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PAPERS FILED IN THIS CITY

Taken as Furnishing Additional Evidence of Milwaukee Interest in Port Angeles Road.

The Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul Railway Company of four states, South Dakota, Montana, Idaho and Washington, was reorganized in Seattle last Saturday as the Chicago, Milwaukee & Puget Sound Railway Company. The road extends from Mobridge, on the Missouri river, to the Pacific Coast. In connection with the reorganization it is announced that the capital stock has been increased to $100,000,000. H. R. Williams is president of the new road, and A. M. Ingersoll, of Tacoma, vice-president. Headquarters will be in Seattle, with freight headquarters in Tacoma. Approximately 1,400 miles of trackage will be under the management of the new corporation.

President C. J. Farmer of the Citizen's National Bank on Monday filed with the county auditor the change of name, which is locally regarded as a further evidence that the Milwaukee is behind the Port Angeles Railway and Terminal, which holds the franchise in this city, and which has been at work for several months past perfecting its surveys.

ACQUIRES ADDITIONAL HARBOR AREA

P. A. Ry. & Ter. Co. Adds 1,500 Feet to its Present Terminals East of Ennis Creek.

At the sale of State Tide and Shore Lands held on Saturday, January 2nd, 1909, under direction of the Board of State Land Commissioners, twelve blocks in the Syndicate First and Second Additions to Port Angeles were sold at auction by the County Auditor, the State realizing an average of about three times the appraised valuation.

C. J. Farmer, one of the incorporators of the Port Angeles Railway & Terminal Co , purchased the first three blocks offered, the remaining nine going to various individuals, it not being the desire of Mr. Farmer, we understand, to run the prices up to an exhorbitant figure in order to obtain them at this time.

As an indication of the demand for Port Angeles property, and the prices it brings, even when sold at an auction sale with but few bidders present, we might mention Block 22, containing 4.43 acres, Syndicate Second Addition, the last piece sold, which, though located one mile east of the city limits, brought $1,000, its appraised valuation being $443. Block 21, containing 2.44 acres, sold for over four times its appraised value, bringing $950.

EARLES' MILLS BURNED MONDAY

The plant of the Puget Sound Mills & Timber Company, constituting in part the largest shingle plant in the world, located at South Bellingham, was destroyed by fire Monday, January 4th, entailing a loss of $415,000. Michael Earles, president of the company, and who was present at the fire,, says the mill will be rebuilt, but would not say whether it will be rebuilt upon the old site or removed to Port Crescent, Clallam county, where the company's timber supply is located and where the management has talked of taking the plant, says a special from Bellingham.

Many little lives have been saved by Foley's Honey and Tar, for coughs,colds, croup and whooping cough. It is the only safe remedy for infants and children as it contains no opiates or other narcotic drugs, and children like Foley's Honey and Tar. Careful mothers keep a bottle in the house.Refuse substitutes. W. J. Mathewson Drug Store.

NEW MOVE IN RAILROAD GAME

Proposed Line Up West Coast Contemplates Ferry Across to Port Angeles from Beechy Bay.

Victoria, B. C., Thursday, Dec. 31 --What is believed to be the latest move in the struggle for the mastery of the transportation situation in the Pacific Northwest has just been made here in the shape of an advertisement, giving notice of intention to apply to the Parliament of Canada for a charter on behalf of a new concern called the Victoria and Barclay Sound Railway, to build a line from this city, and incidentally to operate a ferry across the Strait of Juan de Fuca from Beechy Bay to Port Angeles. The strait at this point is only nine or ten miles wide and mariners say that a proper ferry could be operated with the utmost ease save during the heaviest storms.

The directors named in the application are, with one exception, local men of standing, but no attempt is being made to conceal the fact that the road is to be built with American money, and that a British directorate is merely intended to avoid arousing the patriotic susceptibilities of the legislators at Ottawa. In Canada a railroad cannot condemn real estate or conduct interstate business without a charter from the Dominion Parliament, which limits the power of the corporation.

The one American director is John M. Hawthorne, of Seattle, who is now in New York in connection with the financing of the enterprise Charles M. Shannon, of Los Angeles, understood to be a prominent capitalist of a California city is also one of the prime movers in the new corporation, though his name does not appear in the application for a charter. It is claimed that the money to build the road is ready, and will begin directly the charter is granted.

The new line will start from Victoria and run to Beechy Bay, where there is an excellent harbor and from where the ferry will be operated. Thence it goes up the west coast of Vancouver Island, passing by the head of Port San Juan, along near the coast for some distance, and then inland past the head of Nitinat Lake and so on to the mouth of the Sarita River, where it empties into the east channel of Barclay Sound, on another channel of which Alberni, the new west coast terminus of the Canadian Pacific Railway, is situated.

It should be remembered that the finest timber in British Columbia is situated on Vancouver Island, and a large proportion of the best timber on the island is tributary to a railroad running along the west coast. It is in this region that American capital has very largely made its immense timber investments. One of the large holders is Meritt of Seattle, who has very valuable limits along the San Juan River, tapped by this road. The holdings recently acquired by Leigh S. J. Hunt will also be in reach, while many of the timber holdings properly ascribed to the Standard Oil group are also reached by the proposed road.

In addition to the immense timber resources of the district traversed, large deposits of iron ore of commercial value have been proved to exist in that section, while there are also a number of very promising mining prospects. All development, however, is at a standstill as it is so rough as to be almost inaccessible. There are also very rich agricultural valleys.

Another point is that the road has its terminus on Barclay Sound, which is an ideal harbor, safe sheltered

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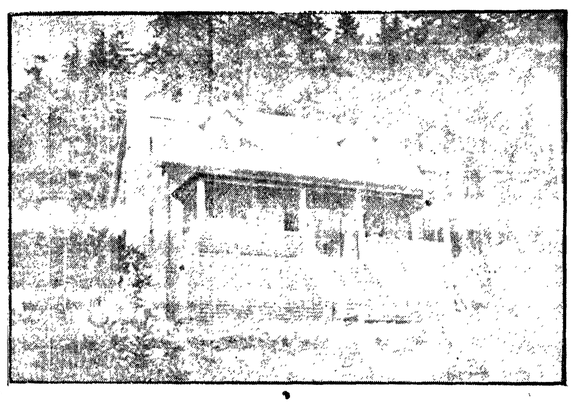
There was no end to the string of uninvited guests that dropped in on Mr and Mrs. Edward Christopherson last Saturday night and wished them a Happy New Year. They made a merry house-warming party and filled the new home with cheer. At midnight they paused in their merriment and settled themselves around the festive board where the occasion gave vent to many humorous speeches. A pretty painting was presented to the host and hostess and the evening will long be remembered by all present.



T. F. Rixon's New Home at Lake Crescent.

FIRST WEDDING AT LAKE CRESCENT

Mrs. Myrtle Vincent and Walter L. Ferguson Married at Fairholm.

A happy but quiet event took place at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Theo. F. Rixon, Fairholm, Lake Crescent, Saturday evening, Jan. 2nd, when Mrs. Myrtle Vincent and Walter L. Ferguson of Forks were united in marriage, only a few intimate friends being present. The ceremony was performed by C. W. Fields, Justice of the Peace. Mrs. Vincent has made her home with her friend, Mrs. Rixon, for some time, and is a lady of many graces, worthy of a bright future.

Mr. Ferguson is well and favorably known in Clallam County, having been a resident of the West End for twenty years. He is one of the prosperous ranchers of that section, and well worthy the bride he has won.

The happy couple left Monday morning by pack train, via Sappho for their home near Forks.

Their many friends wish them unbounded success and a life full of the best this world can afford.

HELD JOINT INSTALLATION

The joint Installation of Officers of Pacific Post No. 48 and Pacific Corps No. 21 took place at Lincoln Memorial G. A. R. Hall Saturday evening, Jan. 2nd. The following were the officers installed:

Commander, R. R. Harding.
S. V. Com., F. M. Waite.
J. V. Com., H. W. Burdick.
Surgeon, Henry Sleddy.
Officer of the Day, A. C. Kepler.
Quarter Master, John Hitch.
Officer of the Guard, Orin Mason.
Adjt., H. W. Doty.
Sergeant Major, J. C. Fields.
Quarter Master Sergeant, John Smith.

J. S. Thorpe acted as installing officer. After which the W. R. C. with Mrs Mae Ramsey as installing officer installed the following officers:

S. V. Pres , Mae Ramsey.
J. V. Pres., Minnie Albertson.
Sec., Nettie Dustman.
Treas., Minnie Fuller.
Chap., Caroline Doty.
Con., Grace Filion.
Guard, Sarah Kepler.
Asst. Con., Margaret Porter.
Asst. Guard, Anna Eckley.
Press Correspondent, Catherine Maxfield.
Color Bearers: No. 1 Daisy Finch, No. 2 Jennie Finch, No. 3 Mable Wood, No. 4 Hazel Finch.
Musician, Julia McKee.

Lucy Burdick, the Pres. elect, could not be present on account of illness. After the installation service, a short program was rendered which was very much enjoyed by all present, after which Mamie Smith, the past president, in behalf of the W. R. C., presented the Post with ten dollars in gold to be used as they saw fit.

A Religious Author's Statement.

For several years I was afflicted with kidney trouble and last winter I was suddenly stricken with a severe pain in my kidney's and was confined to bed eight days unable to get up without assistance. My urine contained a thick white sediment and I passed same frequently day and night. I commenced taking Foley's Kidney Remedy, and the pain gradually abated and finally ceased and m urine became normal I cheerfully recommend Foley's Kidney Remedy. W. J. Mathewson Drug Store.

PIANO RECITAL AT OPERA HOUSE

Miss Mary Justina Luppen will Again Delight Angeles Music Lovers.

Miss Mary Luppen will give a Piano Recital at the opera house, Saturday evening, January 16th, at 8:30, the following being the

PROGRAM.

I.

Sonate, 1st part, Allegro con brio ..... Schytte
The Lark ..... Balakirew
Butterfly ..... Rosenthal
Gavotte ..... Gluck-Brahms
Rhapsodie, 1st ..... Brahms

II.

Liebestraum, Nocturne ..... Liszt
Etude in Thirds ..... Moskowski
Valse Ab
Etude Ab } ..... Chopin
Ballade Ab

Reserved seats 50c, general admission 35c, children 25c. Tickets at Mathewson's.

SEATTLE CORRESPONDENCE

Seattle, Jan. 6.—Business men, corporations and newspapers of the Northwest seem to be a unit in declaring that the new year will be a great one for the State of Washington. There will be all kinds of railroad work done in the state in the next twelve months—the greatest probably in the history of the Northwest. Local representatives of the big railroads are more than pleased with the outlook. Not only will the railroads do all kinds of construction work, but they will pour people into the state by thousands beginning June 1, the date of the opening of the Alaska-Yukon-Pacific exposition. Fortunately for the state, the head representatives of the transcontinental railroads in the Northwest are Washington and Oregon men, vitally interested in the development of the States, not only because it will mean business for their roads, but because they are anxious to see the country in which they and their families live and where they have their money invested, make the greatest possible progress.

J. D. Farrell and L. C. Gilman, the former the representative of the Harriman interests in the Northwest, the latter the head man for the Hill roads in the same territory, are not trying to elect United States Senators. What they are interested in is to see that their respective roads keep up their construction work with the rapid growth of the State and that they get as much business as it is possible for them to handle. You will find no railroad lobby at Olympia this winter. If measures objectionable to the railroads or other interests are presented to the legislature, they will be opposed openly and above board, the points at issue fought out on their merits.

These two men, Gilman and Farrell, the recognized heads of the three big Hill and Harriman interests in the state, representing rival roads in harmony in believing that the interest of the people and the corporation can best be served by each giving the other a square deal, cutting out politics, abolishing lobbies, and doing business on a business basis.

Of the twelve hundred and fifty children cared for by the Washington Children's Home Society in the past twelve years, seventeen came from Clallam County, according to the annual report of Supt. L. J. Covington

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WEBSTER PUB. CO.

Port Angeles. - - Wash.

Minor Happenings of the Week

The Harlem division of the New York Central is to be electrified.

Mr. Taft will call congress together on March 15 to act on tariff revision.

Rear Admiral William B. Emory has been placed on the retired list of the navy.

A. Deucher, minister of commerce, has been elected president of the Swiss republic.

Dr. Charcot's expedition has sailed from Punta Arenas in search of the south pole.

The American Institute of Architects urges that a national bureau of fine arts be established.

The senate after the holidays will place busts of Roosevelt and Fairbanks with those of other vice-presidents.

Secretary Root has asked congress to appropriate $9,000 for the expenses of a delegate to The Hague conference.

Edicts have been issued that will have the effect of changing China to a constitutional government in nine years.

The burning oil ship Kalomo was shelled and sunk at Singapore to prevent damage to the harbor and its vessels.

The net increase in the alien population in the United States for the year ending September 30 was only 6,298.

Senator Bourne has introduced a bill providing for an increase in the president's salary from $50,000 to $100,000.

The New York public service commission has denied the petition of the Delaware and Hudson railroad to issue bonds.

Important recommendations for changes in the organization of the postal service have been made by a commission, after two years of deliberation.

A dispatch says Sir Max Waechter is touring the capitals of Europe in hope of forming the "United States of Europe," with King Edward for the first president.

It is reported at Buenos Ayres that Great Britain has offered to mediate between Argentina and Brazil, that the armament of these countries may be reduced.

General Antoine Simon, who led the revolution that ended the reign of President Nord Alexis, has been elected president of the republic by the Haytian congress.

The sixteen battleships composing the American battleship fleet, under command of Rear Admiral Sperry, which is cruising around the world, passed Aden December 28 bound for Suez.

George Stallings, the new manager of the New York American League team, has five left-handed pitchers signed for next year. They are Newton, Vaughn, Schmidt, Wilson and Friel.

Seattle, Jan. 5.—The 1908 salmon pack of Puget Sound and Alaska will be 2,934,932 cases, of which 82,031 cases have been lost at sea, leaving a net supply of 2,852,901 cases, according to figures announced by Kelley-Clarke Company. Estimates of the Columbia river and British Columbia pack are not yet available. The value of the pack so far reported is estimated to be $12,060,203.

GOVERNMENT RECLAIMING 500,000 ACRES IN WEST

North Yakima, Jan. 5.—More than half a million acres of arid land are being reclaimed by the federal government in the states of Oregon, Washington, Nevada and California, according to D. C. Henney, of Portland, chief engineer of the reclamation service, who is here making an inspection of the work in this part of Washington.

Of the seven projects he controls, three are in Washington—9,000 acres in Okanogan, 100,000 acres in the Tieton and 20,000 in the Sunnyside district, all of which are declared to be in good condition.

Mr. Henney says he has no fears of the constitutionality of the reclamation act, a matter which is to be tested in the courts.

Nevada's Big Gold Output

Reno, Nev., Jan. 4.—According to the incomplete report of State Bullion and Tax Collector Haley, the gold output of Nevada for the nine months ending September 30, 1908, was $10,019,730.54. He estimates the mineral production of Nevada for 1908 at $21,000,000, as opposed to the mineral production of 1907 as shown by official figures of $17,591,486. The gold bullion output for 1908 is $13,261,730, as opposed to $12,099,455 for 1907.

Washington State News

The new Armory building at Tacoma has been formally opened.

Seattle building permits for 1908 represented structures valued at $13,777,329.

The inheritance tax law of Washington results in producing an annual income of $55,000, according to the biennial report of the state tax commission, now being prepared.

Findings have been adopted by the state railway commission fixing the commercial value of the Oregon Railway and Navigation Company's railroad property in this state at $19,500,000.

Workmen have commenced the erection of a new saw mill at Husum, to be run and owned by the Husum Power Company, which will furnish its own power derived from the plant nearing completion.

Announcement is made at North Yakima that the Milwaukee railroad is to build a line from Beverley, where it crosses the Columbia river, into North Yakima by way of the Moxee valley.

State Oil Inspector F. A. Clark reports that during December he collected in fees for oil inspection $3,421, that his total collections for the two years aggregate $43,500, which is just $20,000 more than the legislature appropriated for the maintenance of his office for that period.

Citizens of North Yakima, who recently elected what they call a reform administration, do not propose to leave anything to chance. They propose, after mass meetings in which their desires will become known, to instruct their councilmen how to vote. The first move will be in instructing the choice of city officers.

The Horticultural Union of North Yakima has loaded and forwarded its three hundredth car of fruit since the opening of the fruit season. This is the growers' organization. An equal number, practically, has been sent out by each of the four other houses handling fruit in that immediate station.

The estimated value of the 1908 cereal crops in the state of Washington was $29,728,000, according to the report just issued by the bureau of statistics of the department of agriculture. The hay crop of the state last year is estimated to have been worth $9,229,00 and the potatoes grown in the state were valued at $3,055,000.

Representative-elect R. A. Thayer of Colville has prepared a bill and submitted to the bar for criticism, which he proposes to amend the present law requiring all suits against corporations to be instituted in the county where the principal office of the corporation is situated. The change proposed by Judge Thayer will allow all suits against corporations in this state to be brought in the county where the cause of action arises.

Through Train Service to Chicago

St. Paul, Jan. 4.—The Northern Pacific and Great Northern roads, through the Burlington, will establish through service from Chicago to Seattle, Tacoma and Portland before the opening of the Alaska-Yukon-Pacific exposition. This has been made known at the offices of the two Western lines. The official announcement of the arrangements will be made in a few days.

Ethel Roosevelt Makes Debut

Washington, D. C., Jan. 4.—President Roosevelt's youngest daughter, Ethel, has made her formal bow to society. Mrs. Roosevelt and Miss Roosevelt received in the blue room. Miss Roosevelt's gown was of soft white satin, trimmed with crystals, while that of her mother was dark blue satin.

SEATTLE MARKET REPORT

Purchasing Prices

The following prices are offered to the producer by the local dealers for delivery in round lots f. o. b. Seattle, and are subject to change without notice.:

Grain—Oats, $30@ 34.00 per ton; barley, $26.50@27; wheat, chicken feed, $28@29; corn, $35.00.

Hay—Eastern Washington timothy, $16@$17 per ton; Puget sound hay, $10.00 @11.00; wheat hay, $12; alfalfa, $9.50@10.50;

Eggs—Select ranch, 41@42c doz.

Poultry—Live hens, 12@14c per lb; springs, 14@15c. Turkeys 21c.

Live Stock—Steers, 4¼@4½c per lb; cows, 3¼@3½c; wethers, 4⅛c; lambs, 4¾; hogs, 6½c; veal, 4½@6c.

TACOMA QUOTATIONS

Wheat—Bluestem, 94c; club, 89c; red, 86c.

Poultry—Turkeys, dressed, 23@24c; spring chickens, dressed, 14@19c; hens, dressed, 14c.; ducks, live, 12c; spring chickens, live, 13c; geese, fresh, dressed, 18c; squabs, live, $2.50 @3 doz; dressed, $3.50 doz.

Butter—Washington, 35@37c; Oregon, 26@30c.

Eggs—Washington ranch, candled, 42@47c; Oregon, 35c.

Oats—$33@34; rolled oats, $34@35.

Hay, Alfalfa, Etc.—Wheat hay, $14 @15; timothy, $19@22; mixed, $16@18; wild, $13@15, clover, $15@16; alfalfa, $15@16.

Feed—Corn, $34@36; wheat, $31@33; barley, whole grain, $27@28; rolled, $28@30; shorts, $30@31; bran, $27.50@$28.50.

MAY NEVER BE KNOWN

LOSS OF LIFE IN ITALIAN DISASTER ESTIMATED MUCH HIGHER

Latest Figures Place Total Near 300,000---Bad Weather Adds to Calamity Produced by Tremblor and Flames---All Nations Hold Out Helping Hands.

Worse than war and pestilence combined, the ravages of the terrible earthquakes in Italy and Sicily are beginning to become known to their fullest extent. Appalling are the figures now being gathered on the loss of life and property, but it will be fully a week before any approximate statement can be given as to the number who have lost their lives. London dispatches from Messina tell of awful suffering and place the number of those dead at 300,000. The scope of the quake, on account of the great calamity at Messina and nearby places, which has absorbed interest, has not been fully ascertained. A wireless message from the Strait of Messina states that the Lipari islands have disappeared. They were inhabited by 28,00 persons, and all have perished. London dispatches say nearly every nation has volunteered help to the stricken inhabitants of Italy and Sicily.

Rome, Jan. 4.—Estimates of the death roll of the earthquake now cease to concern the Italian people. It is enough to know that the catastrophe is overwhelming. Figures would add nothing to the grief of the stricken nation, nor move to greater efforts those upon whom the work of relief and rescue has fallen.

Every channel open to the government has been opened to this end and other nations were quick to come to its assistance even before the cry for aid went up.

Shiploads of fugitives have been carried out of the stricken zone to Naples, Palermo, Catalina and other ports, and according to the minister of marine, rescue vessels to the number of thirty-six are now centered in the Strait of Messina and 5,000 soldiers are being landed on the two coasts.

Most important of all now is the question of the living. Thousands of those who escaped the falling walls and the sweep of the tide are starving and without clothes and shelter. They cannot long survive their sufferings. The thought has been to carry food and covering for these helpless people, and it has been decided by the government to send a fleet of emigrant steamers to transport them to other places.

Shocks Still Continue.

The latest reports received at Rome state that there have been many intermittent shocks following the first, to which the greater part of the destruction is attributed. The British warship Minerva reported by wireless to Malta that two severe shocks occurred at Messina as late as Wednesday night.

Professor Rico, director of the observatory at Mount Etna, states that his instruments recorded forty-two distinct shocks after the first, but that during the last fourteen hours the instruments have been almost motionless. Etna and Stromboll are now quiet and he is certain that the earthquake was not of volcanic but of geologic origin, similar to that of 1785.

Ambassador Griscom has left here and proceeded to Messina and other places in the south on an Italian warship in search of information concerning missing American travelers.

The horror of the situation at Messina and Reggio grows with every fresh dispatch. One of the correspondents places the death roll throughout the entire territory as high as 300,000, but this appears to be extreme. Others make their outside estimates 200,000, but the official estimate, as made by the minister of marine, still holds to 115,000.

Obstructions Delay Relief.

Relief expeditions that have been making their way to Reggio have encountered tremendous obstructions all along the route. They report eighteen provincial villages, besides those already mentioned in Calabria, as having been completely ruined. This would indicate that the earthquake did not confine its work of havoc to the coast. What has become of the inhabitants of these villages is not known. Those that were left alive after the destruction of their homes doubtless join the great army of refugees seeking safety, or have fallen by the wayside.

The Calabrian coast for thirty miles has been torn and twisted. From Bagnara to Reggio, a distance of twenty-five miles, the country is half demolished. Assistance has reached but few of the villages and they are practically without supplies of any kind. At Bagnara surgical operations are being performed with pruning knives, but at Reggio even that is impossible.

Thieves infest the country and the despair of the unaided villages is complete. Hunger supplies the motive for scenes of shocking violence, and robbers defy the few surviving policemen and soldiers.

CONGRESS VOTES $800,000 RELIEF TO ITALY'S SUFFERING

Washington, Jan. 5.—Upon reconvening of congress after the holiday recess the first business transacted was the appropriation of $800,000 from the United States treasury for the relief of Italian sufferers. This course was recommended by the president in a brief message. After the reading of the message the members of the house committee on appropriations at once were called to the speaker's desk for a conference, with the idea in view of obviating the reference of the matter to the committee. Thereupon Mr. Bingham, of Pennsylvania, secured unanimous consent for the immediate consideration of the following resolution for relief in accordance with the president's message, and it was adopted amid great applause:

"That to enable the president of the United States to procure and distribute among the suffering and destitute people of Itlay such provisions, clothing, medicines and other necessary articles and to take such other steps as he should deem advisable, for the purpose of rescuing and succoring the people who are in peril and threatened with starvation, the sum of $800,000 is hereby appropriated out of any moneys not otherwise appropriated.

"In the execution of this act the president is requested to obtain the approval of the Italian government and hereby is authorized to employ any vessels of the United States navy and to charter and employ any other suitable steamhipss or vessels."

The senate adopted a similar resolution, after which the act was engrossed and sent to the president for his approval.

IDAHO LEGISLATURE NOW IN SESSION AT BOISE

Boise, Idaho, Jan. 5.—The tenth session of the Idaho legislature, which convened at noon, will elect a United States senator. Representative Paul Clagstone will be installed as speaker of the house and Senator John W. Hart will be elected president pro tem. of the senate.

Senator Heyburn was indorsed by the republican convention and will probably be electeu.

The principal fight during the session will be over local option. There is strong opposition and the present outlook is that it will be defeated through a compromise on precinct instead of county unit lines, as pledged in the republican platform.

Governor James H. Brady, in his inaugural message, recommends enactment of local option and direct primary laws and a public utilities commission instead of a railway commission.

OKLAHOMA BANKS HAVE GAINED GREATLY IN DEPOSITS

Guthrie, Okla., Jan. 4.—Another large gain in deposits under the Oklahoma depositors' guarantee law is shown by the quarterly statement of H. H. Smock, state bank examiner.

The statement shows $29,500,000 of individual deposits, a gain in three months of $4,500,000. The gain in deposits in state banks since the guarantee law went into effect a year ago is more than $12,000,000.

There are 546 state banks in Oklahoma, 26 having been added in the last quarter, eight being conversions of national banks. Mr. Smock estimates that the forthcoming national bank statement will show less than $8,000,000 in excess over deposits in state banks..

GOMPERS SAYS PEOPLE ARE STILL WITH LABOR

New York, Jan. 5.—At a mass meeting of the Central Federated Union there was read a letter from Samuel Gompers commenting on the prison sentence imposed upon John Mitchell, Frank Morrison and himself. The letter says:

"I believe I am right in saying that the great mass of the liberty-loving American people are with John Mitchell, Frank Morrison and me at this crucial time, in the efforts we have made and are making to maintain the principle of justice and right, and the constitutional guarantee of the freedom of speech and of the press.

"Regardless of results, we are confident that the principle for which we contend—and for which we may suffer—will be restored, maintained and permanently guaranteed to all our people, the workers included. Temporary inconvenience or suffering of any one or of a few men is of less importance than the establishment of equal justice to all the people of our republic."

State Teachers Elect Officers

Spokane, Jan. 4.—President W. E. Wilson, of Ellensburg state normal school, was elected president of the Washington Educational Association, defeating President S. B. L. Penrose of Whitman College, at Walla Walla, by 194 to 164. Mrs. Margaret Craig of Davenport, county superintendent of Lincoln county, was elected first vice-president; George L. Denman, of the Spokane schools, second vice-president; George A. Stanley of Tacoma, third vice-president, and Charles Fagan of Seattle, treasurer. O. C. Whitney of Tacoma was re-elected secretary.

UNDER NEW NAME

WESTERN LINES OF MILWAUKEE UNITED IN ONE CORPORATION

Will Be Known as the Chicago, Milwaukee & Puget Sound--Capitalized at $100,000,000 and Headquarters Will Be at Serttle. H. R. Williams in Charge.

Seattle, Jan. 4.—Chicago, Milwaukee & Puget Sound is the name of the railroad company which was formed in this city Saturday to take over the holdings of four subsidiary state railroad corporations which were formed to extend the Milwaukee to the Pacific. These roads, known as the Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul of Washington, of Idaho, of Montana and of South Dakota, went out of existence Saturday, and from Mobridge on the Missouri river to this city an independent company exists except for close commercial connections from the Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul.

With the change of the company came an increase of capitaliaztion to $100,000,000, the advancement of President H. R. Williams of the Washington and Idaho companies to the presidency of the new company, and positive establishment of the headquarters of the new company in this city. The board of directors was icreased from three to thirteen, most of the new directors being Seattle men who are identified in some official capacity with the company. Mr. Williams will continue as chairman of the board.

The officers of the Chicago, Milwaukee & Puget Sound, who will control immediately 1,400 miles of the Milwaukee's trackage, were chosen principally from the old Washington corporation. They are: H. R. Williams, of Seattle, former general manager of the Milwaukee lines and the man in charge of the west end of the work from the start, president; A. M. Ingersoll, of Tacoma, vice president; E. D. Sewall, former president of the South Dakota and Montana corporations, vice president; E. J. Pearson, of Seattle, chief engineer; H. H. Field, of Seattle, general counsel; E. W. Cook, Seattle, secretary; F G. Ranney, of Chicago, treasurer; A. H. Barkley, of Seattle, assistant treasurer; W. D. N. Winne, of Chicago, general auditor; C. E. Kent, of Seattle, accountant.

HUGHES COMMITTEE VISIT WORRIES WALL STREET MEN

New York, Jan. 5.—Despite the effusive welcome extended the committee appointed by Governor Hughes to investigate the intricate machinery of Wall street, there is a broad, underlying current of apprehension among members of the stock exchange.

Outward appearances have been framed to indicate that the brokers are eagerly awaiting the members of the committee. Back of this flag of truce, however, are discernible operations tending to synchronize preparations for a sweeping and thoroughgoing inquisition with the deliberations of the investigating committee.

The committee holds a brief from Governor Hughes to inquire into conditions in Wall street for the purpose of ascertaining what, if any, legislation is necessary to the correction of evils which have been reported to the governor from time to time. These instructions will be carried out to the letter.

There is no desire to break down the stock exchange. The committee will proceed in a dignified manner and if abuses are found that tend to jeopardize the financial fabric of the country, impartial recommendations will be made.

Horace White, an eminent authority on economical subjects, has issued a call for the initial meeting of the committee, which will be held in the office of Clark Williams, state superintendent of banking and member of the investigating body, Friday afternoon.

SEATTLE ISSUES FIGURES ON YEAR'S WATER SHIPPING

Seattle, Jan. 5.—During the last year Seattle's total business by water approximated $122,000,000. More than 1,850 deep water vessels arrived and departed, with a net tonnage of more than 3,500,000 tons. Passengers entering and leaving the port by water numbered 2,831,810.

A summary of Seattle's commerce shows total domestic imports worth $34,359,865; domestic exports, $46,682,402; foreign exports, $18,508,291; foreign imports, $22,390,052. Merchandise shipped to Bering Sea was worth $4,495,465, and to Southeastern Alaska $7,246,298.

Horticulturists Give Notice

North Yakima, Jan. 5.—Orchardists of North Yakima have served notice on the directors of the Horticultural Union that they must reorganize on the certificate basis, doing away with the profit basis of business they are now engaged in.

If notice of such action is not presented to the shareholders within a week, then within two weeks the horticulturists will organize their own union under the state law of 1907 and run a co-operative fruit warehouse.

AWAIT NEW TARIFF

FOREIGNERS ANXIOUS TO AVAIL THEMSELVES OF NEW PROVISIONS.

Said Germany Will Be Among the First to Make Arrangements With United States to Secure the New Rates—How It Is Expected to Operate.

Washington, D. C., Jan. 4.—The work of preparing the revised tariff bill has been resumed by the sub-committee of the house ways and means committee. Two meetings have been held and there is every likelihood that the tariff framing committee, which consists of the republican members of the full committee, will continue to hold daily meetings until the time comes to report the bill to congress at the special session in March.

Judge E. H. Gary has returned the printed copy of his testimony with the corrections he desires to make in the final report of the hearings. He does not change the substance of his testimony but has made several corrections in the figures he gave while on the stand before the committee.

The tariff framers are giving consideration to the maximum and minimum duty problem in connection with the new tariff. Although the United States was the first to apply this method of securing favorable trade relations with other countries, it has never applied the principle to more than a few articles, while several countries have adopted the system to cover everything.

How It Will Work.

If a maximum and minimum tariff bill becomes a law it will be possible for the president to extend the benefits of the minimum tariff to those countries which give to this country the benefit of their differential rates of duty. Great Britain would secure the benefits of our minimum rates because it levies no duties on importations. Germany and France, each of which has a maximum and minimum tariff law, would probably prefer to grant to this country their schedule on duties if the same privilege is extended to their importers.

The United States has treaties with France, Germany, Italy, Portugal, Spain and Switzerland granting a reduction in the duties on certain articles only.

There are indications that Germany will be among the first European countries to seek advantage of an arrangement with America to secure minimum tariff rates. Count Von Bernsdorff, the newly arrived German ambassador, who has arranged with Secretary Root for his presentation next Wednesday to President Roosevelt as ambassador from Germany, succeeding the late Baron Speck Von Sternburg, is believed to have been thoroughly equipped by consultation with the German foreign office before his departure from Germany to undertake the task.

Playing Sharp Game.

Indications are that the new tariff act will be framed to take effect immediately upon its approval by the president. Therefore in order to secure whatever advantages may be expected to follow the inauguration of minimum and maximum rates to the United States it will be necessary for the foreign ambassadors and ministers resident in Washington to have arranged in advance of that date new treaty relations with this government.

In the case of some European countries a disposition has been shown to forestall action by the American congress and guard their own export trade with America by considerably increasing their existing tariff rates, with the design of securing the basis of new arrangements with America without sacrificing to any considerable extent the protection which they now enjoy against competition with American imports.

So far as is known here this is not true of Germany, and with this element of good faith in his overtures the German ambassador is likely to meet with a cordial reception at the state department.

Train Auditors on Southern Pacific

A complete change in the methods of taking tickets on the Southern Pacific trains on the main line will go into effect within the next few days. The train conductor will be relieved altogether from ticketing passengers or handling any money whatever. An additional functionary will accompany each train from one terminal to another and do all such work. All the conductors of passenger trains will have to do hereafter on the main line will be to run the train.

Railroad Holdings in Cities

Olympia, Jan. 4.—Property in Tacoma owned by the Northern Pacific Railroad Company and claimed by it to be held for future operating property is valued at $5,000,000, according to the report of the state railroad commission. The same company owns Seattle property valued at $9,250,000 and in Spokane approximately $1,194,155. The Great Northern owns Seattle property exceeding a commercial value of $9,000,000.

MENACE TO PEACE

HASTY ACTION OF CHINESE REGENT MAY CAUSE TROUBLE.

Yuan Shih Kai's Dismissal Not to Be Overlooked by Diplomats. Apprehension of Natives Surpasses Even That Felt by Foreigners in Pekin.

Peking, Jan. 5.—Following the dismissal from office of Yuan Shih Kai, grand counsellor and commander-in-chief of the forces, and the appointment of Na Tung as grand counsellor, an edict has been issued appointing Liang Tun Yen, customs tao tai, to the position thus made vacant on the foreign board.

The British and American ministers agreed that the dismissal of Yuan Shih Kai should not pass unnoticed. The American, British, German and Japanese ministers met again at the American legation, Sir John Jordan, the British minister, joining with Mr. Rockhill, the American minister, in submitting an outline of representations which should be made to the foreign board.

The ministers disagree on the question as to whether the welfare of foreign interests is technically involved by the regent's recent action, but they agree that peace is endangered. The representatives of Great Britain, the United States and Germany view the regent's action as tantamount to an affront to the powers on account of Yuan Shih Kai's position abroad. He is recognized as the medium of fair and equitable treatment toward the nations.

Interference Unlikely.

The dissenting ministers believe that unless other serious events occur, interference would not be justified. Japan concurs in the opinion that the dismissal is certain to result in international injury, but that representations to China would be difficult. There is a marked lack of unanimity among the diplomats.

The court's action a fortnight ago in increasing the palace troops and forbidding the entrance to the palace, even of the highest officials, without passes, was taken as an indication at that time of the alarm felt in court circles, and it is now believed that there was fear also of an anti-dynastic plot.

The government has intimated its intention of making public the impeachment, giving details of Yuan Shih Kai's alleged intrigue upon which his dismissal was based. According ta reliable information the impeachment is framed on charges against Yuan Shih Kai in connection with the coup d'etat of 1898, when the regency of the dowager empress was restored and a reactionary policy inaugurated. The flight of Kang Yu Wai, the reformer, occurred at this time.

Suffering From Malady.

The last minister who saw Yuan Shih Kai at the foreign board on December 28 states that he was at that time suffering from no malady, but the reason given for his dismissal was that he is afflicted with rheumatism. The foreign ministers agree that Yuan Shih Kai's restoration is impossible, and that the action of the government in eliminating him cannot be recalled.

Liang Tun Yen's appointment only serves to increase the feeling of pessimism at the legations, as Yuan Shih Kai exercised an authority with the viceroys and governors which was his alone and which the foreign board, no matter what its composition, cannot now retain.

Yuan Shih Kai must leave Peking within four or five days. Consternation among the Chinese surpasses that felt by the foreign residents. Many of the supporters of the former viceroy are panic-stricken. It is probable that among the first changes both Yan Shi Siang, the viceroy of Chi Li, with Prince Ching, president of the board of foreign affairs, will be removed. There is the keenest interest as to the fate of Prince Tang Shao Yi's mission to the United States, in which the source of his authority has now been relieved.

DOWNFALL IS ATTRIBUTED TO PRINCE CHUN'S HATRED

Victoria, B. C., Jan. 5.—Letters received here from Peking show that Yeun Shih Kai's downfall was due to the hatred of the new regent, Prince Chun. A Japanese correspondent, writing to a local newspaper correspondent under date of December 8, from Peking, says: "We at Peking anticipate a grave disturbance in three months, at all events within six. The selection of the new emperor has widened the breach between the powerful Yuan and his enemies, the new regent, Prince Chun, being determined to bring about his downfall. The regent hates him. When Puyi was selected as emperor neither Yeun nor Prince Chung attended the grand made. Both were known to have favored the nomination of Prince Ching's grandson, and when they knew the grand council determined to select Puyi they remained away. It is only a question of time before the new regent brings about the downfall of Yeun Shih Kai, ana that day will be a sorry one for China. If the army still is loyal to Yeun, which is a question, his downfall would be followed by a grave disturbance."

FAVORS LOCALIZATION OF RAILWAY TAX ASSFSSMENTS

Olympia, Jan. 4.—J. H. Easterday, former tax commissioner, said:

"To the revenue laws I have but one amendment to urge, and that, to my mind, is so manifestly just that I believe it will meet with no opposition.

"At present all operating railroad property is valued at a whole and apportioned back to the counties according to the number of miles of track in each county. This is all right so far as the main track is concerned. One mile of track, for all practical purposes, is of the same value as any other mile. Now to add to the value of this track all depots, coal sheds, side tracks, machine shops, warehouses, wharves, office buildings, terminal ground, whether used or unused, and smearing it over the track from Idaho to the Pacific ocean does not seem to me to be fair, reasonable or just.

"The value of the depot buildings in Seattle, Spokane and North Yakima have been distributed over hundreds of miles of road. Blocks of ground in Bellingham, Seattle, Tacoma and other cities on which a rail has never been laid and which, in all reasonable probability, never will be used for years to come, are taken from the local assessment roll and contribute toward this smearing process.

"In the heart of the city of Tacoma we have what is degnified by the name of headquarters building. The first floor of this building is mostly all taken up by the land department of the railroad.

"On the second and third floors steamship, irrigation, coal companies and the management of six different railroads, none of which is even on the map of Pierce county, yet this is called operating property, and cannot be assessed locally. A cardinal principle of equity in taxation for which I have battled long and for which I intend to battle, is that property shall be assessed at the place of its location and where it receives protection of the law. It certainly would be unreasonable to assess a band of sheep kept in Spokane county in any other county. This same rule should apply to other property.

"The property that I have enumerated has a fixed and not a transitory location. It is there that it receives police protection. If it is stolen or there is a trespass it is the local courts to which the owners look for redress. It is there that fire companies are maintained for its protection.

"The workman on each property, if injured, goes to the local hospital, his children attend the local schools. Having received all this protection and benefit, substance of right demands that the county wherein property is located should receive the benefit of the tax."

E. L. BOARDMAN TO BE NEW STATE PRINTER

Olympia, Jan. 4.—Governor A. E. Mead has announced that he will appoint Eugene Lorton, editor of the Walla Walla Bulletin, as a member of the board of control, to succeed James H. Davis of Tacoma.

Governor Mead also announced officially that E. L. Boardman would succeed C. W. Gorham as state printer. Both appointments are to take effect on a date to be fixed by the retiring and incoming officers themselves.

Mr. Davis has gone to Walla Walla for consultation with Mr. Lorton regarding the time when the change in the board of control will be made. Mr. Boardman is here consulting with Mr. Gorham regarding taking over the printer's office. They are endeavoring to reach an agreement on the price to be paid by Mr. Boardman for the printing and binding plant which Mr. Gorham has installed here.

Both of the appointments are selections made by Governor-elect Cosgrove.

BANK EXAMINERS MAY BE MADE MORE EFFICIENT

Washington, Jan. 5.—National bank examiners will be put upon a salary or per diem and expenses basis and the present fee system will be abolished, if recommendations made by Secretary Cortelyou, Comptroller Murray and Deputy Comptroller Kane, of the treasury department, are carried out.

Under the fee system the comptroller does not direct the routes of the examiners. According to testimony of Deputy Comptroller Kane before the national monetary commission, any bank on the list of a certain examiner may locate him at any time.

Mr. Kane has reiterated that when an examiner entered a town in which were two or more banks, his presence in one of the banks is immediately known to the others.

"It is also known," said Mr. Kane, "that they will be examined in order and this knowledge enables a bank to prepare for the examiner's coming and destroys in a way the efficiency of examinations without warning."

Good Roads Meetings Held

Chehalis, Jan. 5. — Three good roads meetings were held last week in eastern Lewis county, to give expression of the people of that section in the early completion of state road No. 5, the so-called Cowlitz pass road. The meetings, which were held at Riffe, Kosmos and Randle, were largely attended and strong resolutions were passed urging heavy appropriations for the work.

SOMETHING FOR EVERYBODY

Australia mines employ 120,000 men.

The simple cost of setting up in type a new edition of the Bible amounts to $5,000.

The machine exports to Japan have increased in quantity five times in one year.

Some of the largest ocean steamers can be converted into armed cruisers in thirty hours.

A man can hire a horse in Japan, keep two servants and live on the fat of the land, all for a little over $20 a month.

California's output of gold in 1907 fell off $2,004,524 as compared with 1906, while she produced $66,182 worth of silver less.

The business of a well-known firm of New York opticians consists largely of the manufacture of spectacles for horses to make them step higher.

There is an evident lack of harmony in the interests of landlord and tenant in New York City, for there is a daily average of 197 cases in the courts growing out of the relation.

Consignments of a new grape, "Dita della Donna," or lady's fingers, have reached Covent Garden, London. The grapes are long and tapering and rather sweeter than the ordinary variety.

Next to mining the greatest industry of South Africa is sugar growing. The amount of money invested in this is $7,300,000. The production of the present year is estimated at 40,000 tons, with a valuation of about $63 a ton.

Miss Mabel Sturtevant has just been admitted to practice at the bar at Jefferson City, Mo. Her record as a student is remarkable. She was graduated as valedictorian from the high school. Later she won scholarships in Baker university and in Kansas City university and the curator's scholarship in the University of Missouri. Since enrolling in 1905 she has taken both the law and the academic course and will receive her degree next June.

A buccaneer was originally one of the French settlers in Hispaniola or Haiti and Tortugas, whose occupation was to hunt wild cattle and hogs, and cure their flesh; also a pirate, freebooter; especially one of the piratical adventurers, chiefly French and British, who combined to make depredations on the Spaniards in America in the second half of the seventeenth century; so-called because the first of the class were Frenchmen driven from their business of buccaneering by the Spanish authorities of Hispaniola.

The promoters of the Institution for the Blind in Vienna seem much pleased with the result of the first eight months of its existence. All the workers are blind, and they are engaged in the manufacture of brushes and baskets. Up to the present about 23,000 kronen worth of orders have been executed, say something like £2,000, and a fair profit has been realized. The society has now under consideration the proposal to enlarge the workshops. The wares are put upon the market in fair competition with the product of other kindred factories.—London Globe.

Domestic servants are hard to get in Buenos Ayres. A correspondent in that city writes that the question is "the one grave preoccupation of the women of the federal capital, and the staple of conversation at the midday reunions." In describing the servant of Buenos Ayres, the writer says: "Cook, housemaid, waitress, chambermaid or nurse, individually and collectively, they are the speck on the ripe fruit of domestic felicity, the fly in the ointment, anything and everything you please that is bad and slovenly and untrustworthy, everything save good servants."

Down in West Virginia it appears to be expensive to sell a man more whisky than he can carry internally and then turn him adrift. The case of Dinah J. Pennington, suing for her children, against C. D. Gillespie, a saloonkeeper near Hendricks, W. Va., was decided recently by the jury awarding the plaintiff $600. At a previous term of court Mrs. Pennington sued and obtained a verdict for $800 for the loss of her husband. Pennington was killed near the saloon, and Gillespie was sued as the man who sold the whisky on which Pennington became intoxicated.

There are five types of native American apples; all of them crabs. John Smith wrote from Virginia that he had found "some new crabapples, but they were small and bitter." New Englanders made the same report. The Soulard has the reputation of being the largest and best of these natives. Sports of this variety, like the Matthews, are improved in size and quality. Selections might probably be made from western thickets, of even better sorts than are now known. I believe the blood of the wild crab is in some of our best orchard apples.—Outing Magazine.

There are two varieties of apples found wild in Europe, but the region adjacent to the Caspian sea seems to have been the origin of the apple as known in the East. Charred pieces of apples are found in the heaps of refuse left by the lake dwellers, who occupied portions of Europe before any of the present races. These people lived on platforms, laid over piles driven into the water—probably to protect themselves from animals in an era before metal weapons were known. These specimens of apples are generally carbonized by heat, but they show perfectly the internal structure of the fruit.—Outing.

UNCLE SAM'S PRODIGAL GIFTS FROM THE PUBLIC DOMAIN.

Government Has Given to Settlers 112,000,000 Acres, and Has More than Enough Left to Make Four States as Large as Texas—Vast Projects of Irrigation.

No wonder the world calls us rich. What other country could make the prodigal gifts to its people which Uncle Sam has made from the public domain. This government has already given to settlers 112,000,000 acres of land.

But what the government has given away is only a small garden in comparison with what it has to give. The public domain, taking into consideration land of all sorts, good and bad, amounts to the colossal sum of 754,895,286 acres—more than enough to make four states as large as Texas. It is true that almost half of this vast area is in Alaska, where farms will always be about as valuable as as they are at the north pole. But it is also true that there 260,000,000 acres of public land in the United States proper that, sooner or later, will be devoted to agricultural purposes. In the arid West it is all a matter of getting water on the land. In the cut-over timber regions of the lumbering states all that is needed is to keep off the forest fires and give the soil an opportunity to recuperate.

Water Did It All.

The United States government owns, in Utah, for instance, more than enough land to make another state as large as Michigan. Nobody who has ever climbed the foothills of the Wahsatch Mountains and seen what Brigham Young and his followers did for Salt Lake Valley need be told what the rest of Utah will some time look like. When the Mormons went to Utah the country around Salt Lake was as desolate as the mind could picture. Now the River Jordan winds through as beautiful a country as lies outdoors. Water did it all—water from the river and water from the mountains that was sluiced over the land. And in that state the United States government owns more than 36,000,000 of other thirsty acres.

The national government also has large holdings in twenty-four other states and territories. Uncle Sam owns enough land in New Mexico, for instance, to make two states almost as large as New York and Indiana; enough in Montana to make another commonwealth far exceeding in area the great State of Illinois, and enough in Nevada to make twelve states as large as New Jersey. He could carve out five states as large as Massachusetts from what he owns in Idaho, and seven Vermonts from his unused lands in Arizona. And that is saying nothing about his 2,000,000 acres in North Dakota, his 17,000,000 acres in Oregon, his 5,000,000 acres in Washington, and his 3,000,000 acres in California and his 24,000,000 acres in Colorado.

Some of this land has nothing but gold and silver in it. The rest of it is heavily freighted with the latest possibilities of potatoes, alfalfa, wheat, oats, corn and fruit. All that this latter class of soil needs to make it productive is water. In the old days this seemed to be an insurmountable difficulty. Arid land boomers talked to their prospective customers in vain.

"This land needs only water and good society to make the country a paradise," said one of these gentry, according to an old joke.

"That's all the infernal regions need," retorted the traveler from the East, who had Kentucky relatives.

Busy with Irrigation.

But things have changed since then. The government has become very busy in the irrigation business. It is pouring out money like water for the purpose of getting water. At this very moment the government has under way twenty-eight tremendous irrigation projects, as the result of which water will be turned on to more than half a million acres of land this year. At Roosevelt, Ariz., for instance, public funds are being expended to throw across Salt River a dam 284 feet high that will hold back enough water to put a slice two feet thick over the whole state of Rhode Island. The dam will not be finished until 1910, but when it is completed it will convert into gardens 210,000 acres around Phœnix that are now good only for the buzzards to fly over. The agricultural department has analyzed the soil and found that it is remarkably fertile; the climate cannot be excelled, and, as soon as the water comes, no region will be more productive.

Then there is California. Anyone who has ever entered the Golden State at the little southern town called "The Needles" doubtless remembers his amazement that the state should be called the "land of sunshine, fruit and flowers." The sunshine is there, all right, but the fruit and flowers can be found only in the dining car. Outside there is only sand, sand, sand—millions of acres of it, as far as the eye can reach—and cactus bushes. It's the lower end of the Mojave Desert. Further to the north is Death Valley, and as one looks out the car window he occasionally sees a mirage that may be anything from a green-fielded farmhouse to a ship sailing in the clauds bottom side up.

Government's Great Projects.

However, all this is to be changed. At Yuma the government has made a start toward supplying water to the desert, and while the task may not be completed for years, part of the arid land will be reclaimed within the next two years. The undertaking now under way consists of damming the Colorado River at Yuma and diverting its waters into two channels by means of which the adjacent country on both sides of the stream will be watered. About 84,000 acres of land will be made productive by this work alone. By similar means 12,000 acres will be reclaimed in northern California.

The government has also done something and is doing more to bring back to life some of Nevada's 61,000,000 dead acres. At Truckee the melting mountain snow is diverted to the parched tracts far below in the valley. The work has already progressed so far that water has been turned on to 50,000 acres, and within a few months irrigation ditches will be ready to supply 1,000 more eighty-acre farms. This is only a start, of course, and does not amount to much. But when the fact is considered that the government has enough arid land in Nevada to make two states as large as New York it is evident that the small start that has been made is but the forerunner of a great finish.

Conduit Through Mountain.

Out in what is known as the "Gunnison country" in Colorado, another gigantic undertaking is under way. At the bottom of Gunnison canyon is a picturesque little stream called the Gunnison River, that up to this time has served no other useful purpose than to increase the beauty of the scenery and hold speckled trout to lure fishermen hundreds of miles. But the Gunnison River will soon be known no more to the fishermen. Within a year, probably, it will be shunted off into a tunnel. This tunnel will take the turbulent little stream through the heart of a mountain and dump it over 140,000 acres of land. The conduit through the mountain will be almost six miles long. Work has been going on for four years, and five miles of the tunnel are already completed. Forty-five miles of canals will also irrigate 60,000 acres of land in Grand Valley, in the western part of Colorado.

Then look at Idaho. When the census of 1900 was taken, the government enumerators found in that state only 1.9 persons to the square mile. In Idaho the United States owns almost 27,000,000 acres of land. Think what will happen to the population of that state when the work now under way is completed and water is turned on to 372,000 acres of land. The Payette, Boise and Snake rivers, in the southwestern part of the state, are simply being turned out of their beds. The work is so far advanced that settlers are already beginning to file on some of the land that is to be benefited. At Minidoka, another point on the Snake River, a huge dam will divert water to supply 130,000 acres. The work is already practically complete and water will be turned on next spring.

Others of Importance.

An extensive system of irrigation devices that extend along the North Platte for nearly 500 miles will, when completed, supply water to 200,000 acres of land in Wyoming and an equal area in Nebraska. In fact, water was turned on to 40,000 acres this year. Settlers are taking up land rapidly.

Besides all this, work is under way to put water on to 200,000 acres in Montana, 40,000 acres in North Dakoto, 30,000 acres in New Mexico, 10,000 acres in Kansas, 220,000 acres in northern California and southern Oregon, 270,000 acres in Washington, 40,000 acres in Utah, and 100,000 acres in South Dakota. And, as a people, we are just beginning to realize that it is good public policy to spend money for the irrigation of arid lands.

Those who are best able to judge believe that, in this way, we shall reclaim from 50,000,000 to 150,000,000 acres of land. In fact, the experts incline toward the larger figure. And what does this mean? It means that we shall put under cultivation 234,375 square miles. Figuring the population at the same density as that of Kansas—eighteen to the square mile—it will mean that the government land will provide homes for more than 4,000,000 persons. And, using the same multiplier, more than 3,000,000 persons are now living on land that the government originaly gave to settlers.

For Intensive Tillage.

But the possibilities of what might be called the near present are dwarfed by the probabilities of the remote future. Some day stern necessity will compel us to be economical in the use of our land, as we are just beginning to learn that we should conserve what remains of our coal, timber and iron. Some day we shall learn that no one can really till 200 or 300 acres of land, or even 40 acres. We shall become masters of intensive agriculture and produce more from a few well-tilled acres than we do now from the great tracts that we cultivate with little or no realization of the great opportunities that we overlook. We shall learn a lesson, perhaps, from the French peasants, who let not a foot of ground escape untilled and make the fences hold up the grapes for the sun to ripen them.

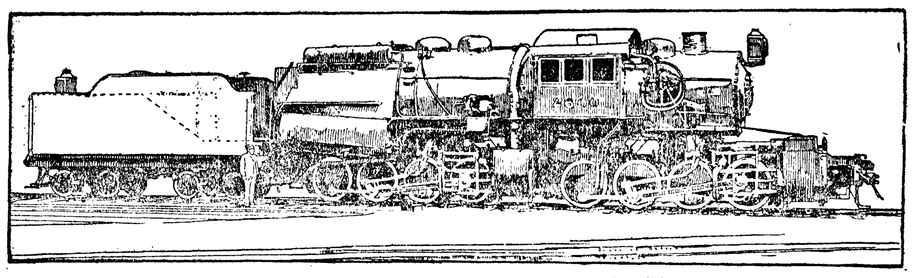
And when that time comes the land that the government yet has to give to settlers may support a population of hundreds of millions. Scientific agriculturists say that Texas alone has enough land to support five times the present population of the United States.

DRAWING NAMES FOR LAND ALLOTMENTS.

When the members of a standing committee meet they usually sit down.

A man who has fished much can readily detect a lie in a fish story.

LARGEST AND MOST POWERFUL LOCOMOTIVE IN THE WORLD.



The engine and tender combined are eighty feet long and weigh 286½ tons. The engine alone weighs 205 tons. It was built for the purpose of assisting trains over the grades of the Erie Railroad near Susquehanna, and can haul a freight train of 250 cars, two miles long, carrying 10,000 tons of freight, at a speed of eight miles an hour. If this freight consisted of grain it would represent the harvest from twenty-six square miles of farm land.

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THE NEED FOR A NEW COURTHOUSE

Clallam county needs a new court house. The old building that has been in use so long for that purpose is out of date, entirely too small, and a disgrace to the people of Clallam county. It may have been large enough and grand enough when first used for the purpose, but that time has passed. With the present development of the county it is entirely inadequate for the purpose, and, moreover, it is by all odds the poorest of any county building in the state.

The main part of the building was originally used as a Catholic church. Because of its crowded condition, additional vault room is continually required, and being provided at large expense. Every room is crowded—inadequate for carrying on the business. The room used as a court room is so small and close one can hardly breathe when court is in session and the room crowded. Judge Chadwick, when here last fall, said if he were judge of this district he would refuse to hold court there.

In case of a fire, and the consequent destruction of books and records, the loss to the people of the county would be all out of proportion to the cost of a new building.

The wave of renewed prosperity and increased business activity is here. Increased prices of labor and all kinds of building material are sure to follow. On the other hand buildings can be erected at the present time at twenty-five per cent less than than they could have been a year ago. It is a safe prediction that this condition will not last. Within the near future this section will see a revival of business activity unheard of in the past and the prices of building material will advance beyond anything they have yet attained.

Should the county ever be divided, with the building of railroads into the west end, and western Clallam and Jefferson become a county by themselves, which, under the law, could easily be done at any time, the county would lose a large part of its assessable value. Consequently the time to build a court house is now, when the timber owners of that section must help pay for it.

$100,000 or more invested in a court house would put up a building that would be a credit to the county. People coming here from the East form impressions largely from the character of the public buildings—hence good buildings would tend to build up the county. Besides, a good court house would be a substantial asset of the county for all time to come.

THE REAL THING!

The first snow of the season in Port Angeles fell Monday afternoon and evening. The storm was accompanied by a gale and the mercury dropped several degrees below the freezing point, and the weather had an unmistakable flavor of winter that made the householder think of his wood pile and water pipes, and the farmer of his potatoes and other vegetables. Wednesday evening the snow again began falling and concontinued falling all night and the following day.

This touch of winter has called to the mind of old settlers the winter of the big snow along in the sixties when the fall was nearly six feet, and this "Italian climate" had the conceit taken out of it by a blast from Boreas. All agree, however, that there is no use for snow in this section.

Until this storm, this section had nothing to suggest winter, save a little ice on several frosty mornings. Climatic conditions on the Puget Sound are usually all right. Freezing weather is no comparison to 20 and 30 degrees below zero. We have nothing of the kind on Puget Sound. There is almost an entire absence of sudden changes in temperature and our winters are usually no more than a continuation of a mild autumn.

HERE'S SUCCESS!

The New Year makes six changes in county officials. Six officials step down and out to make room for new men. Their successors, E. E. Fisher, representative; Horace White, clerk; W. B. Ritchie, attorney; Garfield Davis, game warden; David Govan, assessor and E. A. Fitz Henry, engineer, will assume the duties of their respective offices next Monday, the 11th. Few people doubt that they will make popular and painstaking officials. They are presumed to be competent, and we have no reason to believe that they will fail to do their duty. We wish them all kinds of success. To the retiring officials it is needless to express sympathy. They have had their time, and the fortunes of politics has ousted them. We opine that they will continue to live and be good citizens. They made capable and and faithful officials. May happiness and prosperity be theirs.

CONTRIBUTIONS ASKED.

The appalling earthquake calamity in southern Italy and Sicily appeals to the sympathies of the people of all civilized countries. Governor Mead has issued a proclamation asking the people of this state to contribute promptly to the relief of the sufferers. The more prompt the relief, the greater will be its value. The governor suggests that citizens assemble in centers of population and offer help at once.

Everybody will commend the prompt action of the president and congress for the immediate and effective relief offered—the most generous fund ever contributed by the American people to the sufferers of a foreign land.

The president well says, "The immense debt of civilization to Italy; the warm and steadfast friendship between that country and our own; the abundance with which God has blessed us in our safety; all these should prompt us to immediate and effective relief."

A COMMON SENSE VIEW.

Geo. O'Brien, in referring to the statement that but fourteen miles of road-building is necessary to reach Sappho, asks what is the matter with finishing the job of building a road for our farmers and let the tourists wait a while, until we get over the rush. There would seem to be good common sense in this view of the matter. A road cannot be built around Lake Crescent, and maintained, without an enormous expenditure, unless, as has been suggested, the outlet of the lake be blasted, lowering the water ten feet, giving an opportunity to make a good roadway on the resultant shelf along the beach. But even if this shelf extends quite around the lake, there still remains the fact that the road won't build itself, nor pay for possible damages to property. If the road via Pysht means only a six miles longer drive for teams and stock from the southwest, and at the same time would afford relief to the ranchers along the straits, it is unquestionably the only route.

DO IT NOW.

Don't forget that it is the duty of every reader of this paper to write to some friend at a distance and tell him of the advantages of Washington, both as to climate and production. Remember that the people of the older states, where the weather is cold, are hovering around the fire and have lots of time to read.

CONCERNING THE WEATHER.

Those remarks we made last week—we take them back.

Governor-elect Samuel G. Cosgrove will leave Paso Robles, Cal., for Olympia, next Sunday or the early part of next week. Gov. Cosgrove is improving daily," said Dr. Sawver, his physician, "and I believe that when he starts for Olympia next week he will be in condition to make the trip without fatigue or danger of a relapse."

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Women Who Have Achieved Success in Politics.

ANNETTE TRUMBULL.

The Seattle Post-Intelligencer, introducing as a new feature a series of articles on "Women who have achieved success in politics," publishes the above portrait and following sketch:

"Clallam county furnishes one of the seventeen women superintendents of public instruction which the state of Washington in various counties has elected to office. Miss Annette Trumbull, 23 years old, leads the list of women teachers who have achieved success in politics.

Miss Trumbull was born in Minnesota in 1885, and has been a resident of Clallam county since 1898. She is a graduate of the Port Angeles high school of the class of 1904. She attended the Ellensburg Normal. At he age of twenty years she was elected superintendent of the Clallam county schools. She ran on the Democratic ticket, and received the nomination on the same ticket at the last primaries without opposition.

Miss Trumbull stumped Clallam county at the last primary election, making six speeches."

LICENSE GRANTED FOR SEQUIM

The temperance people of Sequim had a coup run on them Monday before the Board of Commissioners, and as a result the saloon at that place will be reopened. Last month a petition was presented to the Board, asking that the license there be not renewed, and the Board refused to grant a license. At Monday's meeting, Messers. Keeler and Clinton, proprietors, together with Clinton's son, and Messrs. Wm. Eck, Amore Myres, Fenton Crennan, C. A. Priest, and others appeared before the Board with a counter petition, many of the signers being non-residents of the precinct. Messrs. J. M. Grant and Willis Cook appeared in behalf of the former petition. The Board finally concluded to allow one hour to go over the names, with instructions to not count those on both petitions and the one having the greatest number of signers, voters of the precinct, would be recognized. The former petitioners complained that this was not fair, as the counter petitioners had a month to coerce their signers. They asked that an election be held, offering to put up the cost of the same, to be paid in the event of the people voting for a saloon.

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Not less happy than the children who received their Christmas tokens from a large tree last Tuesday at the Parish hall, were Mr. and Mrs. Such, who, upon this occasion, were the recipients of a handsome oak rocking chair. The chair was the gift of St. Andrews' Guild as a token of their gratitude to Mr. and Mrs. Such for their faithful care of the church property during the year. Mr. Such, somewhat overwhelmed, made a little speech of acceptance in which he feelingly expressed his and his wife's gratitude for this thoughtfulness on the part of church members. As Mr. Such was leaving the hall with the chair the president of the Guild cautioned Mr. Such that it was to be used by himself and wife and "preferably by both at the same time."

A quiet wedding took place on last Saturday afternoon at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Bernard, when Mrs. Martha E. Steik, of this city, and Mr. John M. Smith, of Clallam, were made man and wife. The ceremony was performed by C. W. Fields, J. P. The happy couple left first of the week for Clallam, where the groom had provided a home for his bride. Mrs. Steik, now Mrs. Smith's Angeles friends will wish her much happiness and abundant prosperity in her new relation.

The movement toward the West promises to be greater during the year 1909 than ever in the history of the past. Farmers are looking for new homes and better surroundings. They want a combination of soil, climate and markets that insures success in every branch of agriculture; that is assured in the Puget Sound country. You have much to do with making this a happy and prosperous year. Let your resolve be that during the year you will add one new citizen to the population of Washington.

The special accountants appointed by the board of commissioners of Skagit county to check up the accounts of the officers of the county treasurer, auditor, clerk and sheriff, are busily at work on the task assigned, says the Argus. The work will be completed by next Monday, when the newly elected officials take charge. There is no "campaign talk" in this. It is merely a matter of good business policy. Not that county officials are dishonest. Frequent experting of their books has a tendency to keep them honest.

The man W. F. Goodrich, who was arrested at Port Angeles a few months ago on charge of stealing a launch from Seattle, but escaped on the showing that he had contracted to buy the boat, has again come to grief. He was arrested the other day and lodged in jail at Santa Rosa, Cal., for stealing an automobile.

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THE CITY NEWS

Bargain Counter of post cards at Nailor's at 1c each.

"Olympic" Flour $1.40 per sack. Seevers Cash Store Co.

Will Dick, of Rena, was a business visitor Wednesday.

Druggist Frank Babcock was here from Sequim Saturday.

County Attorney Ritchie was a Seattle visitor this week.

Alfred Coerg was here this week from Victoria returning Tuesday.

Mrs. C. J. Farmer entertained at dinner New Year's, covers being laid for 14.

Mr. and Mrs. Sweney are having their millinery store enlarged and refitted.

R. B. McClinton came down New Year's to join his family here. All leaving Sunday for home at Seattle.

Miss Ethel Ferguson returned to Seattle Saturday after spending ten days here with her father and sister.

Fred Poole closes his bake shop today for an indefinite period, owing to inability to secure good help and the continued serious illness of his wife.

The ladies of the Relief Corps will give a 10c tea Tuesday afternoon and evening, January 12th, at Lincoln Memorial hall. Everybody come.

Dick McDonnell is about to open a "Cow Butter Store" in the old Metcalfe market, which has been remodeded with a store front for that purpose.

Dr. and Mrs. N. K. Mead were Seattle visitors the early week, returning home Wednesday, accompanied by their friend, Miss Moore, who came for an extended visit.

L. C. Reeve and family have arrived from California and will take up their residence here. Mr. Reeve was recently elected secretary of the Elk Lumber Co.

Major Crooks and Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Caldwell, of Ballard, returned to their homes Tuesday after spending the holidays here with Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Fitz Henry.

The basket ball game with Port Townsend has been postponed. Local teams will play instead, at A. A. A. hall Saturday night. Dance afterwards. Admission 35c.

Mrs. Grant, of Sequim, is here visiting her daughter, Mrs. Garrett. Mrs. Grant says this is the first time that she has been "snowed in" away from home for many years.

John Cain returned Friday from an extended visit in the East. He reports everyone interested in the Sound country, notwithstanding the Texas boom, which is now in full blast.

Rev. Pearson, presiding elder of this Methodist conference district stopped here over Sunday and preached at the M. E. church. Rev. Pearson held services at Clallam Bay Friday night.

Mrs. Wm. Newman passed away at her home in Cherry Valley, Monday of last week, after a prolonged illness. Funeral services were held on the following Wednesday from Pine Hill chapel.

R. A. Muskett evidently thinks the salt water the warmest place these days; he takes his daily swim in freezing weather with as much pleasure as tho the sun were shining warm, and finds it a great invigorator.

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The W.C.T.U. will meet in the First M.E. church Thursday, January 14, at 3 p.m. Everybody welcome.

Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Shaver returned Friday from Seattle where they visited with friends during the holidays.

W. F. Delabarre went to Lake Crescent first of the week to make some repairs on his cottage, the damage being caused by falling trees during the storm.

Reports come from the West End that eighty-nine big trees fell across the county road between Clallam and Forks during the gale that visited that section on Christmas; that eight trees fell across the mile of completed road out of Fairholm on the same date.

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R. R. Cays will hold an auction sale at the old Wm. Potter place, Pt. Williams road, at 10 o'clock January 9th.

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Married, Friday, January 1st, at the home of Mr. Fleming on Lincoln Heights, Mr. Ed. Kendall of Tacoma and Miss Rosamond M. Harlin of PeEell, Wash., Rev. J. M. Hixon officiating. They will make their home in Tacoma.

At the meeting of the Musical Club at Parish Hall Monday afternoon, an Open Meeting, to which the members may invite guests, was announced for Monday, February 1st, at the same place. Miss Luppen's concert to be held Saturday, January 16th, was also announced.

Louis Hucke, of Lincoln Heights, reports that vandals are destroying his picket fence which he built at an expense of $140. Pickets are pulled off and carried away, the paint marred and the fence otherwise damaged. It would seem that the police authorities should look into the matter and put a stop to this class of vandalism in that part of the city.

Again the people of Port Angeles were scared out of their boots, or into them, as the case was, by an alarm of fire. The night, Monday, was a wild one, and the general impression was, that should a fire get started in such a gale, the business section would go. And surely the fire boys would have been in a desperate plight. The hydrants were all but completely frozen up, and the chemical was next to useless. As luck would have it, however, it proved to be a chimney fire in the Kempton saloon building, and no damage was done.

Statistics of the department of agriculture show that the agricultural products of the State of Washington for the year 1908 were valued at over forty-two million dollars. Cereals led in extent and value—$29,728,000, with hay valued at nearly ten million dollars, second. The agricultural products given in these figures comprise only the seven principal crops, and the millions of dollars of fruits and garden products were not included. Washington stands fourth among the states as to the value of its spring wheat crop.

I have a few fine pieces of Seattle income property to trade for Clallam County farms or acreage.
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BLYN.

The School Children of District 15 had a Christmas tree, play and recitations at the school house Wednesday evening, Dec. 23. Santa Claus also made his appearance.

The W. O. Holmes School Dist. 32 had a Christmas tree and program Thursday afternoon, Dec. 24. Santa Claus distributed the gifts from the tree to the school children.

A dance was given at the hall Christmas night, also one New Years eve, both of which were enjoyed by a large crowd.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Frank Zaccarde Dec. 27th an eight pound boy.

Mr. and Mrs. Wallace Lonsberry welcomed to their home a baby boy January 3rd.

Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Main are rejoicing over the birth of a new son, born January 2nd.

Mr. and Mrs. Hailey have a niece visiting at their home.

Mr. F. Curry has gone on a business trip to Port Townsend.

A crowd of young folk enjoyed a clam bake on the beach Saturday evening.

BLUE MOUNTAIN

As Christmas comes but once a year our people have made the most of this opportunity of pleasure and recreation.

Mrs. Campbell and the girls came out to celebrate with us as also did Mrs. Kale and family.

Friday eve, Dec. 18, Miss R. Shotwell had a fine program, consisting of recitations, dialogues, tableaux, solos—both instrumental and vocal— quartets and a paper "The Blue Mt. Journal" which caused a great amount of merriment.

The teacher's Christmas favors for the children came from boughs of a beautifully decked tree. To show their appreciation and regard for their teacher the children presented Miss Shotwell with a post card album.

Chistmas eve the neighbohood had a tree at the school house.

The children and grand children of Mr. and Mrs. Aaron Lewis spent Christmas day at the old homestead.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Mackenheimer of Crescent spent the 25th at the home of father Mackenheimer.

The dance Sat. eve neath Mrs. J. E. Campbell's hospitable roof was an enjoyable affair though the attendance was small owing to the death of W. G. Critchfield's little laughter.

The funeral of Emma M. Critchfield was held at the schoolhouse, Sunday, Jan. 3rd. Interment took place in Blue Mt. cemetery with Rev. Avery of Angeles officiating. The family have our deepest sympathy in their bereavement, especially the devoted mother who has so faithfully administered to every need and comfort of the suffering child.

Has Mr. Neunschwander tried to steal a march on us? Fred was seen to come from the dock with a trunk and valises and later driving out this way with a lady companion. Can it be that he has joined the benedicts?

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WM. GARVIN Secretary.

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Press Maintains the Lake Crescent Route Means 35 Miles of Road Construction.

Concerning the proposed routes of the State Road from Port Angeles, the Clallam Bay Press, in answering criticisms on his statements in support of the Pysht route, maintains there is not over six miles difference in distance between the two routes, and says:

A road from Port Angeles by way of the straits to Quillayute compels no one to go forty miles out of the way between those places. You do not have to go to Clallam Bay at all. From Angeles the road would reach Pysht, 12 miles east of Clallam Bay. At Pysht is met the county road south to Quillayute, the entire distance from Port Angeles being 76 miles.

The distance from Quillayute to Port Angeles via Lake Crescent is all of seventy miles, six miles shorter than the Pysht route.

Now the facts are that if the state road goes from Sappho up the Solduck river, following along the trail recently cut out by the forest reserve rangers, there are over twenty miles of road to construct to join the Hot Springs road near Lake Crescent. Then there are 14 miles of road to construct to get around Lake Crescent. You cross now, not by road, but by boat, and the Hot Springs people are not going to build a road around Lake Crescent. The tourists will cross on the ferry and have the pleasure of paying toll both ways.

So will the Quillayuters if they travel that way, unless a road is built around the lake.

Lake Crescent is hemmed in with steep bluffs. These bluffs make beautiful scenery, it is true, but very expensive scenery to build a road through.

If the state builds that road, there are 35 miles of it to construct, practically all the forest reserve because the boundaries of the reserve are on both sides of the road where the road is not actually inside. Lake Crescent is all in the reserve.

Take the Pysht route for a road from Port Angeles to Quillayute and what are the facts? All the road open except 16 miles of a gap along the shore of the straits. You can get a wagon from Port Angeles to a point five miles west of Port Crescent. That is as far as you can drive. Then sixteen miles of trail to Pysht. Then the road again.

How long will it take the state to open up that sixteen miles and connect all county roads to all parts of the county?

Clallam County has spent and is spending something like twenty thousand dollars in improvements on the road between Sappho and the straits. Curves straightened, hills cut down, bridges, graveling, draining, etc., etc. All this to make a road fit to haul heavy loads over.

Why not take advantage of all this outlay in planning a road to Port Angeles. The people seem to have an idea that in going to Quillayute via Lake Crescent they are cutting across lots and getting there quick. it is not so and those who have studied the "lay of the land" well know it.

NEW MOVE IN RAILROAD GAME

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and easy of access. Thus any of the northern American transcontinental roads that can secure this terminus for their through freight from Eastern points would be able to compete on equal terms with the Canadian Pacific and Grand Trunk Pacific, which would otherwise save about a day on the sea voyage to the Orient. Thus the new road would appear to be worth while, quite apart from the great eastbound tonnage via the Port Angeles ferry, which would result directly the American duty on lumber is removed, an event which is contemplated by all American investors in British Columbia timber. In the meantime the Victorians wish the enterprise Godspeed, as the building of the road will mean the opening up of a vast and rich territory tributary to this city.

Mr. Lou Smith, the pioneer hardware man and plumber of Angeles, has been laid up several days with a severe attack of lumbago. The sickness is genuine, as this is the first pipe freezing weather this winter.

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DAIRYING IN THE STATE OF WASHINGTON

Clallam County the Home of Many Prosperous Dairy Ranches, that Being a Leading Industry.

The Washington State Dairymen's Association held its sixteenth annual convention in Chehalis recently. That meeting was preceded by the State Buttermaker's Association and the Washington Pure Bred Live Stock Breeders' Association.

Lewis county presents some ideal conditions for the consideration of dairymen. It is the natural land of grasses and other forage plants adapted to that branch of agriculture. Chehalis has a milk condensary with a capacity of handling 200,000 pounds of milk daily, and the market for many times that output. Every farmer who has given attention to the dairy industry has succeeded in accumulating money and property. The dairy farms pay cash every thirty days, so that the owners do not require long credit. Almost every man discounts his bills and saves interest and profits that go with the credit system.

Dairying has increased in every section of the state during the past ten years. As an illustration of the interest developed in that business, the figures of the state bureau of statistics show that in 1899 there were 113 creameries in the state, producing an annual output of 2,645,361 pounds of butter. In 1907, at the time of publishing the last report, there were 284 creameries having an output of 8,473,612 pounds of butter. The cheese factories have decreased, but the milk condensaries have increased until there is one of those modern plants in every prosperous dairy section of Western Washington.

There are no failures in the dairy business. Men who engage in the work make a study of its problems before investing much capital. They find the weak and strong points, and profit from the experience of others. That explains the value of the Association. It is a practical school for the instruction of old and young in the art of dairying. It is attended every year by experts in their particular line, who give the the best advice to others trying to follow in their steps. The dairy industry is one of the established profit producers of Western Washington, where the grass grows green every month in the year.—P. I.

SEATTLE CORRESPONDENCE

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for 1908. The large cities furnished most of the homeless infants who have been placed in new homes by the society. During 1909 the Society plans to enlarge its field until the entire state is covered by workers who will care for every homeless youngster.

Chehalis County has appropriated $5,000 for the construction of a building at the Alaska-Yukon-Pacific exposition.

Skagit County will have a complete exhibit of its public schools at the Alaska-Yukon-Pacific exposition.

The Klickitat County exhibit at the National Apple show has been repacked and placed in cold storage and will be exhibited at the Alaska-Yukon-Pacific exposition as part of the Klickitat County display.

State Fish Commissioner Riseland is at work preparing the state fisheries as one exhibit for the Alaska-Yukon-Pacific exposition.

The County Commissioners of Skagit County have appropriated $3,500 to be used in printing and distributing booklets descriptive of Skagit County at the Exposition.

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The two-cent letter postage rate to Germany went into effect last Friday. Not long ago the rate to England was reduced to two cents. Cheaper rates will mean more business.

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Furnished house, close in; no children. Inquire of W. A. Saxton, Hotel Angeles.

Mexico's Growing Distrust.

It was natural that Mexicans should charge bad faith on this side of the border in the matter of the recent revolution. Such conditions always breed distrust. People on our northern border felt the same about Canada when hostile enterprises were floated there during the civil war, and later the Canadians got back at us during the Fenian troubles. But it is clear that Mexican distrust of Americans is older than any revolution of recent times. It is so patent that Europe notes and comments upon it. Recently the London Times observed that the effort of the Mexican government to get the control of the Central railway system out of American hands is a well thought out policy to shake free from this country. This same paper asserts that the predominant position of Americans in Mexico today has been won "in spite of" the will of the Mexicans.

Undeniably straws sometimes show the way the wind blows. Lately a prominent paper of the City of Mexico, El Tiempo, has been casting slurs upon American residents and tourists in Mexico, even saying that the generality of them are below the Mexican peons, or slaves, in good breeding. It is to be hoped that this paper does not reflect the best sentiment of the Mexican people; otherwise outsiders may be cited as more just. In a recent book entitled "Mexico In the Twentieth Century" appears the sentence, "The history of the Americans in Mexico is a history of which any alien country might feel proud." This is an English writer's opinion and has reference to the relations of American residents there with "a people strange in religion, thought and speech," relations coupled with the investment of $800,000,000 American gold in Mexican enterprises. Ground for commercial jealousy the Mexicans may have, but no rational one for personal hostility.

The Anti-Dreyfusites.

The Frenchman who fired two shots at Major Dreyfus a few weeks ago in a highly sensational way was recently acquitted in court. He declared, and apparently proved, that not Dreyfus the man, but Dreyfusism the sentiment, was the object of his attack. He claimed that his cartridges contained wax bullets, and the fact that the injuries inflicted were of a trivial nature gives color to this plea. The scene in the courtroom after the acquittal shows that the old feeling against Dreyfus is still strong in France. Some of the spectators cheered and some groaned when the verdict was announced. Dreyfus was present and proclaimed himself innocent of the charge of treason which led to his disgrace and imprisonment. Voices that had groaned over the verdict cheered Dreyfus, and those which had cheered before greeted the unfortunate man with groans.

No word of Dreyfus could now add weight to the decision of the highest French courts as to his guilt. He has been acquitted, restored to rank and promoted. Yet there seems to be a large element in Paris which still believes that Dreyfus attempted to betray his nation to Germany, and the people composing it will never forgive the men who championed his cause nor cease to reprobate the government officials who helped to proclaim his innocence and make tardy amends for his disgrace and punishment. This work will never be undone in all probability, and so the anti-Dreyfusites have nothing to gain in their agitation except the gratification of revenge.

Records of the consulate at Bordeaux, France, show that there has been no diminution in the export of French foods and food products to the United States, consequent upon the enforcement of our pure food law, but, on the contrary, the values of such exports during the first year's operation of the law actually increased. This showing leads to the belief that instead of hampering trade the pure food law has benefited it and seems to have carried with it greater respect for foreign labels.

The last peace conference at The Hague was in session 127 days, and during that time 317 dinners were given in honor of the delegates. No wonder that the conference turned out a sort of draw. With so much banqueting on hand the delegates couldn't very well buckle down to war on war

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Regular services at the Congregational church hereafter by the Rev. Stephen Smith, late of Lebanon, Conn. Services at 11 a m. and 7:30 p.m. Sunday School at 10 a.m. Everybody invited, especially those who have no other church home.

Sunday school in the Baptist church Sunday morning at 10 o'clock. Song service in the evening at 7:30 o'clock. Prayer meeting every Thursday at 7:30 o'clock.

First Church of Christ, Scientist, S. E. Cor. 2nd and Laurel. First Reader, Mrs. Ida B. Ross. Services: 11 a. m.; Sunday School 12 m.; Wednesday, 7:30 p. m.

St. Andrew's Church. Sunday services 8:00, 10:00 and 11:00 a. m.; 7:30 p. m. Thursdays 7:30 a. m. Fridays 9:30 p. m. Saints Days at 9:00 a. m.

Lincoln Heights Methodist Episcopal church—Sunday school 10 a. m.; preaching 11 a. m.; Epworth League 7 p. m.; preaching services at 7:45; prayer meeting Thursday evening 7:30.

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Cause No. 2400.

In the Superior Court of the State of Washington for Clallam County.

John Morrisey, Administrator of the Estate of Adam Weidinger, Deceased, and John Cain, Trustee, plaintiffs, vs. Wm. A. Lange and Minna Lange, husband and wife, Minni Lange and C. A. Muench, defendants.

Under and by virtue of a Writ of Execution issued out of and under the seal of the Superior Court of the State of Washington, holding terms at Port Angeles, in and for said county, on the 15th day of December, A. D., 1908, upon a judgment rendered in said court on the 14th day of December, A. D., 1908, in favor of John Morrisey, Administrator of the Estate of Adam Weidinger, deceased, et al., and against William A. Lange and Minna Lange, husband and wife, for the sum of Twenty-six Hundred and Thirty and 25-100 Dollars, together with attorney's fees, interest, costs and increased costs, and to me directed and delivered, commanding me to sell the following described property to satisfy said judgment, to-wit:

The northeast quarter of the northeast quarter [NE¼ of NE¼] the southeast quarter of the southeast quarter of the northeast quarter [SE¼ of SE¼ of NE¼] and the north half of the southeast quarter of the northeast quarter [N½ of SE¼ of NE¼] of Section twenty-one [21]; the southeast quarter of the southwest quarter of the northwest quarter [SE¼ of SW¼ of NW¼], and the west half of the southwest of the northwest quarter [W½ of SW¼ of NW¼] of Section twenty-two [22], in Township thirty [30] North, Range Six [6] West of the Willamette Meridian, in Clallam County, Washington, containing one hundred [100] acres according to government survey.

Now Therefore, Notice is Hereby Given, That on Saturday, the 16th day of January, A. D. 1909, at ten o'clock in the forenoon of said day, I will sell the above described property, or so much thereof as may be necessary to satisfy said judgment, together with attorney's fees, interest, costs and increased costs, in all amounting to the sum of $2,655 90.

Said sale will take place at the front door of the court house in Port Angeles, in said county and state, and will be at public auction, for cash in hand to the highest and best bidder.

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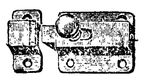

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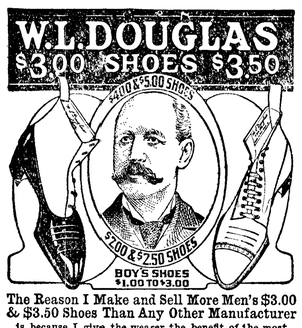

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Among the instructions issued to the people of Japan by the government during the visit of the American fleet were injunctions to refrain from staring at the foreigners, and to make no insulting remarks about the manners, costumes or conversation of the visitors.

Germany is beginning to joke about the London interview rumpus. But the kaiser won't smile for some time.

The maiden ladies of advanced age, who alone know all about the way children ought to be brought up, will no doubt go into spasms of indignation over a Chicago police judge's discharge of a 12-year-old boy, brought before him for fighting. For the discharge of the boy is not the judge's only offense; he congratulated the boy on his victory over a larger boy, who had been bullying him, and added: "Go back and do it again if he bothers you any more, and if they have you arrested again I'll turn you loose once more. I like to see a boy who isn't afraid to fight his own battles, and it's a shame for him to be brought into police court." This must be simply paralyzing to the minds of old maids of both sexes. It may naturally seem wrong to many well-intentioned mothers, whose natural affection is greater than their knowledge of the needs of developing boys. But the judge's advice is human and sensible. The boy who will not fight when bullied or imposed upon will be no good when grown up. He will be imposed upon all his life. Other men will use him for their own purposes, and he will be a negative quantity until his final submission to the last common enemy. It is every boy's instinctive disposition to defend himself against imposition. If he fails to do so, it is very likely to be because he is too cowardly, not too moral, to fight. In the absence of courage, he is very apt to resort to cunning and treachery, get his revenge in secret and despicable ways, and grow up a hypocrite and sneak. Let the boy bravely fight out his own battles. A skinned nose or a bruised lip won't hurt him much, and he won't damage the other fellow—much. Despised above all things in this world—and particularly in the juvenile world—is one who won't fight.

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FOUR PIGS ADOPTED BY DOG.

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James Dunlop, of this village, has a female shepherd dog that recently lost her litter of four pups, says a Stewardsville (Ind.) dispatch to the New York Times. For several days she was distracted over her loss, and her owner was afraid she would die. She refused to eat, and spent most of her time lying in the yard whining pitifully.

Now about the same time that the puppies died there was an increase in the family of one of the sows on the Dunlop place. The sow died shortly after her pigs were born, and Mr. Dunlop began to raise the orphans on a milk bottle. They thrived very well, but seemed to miss their mother as much as the shepherd dog missed her offspring. So Mr. Dunlop tried an experiment.

He carried the three little Jersey red pigs out to the dog's house and called to her. She stood back at first sight of the strangers in her bed, but presently she nestled down beside them as if they were her own.

By the next day she had become so attached to them that to make up a full family she journeyed over to a neighbor's house and soon came back with another small pig and adopted it also.

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DISCOVERIES AT KNOSSOS.

Results of the Recent Excavations by Dr. Evans in Crete.

May I beg a little space to inform those interested in Cretan exploration of a series of discoveries lately made at Knossos? says a writer in the London Times. The news from Dr. Evans is exceedingly good. He has been working all the season in the large house which lies to the west of the palace, but unfortunately is deeply buried under the talus of a hill. With great labor Dr. Evans has now reached the further limit of this building, and on his way has found much. A magnificent steatite vase in the shape of a bull's head, with inlay of cut shell about the nostrils and with crystal eyeballs, the iris being painted on the back of the crystal, reveals to us a new technic.

In another quarter, on the north, a great hoard of bronze implements and utensils, including a large tripod cauldron in perfect preservation, will much increase our knowledge of the finer domestic apparatus of Minoan civilization. As Dr. Evans speaks of having unearthed a great number of early vases with these tools there should be no difficulty in dating the latter and thereby getting standard forms.

On the south of the palace a range of buildings has been found at a lower level, largely buried under debris of the palace itself. The latter included a mass of ivory fragments, the remains of carved caskets and of fresco paintings. Inside the south building itself, under a staircase, a small hoard of silver vessels has come to light—some bowls and a jug. These will be welcomed as first fruits of that work in precious metals which so greatly influenced the ceramic artists of the middle Minoan periods, but has generally disappeared. We hear, too, of fine vases of various kinds, one with papyrus plant ornament in relief and others in the best "palace style." Work is also proceeding actively on the restoration of the royal apartments on the east of the palace, and every effort is being made to get into the great dome tomb found last year and to find other tombs.

A SURPRISING EFFECT.

An old gentleman in one of the large Eastern cities was asked to buy a ticket to a fireman's ball, and good naturedly complied. The next question was what to do with it. He had two servants, either of whom would be glad to use it, but he did not wish to show favoritism. It therefore occurred to him to buy another ticket, so that both could attend. A writer in the St. Louis Republic tells what happened.

Not knowing where the tickets were sold, he inquired of a policeman, and the officer suggested that he go to the engine house. So the old gentleman went to the engine house that evening, but there was no one in sight. He had never been in such a place before, and stood for a moment uncertain how to make his presence known.

Presently he saw an electric button on the side of the room, and put his thumb on it.

The effect was "electrical" in every sense of the word. Through the ceiling, down the stairs, and from every other direction firemen came running and sliding. The horses rushed out of their stalls, and, in short, all the machinery of a modern engine house was instantly in motion.

Amid all this uproar stood the innocent old gentleman, who did not suspect that he had touched the fire alarm until the men clamored round him for information as to the locality of the fire.

Then he said, mildly, "I should like to buy another ticket for the ball, if you please."

The situation was so ludicrous that there was a general shout of laughter; and the old gentleman bought his ticket and the engine house resumed its former state of quiet.

Rain Poor Substitute for Irrigation

And irrigation is better than rain, infinitely better. That also sounds like a paradox, but instead it is almost a truism. What is better—to give a plant just as much and no more water than it needs and just when it needs it; or to parch it or drown it according to the whim of the clouds? The rain falls upon the just and upon the unjust alike; upon your strawberries that cry for it and upon your sugar-beets that want uninterrupted sunshine. Rain is all right in its place, but it is a very poor substitute for irrigation. Otherwise why would the lawns of our cities be sprinkled or irrigated, instead of leaving them to the tender mercy of the clouds? No. Arid lands are more fertile than ordinary lands, and irrigation is better than rain.—Success Magazine.

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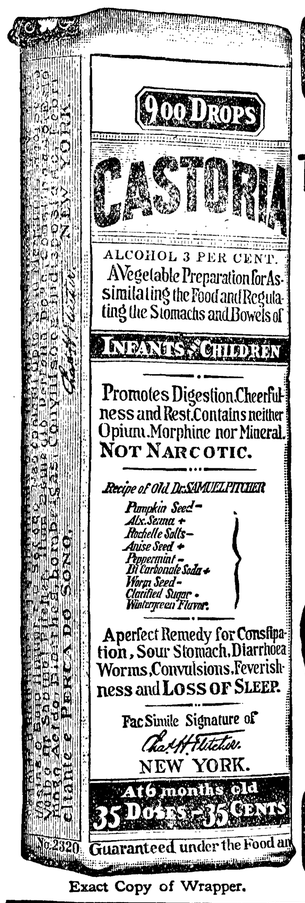

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Execution was placed in the hands of the sheriff, after which attorneys for parties interested in the action notified him that they considered the judgment invalid. He consulted other counsel, who expressed the same opinion. He then asked execution plaintiffs for an indemnity bond, which was refused. The Court of Appeals of Kentucky, in Crane vs. Crane, 105 Southwestern Reporter, 370, decided that the sheriff was not bound to run the risk of the levy without indemnity.

The contestant of the will in the case of In re Del Genovese's Will, 107 New York Supplement, 1033, claimed it had been revoked by her marriage to testator subsequent to the execution of the will. Proponent claimed that the marriage was invalid, as the wife had a husband living at that time; but it appeared that her former husband had disappeared several years before, and that the marriage had been contracted in good faith. The New York Surrogate Court held that the marriage was not void, but was good as to all the world, unless the first husband should appear and institute an action to annul it, and that the marriage revoked the will.

Complainants, hat manufacturers at Danbury, Conn., engaged in the sale of their produce in several states. Defendants, members of a labor union, sought to unionize the establishment. On complainants refusing to permit this, defendants instituted a boycott against them and those dealers who handled their hats. Complainants contended that defendants' acts violated the federal anti-trust act. The Circuit Court held that the statute was not applicable to labor unions, but the United States Supreme Court, in Loewe v. Lawlor, 28 Supreme Court Reporter, 301, upheld complainants' contention, on the ground that the sale of their hats in various states was interstate commerce, thus bringing the boycott within the statute.

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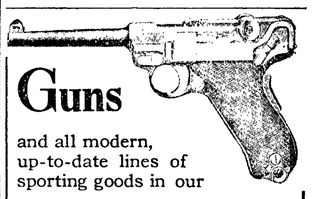

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