCOCK, N. G.
A. N. TAYLOR, Secretary.

I. O. G. T.—Angeles Lodge No. 27, meets every Friday evening at 7:30, at McDonald's Hall.
P. A. MEAGHER, C. T.
LESTER PLACE, Secretary.

KNIGHTS OF LABOR—Port Angeles Lodge, Local Assembly No. 2606, meets every Tuesday at 7:30 p. m., at McDonald's Hall.
E. E. SEEVERS, W. M.
BURNS, Secretary,

CARPENTERS' UNION No. 260—Meets every Tuesday at L. Henderson's, Second and Pine streets, 7:30 p. m. D. R. CALLIN, R. S.
L. HENDERSON, Pres.

CALEDONIAN CLUB—Meets every Wednesday evening at 7:30, at McInnes & Campbell's office over First National Bank.
WM. RITCHIE, Chieftan.
D. CAMPBELL, Secretary.

PORT ANGELES SQUATTER'S ASSOCIATION.—Meets every Tuesday night at Snatter's Hall, corner Lincoln and Fifth streets.
W. B. MAIN, C. S.
D. O'Brien, Secretary.

CHURCHES.

METHODIST EPISCOPAL—Rev. J. M. Baxter pastor. Services every Sunday in church on First street at 10:30 a. m, and 7:30 p. m. Sunday school immediately after morning service Prayer meeting every Thursday evening at 7:30 All are welcome.

GERMAN LUTHERAN—Rev. Hansen, pastor. Services first Sunday in each month at the Congregational church at 2:30 p. m.

CATHOLIC Services at 10:30 a. m. every Sunday, corner Second and Laurel streets. Rev Father Faber, Pastor. All are invited to attend.

FIRST BAPTIST church, corner of Oak and Second streets. Rev. M C. Squire, pastor, residence, corner of First and Laurel streets—two blocks from church.

FIRST CONGREGATIONAL—Corner First and Laurel streets. Services every Sunday morning and evening. Bible school every Sunday after the morning service. Prayer meeting every Thursday evening. C. E. Chase, Pastor.

TENTH STREET CHAPEL—Sunday school every Sunday at 3 p. m. Preaching at 4. All welcome to attend. C. E. Chase, Pastor.

That Fatal Number.

Superstitious boarder—Yes, I like the rooms very much and will pay you a month's board in advance. Is that your little girl, maa'm? Nice child, how old is she?

Landlady—Just thirteen, sir.

S. B—Give me back that money. Here's your receipt. I wouldn't live in a house where they had a thirteen. Good day ma'am.—(Detroit Free Press.

Helping Him Out.

Uncle Ebony—I's trying ter raise enough money ter git my wife a new dress for Christmas, sah.

Featherstone—I see, and you want me to give you some chores to do, eh. uncle?

Uncle Ebony—Well, no, sah, dat wasn't de idee. I tought perhaps you could git de ole lady a job a washin', sah.—(Cloak Review.

Fortunate Indeed.

A lady attired in garments of mourning searched for rooms and board in the west end of the city the other day.

"Have you any children?"

"No," answered the applicant with a sigh. "I had a little boy once, but he died last summer."

"How fortunate," exclaimed the landlady, "for we never take children."

ON COW GUARD.

A TRUE STORY OF THE PLAINS.

[WRITTEN FOR THE DEMOCRAT.]

"Dick rode into camp with the gal on the horn of his saddle about the proudest kid I ever saw.

All the boys were in to supper when he came up an' after easing the gal down, he quietly told the story to the boys, an' asked them to help him lick the plaza which he was sure would attack the camp that night.

"Well, you can bet, it did not take very much persuading with the boys. To a man they all jumped to their feet an' dug up their guns an' Winchesters, in about two minutes the camp wore a very warlike appearence.

"I was swinging the wagon, an' began to make preparations for the night knowing there would be a fight. I sent seven men with the herd over to a corral two miles from camp with orders to hasten back; put one man on horse-guard, with instructions to hold them on the Vegas road so that if we had to leave the wagon we could run into our horses an drive them ahead of us.

"Dick caught up two horses one for himself an' one for Florita, an' dug up an old saddle, which he riged for her. She seemed terribly tickled with the idea of riding horseback, thinking that we intended to move immediately, an' were not going to make a fight.

"I soon told her that we were intending to plant several or more greasers, an' had no intention of moving our bed-ground until we had to. Then her lips began to quiver like, an' the tears gather in her blue eyes, she moved over towards Dick, who was still eating supper, an' just as if she was afraid he would get away somewhere without saying good-bye, she reached out her purty little hand an' took hold of his sleeve.

"She seemed to think that Dick was plenty able to protect her from all harm, an' as I knew the kid purty well, I could see from the shine of his eye that, he'd fight some before he'd let them greasers get the girl.

"We piled our beds all up under the wagon. Dick unrolling his in the center for Florita, and concluded that this protection of beds would keep the bullets away from her, then the boys, fourteen all told made a circle around the wagon about twenty yards away an' waited for the fun.

"It was rather sleepy business until about 11 o'clock, when just in front of me I heard a greaser say 'Unde esta el campo.' 'Here's the camp' I answered an' at the same time turned my Winchester loose in his direction. From the noise he made I reckon he stopped the bullet, an' knew that the bullet stopped him, but I had not time to study very much about it, as the fight commenced from that shot, an' we saw that we were surrounded.

"We had the advantage over the greasers, being on the ground, an' they on horseback, as we could skylight 'em, an' every shot of ours knocked a greaser just us sure as if it had been daylight, while they had to shoot at our flashes, which generally are not very good targets. Well, the fight didn't last over ten minutes, when the shooting stopped, an' all was just as quiet as it was before the greasers came up.

"It was understood that no man was to say a word unless hit, because if a greaser was lurking around in the sage he would give him a good shot from the sound of his voice. I waited an' waited to hear someone speak out, as no sound was made I was begining to feel thankful that the boys had all escaped. I waited a little longer. Believing that the plaza gang had had enough for one night, I thought I would go over to the wagon an' see how Florita had stood the fight.

"I went up to the front end an' called almost in a whisper 'Florita,' immediately came the answer. 'Signor' without a sign of excitment, then she told me to get some water as she had dragged Dick under the wagon who was wounded an' from loss of blood had fainted. I got the water, an' instructed the boys to scout all around the wagon within rifle range to see if there were any greasers lurking around for a chance shot. as I wanted to light the lantern to examine Dick's wound.

They soon reported that all had gone, when I struck a light. After following the trail of blood I located a terrible gash, cut with a knife on the underneath side of his left arm just below the shoulder, which had cut the artery. I also found that the arm above the wound had been tightly bound with a knotted handkerchief taken from his neck, which had stopped the flow of blood. I asked Florita how Dick got hurt.

She replied, her eyes full of tears an' sobs overflowing from her heart. 'You must not be angry with me for disobeying your orders about staying under the wagon during the fight, because I felt that I might help someone in someway. Dick, who was fighting just in front of the wagon was suddenly attacked from behind by a Mexican with a knife. After he was cut, he shot the Mexican and fainted. I had seen my father tie up wounds of the same kind on horses and knew that an artery in his arm was cut, so I tied it up as you see, but you must get him to a doctor as soon as possible, and Mr. Bill, may I go with him and take care of him? He saved me from the Mexicans an' got hurt for my sake, you won't send him away from me? I know how to take care of sick people.'

"Just then Dick opened his eyes, then his mouth an' asked for water which Florita gave him. He took her hnad in his an' said in a tone I'll never forget: 'My little girl,' an' she answered: 'Oh, my Dick.' Well, somehow or other to see them two kids like that; the one laid up for repairs an' the other just out of a tough scrape, arrive at a conclusion in two very short sentences, made me feel kinder solemn an' this here knot in my throat would work up an' down in a way to make me believe it would soon get up on the top of my head or hung on my spurs.

"I told Florita that all us boys would take care of her, an' in the morning would talk it over an' see what was best to be done an' that we would start Dick up to Vegas as soon as it was light enough to see to rope horses, that I was certain their would be no objection if she wanted to go with him, but that it would not look right for her to stay with him all the time, she could see him every day, or as often as the hospital nurses would allow. an' that' she need not bother her purty head about money as we boys would fix that up alright. When I said that she let go of Dick's hand an' took mine in both her own an' kissed it, then I was certain my spur had got caught in this knot, it went down so far.

"We had taken up a good deal of time in talking an' washing the blood off of Dick, an' now I was mighty glad to see the day beginning to break. I called the boys, who had tried to get a little sleep after the fight, an' had one to go after the caballado an' the rest to round-up an' get a count on the dead Mexicans. They soon reported nine dead an' the one that knited Dick made ten, who proved to be old Gallejos. The old greaser had thought that he might be able to steal the gal while we were fighting, but Dick headed him off in a way I call very ample.

"We put Dick an' Florita in the wagon, an started it on the Vegas road. A part of the boys went over for the day-herd an' soon the outfit was altogether again.

"Excepting Dick, we got out of the scrape mighty well as no one else was touched.

"We were two days on the road to Vegas an' at last we got there Dick was unloaded at the hospital, an' then came a time which I don't want to see again. We boys had determined to take care of Florita ourselves, an' thought it best to send her to school at the Presbyterian mission in Vegas, an' every feller agreed to brand every maverick he found for Florita for the next five years. Now, I tell you when fourteen good ropers determine to put up a bunch of cattle for a little gal, the way that brand will grow is very current.

"Well, Florita went up into the hospital ward with Dick an' while she was fixing his pillow and fussin' around his bed to make him comfortable, I told the story of the fight to the doctor, who then questioned Florita. He got stuck on her very briefly, an' said if we boys had no objection he would like to adopt her as he had no kids of his own, an that his wife would be a good mother to her.

"I told the boys what he said an' then we held a pow-wow an' concluded it would be best for the gal, 'cause none of us wanted her to be anything else but a perfect lady. I went back to Florita an' told her all bout it, an' added that she might try it, an' if she was not pleased with the arrangement she could come to us any time. No, she did not want to live with the doctor an' had a heap rather have us boys for her friends than anyone, but I told her if she lived with the doctor she could be with Dick nearly all the time, an' that we wanted him taken care of right.

"Well, that settled it, she said she would try it, but if she didn't like it she would come back to us.

"When the time came for us to say goodbye I went up to Florita an' held out my hand to shake hands with her. She looked first at Dick on his bed and, then at me then at the other fellers, an' the tears began to round-up in her eyes, then one little tear broke away from the bunch an' started on a stampede down her cheeks an' purty soon the whole herd was on the run, an' say, you wouldn't believe it, but that knot in my throat kept working up an' down till directly it acted like a pump-handle on my eyes an' I was crying like a blamed idiot an' I didn't know what for either.

"Florita took my hand in both of her's an' climbed upon a chair, then she put her little arms around my neck, an' I reckon kissed about all the face surface I had. I could not stand it any longer so I got action on me an' left, an' purty soon the other fellers followed' crying like children. We had given Florita away.

"Yes, I saw her in Vegas two weeks ago. She is now about sixteen years old an' the purtiest mortal I ever saw. She ran into the room where I was waiting for her, an' just like she did when I told her goodbye in the hospital, put her arms around my neck an' kissed me a dozen times.

"Where was Dick? Well, Dick never punched cows any more, 'cause when he got well the doctor said there was good timber in him to make a doctor out of an' so he he took him home too, an' Dick is now the doc's pard.

"Two weeks ago when we were in Vegas, Florita an' Dick an' the doc gave a big grub-fight an' invited all us boys to it. an' after supper in comes a preacher an marries Dick an' the gal, an' say, I was best man, next to Dick.

"Hello! here is the fourth guard coming out, so we had better slope.' Buenos noche.

BUY your Fruit, Confectionary and Cigars at the California Market. We are Prepared to Sell Goods to Dealers at San Francisco Prices.

If You Want

To

KNOW ALL

The

News

Subscribe for

THE

DEMOCRAT.

For Fine

JOB

PRINTNG

GO TO

THE

DEMOCRAT.

Port Angeles Pharmacy,
KELLER & RANDALL,
Successors to
P. F. KIERNAN.

Prescriptions carefully compounded day or night.

PUREST of MEDICINES
ALWAYS IN STOCK.

Everything in the Drug Line.

PORT ANGELES. - WASH

PATRONIZE.
White Labor!!
AT THE
Port Angeles
Steam Laundry.
C. A. FOSS, Prop.

-THE-
Markham House.
R. McDONNELL, Proprietor.
The best appointed Hotel west of Seattle. Complete in every department.
Bar and Sample Rooms
IN CONNECTION.
Terms, $2.00.
PORT CRESCENT, - WASH

City Hotel,
American and European Plan.
Sample Room in Connection.
Free Express to all Boats.
L. F. PERSON, Prop.

VISIT
The Gate City
Barber Shop
—AND—
Bath Rooms
And get a Hot Fresh-Water Bath. The only Bath House in the City. Hair Cutting Singeing. Shampooing Pompadour Hair Cutting a Specialty. All Work in latest Style, and Satisfaction Guaranteed.
C. F. MERRITT, Prop.

OVER
$50,000
Has been raised by a
CITIZEN'S
COMMITTEE
For the Purpose of Advertising Port Angeles.
The Committee is still at work and will swell this amount to $100,000 for the purpose of offering inducements for the location of industries of all kinds.

AUSTIN HOUSE,
Forks - Prairie - Crossing.
MEALS 25 CENTS.
Good Accommodations. Good Road and shortest route to Forks Prairie.
ALSO KEEPS
Groceries Cigars & Tobacco.
Give me a trial.

RECEPTION
SALOON,
GARRISON & CROCKETT,
PROPRIETORS.
Finest Wines, Liquors, and Cigars
In the City.
luq ooms in Connection.
FRESH BEER
Always on Tap.
PORT ANGELES, - WASH.

P. L. Williams
The Jeweler
DEALER IN
WATCHES,
CLOCKS,
JEWELRY,
SPECTACLES
Repairing a Specialty.
All Work Warranted.
—AT—
CLARK'S BAY VIEW HOUSE.
Front St., Port Angeles, Wash.

PORT ANGELES
Mill & Lumber
COMPANY.
CUT
ALL KINDS OF
LUMBER.
The Best of Cedar Lumber
A Specialty.
Their mills being in the cedar belt, they have unusual facilities for filling order for the best quality of lumber, either dressed or undressed. Frame timber furnished on short notice and delivered to any part of the city.
T. H. BRADSHAW,
Manager.

L. H. SMITH
OFFERS A
DISCOUNT OF 20 PER CENT.
On All Goods Purchased Within the Next 20 Days.
CHEAPEST Place in Town to Have Your Plumbing and Pipe Fitting Done.
L. H. SMITH.

Puget Sound Co-Operative Colony
—MANUFACTURERS OF—
Lumber, Lath, Mouldings, Pickets.
PORT ANGELES, WASH.
OUTSIDE ORDERS SOLICITED.

COLONY STORE.
ROBT. SHIELDS, Manager.
—KEEP ON HAND A—
General Stock of Merchandise

Port Angeles Traffic and Transfer Company.
Freight and Baggage Transfered to all Parts of th City.
HAY AND FEED FOR SALE.
Wood Delivered at Reasonable Prices.
PORT ANGELES, - - - WASHINGTON