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PROGRESS DATES FROM CIVIC IMPROVEMENT

Such Has Been Experience of Every Ctty of Pacific Coast

Editor Olympic-Leader:—The opposition to the regrading of Front street now proposed by the city council has betrayed the "sleeping sickness" now prevailing in its worst condition. If ever there was a last hard call upon a people to awake from the slumbers of a stupid lethargy, it is now and by the best opportunity ever offered a people so badly needing a business awakening. If they cannot now see that they are gradually wasting away—getting poorer and more helpless every year—a helplessness more in the loss of energy and courage to do, they may soon by loss of all they have left; besides, there never were more storerooms vacant, never less number of men employed, never less money to secure at any interest or security, never a less number of men of means and never more leaving and no outlook for improvement, and still the majority who have become habituated to waiting for the coming railroad to bring us prosperity which they have hoped to win without effort, still satisfied to sit grinning at the sun like the ague patient who becomes more lifeless the longer he thus idles in the sun.

This wasting away of the property, business, energy and courage of our people can be immediately changed into prosperity, enterprise and encouragement by inaugurating a system of street grading, commencing with the regrade of Front street as proposed.

The planking of Front street or any temporary grade will only further tax our own poor resources; while a full grade, which will cost only a third more will bring in a large amount of outside capital, add greatly to our population, and change distress to prosperity. Here are the figures:

The regrade of Front street which cannot legally exceed the estimated cost, made by the city civil engineer, viz.: $40,000, averaging $9.00 per lot, payable in ten year bonds must employ outside capital; this will necessarily lead to the regrade of First street which in the same way will bring in $40,000 more, and that will necessitate the grading of Laurel street, at least that grade will follow at an additional cost of $30.000; later on Lincoln street will be graded at the cost of $30,000 more. These grades will bring in and employ in active circulation $100,000.

The erection of new buildings and the raising of old ones to the new grades and other improvements that will follow the new life and enterprise aroused by so much money and labor employed would add at least another $100,000 and altogether would employ two hundred laborers, who with their families would add nearly or quite a thousand to our population and correspondingly to our business There would be no storerooms vacant, in fact still more would be built and filled and larger rents would be secured; the grading of many more streets would follow and from the new life and enterprise thus awakened and added from outside, we will be transported to permanent prosperity, for with such amount of new capital in circulation with the labor employed and the awakened enterprise and encouragement that must follow there will be no letting up, especially as prosperity is now pushing so hard up against us all around; there will be many new ente prises to keep up employment of labor, capital and business. Men with capital and enterprise will come and stay; many more with means who have retired, who are looking for homes will also come and remain; the railroads will come sooner, new transportation facilities will be added and old ones will be improved to keep up with the new demands. The cost of the grade and adjusting of buildings will not be noticed—in fact will be paid for in new business and opportunities.

Street grading in Seattle has been the backbone and mainstay of her great strides of prosperity, without which she would not have secured additional railroads, nor the A.Y.P.Fair, nor not even half the population she now has.

It is the costly development of the North Pacific cities which first gave life and prosperity, from the growth given by the employment of capital and labor to move the earth, build other structures and open up the natural ways upon which business and enterprise first depended, from which they were transfered

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CONDITION OF ROADS IS AN OUTRAGE

Ranchers Must Ship Hay from Seattle, while Feed Rots in their Fields

Clallam Bay, March 15, 1910.

Editor Olympic-Leader: — Kindly allow me space in your valuable paper. In your issue of March 4th I read about the meeting of the State Good Roads Association and the adoption of a trunk line system throughout the state. I should like to give you and your readers a sample of trunk line in this county. We might call the county road from Clallam bay to Mora a trunk line; there have been many thousands of dollars expended on that trunk line, and it will need a few thousands more to get it in some kind of shape. Now let us see who, or what part of the district pays the most to that trunk line, and who gets the most benefit therefrom. There are five farmers on the Clallam river who pay from $35 to $40 taxes, but have no road at all! There is only Mr. Pool and Mr. Welker who have any benefit from it; farther out Mr. Green, until we come to the place where the Pysht road branches off. I will leave this trunk line for awhile and turn towards Pysht where you will find a piece of good road about 15 rods in length, but if you have to go farther on you had better provide yourself with a life-preserver as you are likely to sink out of sight at any moment! I am living in this section of the county and speak from experience. If you proceed to Pysht you will not find it much better. You will ask, why don't you get your supervisors to repair the road? Alas, Supervisor!

I had a two acre field of roots at the John Erickson place last summer; at the time of harvesting, I called Supervisor Green's attention to the condition of the road then, and told him if the road was not repaired I could not get my crop home. Mr. Green went over the road on horseback and told me to cut some brush and repair it and charge it to the district. I would not do such work, but offered to haul gravel, but he would not let me do so, saying it would spoil the road! I consider about 8 ton of green feed has rotted for me on account of bad roads, now I am compelled to buy hay. I can buy hay at Pysht at $8, but I can not haul it, neither can I hire anybody although I offered $6 per day and board for man and team, I could get no one. I was compelled to import hay from Seattle, which cost me $32.50 per ton only delivered to Clallam bay; while if the the county had expended $50 on this road, I would have not had to buy any hay. Now who is going to pay my damages? I own 80 acres here and I paid $36.98 taxes last year and $40.05 this year!

There are several thousand dollars road taxes paid on the Pysht river every year, a very small amount is worked out here. Where does the money go? To the trunk line!! For the benefit of the people on the other side of the mountains! You are told you get the benefit from the trunk line also. O yes; that is after I get to it! but at present it is not safe to bring a can full of cream to the trunk line!!

I have lived here for twenty years, but have never seen the roads as bad as now. There has been some work done down the river, but I will let other people speak for that. How is it that people who are living in small settlements can not get their rights? Where is the fault? It is in the present road law! Let us compare the old and the present road law. Under the old law the supervisor was elected by the people and if he did not give satisfaction, he was turned out of office at end of the year. While now he stays as long as the county commissioner is in office, and it makes no difference whether he knows or attends to his business or not. I recall a case in this district about five years ago, when the people petitioned the board of county commissioners to remove Supervisor Rainey for alleged squandering public funds. Did they remove him? No! That would not do! In spite of the protest of the people, in spite of the protest of the commissioner of this district, the commissioners from the Upper End of the county kept him on! There is complaint enough now about the action of a certain socalled supervisor, but will he be removed? I doubt it. Under the present system the county commissioner has almost unlimited powers, he can do almost anything he wishes; it would be a dear proposition for anybody to interfere

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There are a few times in the year when you find it an absolute necessity to buy, One of these times is EASTER TIME. You need new dresses, new shoes and new everything, at a time when money is scarcer than any other time.

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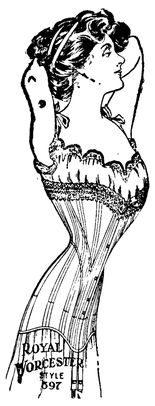

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Less 10 per cent.

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The finest offering and showing ever made in this city, in quality and prices we have already sold our share of them but bought heavy and now make excellent showing at 50c, 75c, 1.00, 1.25, up to 5.00, less our Easter discount of 10 per cent.

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Ties and Jabots, Dutch Collars 25c, 50c less Easter Discount 10 per cent

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Made to our order from entirely new patterns of silk for Easter ties, priced at 25c, 50c less Easter discount of 10 per cent

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For Men, Women, Girls and Boys, new and up-to-date, priced so low that you cannot help but buy them from us for an Easter sale we offer 10 per cent discount from our extremely low prices

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In Tan, Blue striped and black checked in ages from 2 to 10 years, priced at 75c, 1.00, 1.50, 2.00, less Easter discount of 10 per cent

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Minor Happenings of the Week

Hugh Cochrane has been appointed deputy collector of customs at Valdez, Alaska.

The British Columbia provincial legislature has been prorogued, closing a two months' session.

President Taft has issued a proclamation extending to Austria-Hungary the minimum tariff rates of the Payne-Aldrich act.

The South Dakota insurgent Republicans, in conference at Huron, named a State ticket, neaded by R. S. Vesey for governor, and F. M. Byrne for lieutenant-governor.

A large part of the $1,485,000 which New York will spend this year for new schools will go for portable buildings, a scheme of Mayor Gaynor's to relieve congestion in crowded parts of the city.

James R. Garfield, President Roosevelt's secretary of the interior, says that he is willing to lead the Republican party in Ohio against Gov. Harmon if there is a popular demand for his candidacy.

The Madrid correspondent of the London Telegraph says that Premier Canalejas' program includes the state purchase of railways and that he will soon begin negotiations with the companies. Most of the stock is held abroad.

A dispatch from Port Colborne, Ont., tells of the finding near Gull Island, Lake Erie, of a raft of oak timber lost in a gale over thirty years ago. The value of the timber at the time of loss was $50,000, but now it is worth double that sum.

It is announced from Baltimore that the efforts of Labor Commissioner Neill have been successful and that there will be no strike of conductors or trainmen on the Baltimore & Ohio railroad. Concessions were made on both sides.

A concession for a railroad 650 miles long, forming the connecting link between Mexico City and Meridia, Yucatan, has been granted by the Mexican government to William P. Wood. Yucatan is today cut off from the outside world.

Contitnental Hall, the new national home of the Daughters of the American Revolution, at Washington, D. C., which has been about seven years in building, has been finished, and the officials of the organization are in their offices.

Collector Loeb, of New York, last week advocated before the House ways and means committee a bill to license custom brokers and place them under the supervision of the Treasury department. Mr. Loeb told of many shady practices indulged in by brokers. The bill was passed by the Senate soon after.

The Prineville (Ore.) Commercial Club has taken up the matter of a railroad from the main line to Prineville. A committee has been appointed to procure data and confer with the lines now under construction, and it is proposed to take active steps to put Prineville on the railroad map of the State.

Before the grain growers closed their sessions at Prince Albert, Sask., recently, an important agricultural organization was formed whose scope will cover the entire Dominion. This will be known as the National Council of Agriculture, and will be made up of representatives of the Eastern and Western farmers' associations.

NATIONAL HOUSING ASSOCIATION FORMED

New York, March 12.—Announcement has been made of the organization of the National Housing Association, headed by Robert W. De Forest of New York, president, and having a number of Boston men on the board of directors. Mr. De Forest was the first tenement house commissioner of this city, and chairman of the New York state tenement house commission of 1900, which drafted the present widely copied New York law. He will be assisted by John M. Glenn, director of the Russell Sage foundation, and treasurer of the new association.

The objects of the association are to study congestion and the means of preventing it, to collect and distribute such information and to act as a clearing house for other associations working along similar lines.

The movement is a broad one, including representatives from fifteen states, from the Atlantic to the Pacific and the gulf.

Commission to Adjust Disputes.

Seattle, March 12.—The state railroad commission will begin immediately a series of hearings in Eastern Washington to adjust station disputes, side track controversies and a long list of minor complaints that both the O. R. & N. and the Hill lines have failed to adjust.

Washington State News Items

Anacortes is to have a new high school if $20,000 can be added to the present indebtedness

The Seattle Post-Intelligencer is now selling on the streets at a penny. The change was made last week.

Seattle postoffice receipts for February were $71,410, an increase of $2,737.17 over February of last year.

Senator Piles' bill permitting allotments to be made to Hoh, Quilliyute and Ozette Indians on the Quiniault reservation, has passed the Senate.

Spanish War Veterans are to have a lodge at Everett. There are in Everett more than 150 young men who fought in Cuba and the Philippine islands.

Monroe and five surrounding country school districts embraced in Union high school district No. 103 have voted $60,000 bonds for a high school to be erected at Monroe. A five-acre site has been secured.

Klickitat county commissioners have awarded contracts for two steel bridges at Wahkaicus, one across the Big Klickitat and one across Swale creek at the mouth of Swale canyon. The bridges will cost $5,000.

Fifty Hollanders at Lynden have organized to build a private school. This step is taken, they say, because the Bible is not taught in the public schools, and that their children acquire bad habits through schoolmates.

A collection of products of Snohomish county mills, factories, farms and mines is being made by the Everett Chamber of Commerce for the exhibit which the Northern Pacific Railway Co. will maintain during the coming year at Chicago.

From a graduating lcass of eleven in 1891 to one numbering fifty at the end of the present year is tne rapid growth of the Everett nigh school. The city school system at present embraces an enrollment of 4,072 pupils, making necessary the employment of 119 teachers.

Assurances have been given the Seattle battalion of the Washington naval militia that the monitor Cheyenne will be placed at the disposal of the battalion within the next few days pursuant to a request from Gov. Hay to the navy department that this vessel be assigned to Puget Sound waters.

A number of contest cases instituted by the government against persons claiming land under the homestead law in different parts of Klickitat county were tried before United States Commissioner N. L. Ward at Goldendale last week. The claims are contested on the ground of non-residence and failure to cultivate as required.

Sheriff's Fees Fixed.

Olympia, March 15.—In an opinion given to William E. Campbell, prosecuting attorney of Chehalis county, Attorney General Bell holds that the sheriff is entitled to charge 50 cents for making certificates when copies of papers are to be served, and 10 cents a folio, no charge to be less than one dollar, when he prepares the copies himself. This ruling was made upon a request for an interpretation of the fee bill law, which is rather vague in setting forth the sums to be charged by the sheriff for serving papers.

Entire Population Boosters.

Zillah, March 12.—Made up largely of farmers, with practically all the officers ranchers, the Zillah Commercial Club, organized this week, is unusual. While the town has only 300 inhabitants, there are 155 charter members of the commercial club, and the total number will reach 200.

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:

Eggs—Select ranch, 22c per doz.

Poultry—Live hens, large 18c per lb., small 16c per lb; old roosters 9c per lb., spring broilers 20c per lb.; ducks, 17c per lb.; geese, 14c per lb.; live turkeys, 24c per lb.; dressed turkeys, 26c per lb.

Dressed Veal—Small 12@12½c per lb.; large, 9@11c per lb.

Dressed Pork — Small, 10½@11½c per lb.; large, 8@10½c per lb.

Ranch Butter—21c per lb.

Spring Lamb—10@12c.

Butter Fat—42c per lb.

Potatoes—Eastern Washington, $15 @16 per ton; White River, $14@15 per ton.

Tacoma Quotations.

Wheat — Bluestem $1.14@1.15, club $1.06, red Russian, $1.05.

Poultry — Turkeys, live 22@24c, dressed 28@30c; spring chickens, dressed, 22c; hens, dressed, 20c; ducks, live, 14c; hens, live, 17c; spring chickens, live, 18c; geese, fresh dressed, 20c; squabs, live, $3@3.50 doz.; dressed, $4@4.50.

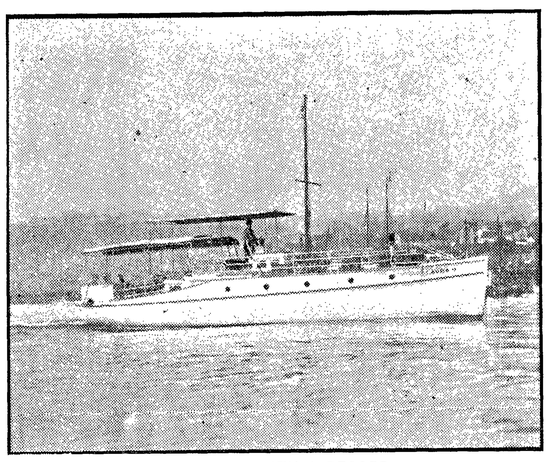
Butter — Washington, 39c; fresh Eastern, 34@35c.

Eggs — Washington ranch, candled, 23c.

Oats—$34@35; rolled oats, $35@36.

Hay, Alfalfa, etc.—Wheat hay, $21@22; timothy, $26@27; mixed, $20@22; wild, $18@21; clover, $22@23; timothy and clover, $24@25; alfalfa, $21@22; straw, $11@13.

Feed—Corn, $36; wheat, $38@39; barley, whole grain $30@31, rolled $32@33; shorts, $29@30; bran, $27@28; middlings, $32@34.



CRUISER WITH A RECORD.

Here is the Laura H. owned by O. B. Williams of Seattle, the smart little craft which made the trip from Seattle to Alaska and return last summer, weathering the straits in a remarkable manner. Six passengers enjoyed the novel outing. It was one of the few occasions when such a long salt water voyage has been attempted in a cruiser of this size, and was a thorough test of its efficiency. The Laura H. is of the raised deck type and develops a speed of 10 1-2 miles. She was launched in Seattle shortly before Mr. Williams' Alaska journey.

GREAT FIGHT FOR RIGHT TO EXIST

HEARING OF STANDARD OIL CASES NOW ON BEFORE SUPREME COURT.

Brilliant Legal Talent on Both Sides — History of Government Fight to Dissolve Giant Corporation Summarized — Decision Awaited With Interest by Business World.

Washington, March 12.—The most serious legal battle the Standard Oil has ever faced will confront it next Monday.

That is the day set by the Supreme Court of the United States to hear arguments on the appeal of the Standard Oil Company of New Jersey from the adverse judgment of the United States Circuit Court for the eastern district of Missouri, which ordered the dissoution of the New Jersey corporation as an illegal combination and monopoiy in restraint oi interstate commerce. To point out the alleged errors of the Circuit Court in its findings and in its decree the keenest intellects within command have been procured. To argue for the affirmance of the decision of the lower court Mr. Wickersham, the attorney general of the United States himself will head a brilliant array of counsel for the government.

Findings Against Individuals.

The Circuit Court announced grave findings against the seven individual defendants, John D. Rockefeller, William Rockefeller, Henry H. Rogers, John D. Archbold, Oliver H. Payne and Charles M. Pratt, the Standard Oil Company of New Jersey and other defendant companies.

The court found that in 1899, by an exchange of stock by the seven individuals, the Standard Oil Company of New Jersey acquired legal title to a majority of the stock of nineteen companies, which in turn controlled a large number of others, all but one engaged in the oil business.

Findings as to Combine.

What it found as to this combination was:

That since 1899 the affairs of all these companies have been managed by the pricnipal company as the business of a single person, so as to fix for them the price of crude oil, the rates for transportation and the selling price of its products.

That the par value of the combined capital stock in 1899 was about $100,000,000, and that in 1903 it was $150,000,000.

That twelve of these companies owned 54,565 miles of pipe lines.

That these companies from 1899 to 1907 produced more than one-tenth of the crude oil obtained in this country.

That they owned and operated more than one-half of an the tank cars used to distribute its products.

Almost Monopoly of Refined Oil.

That they manufactured more than three-fourths of all the crude oil refined in the United States.

That they transported more than four-fifths of the petroleum derived from the Pennsylvania and Indiana oil fields.

That they marketed more than four-fifths of all the illuminating oil sold in the United States.

That they exported more than four-fifths of all the illuminating oil sent forth from the United States.

That they sold more than four-fifths of all the naphtha sold in the United States.

That they sold more than nine-tenths of all the lubricating oil sold to railroad companies in the United States.

Trade Conspiracy Found.

On this finding the court decreed: That the organization of 1899 was a combination or conspiracy in restraint of interstate commerce in petroleum and its products, such as the first section of the Sherman anti-trust act declares is illegal; that the seven individual defendants, the Standard Oil Company of New Jersey and thirty-nine other companies, had entered into a combination or conspiracy to monopolize and had in fact monopolized a substantial part of interstate commerce in violation of the second section of the Sherman anti-trust act; that thirty-three other companies accused were proved not to be in this combination.

The court enjoined the principal company and its directors from exercising any control over the subsidiary companies; it enjoined the subsidiary companies from declaring or paying any dividends to the principal company, but not from distributing ratably to the shareholders of tne principal company the stock of the subsidiary company; it enjoined those found to be in the "illegal combination" from continuing in it or forming a new combination by means of aggregation of the physical properties in the hands of one member of the combination, and forbade those in the combination from engaging in interstate commerce until the combination was discontinued.

Counsel for Defense.

The counsel arrayed in defense of the Standard Oil includes John G. Milburn, of Buffalo, N. Y., in whose home McKinley died; D. T. Watson and John G. Jonnson, leaders of the Pennsylvania bar, and Moritz Rosenthal, the legal pillar of the Standard Oil interests. Of those, Johnson made the principal argument to the supreme court in the defense in the tobacco cases. The defense has urged that the corporations, which entered into the organization of 1899, had not been competitors since 1879; that the stockholders of the principal company were the joint owners of the stock of the subsidiary companies and had the right to convey their stock in the latter to the former in trust for themselves, and congress was without power to restrict their acquisition, their method of holding or their disposition of their title to their property or their use of it; that the corporations whose stock were invested in the Standard Oil Company of New Jersey are private corporations, and not charged with a public duty, as were the railroads in the Northern Securities case; and that if any restraint of trade resulted from the organization in 1899 it was neither direct, immediate nor substantial.

Decision of World-Wide Interest.

Attorney General Wickersham probably will make the principal argument to the court in favor of tne dissolution. Frank B. Kellogg, of Minnesota, and Charles B. Morrison, of Chicago, have been most active in the preparation of the case against tne defendants. Their arguments were upheld in the main by the lower court.

The business world is awaiting the outcome of the suit to know what effect it will have upon the future not only of the Standard Oil, but of other combinations with points in common. The department of justice is waiting for the decision of the court in order to shape the government's attitude toward other organizations of which complaints have been made.

GERMAN TOURISTS TO GO BY AIR ROUTE

Munich, March 12.—The first regular air navigation service in Europe will be inaugurated on May 1. Regullar trips will be made from this city alternately to Starnberg and Oberammague. A dirigible balloon of the Parseval type, and driven by two motors of 100 horse-power each, will be used. The aerial carriage will accommodate 12 passengers besides the crew. The fare for the round trip to Starnberg will be $55 and for the round trip to Oberammagua $175. The regular service will close the season on September 1.

An officer from the German aernautic corps has been detailed to serve as captain of the dirigible.

Brook Trout for April Delivery.

Vancouver, Wash., March 12.—At the Basket creek hatchery 500,000 Rhode Island brook trout have been hatched and the fry will be ready for delivery in April. At that time 20,000 will be liberated in Salmon creek, 10,000 in Burnt Bridge creek and 5,000 in Basket creek. The remainder will be distributed to the trout streams west of the Cascade mountains, and some near Seattle.

OPPOSE COURT OF COMMERCE BILL

SENATORS CLAPP AND CUMMINS OBJECT TO ADMINISTRATION MEASURES.

In a Minority Report They Severely Condemn the Measure Which, They Say, Prevents Neither Combination Nor Over-capitalization of Railroads.

Senators Clapp of Minnesota and Cummins of Iowa, have fired a broadside at the administration's interstate commerce bill.

In a minority report the two senators make the astounding statement that the bill prevents neither the combination nor the overcapitalization of railroads, and is declared to be ineffective for these evils because:

"1. It is confined to railroad corporations, whereas it ought to include all corporation common carriers subject to the act.

"2. The inhibition as to the issuance of both stock and bonds is limited.

"3. There is nothing to prevent a holding corporation from issuing all the stock and bonds that it pleases to issue.

"4. The privileges extended in reorganizations and consolidations have practically no limit.

"5. There is no regulation concerning the capitalization of the increasing values of existing property or of earnings that have been expended in extending or improving property.

"6. It is expressly provided that, although every provision of the law be violated in the issuance of stocks and bonds, they shall nevertheless be valid in the hands of innocent purchasers. This in itself makes the proposed amendment substantially valueless.

"Section 12 of the bill as reported by the committee," says the two senators, "begins with the laudable attempt to prevent the consolidation or combination of railroad lines which directly and substantially compete with each other; but before it reaches its end it not only nullifies the prohibition with which it started out, but actually takes the back track, and if it were to become a part of the law it is our opinion that consolidations and combinations could be lawfully effected that are now forbidden. It does not include express, telephone or telegraph companies, and suburban or interurban electric passenger railway corporations are declared not to be railroad corporations. Any electric passenger railway company could purchase, so far as this bill would affect the transaction, all the railways in the United States and combine them into a single corporation."

As to the section relating to combinations and the issue of stocks and bonds the senators say:

"We believe that, however commendable the motive which inspired the writer of this section, the abuse of over-capitalization can be continued under it without legal abatement."

"We are of the opinion," says the report, "that the bill as reported by the committee, while it has some excellent provisions, is, as a whole, not in advance in the regulation of interstate commerce, but a long step backward."

As to the commerce court created by the bill, the report sets forth:

"The court and the expenditure it involves are wholly unnecessary.

"It seems to us fundamentally wrong to create a court whose sole work will be the trial of railway cases. It is far better for the country that all such controversies shall be disposed of by the regularly constituted judicial tribunals."

They move to strike the court-creating sections from the bill.

"The most objectionable and harmful feature of the bill under consideration is found in the departure from the existing method of defending suits brought by common carriers to set aside, annul, enjoin or suspend the orders of the interstate commerce commission.

"Section 7 of the bill repeals the anti-trust law with respect to agreements between common carriers specifying the classifications of freight and the rates, fares, charges for transportation of passengers and freight and expressly legalizes them. It is obvious that this provision will destroy the last vestige of competition between carriers as to rates. The inevitable consequence must be an increase in rates."

They recommend that the interstate commerce commission be given the power to prescribe a relation between rates.

To Oppose Measure on Floor.

The plans for consideration of the railroad bill are now taking definite shape and the measure will likely come up for debate this week.

Senator Cummins will discuss the bill for two or three days. He will be followed by Senator Clapp. Both will oppose the bill in many features and will strive to obtain material amendments.

It is understood that a majority of the so-called "insurgent senators," as well as many Democrats and possibly some of the "regular" senators from the Northwest, will support some of the amendments.

The plan is to keep the bill before the senate as constantly as possible.

OREGON AND WASHINGTON SEEK RIGHT OF TREATY

Portland, Ore., March 12.—Officials of the states of Oregon and Washington at a conference here adopted a resolution requesting congress to authorize the two states to appoint commissions to decide upon a Columbia river boundary line for subsequent ratification by the legislatures of the two states.

Under the resolution authority is given to the proposed commissions to "cede respectively each to the other such islands, sands, tracts or parcels of land, title to which has heretofore been in dispute, that is to say consent is hereby given to the state of Oregon to cede all such islands, sands, tracts or parcels of land lying on the Washington side of the line so fixed and determined to be the boundary line between the two states, and consent is given to the state of Washington to cede to the state of Oregon all such islands, sands, tracts or parcels of land lying on the Oregon side of the line so fixed as the boundary line between said states."

This authority from congress will enable the states to get together and the agreement, which may be reported when ratified by the legislatures of the interested states, will amount to a treaty. Ratification by the legislatures of the work of the commission will end forever the boundary question, as it would supercede whatever court decisions may have been made.

RURAL MAIL DELIVERY PETITIONS ARE PLENTIFUL

Washington, D. C., March 12.—The report of the rural delivery service for February shows that there are 1,570 petitions pending, with North Dakota, Oklahoma and Texas heading the list with the greatest number.

There have been received 60,970 petitions, of which 17,802 did not meet requirements and were acted upon adversely.

There are 41,094 daily routes in operation. Under the general procedure of adjustments and establishment of completed or county service throughout the states, 704 routes have been discontinued, and through the same procedure 542 routes have been established on a tri-weekly basis.

There are 41,008 carriers at an average salary of $869.94 per annum. These carriers each average 24.15 miles daily and serve approximately 18,500,000 persons. The cost of the service, including the payment of the carriers and of their substitutes for services during the fifteen days' vacation allowed each carrier, also for tolls necessary to be paid on turnpikes, bridges, etc., aggregates $37,040,000 per annum.

DEAL DIRECTLY WITH CANADA ON TARIFF

Washington, D. C., March 12.—The British embassy has informed Mr. Knox, secretary of state, that England will be pleased to have the United States take up tariff negotiations direct with Ottawa.

Immediately arrangements were made to have Henry C. Emery and Charles M. Pepper represent the United States at the Dominion capital, Mr. Emery going as a representative of the tariff board and Mr. Pepper representing the bureau of trade relations.

The United States tariff officers, it is stated, will not dwell so much on the disadvantages to the United States and Canada which would result from the lack of an agreement as they will on the mutual advantages to come from mutually satisfactory arrangements.

Data collected by the American experts will be given to the Ottawa officials for their consideration. This data will cover not only the lumber, coal and other important industries, but will go into details concerning less important products.

OPPOSITION TO NEW STANDARD APPLE BOX

Washington, D. C., March 12.—Levi G. Monroe, of Spokane, secretary of the Northwest Fruit Growers' Association; C. E. Whistler, manager of the Bear Creek Orchard Company, of Medford, Ore., and W. K. Newell, president of the Oregon Horticultural Association, appeared before the house committee on agriculture.

They are opposing the Tafean bill establishing a standard apple box. Mr. Monroe in an argument charged that the bill was drawn in the interests of the International Apple Shippers' Association to assist them in marketing a lower grade product than that produced in the Northwest, where a standard box is in use containing a trifle more than the Winchester bushel.

BRITISH NAVAL BUDGET FOOTS UP $203,010,500

London, March 12.—The navy estimates for 1910 provide for an expenditure of $203,010,500, an increase of $27,005,000 over 1909. The increase is almost wholly taken up by ship building authorized by parliament before dissolution

The new program provides for five large armored ships, five protected cruisers, twenty destroyers and a number of submarines. By April 10 there will be under construction seven battleships, three armored, nine protected and two unarmored cruisers, thirty-seven destroyers and nine submarines.

The government's program for construction is larger than ever before.

CENSURE FOREIGN OFFICE

BRITISH NEWSPAPERS BACK UP AMERICAN SECRETARY OF STATE.

Claim Trouble in Far East Is Logical Outcome of Present British Practice —Hoped Wiser Counsel Will Prevail in Downing Street.

London, March 12.—In a long article on the far Eastern situation and Jacob Schiff's recent speech in New York, the Morning Post complains strongly of the lack of judgment by the British foreign office, and says that it is not surprising Secretary of State Knox and Mr. Schiff are on the warpath and accuse Great Britain of intriguing with Japan against the United States.

"In plain words," says the article, "we are picking chestnuts out of the fire for Japan and encouraging her to ask more than her share, as well as to trample on the principle of the 'open door.' The whole proceeding is suicidal and unnecessary. If Sir Edward Grey has told Japan that she must play the game and cease the policy of grab in Mongolia, his recommendation would almost certainly have availed."

The Post contends that it will be a bad day for Great Britain when the Anglo-Japan alliance leads her into a dependence on Japan, and if a quarrel with the United States is added to the existing trouble, the situation will be serious.

"No empire can afford to begin 'hiring the barbarians.'" continues the Post. "An alliance on equal terms is one thing and masked subservience is another. Yet British diplomacy is suggesting to the world that we cannot afford to do anything but our ally's bidding. The struggle over the Mongolian railways may define our position in the Pacific for many years. Let us hope that wise counsel will yet prevail in Downing street."

SUCCESSFUL WINTER SLUICING IN ALASKA

For the first time in the history of placer mining in Alaska, winter sluicing has been successfully carried on all winter in the Tanana district, the lessees of a claim on Ready Bullion, a tributary of Ester creek, sluiced without interruption.

The work was done by Knute Larson and Albert Halfinner. They arrived in Seattle last week on the steamer Victoria, bringing out with them between $150,000 and $200,000, the result of their cleanup.

Men familiar with Alaska mining operations stated that the methods used by Larson and Halfinner may mark a new epoch in placer mining, in that the sluicing period can be more than doubled and that the cost of mining can be greatly reduced by eliminating one handling of the pay dirt.

Larson and Halfinner commenced sluicing in October and worked continually with day and night shifts, operating even when the thermometer stood between 50 and 60 degrees below zero. They were able to do this by returning the water used in the sluice boxes to the sump hole, where it was kept at a tepid temperature by steam from the engine which operated the hoisting machinery. The exhaust was into the sump hole. The warm water after running down the sluices was pumped back to an elevation and again turned into the sluice boxes.

"This is the first time in the history of Alaska," said W. H. Parsons, vice president of the Washington Trust Company, and for many years a resident of Fairbanks, "that winter sluicing has been successfully conducted in the North. The present success is fraught with great possibilities. It is apt to revolutionize the placer mining industry on claims where water is available in winter. Such methods have been tried before but have never been successful. Larson and Halfinner have demonstrated that winter sluicing can be done successfully. This means that many claims where there are springs which do not freeze, can be operated more months of the year than has been possible in the past when miners depended upon the early flow of water to do their sluicing."

New Schools in Yakima County.

North Yakima, March 12.—Yakima county is to have three fine new central schools within the year, and two others later. Selah voted $30,000 bonds, Sunnyside voted $40,000 bonds and Springdale voted $13,000. The lower Naches districts voted to consolidate, and will have a central school next year, and the rich Moxee country also favors consolidation, and a movement is now on foot for a central high school.

Lead Ore Near Tacoma.

Tacoma, March 12.—Residents of Jovita, a town on the interurban railroad twelve miles from Tacoma, believe there are valuable lead mines there. Workmen of the Jovita Land Company, while blasting a road last week, found rock carrying 75 per cent lead. Indications point to a large deposit. Samples of the ore are being assayed by the Tacoma smelter.

MORE BULLETINS COMING FROM PUYALLUP STATION.

Puyallup, March 15. — Among the preparations for the coming season, the Western Washington Experiment Station, west of the city, is finding out many things for the benefit of the farmers in this district as well as for others.

A number of artichokes were planted recently in an endeavor to determine how cheaply they can be raised and to learn the other advantages which their cultivation might bring. Regarding the experiments, W. H. Lawrence, director of the station, said:

"Very few people know or appreciate the value of artichokes as a stock food, nor their enormous yield per acre. They are especially adapted to the feeding of pigs and, with skimmed milk, the waste of the farm and what scraps could be picked up about the runs, should make pig raising a cheap and independent business for every farmer. I think all farmers should raise their own stock for meat, considering the present high cost of it. I also believe that if the farmers realized how cheaply pigs could be raised this branch would become more general.

"Special bulletin No. 4, entitled 'Poultry Buildings,' has been placed in the hands of the State printer. This bulletin is the result of 25 years of experience coming to H. L. Blanchard, the station's dairy and poultry expert, both at his own farm and here at the station. Included in this bulletin are the plans and specifications for the building of incubator and brooder houses, colony coops and laying houses. There will be 19 illustrations accompanying the text. This is a very valuable number and everyone interested in poultry raising should apply for copies in order to familiarize themselves with the proper housing of their birds. Many mistakes in building poultry houses may be prevented if the directions contained in this bulletin are followed.

"We are preparing to carry out an extensive line of experiments with roots for dairy cows. Mangel-wurzels, carrots, turnips and rutabagas are among those to be tried out. Many varieties of the seeds to be used are from the royal seed house of England and in that country give an enormous yield. Owing to the similarity of climatic conditions of this section and of England, these seeds should prove to give better and larger crops than the varieties now in use here. Variety tests with beans, beets and cabbage for canning purposes will also be conducted. We will grow all of these that are used for canning purposes in other States to determine their value in this section. Other promising varieties will also be given the test."

RESOLUTION TO GIVE CONGRESS NEW POWER.

Washington, March 15.—Broad and far-reaching amendments to the Federal Constitution are proposed in a joint resolution introduced by Representative Madden (Rep.) of Illinois.

Mr. Madden proposes to empower Congress to provide by law for the punishment of kidnaping, pandering, bigamy, polygamy and conspiracy in restraint of trade, concurrent with the legislatures of the several States; respecting the liability of employers for injuries to employes; for the adjustment of differences between capital and labor and the regulation and prevention of child labor.

He would also prohibit any State from denying the right to vote to any citizen because of religion, race or color, excepting the "yellow" race. He would give Congress full power to make laws respecting the conservation and regulation of water powers, forests, minerals and other natural resources, and respecting commercial paper, insurance, income and inheritance taxes, marriage, divorce and alimony, which laws the resolution says "shall be of a general nature and uniform throughout the United States and all State laws respecting the subjects mentioned shall conform thereto."

INSURGENTS LEFT TO FIGHT OWN BATTLES.

Washington, March 15. — Insurgent Republican congressmen who are candidates for re-election will be obliged to fight their own battles in the coming fall campaign. They will get no particular aid from the Republican congressional campaign committee, for that organization intends to distribute only "regular Republican" campaign literature, and will not put in circulation the anti-Cannon or anti-Taft utterances of insurgent Senators and Representatives. In districts where Republican insurgents are renominated, however, the Republican committee will distribute just as much literature as in districts where regular Republicans are named, for it is the desire of the organization to re-elect a Republican House, and it is deemed better to re-elect insurgents than to replace them with Democrats, and give control to the opposition party.

The attitude assumed by the Republican congressional campaign committee is no surprise to the insurgents.

Tieton Farms 40 and 20 Acres.

Washington, March 15.—The Secretary of the Interior has directed that the government lands of the Tieton irrigation project in Eastern Washington be divided into farm units of not more than 40 and not less than 20 acres each.

He also stipulated that private land owners under that project may retain title to not over 80 acres of irrigable land, and must sell off all excess holdings in tracts of not over 40 acres each.

STRIKE POSSIBLE IN WEST

THIRTY THOUSAND RAILROAD FIREMEN SERIOUSLY CONSIDERING MATTER.

General Managers' Committee at Chicago Is Firm — Brotherhood, Obdurate, Sends Three Queries to Employers, Willing to Invoke Erdman Act Conditionally — One Is Sanguine.

Chicago, March 14. — Admissions have been made on both sides that the controversy between 30,000 firemen operating on 150,000 miles of railroads west, northwest and southwest of Chicago, and the railroad managers had become critical and that the question of a strike tying up practically all the systems between here and the Pacific coast would be settled within 48 hours.

President W. S. Carter, of the Brotherhood of Locomotive Firemen and Enginemen, on behalf of the firemen, has sent to the general managers' committee of the railroads a request for a clear statement of the employers' position. The brotherhood asked for information on three points raised, as follows:

Three Points Raised.

Increased wage scale which the railroads says would amount to an increase of 22½ per cent., but which the firemen say would only equal 12½ per cent.

The right of the union to represent the fireman after he has been promoted either to the post of engineer or to any other capacity.

The right of the union to have authority in questions of seniority or the promotion of old-time employes.

In previous negotiations the brotherhood said it was willing to submit the wage question to arbitration under the Erdman act, provided the other two points were settled without the aid of a third party.

It was announced by the general managers' committee that an answer has been ordered sent to President Carter denying this request and leaving it to the union, despite its "strike vote," to take what future course it thinks best.

Forty-seven Roads Involved.

It is said the recent vote, showing more than 80 per cent. of the men to be against accepting the offer of the railroads would enable the National officers to call a strike at any time. Negotiations have been on for six weeks. About forty-seven Western railroads are involved. If a strike were called it is said that 25,000 other employes would be forced to quit work.

At the recent meeting ten general managers were present. At the close of the session a member of the committee said:

"Although we confidently hope to reach an agreement on arbitration, the situation is most critical. In the face of the so-called strike vote we have told the men we will not grant the two points they ask for before submitting the wage dispute to arbitration.

Strike Now Unwise.

"A strike at this time certainly would not be wise. We do not wish to alarm the business interests of the country, and we shall exert every effort to induce the brotherhood to continue to act in a friendly spirit. We trust the whole case will be settled in a day or two."

E. L. Dickinson, assistant to the president of the Chicago, Burlington & Quincy Railroad, gave out a formal statement as fololws:

"We believe the public need have no fear of a suspension of business on account of a great railroad strike. We have offered to arbitrate under the government law placed on the statute books at the instance of organized labor, the wage question.

"Three other labor organizations have recently accepted arbitration and another important railroad, the Baltimore & Ohio, has just succeeded in adjusting its differences with the trainmen by mediation. There is no reason to believe that another intelligent body of men we have endeavored to deal fairly with is going to act hastily."

WASHINGTON RELEASED FROM SHEEP QUARANTINE

Washington, D. C., March 12.—Secretary Wilson issued an order effective March 15, releasing from sheep quarantine the entire state of Washington and parts of other states. This quarantine for soabies has been in effect since March 22, 1907.

Manager Dimmock Promoted.

Tacoma, March 12.—The appointment of W. S. Dimmock, manager of the Tacoma car lines and of the interurban, to a position of responsibility at the home offices of Stone & Webster, in Boston, is announced Mr. Dimmock, who is a veteran in the service of Stone & Webster, will have charge of one of the departments in the Boston office.

Favors Rockefeller Foundation.

Washington, March 12.—The bill to incorporate the Rockefeller foundation was ordered favorably reported at an executive session of the Senate district of Columbia committee following a statement made by Starr J. Murphy, representative of John D. Rockefeller.

TO INTEREST SOCIETY WOMEN IN SUFFRAGE

Mrs. Clarence H. Mackay, of New York, will shortly come to Seattle to organize a branch of the Equal Franchise Society, which will draw its members from the most exclusive social sets. In New York Mrs. Mackay's organization counts as its members the women of the "four hundred," and to get into the society is as difficult as getting into the charmed circle of New York's most fashionable set.

The Washington Equal Suffrage Association will continue to thrive and to do its work, but Mrs. Mackay's organization is designed to interest society women who might not otherwise care a pin whether they ever voted. The two organizations will work side by side, somewhat apart, but each doing its share to place the burden of the ballot upon woman.

In New York the two organizations are affiliated, although each works in a different field. Dr. Anna Shaw is president of the National American Women's Suffrage Association, while Mrs. Carrie Chatman Catt is the field leader of the Equal Franchise Society.

Welcomes Mrs. Mackay.

In speaking of the proposed organization of a second suffrage association, Mrs. De Voe said:

"The plan of organization of the Equal Franchise Society is somewhat different from that of the Women's Suffrage Association. It is the purpose of Miss Milholland to send out invitations and to draw members from the fashionable set. We shall work in harmony."

It is also planned to have Gov. Brooks, of Wyoming, and Gov. Brady, of Idaho, speak for equal suffrage after the new organization has been perfected. The Washington Equal Suffrage Association has been assured of other distinguished speakers during the campaign.

CAMPAIGN PUBLICITY BILL IS FAVORABLY REPORTED.

Washington, March 15.—The bill requiring compulsory publicity for campaign contributions and expenses has been reported by the House committee on elections, of President, Vice-President and members of Congress, with a favorable recommendation. The bill was introduced by Representative McCall (Rep.) of Massachusetts.

Action was accomplished only after prominent men who have been advocates of the measure had brought much pressure to bear. The bill had been in the committee's hands since the session began.

CONTRACTS LET FOR IMMENSE COLORADO IRRIGATION WORKS

Pueblo, Colo., March 12.—Announcement is made at the office of the Colorado Southern Irrigation Company that the contract for the construction of the irrigation system of that company and the Canon City, Florence & Pueblo Water Company has been awarded to Kenefick, Quigley & Russell, of Kansas City, Mo., for $12,987,000.

The project is one of the biggest irrigation enterprises ever attempted, and active work will commence within sixty days. One hundred and sixty miles of main canals and thirty miles of diversion canals will be constructed.

Goods Must Be as Represented.

Olympia, March 12.—When a note is secured in payment for some jewelry that does not come up to the standard then collection upon it cannot be forced. So holds the supreme court in affirming the case of the Cedar Rapids National bank against Mayhre Brothers of Spokane to collect a note for $234. It was shown that the goods were not as represented so the payment of the note was refused and the bank claiming to be an innocent purchaser brought suit, but lost in the lower court and again on an appeal to the supreme court.

Must File Claims in Court.

W. F. Magill, assistant attorney general, in an opinion given to James W. B. Scott, prosecuting attorney of Jefferson county, holds that county commissioners who render extra services of any kind and seek compensation for the same must file their claims with the clerk of the superior court, who is to pay them upon an order of the superior court judge.

To Investigate Steel Strike.

Washington, March 15.—A resolution providing for an investigation of the steel strike at South Betalehem was introduced in the House by Representative Rainey of Illinois. The resolution recites that the company has government contracts for the forging of guns, armor plate and other steel construction for battleships, and that such work is being delayed.

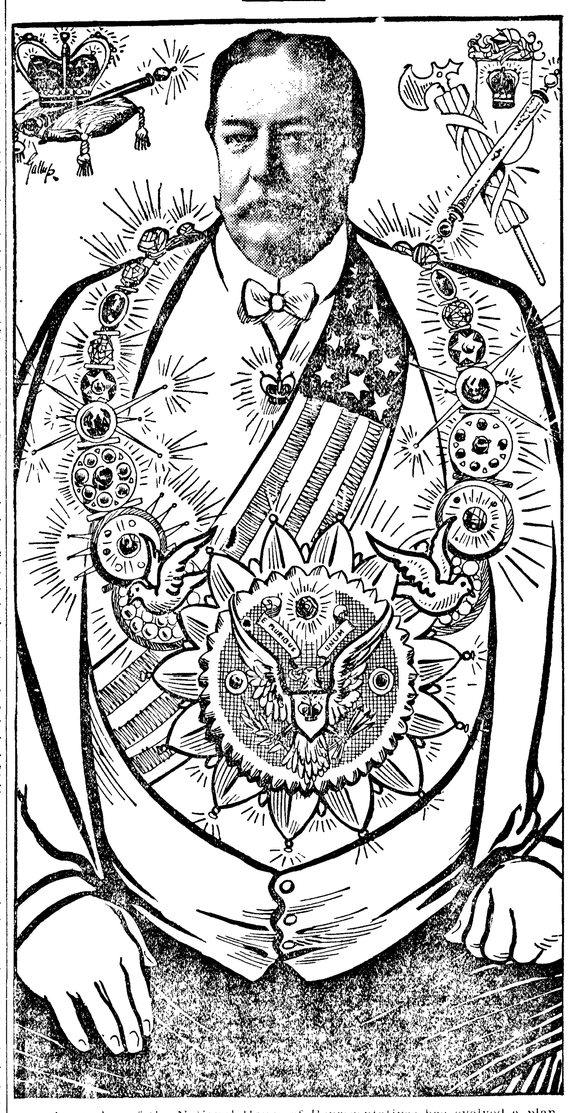
57 Vessels Built in February.

Washington, March 15.—Fifty-seven sail and steam vessels were erected in the United States during February, according to the report of the bureau of navigation. The largest steel vessels erected during the month were the Octoria, 4,329 tons, and the Coastwise, 4,015 tons.

Apple-Sauce Cake.

One and one-half cups apple sauce, warm and sweetened; one cup sugar, one-half cup butter, cream together; add one cup raisins, two teaspoons cinnamon, one-half teaspoon cloves, two cups of flour or a bit more, one teaspoon baking soda, stirred into apple sauce; bake in loaf forty minutes

PRESIDENT TAFT AS HE WOULD APPEAR WEARING THE PROPOSED STATE JEWELS.



A member of the National House of Representatives has evolved a plan to distinguish Mr. Taft and all future presidents by a splendid symbol of gold and jewels. According to the plan the decoration is to consist of a chain of gold with a huge pendant, which is to be a replica of the great seal of State, emblazoned with diamonds and enriched by the highest art of the engraver. The remainder of this gorgeous chain is to be wrought of smaller reproductions of the seals of the forty-nine States and territories of the United States, linked together with jeweled golden doves, to symbolize the peace and unity in which they all dwell together in one republic.

Such a superb embellishment, the originator of the idea believes, would fitly designate the president of this great republic and mark him out among his fellow men on any occasion of formality. Besides, it could be retained by ex-presidents as a sort of token of political pastmastership and passed on to their descendants as a pleasant reminder that an ancestor had been in the president's chair. The supporters of the plan would have a replica of the Taft chain presented to Theodore Roosevelt, and favor the wearing of a similar but less ornate chain by the governors of the States for purposes of distinction. The opponents of the decoration say it savors of Zelaya or Castro rather than of a country which is proud of its Lincoln, its Franklin, its Jackson and other Americans who needed no gilding to make them great. And no one enjoys the joke, it is said, more than President Taft himself.

Science and Invention

Continuing his researches, begun with the ordinary ultraviolet rays, Billon-Daguerre in France has recently experimented with still shorter rays of the spectrum, measuring down to 1,000 units, for the sterilization of all kinds of liquids. He finds that the very short rays are 25 times as effective as the longer ones in their sterilizing power. He uses quartz vacuum tubes, immersed in the liquid, and illuminated with currents much more feeble than those required for the mercury vapor lamps at first employed.

One of the pressing problems in aerial navigation is that of producing automatic stability. Some investigators think that a way may be found to cause an aeroplane so to adjust itself to atmospheric vagaries so that its balance will be maintained without interference. Others are doubtful, believing that stability must always be obtained very much in the manner in which it is acquired by a bicycle rider, that is, by unconscious adjustment. Birds, the best of fliers, it is remarked, do not possess mechanical stability, but maintain their balance in gusty weather by action which has become so habitual that it is unconscious. Thus the element of intelligence is involved, although by virtue of long practice it is applied without conscious exertion of the will.

From 1900 to 1906 L. S. Berg carried on investigations round the Sea of Aral, and the results have been published in Russian. They lead to the conclusion, contrary to that reached by others, that there is no general drying up of this inland sea, but that periodic changes of its water level occur, and that the level has been rising continualy since 1880. Berg finds the salinity 10.75 per 1,000, as against more than 12 per 1,000 about 1870. The sea has now a superficial area of about 24,000 square miles, but is very shallow, the mean depth being about 220 feet. Its total volume of water is only about one-tenth of that of the Lake of Baikal, which has but little more than half its area. The water is supplied wholly by the rivers Amu and Syr, which together deliver, on the average, 1,500 cubic meters per second. The water is derived from melting mountain snows.

Titanium steel rails for railroads were first made experimentally in 1907. The results that they showed led to their manufacture by several steel companies in 1908, and during 1909, according to the Engineering and Mining Journal, their manufacture entered upon the commercial scale. Experiments on the New York Central have confirmed those made elsewhere in showing that these rails wear several times as long as those made of ordinary Bessemer steel. Titanium has a great affinity for nitrogen, and since it is believed that considerable nitrogen remains as an impurity in ordinary steel, the good effects of an alloy of titanium are ascribed to its acting as a flux, thereby removing impurities and increasing the solidity of the steel. The increased cost is put at $3.50 per ton of rails.

Really Poor Penman.

There is a certain Philadephia physician of considerable prominence who is renowned among his friends as the worst penman in the Quaker city. He used to write them letters and then feel hurt when they could not read them. When he wrote to persons who were not familiar with his scrawl they frequently would not know whom the letters were from. Some time ago he introduced a typewriter into his office, and this rendered the body of the letter intelligible, but did not clear up the difficulty over the signature. Now, however, says the Record, he has had made a rubber stamp bearing his name and address in printing. He signs his name in the usual scrawl, but alongside he impresses his stamp. It is a little humiliating, he says, but he no longer has any trouble about persons to whom he writes not knowing from whom the letters are.

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The cities and towns of Washington, and in fact of the entire Northwest, will be interested to know that Seattle has voted on a number of amendments at the recent city election, which are just now attracting widespread interest wherever the forces of good government are at work. At present Seattle elects its councilmen by wards. At the recent election a charter amendment was adopted providing for the election of councilmen-at-large, nine in number, who will be responsible to the whole people and not to any one ward. It is charged that under the system of electing ward councilmen millions are wasted in useless improvements in order to make a councilman strong in his particular ward. Under the councilmen-at-large system it is held out that the city will only get such improvements as have real merit.

The Seattle voters also cast their votes in favor of an amendment taking municipal elections out of party politics. Hereafter there will be non-partisan primaries held. The argument in support of this was that party politics has no place in selecting men to govern a municipality. A Civic Commission was created by the voters, which will have a voice in selecting the sites for city buildings, etc; this all looking toward making Seattle a "City Beautiful."

HENRY L. BOYD

Henry L. Boyd passed away a- his home in this city Monday after noon at 3 o'clock, aged nearly 82 years. Mr. Boyd was a native of Ireland and a veteran of the Civil War, enlisting as a private in Co. D, 3rd Wisconsin Infantry, April 22,'61, and was honorably discharged for disability, Oct. 25, 1862.

Deceased had been a resident of Angeles about eight years. He was an upright citizen, a true friend and loyal Comrade. He leaves to mourn his loss an aged wife, step-daughter and grand-daughter, residing in Angeles, and three sons and their families, residing in South Dakota.

Funeral services were held Thursday at the G. A. R. Hall, conducted by Rev. C. E. Fulmer and Pacific Post.

The Lincoln Heights Band will give a dance Saturday night, March 26th, in the A.A.A. Hall. Admission, gents 50c, ladies free. Come and have a good time.

CARD OF THANKS.

We wish to extend our heart felt thanks to those who assisted us in the sickness and death of our beloved husband and father, Henry L. Boyd, and also the comrades of the G.A.R. and the ladies of the W.R.C., and all those who extended their sympathy in this our hour of trial.

Mrs. Anna R. Boyd,
Mrs. Minnie A. Albertson.
Anna H. Albertson.

The evangelistic services being held at the Methodist church, conducted by Miss Anderson, a Deaconess Evangelist of Seattle, assisted by the pastor, Rev. Hartsell, will probably close with the evening service Sunday. Miss Anderson is an earnest, energetic, and pleasing speaker who puts her whole soul into her chosen work, and the meetings have resulted in a marked spiritual uplift in the community.

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LARGEST HALIBUT EVER SEEN ON PACIFIC COAST

Captured on a Small Set Line by an Indian Fisherman in Port Angeles Bay.

The largest halibut ever caught on the Pacific Coast was on exhibition at Prickett's fish market Wednesday of this week. It measured six feet eight inches long, thirty-four inches broad, weighed 195 pounds.

"Indian Jim" who catches fish in the harbor for the fish market was the captor of this large halibut. He was out in his skiff taking the fish from the set line when he came to a spot where there was a great churning and commotion in the water. The water was clear and he could see just below the surface the body of a huge fish. His first thought was that he had caught a shark and he determined if the shark should try and bite him that he would sell his life dearly. So thinking he placed an iron in position on the seat and then reaching for the set line he commenced to draw the line in, the halibut all the time swoshing his tail in the water, then when he had a chance to look closer he saw that instead of being a horrible man-eating shark that it was only a halibut, he therefore had no use for the iron rod, all he needed was ignorance and main strength, after revolving the matter around in his noddle for a little while he concluded that there was but one way to get the halibut to the boat and he proceeded to put his plan into execution.

Removing his hat, coat, collar, necktie and shoes he quietly dropped overboard on the opposite side of the boat from the halibut and swam around in a big circle so as to get in the rear of the fish, then, without batting an eye he grabbed the immense fish around the middle and before Mr. Halibut knew anything about it he was lying in the boat. The boat was a small one and there was not room in it for both the fish and "Indian Jim," and he was temporarily up against a hard propositon for he did not know how he was going to manage to get his prize into port. He finally solved the problem by taking the painter (the painter of the boat is the same as a hitching strap) and fastening his teeth on it in a death grip swam to shore towing the boat and the fish it contained.

According to the Encyclopedia Britanica the largest halibut ever known to be caught was one off the English coast that was five feet long and weighed 125 pounds.

The fish caught by "Indian Jim" was caught inside of the spit and is the third halibut known to be caught in the bay. As a general rule all halibut caught in this neighborhood are caught in the straits.

THE CITY COUNCIL

The last session of the City Fathers was down to the regular routine work; nothing of special importance was accomplished at the meeting of the committee of the Whole last Friday evening to report on the Elwha river power franchise.

The fuel saving and economical Baker Valve for the engine at the Light Plant was received this last week, although the valve company's contract called for them to place it in position, they asked the city to put it in. The Light committee did not wish to stand the blame if it did not work or for having, it put in, so the clerk was istructed to notify the parties to live up to their contract.

The City Attorney was directed to draft an Ordinance governing the storage for gasoline and such explosives and their use within the city limits.

The Clerk was authorized to procure certified pay rolls for the heads of different departments.

The draining ditches for the different parts of the city was referred to the Street Superintendent to make a detailed report for the next meeting.

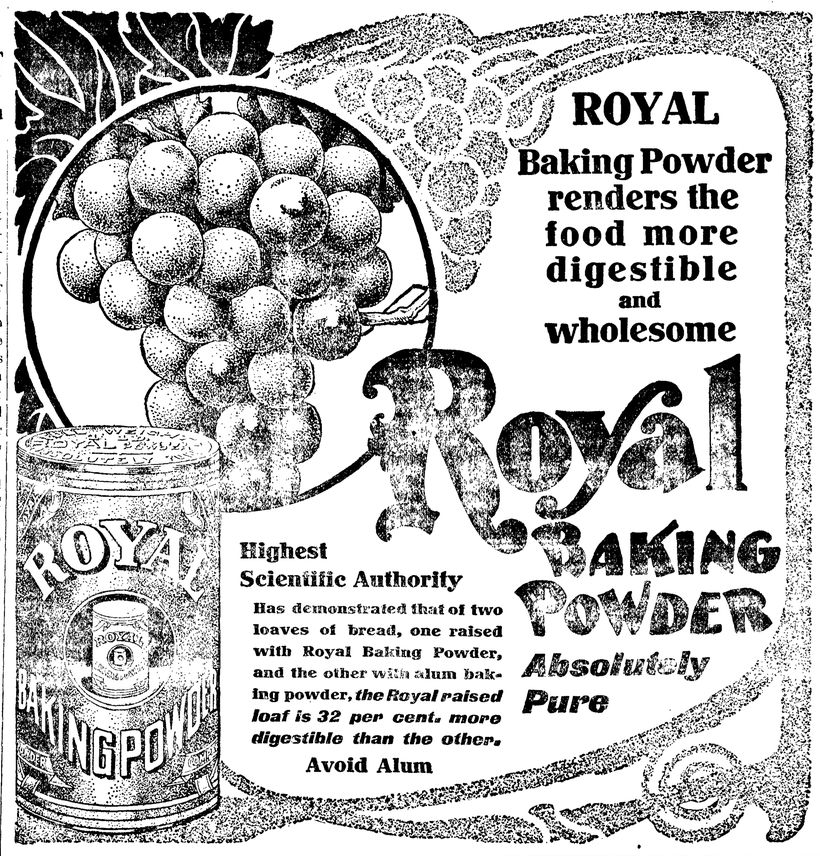
A warrant for $100 was ordered drawn in favor of the city Treasurer for the return of the franchise deposit of the Little River power franchise.

A warrrant was ordered drawn in favor of D. W. Morse to cover the cost of the case of Port Angeles vs. D. W. Morse.

The City Attorney and City Engineer were instructed to secure from Mr. Leuridsen a deed to the city for the lot on which is built the new road on Race and the Boulevard.

The Clerk was instructed to re-advertise for bids on the construction of the White Creek Bridge.

Modern home, corner Caroline and Francis; also homestead relinquishment for sale. Apply to H. Baker & Son.



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Avoid Alum

Condition of Roads an Outrage

(From page 1.)

with him. Under the old law the supervisor received $2 50 per day, and if he did not have more than five men at work, he was obliged to pitch in himself; while now he is not supposed to do anything. Now, he hires a man and puts him to work here, and another there, etc., and the supervisor draws $4. per day for doing nothing. There is a one man crew on the Pysht road now, trying to shovel a big mountain into the river and turn the water to the other side! I am sorry I have not got a picture of it, I would like to send one to the legislature next winter.

Now, fellow taxpayers and voters, is it not time to wake up and see to it, that the next legislature restore the power to elect our officers which a former legislature has robbed us of?

What do we care about laws to establish fish hatcheries in this county, without an appropriation? Or about laws for the protection of clams or crabs? They can take care of themselves.

Yours for good roads, the restoration of the peoples power to the people, and a square deal to everybody.

Respectfully yours,
AMAND STANGE.

Progress Dates from Civic Improvement.

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to more permanent works and business, but these first opportunities which nature has given us so bountifully of, we have so far ignored, waiting for others to come in, in their own sweet time to undertake the work and reap the reward.

The deep apathy now prevailing in Port Angeles is the only thing in the way of prosperity. It is the most discouraging feature to new comers with means to invest. Very few remain long —most of them leave on next boat out, and advertise our moss-backs, knockers and the general waiting for something to turn-up spirit. Persons having no courage to do anything themselves nor allowing anybody else to do anything. A state of hopeless stagnation.

If we will make an effort and show the world we are doing something we will get all the aid we want, otherwise we will continue dying by inches and be buried out of sight when prosperity pushes in from the outside.

Shall we make an effort for improvement or continue dying. Yours truly,
A Taxpayer on Front Street.

The anti-saloon forces of Kitsap county have petitions out for a local option election to take place June 21st, in the entire county, including the incorporated towns of Bremerton, Charleston, Port Orchard and Pulsbo. This is getting pretty close home.

HOUSE CLEANING TIME.

You will be in need of floor coverings. We have received a large shipment of Linoleums, Carpets, Art Squares, Rugs, and nice assortment of Mattings. Lace Curtains and curtain stretchers, carpet sweepers. All colors of paints and oils. A good assortment of Jap-a-lacs to brighten up your furniture. All goods will be sold at the lowest possible prices at H. Gutenberg Hardware and Furniture Co.

FIREMEN'S BALL.

The grand ball given by the Firemen on St. Patrick's day, dancing to the Wearin' of the Green, was a decided success; netting the boys a nice little sum for their fund. The crowd enjoyed themselves, expressing nothing but praise for the management. The newly organized band of 16 pieces furnished the music; delivering good classical strains for the dancers to trip the light fantastic. Their music shows shows hard and diligent practice and work on their part for having been organized for so short a time.

The fire chief, engineer and head of hook and ladder departments were out in full array, ably assisted by the rest of the fire fighters.

LODGE NOTICES

B.P.O.E.—Naval lodge No. 353, meets every Thursday evening at 8 o'clock at Elks Hall, opposite Office Hotel. Visitors cordially invited.

J. R. Gallagher, Exalted Ruler.
E. D. ELLIOTT, Secretary.

I.O.O.F—Clallam Lodge, No. 72, meets every Monday evening at I.O.O.F. hall.

E. R. Wait, N. G.
M. H. Wait, V. G.; Frank Wait, R. S.; H. R. Pardo, F.S.; J. J. MacKechnie, Treasurer.

Modern Woodmen — Port Angeles Camp No. 6043 meets second and Fourth Friday nights in I. O. O. F. hall. Visiting neighbors always welcome.

W. G. Martin, Consul.
C. E. Shields, Clerk.

W. O. W.—Port Angeles Camp, No. 697, meets second and fourth Saturdays of each month in I.O.O.F. Hall.

J. D. McRoberts, Consul Com.
R. A. Martin, Clerk.

Though the state bank examiner objects to and the law forbids the use of the word "bank" on a saloon sign, yet it seems to be about the only depository for their money that some men have.—Seattle P.-I.

Call for Bids

Bids will be received at the city clerk's office up to the hour of 4 P. M., Tuesday, April 5, 1910, for the construction of a Pile Bent Bridge across White Creek gulch, according to the plans and specifications on file at clerk's office.

A certified check of 5 per cent must accompany all bids.

The City reserves the right to reject any or all bids.

By order of City Council, March 17, 1910.

C. E. SHIELDS, City Clerk.

NOTICE OF FORFEITURE

To W. R. Parker,
To M. J. Campbell.
To V. A. Julien,

You and each of you are hereby notified that the undersigned co-owners with you of that certain placer mining claims and known as the Sunset Placer Mining Association, also two water rights on Cedar and Sunset creeks, all of which is located in Section No. 18, Township No. 29, North Range 15, West Willamette Meridian all in the Clallam County Mining District, State of Washington, has expended the sum of $300 00 in labor and improvements thereon during the year ending December 31st, 1909, as required by section 2324 of the Revised Statues of the United States to hold same, and if within 90 days from the date of the service of this publication you fail or refuse to contribute your proportion of such expenditure to me or to my agent Frank Kelley, your interest in said claims and water rights will become the property of the subscribing co-owners under the said section of the Revised Statutes of the United States.

Dated Port Angeles, Washington, January 28, 1910.

J. M. STARBUCK,
Co-owner of the aforesaid property.

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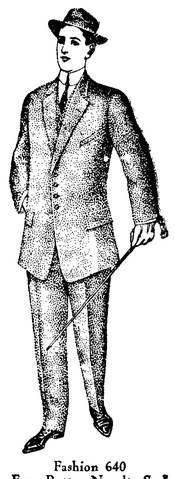

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CITY NEWS

Paas Easter Egg Dyes at Nailor's.

D. J. O'Brien of Clallam Coal Co., was an up sound visitor, returning Wednesday.

Easter Postals, Booklets and novelties at Nailor's.

Charles Peters, one of the prosperous ranchers of Dry Creek, was in town Wednesday.

Imported Fish Balls, 20c per can, at Fish Market.

S. E. Stakemiller has had a new foundation put in under his house, corner First and Vine.

D. A. Christopher is out again, on crutches. Dave says that next time he'll keep off the scaffolding when the wind blows.

Fine high grade Piano for sale cheap. Cost $400 in the east three years ago. Enquire of W. T. Caven, 9th and Chase streets. 3t

The Musicale given Monday evening at the home of Mrs. Farmer, by the Musical Club, was a splendid success and very much enjoyed by all who attended.

The Ladies Aid of the M. E. Church will meet at the home of Mrs. E. L. Lockhart, 6th St., between Lincoln and Laurel, Wednesday the 23rd at at 2:30 o'clock. A ten cent tea will be served. Everybody welcome.

The large addition to the E. W. Merrill home on Second street, near Lincoln, is about completed, adding greatly to the appearance of the premises. The house is being repapered and painted throughout.

Mr. and Mrs. Seevers have sold their home on Fifth street to Mr. and Mrs. Laurence, formerly of the Elwha, who expect to move into it April 1st. We understand Mr. Seevers will soon start the building of a new home

Mrs. Swanson went to Bellingham last week to see her daughter Alice, who has been very sick with typhoid fever for the past seven weeks. She found her in a very serious condition and Mr. Swanson was telegraphed for Monday.

R. F. Little and Mrs. Tower, noted Spiritualists, will lecture on spiritualism at Haning Hall Sunday afternoon at 2:30 and in the evening at 8. The speakers will remain during the coming week and Parlor meetings will be held at various homes in the city.

Tuesday's Seattle Times contained the picture of the three prize winners of the Bon Marche prize contest for the best model of flying machine. We were pleased to notice that Donald McClinton, the thirteen year old grandson of Judge and Mrs. McClinton, was the winner of the first prize.

Saturday the 19th is W.C.T.U. Tag Day. These tags are sent out by the National and is to be a world wide gift day, to help along the Temperance movement along all lines, National, State and local. We expect to see Port Angeles step up in line. Let's all wear a tag on Saturday and rejoice that prohibition is coming our way.

John Gilmore, wife and daughter from Vinton, Iowa, are recent arrivals in Port Angeles, reaching here Wednesday. Mr. Gilmore was out here last summer and was well pleased with Angeles as a health resort. They expect to make their future home here if the climate agrees with Mrs. Gilmore.

Mrs. I. L. Jameson returned Wednesday from Seattle, where she purchased an extra fine line of imported French pattern hats and novelties for ladies' wear. Only one hat of a kind, so one may have an exclusive pattern. Mrs. Jameson invites inspection.

Every Move a Picture

STAR THEATRE

TWICE NIGHTLY

7:30 8:30

A Place to Go

Norwegian Sardines, 10c, at Fish Market.

Special Sunday Chicken dinner, 4 to 7, 35c at Hotel Angeles.

Genuine Iceland Herring, large and fat, 3 for 25c, at Fish Market.

C. C. Bowman is down from Seattle spending the week here on business.

General stove repairing on all kinds of stoves; grates and backs at Bakers'.

We will buy your Chickens.
City Fish Market.

Special Sunday Chicken Dinner 35c at Hotel Angeles, served from 4 to 7.

C. E. Cushing of Seattle is spending the week in the city on business.

William Kemper and John Leyh came up from Clallam Wednesday on business.

Something good — Finnan cured Cod, better than imported Haddies, at City Fish Market.

Judge Still arrived Tuesday for the regular term of court. There is little doing this session.

For Sale—260 egg Cypher Incubator. Price $12.00. E. Ridenour, cor. 5th and Albert Sts.

For sale, a modern six room house six blocks from post office. For information apply at this office.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Roberson and Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Cays of Dungeness spent Tuesday in the city.

For Sale, cheap—A good, sound workhorse, about 1,200 pounds. At H. Gutenburg Hdw. & Fur. Co.

The Sequim Prairie Ditch company, through P. S. Govan has filed with the county auditor a new water right location.

Complete line of wall paper samples. All grades. All prices. Latest eastern designs. Ray Wolverton, Hotel Angeles.

Cliff Johnson of Port Crescent has been spending the early week in the city, at the home of his brother-in-law Ray McLaughlin.

A decree of divorce was granted Wednesday to Wm. Kemper of Clallam from his wife on the charge of cruel and inhuman treatment.

For Sale, a Prairie State Incubator almost new, holds 150 eggs. Phone Independent 117 or address Mrs. J. F. DeLaney, Port Williams, Wash., Box 48.

It is rumored that the reason the tide land applicants have been turned down in their applications before the state board is that the entire water front is now under the control of the Milwaukee railroad.

E. A. Jacobs, the plumber, who has been confined to his bed for some weeks past, has recovered sufficiently to be able to go to Seattle, where he will receive treatment. P. J. Gorman went up sound with him.

Everybody welcome at the W.C.T.U. Reading room. Open every afternoon. Books, magazines, etc., thankfully received. Home made cakes, cookies, etc., on sale every Saturday. 1st door west of Gray & Gray's Store.

Wm. Wooten came up from Dungeness Monday and will remain for a few days. Mr. Wooten will cook for Supervisor Pearson of District 2 this year and expects to go to work in the vicinity of the lakes in a few days.

The body of W. E. Raycraft was found in the wreckage of the Wellington slide Friday. Raycraft was a brakeman on the ill-fated train which was swept down by the avalanche of snow in the Cascades two weeks ago.

Charles Lusk has accepted a position with the Long Mill Co. of Sequim and left Wednesday for his new field of labors. Mrs. Lusk will follow the first of the week. They have rented a place on the Brown homestead, just east of the postoffice.

When in want of anything in the fresh or salt meat line, just drop into James Fitzgerald's shop, the Bell building, on Front street. Our motto is, the best of meats and courteous attention to the wants of our customers.

Charles Hirsch, formerly in charge of the Angeles Bottling works at the brewery, and brother-in-law, a Mr. Jacobs, were business visitors here this week. They were looking into the fruit raising proposition, with a view of locating in this section. Mr. Hirsch said that Mrs. Hirsch is homesick for Angeles. The gentlemen returned to Chicago Tuesday.

Mr. Geo. L. Burdick, eldest son of Mr. and Mrs. O. W. Burdick, arrived last Wednesday from Oberon, N. D., to visit his father, who had been reported ill, and his sister, Mrs. J. J. MacKechnie. He found his father away at Portland enjoying the sights. He will remain a few days longer and help make garden and then get back to North Dakota in plenty of time to see the snow drifts melt away.

SEASONABLE GOODS

Now is the time to look after your fence. All kinds of wire fencing, plows, discs, spring tooth harrows, and garden tools, Jr. Planters, wagons, buggies, harness, building cement, lime, plaster, lath, doors and windows. Big stock on hand. Will be sold at lowest reasonable prices.
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S. J. Lutz returned from a Seattle visit Monday.

Mrs. Frank Megerle is visiting her daughter at Republic.

Arthur Cays of Dungeness was an Angeles business visitor Wednesday.

John Chenery of Port Crescent, who has been on the sick list for a few days, went up to Seattle first of the week.

Dr. C. C. Bowman, V. S., will be in Port Angeles 15th and 16th, and at Dungeness and Sequim 18th and 19th of each month.

Mayor Lewis, G. M. Rouse, Harry Gray, Robt. and Will Warnock were among the Angelites who went up to Seattle to see the aviator Hamilton fly in his Curtiss aeroplane.

Rev. James Cheal conducted services at St. Andrews Episcopal church Sunday, administering the rite of communion. He expects to be here each alternate Sunday in the future.

Mr. and Mrs. C. Burkhart returned Monday from an extended trip through California, where they spent the winter. They will take up their residence at their summer home on Lake Crescent.

Michael Earles, interviewed by a Seattle P.-I. staff reporter stated, last Friday, that work on the large hotel which he plans for Solduck Hot Springs, in Clallam county, will be rushed this year.

The Real Estate Range is the highest production of one of the oldest and best known stove manufacturers in the country, an improvement over their well known Star Estate. For sale by Christopherson & Leland, agents.

The various shingle mills about the city have started up this week and everybody is at work again. Spring is here to stay apparently. The past week of delightful sunny spring weather has given a new life to things. The mud has disappeared and everybody is making garden.

The annual spring opening at the Phelps Dry Goods and Millinery Co.'s Store occurs today and tomorrow. A magnificent line of imported and domestic hats, novelties and ladies' wear appropriate to the season is being artistically displayed in their new store building on Front street, to which they invite the inspection of the ladies of Port Angeles.

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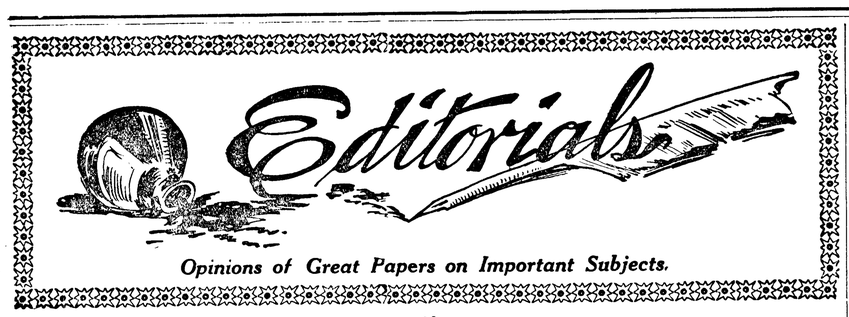


Opinions of Great Papers on Important Subjects.

REFORM THE LAND LAWS.

HOW backward we are still is shown by the fact that no urgency of public opinion and no pressure of common honesty has yet succeeded in making the preliminary step—a reasonable reform of the land laws. The agencies of justice are employed in discovering and punishing land thieves whose crimes were invited by legislation apparently framed for their especial profit. The repeal of the desert land act, the timber and stone act, and the stringent enforcement of the provisions of the homestead act are necessary to honest dealing with the land question. Speculators and land grabbers prevent this, while occasional Congressmen and Senators are smirched and disgraced by participating in land frauds. We have enlarged the unit of public land for Alaska, in order to tempt dishonesty there. We have made it 160 acres for land reclaimed at great expense, although a large family could not possibly cultivate twenty acres of this land as it should be. Perhaps economy must be substituted for the extravagance now too prevalent in every department of government before we can hope to see it supreme in land reclamation and distribution. But this plain business conception must be restored before the country can hope either to realize upon or retain its most valuable resources.—World's Work.

DON'T PUNISH THE FAMILIES.

NEARLY everybody nowadays fancies he perceives wherein the social organization can be improved. Once in a while somebody does suggest a concrete change that looks good. A judge in Chicago recommends that a portion of the fines or the labor of prisoners in bridewells, houses of correction, jails and the like, be diverted from the coffers of the State and paid to the destitute wife or family, whose livelihood is suspended during the sentence of the culprit.

A wife beater or a child beater is properly convicted and punished. But the punishment falls also upon his family, dependent on the wages he cannot earn while serving his sentence. Women and children, too, are deterred from complaining against the bully and ruffian, because they prefer his blows and abuse to near starvation. Many an ill-used wife has begged the judge to let her husband off because while he is in prison her babes will suffer.

Money derived from fines or from labor of prisoners, the State can dispense with, provided it is used to supply families with necessities until the brute is returned to society to make a living for his own. Money thus expended would be a real saving to the State, since it would prevent the breaking up and demoralization of families and would keep some from lapsing into charges upon the State. Also there would be less wife beating and general brutality, or else more punishment for the same.—Minneapolis Journal.

AN EXAMPLE OF PROGRESS.

IN 1850 Texas sold to the United States a strip of territory approximating 100,000,000 acres for $10,000,000. Texas was larger then than she is now and was in debt. The land was considered valuable and Texas needed the money. At an average valuation of $10 an acre the land to-day would be worth a billion dollars. As a matter of fact, some of it is worth several times $10 an acre and is all the time becoming more valuable.

There was opposition to the sale at the time, but it was ineffective. Those who favored the sale contended that the land was worthless and that the United States Government was buying an elephant. The Legislature thought it wise to sell, and the deal was put through. The territory sold now forms the eastern half of New Mexico, a corner of Oklahoma and Kansas and a strip of Colorado.

If Texas had retained that land she would to-day be about one-third larger and a billion dollars wealthier than at present. The outcome is a striking illustration of the growth and progress of this country.—Louisville Courier-Journal.

LIFE-SAVING STATIONS FOR MINERS.

CONGRESS is earnestly taking up the question of making the life of a miner more secure. The Federal Government has already taken some steps in this direction, looking to the establishment of stations from which experts may go out to mines where there has been a disaster. One Senator—name, Bailey, of Texas—has raised the question of State rights. To the credit of all the other Senators, the question is not raised. This Government provides life-saving stations along the coast, both on salt water and on the Great Lakes, and places there trained men, ready on a moment's notice to rush to the rescue of sailors and others imperiled by the waters. Why not also have these life-saving stations distributed properly over the country, where they can go quickly to save the lives of men in danger in mines? The work is a good one and the country will be gratified if steps are taken by our Congress to further promote this work.—Danville Commercial News.

A RESTRAINING HAND.

Its Action Followed by a Voice That Warned.

"Patrick H. McCarren once told me of a funny incident that happened in Rome," said a Brooklyn lawyer. "McCarren said that on his first visit to Rome, after he had seen the Coliseum and the Forum, he visited the Ara Coeli Church, on the left of the Capitoline Hill. He climbed the grand stairway leading to the church, the finest open air stairway in the world. He pushed back the heavy leather curtain, and, entering, he found a service in progress. So he put his hat on the marble floor at his side and took a seat.

"After ten minutes or so he decided he would go and reached down for his hat. But a restraining hand was laid on his, and he desisted. He knew, of course, that some churches don't like people to leave in the midst of a service.

"Ten or fifteen minutes more passed. The service still continued. Senator McCarren got impatient and again reached for his hat. But again the unseen hand restrained him from the rear.

"A little later, however, the senator quite lost patience. This was, he told himself an important service, of course. Nevertheless, he did not propose to miss his luncheon, and it would harm no one if he slipped out quietly.

"So a third time he reached for his hat, and the invisible hand a third time detained him. He persevered, however. The silent hand pushed and his silent hand pushed against it. But just as he was conquering in the struggle a voice said in good American:

"Cheese it, boss; that's my hat you're taking."

Legal Information

While a girl passenger was on a train she was the recipient of the demonstrative and unconventional attention of the conductor thereof. In Birmingham Railway, Light & Power Company v. Parker, 50 Southern Reporter, 55, the complainant alleged that the conductor had wantonly assaulted her by grasping her by the arm and shoulder and by winking and smiling at her. It was contended that the count was bad in that it charged two assaults, grasping, the first, and then the winking. The Alabama Supreme Court held that one assault only was charged, and as a circumstance of aggravation it was averred that the conductor at the same time made demonstrations which may well have been offensive and shocking. They need not be taken to constitute the assault alleged, or even any necessary part of it, but, if proved, gave a character and meaning to the assault; and further stated that a carrier's duty was to protect feminine passengers from obscenity, immodest conduct, or wanton approach, which cannot be frittered away by questions of whether the servant was acting within the scope of his authority.

The Ohio Constitution provides that all elections shall be by ballot. In State v. Board of Deputy State Supervisors, 89 Northeastern Reporter, 33, the purchase and use of voting machines was objected to on the ground that it transgressed this provision. Cardboard ballots are attached to the machine; they do not pass into the custody of any voter, nor, by the act of voting, into the control of the officers of the election. To speak of such cardboard as the ballot of the Constitution is obviously paying but mock deference to that instrument. However consistently with the intention of the designer the machine may operate, and however simple its manipulation may be to those who have become familiar with it, it is in contemplation that it shall be used by the body of the electors, most of whom have no knowledge whatever of its operation, and that from the necessities of the use but little time can be allowed to acquire such knowledge and understanding, one minute being the time allowed by the statute to each elector for that purpose. The Ohio Supreme Court declared the use of this voting machine unconstitutional.

A Federal statute made it a criminal offense to violate any rule which should thereafter be made by the Secretary of the Interior. The regulation in question prohibited the pasturing of stock within the forest reserves without a permit. In United States v. Grimaud, 170 Federal Reporter, 205, defendant, having been arrested for pasturing sheep within a reserve, contended that the statute was void because it did not define the acts to be punished, and because it delegated legislative power to an executive officer. It did not declare the grazing of sheep to be a crime, nor make any reference thereto, but declared that whatever the executive prohibited should be punishable. There was no way by which a person examining a statute could conclude that the act referred to was criminal. The executive officer by the statute was allowed to define and determine the crimes, which, according to all the authorities, is a legislative affair. The United States District Court concluded that there could be no crime except those created, expressly defined, and penalized by an act of Congress, and that the indictment could not be sustained.

For the first two months of her married life a bride keeps her expenses down to $6 a week, and her friends boast about it for twenty years.

Men agree pretty well on one point: They don't like the idea of some other man spending their life insurance.

THE WEEKLY HISTORIAN

1497—Second patent granted to John Cabot by Henry VII. of England to make a western voyage of discovery.

1652—New Amsterdam incorporated, and a municipal government established.

1663—The valley of the St. Lawrence visited by a disastrous earthquake.

1690—Schenectady, N. Y., attacked and burned by the French and Indians.

1693—Nearly 2,000 persons killed in earthquake in Sicily.

1775—Second Provincial Congress met at Cambridge, Mass.

1776—The Gadsden flag presented to the American Congress.

1783—Sweden recognized the independence of the United States....Final cessation of hostilities between the United States and Great Britain.

1787—Gen. Arthur St. Clair elected President of the American Congress.

1793—Salary of President of the United States fixed at $25,000 a year.

1811—Prince of Wales appointed regent for King George III. of England.

1814—Massachusetts abolished imprisonment for debt.

1831—Baron Aylmer entered upon his term of office as Governor of Canada.

1859—Gen. Zuloaga resigned the presidency of Mexico.

1861—The government of the Confederate States of America organized at Montgomery, Ala....Texas convention passed an ordinance of secession.

1867—The Earl of Carnarvon, British colonial secretary, introduced the British North American Act into the House of Lords....Nebraska admitted to Statehood by act of Congress.

1874—Coomasie captured by a British force under Lord Wolseley.

1876—Manitoba abolished the legislative council....National League of Baseball Clubs organized at Cincinnati.

1883—Toronto opera house destroyed by fire.

1887—Sir Alexander Campbell appointed Lieutenant Governor of Ontario....David Turple elected United States Senator from Indiana.

1888—Completion of the Lick observatory at Mount Hamilton, Cal.

1889—United States Senate rejected an extradition treaty with Great Britain.

1899—Commander Taussig took possession of the Island of Guam in the name of the United States.

1892—The Behring Sea Commission met at Washington.

1893—The Illinois Legislature repealed the compulsory education law.

1895—Insurrection in Cuban began.

1897—Pennsylvania State capital at Harrisburg destroyed by fire.

1900—Sir Wilfrid Laurier delivered memorable speech in Parliament on the relations between Canada and Great Britain.

1901—L. P. Brodeur elected speaker of the Dominion House of Commons.

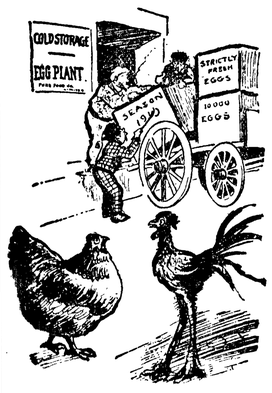
1904—Beginning of the great Baltimore fire, which lasted two days and destroyed property to the value of nearly $150,000,000....William H. Taft became Secretary of War.

1905—The Reid company awarded $1,500,000 for the loss of telegraph rights of Newfoundland.

1908—Manual II. ascended the throne of Portugal.

1909—Ispahan, Persia, captured by the rebels.

Cold Facts.



Hen—There, my dear son, go eggs laid by my grandmother, who is dead and gone these two years.—Life.

Quite So.

"Mrs. Comeup's conversation is perfectly killing."

"In what way?"

"The way she murders the king's English."—Baltimore American.

Her Answer Ready.

"What a peculiar way that Gimbleton girl holds her lips."

"If you propose to her you'll find out what it means. She's all fixed to say 'Yes.'"—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

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HUNTING WILD HORSES

Men Out West Make a Living Catching Herds of Wild Mustangs.

Pete Barnum, the champion wild horse hunter of the west, was the first man to invent a successful method of capturing these animals.

"Observation had taught me," he says, in McClure's, "that wild horses seldom try to jump anything they cannot see through or over, so I figured that if a corral could be devised that should have some strength with walls that the horses could not see through or over and that had little weight the problem would be solved.

"The corral would have to appear to the horses to be a great deal stronger than it really was, so that they would not try to break it down, and it would have to be so light that it could be packed in sections upon the backs of pack animals and moved quickly to this or that pass and erected before the wild horses observed us or suspected danger.

"I decided to try canvas. I obtained two pieces, each long enough and wide enough to make a circular corral fifty feet in diameter and seven feet in height. In weight the canvas was nearly as heavy as belting. The experiment worked well; the canvas corral, easily shifted from point to point and quickly and noiselessly erected, proved at once the best sort of trap that had ever been tried on the wild horse ranges.

"To many men the catching of these horses is a source of livelihood. They live among mustangs, they think mustangs, they measure mustangs. I have worked from dawn until dark felling trees and dragging them to some mountain pass where I had previously watched long strings of mustangs file unsuspectingly back and forth to water or a favorite feeding ground.

"In such passes my men and I have erected strong stockade corrals, from the gates of which we would build long brush fences or wings, so that the outer opening would be half a mile across. Then a trained man would be sent to ride, walk and crawl until he had a bunch of wild horses between him and the corral. He would start the horses in a terrified run for the pass.

"A second rider would start out from behind a rock or tree and lash his horse after them. Other men would join the chase, appearing suddenly as if from the ground itself, their object being to sweep the horses at top speed into the wings of the corral and straight down into its hidden gate.

"Do they race into the trap? Not always, nor nearly always. More often a sense that we cannot define warns them of danger. Over rocks, through pines, cedars and mahoganies, even over mounted men, they tear their way to liberty. The stockade corral was carefully hidden, the trails were not disturbed, yet they would not go that way. Our combined efforts were unavailing. The horses would not be caught."

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DO YOU BELIEVE IN SIGNS?

Omens That Foretell Weather and Dreams That Signify Fate.

In all times superstitions have had a powerful hold on men and women, high and low. The great Napoleon himself was a believer in omens, it is chronicled.

As times and knowledge have progressed most superstitions have been relegated to their proper sphere, the Boston Herald says, yet even to-day almost every living being is prone to superstitious influence, whether seriously or more out of habit. For instance, how many men choose thirteen as a designating number? Those who do believe the reverse of the old version.

Below is a list of the commoner superstitions, leaving out such as are in daily prominence. You may find your "hobby" in the list:

Six weeks after you hear the first katydid look out for the frost.

Blow out the candle, and if the wick continues long to smolder look for bad weather. If it goes out quickly the weather will be fair.

When you hear the first frogs in the spring you may know the frost is out of the ground.

The last Friday of each month is the almanac index for the next month. If the weather be fair the month will be likewise; if foul so will the month be.

If it storms the first Sunday in the month it will storm every Sunday in the month.

When a person kills a snake he does well to consider what kind of weather he would like. If he hangs the snake up it will rain; if he buries it the weather will be fair.

Rub a cat's back the wrong way, and if you see the sparks it is a sign of cold weather.

The bones of rheumatic persons ache when a storm is brewing.

When you find tea grounds floating in your cup you know that you are going to have company. If the grounds are soft, it is a woman who is coming; if hard, a man. If the grounds are long the person coming is tall, if short the visitor will be short.

If you dream of falling and are awakened by the fancied jar of landing, it is a sign that you are going to be ill. If, however, you awake while still in midair you may be assured you will continue in good health.

To dream of a funeral is a sign of a wedding. To dream of a wedding is a sign of a funeral.

If you dream of snakes it is a sign you have an enemy.

Let a young woman pin a four-leaf clover over the door and the first unmarried man who comes in the door will be the one she is to marry.

Sleep with a piece of wedding cake under your pillow for three nights in succession and whatever you dream on the third night will come to pass.

Have you white marks on your nails? Put your hands together and repeat this rhyme while in succession you touch finger tips, beginning with thumbs:

A friend, a foe, a gift, a beau, a journey you go. Notice on which finger nails the marks are and you will thus gain some inkling of your future.

Born on Monday, fair of face.
Born on Tuesday, full of God's grace.
Born on Wednesday, merry and glad.
Born on Thursday, sour and sad.
Born on Friday, godly given.
Born on Saturday, work for a living.
Born on Sunday, never shall want.

So there's the week and the end on't.

To cut the finger nails on Sunday morning is a sign you will do something you are ashamed of before the week is out.

Pass me salt, pass me sorrow.

It used to be a pretty sure sign that a man was conceited if he went about with his hat brim turned up in front.

If the bottom of your foot itches you may know that you are to step on strange lands.

Put the wrong foot out of bed first when you get up in the morning and you will be cross all day. Always get up with right foot foremost.

Don't make a friend a gift of a knife, for, according to every authority versed in sign lore, if you do, it will cut your friendship.

When you have the rheumatism carry a potato in your pocket. The potato will become hard after a time and believers in its virtue affirm that this is because of the rheumatism it has absorbed.

To find a horseshoe in the road is a sign of good luck.

Early to bed and early to rise makes a man healthy, wealthy and wise.

When you see a shooting star, if you can say "Money before the week's out" three times before it is lost sight of you will have some money before the week is out.

It is a sign you are going to be rich if you tumble upstairs.

Sneeze twice when you first get up and you will hear of a death before the night.

In all lands ravens and crows have been considered birds of ill omen.

The natives of India believe that elephants have a religion and form of worship.

A great many country people believe that the screeching of an owl indicates impending calamity.

In Dalmatia it is an exceedingly auspicious omen for a cat to sneeze when a bride enters the house.

In Wales it is believed that if any one kills a wren he will fall down and break a bone before the end of the year.

In almost every country the howling of a dog is regarded as a bad omen, generally predicting death to some person of the household.

In France it is believed that the settling of a white pigeon upon a chimney is a sign of speedy death for some one in the house.

There is a superstition among the negroes of the south that to meet a frog is a lucky incident, indicating that the one thus favored is about to receive money from some unexpected quarter.

It is a favorite superstition in England that the bacon of swine killed in the waning of the moon will waste away in the process of curing or cooking much more than bacon of hogs killed while the moon is growing.

SAFES IN BIG HOTELS.

Valuables Kept in Them by Guests for Years at a Time.

A woman walked up to the counter of a fashionable hotel and asked for a package of valuables which was in the safe.

"If I had not wanted one particular thing I suppose I should have left the package where it was for another three years," she said to the clerk.

"Yes," said the clerk in answer to a question after the woman left, "that packet had really been in our safe for three years. Why, we have all sorts of valuable papers, jewelry and even money that are intrusted to our keeping for years at a time. People seem to prefer a hotel safe to a safety deposit vault. One reason perhaps is that it costs nothing. Another is that the standard of hotel clerks has improved.

"It is astonishing the amount of jewelry that people keep in hotel safes. Of course the owners have originally stopped in the hotel, but they go away, leaving their valuables, and I have known such persons to be gone as much as two years and never make an inquiry about their property in that time.

"To show you how much confidence people have in hotels and their employes I might mention that the other day a man came in here and put four $1,000 bills in an envelope, wrote his name on the latter and asked me to put it in the safe. Not long ago another man actually did the same thing with seven $10,000 bills."

The clerks of several other hotels talked in a similar strain without any outside suggestion.

"I'll bet I have handled more than a million dollars' worth of jewelry today," said one. "Look here," and he opened the safe and piled six or eight big jewelry cases on the counter, but hurriedly put them back. "In one of those I know there is over $200,000 worth, and what I showed you was only a few of what the safe contains."—New York Sun.

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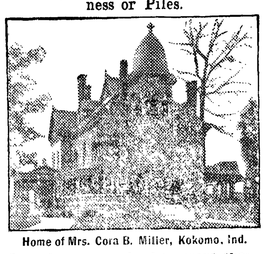

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Every woman sufferer, unable to find relief, who will write Mrs. Miller now without delay, will receive by mail free of charge, a 50-cent box of this simple home remedy, also a book with explanatory illustrations showing why women suffer and how they can treat themselves at home without the aid of a physician.

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Southern Butter Bread.

One quart of white cornmeal, half teaspoonful of soda, enough buttermilk or clabber milk to make a pliable batter, one-half teaspoonful of salt and two tablespoonfuls of flour. Stir well and bake thoroughly in gem pan or heavy iron or pour thin layer in iron skillet. Serve pippin apple sauce and Kentucky bacon with this for breakfast.

Labor conditions for women and children are not yet ideal in some places, but there has been great improvement in recent years. The "seventy-five-years-ago" column in a New England newspaper tells of a strike of factory girls whose day in the mill was from six in the morning until eight at night.

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Warning Notes Calling the Wicked to Repentance.

Big men have been mistaken about vital things about as often as little ones.

If it were not for the help he gets from the loafer the devil would have been ready to quit long ago.

We often get to a good place over a bad road.

A bird with bright plumage often has very black feet.

In the school of experience there are no vacations or holidays.

Sin is always a dirty thing, no matter how clean the sinner may look.

The great test of character is not what it can do, but what it can bear.

Nothing can strengthen a man's heart like little arms around his neck.

The devil seldom loses anything when the preacher gets an easy place.

The man who never grows is very small, no matter how big he was at birth.

The most of us have had some experience in straining at a gnat and swallowing a camel.

Holding a dollar within an inch of a man's nose will often make him as blind as putting his eyes out.

The real purpose of education is to make a worm big enough and strong enough to thrash a mountain.

PLOWING WITH DOGS.

The present rapid taking up of land for agricultural purposes in the Canadian Northwest makes interesting reading of Rev. Egerton R. Young's book, "The Battle of the Bears." Mr. Young was missionary to the Indians on the west side of Hudson Bay at a time when no farming was done in all that territory. His station was at Norway House, and it was there that he began the raising of wheat and vegetables. There were no draft-animals except dogs. They were his team.

With the dogs the summer was generally one long, restful holiday. My Indian fisherman with his nets kept them well supplied with the daintiest of whitefish. So I felt perfectly justified in breaking in a little on that holiday by giving them the opportunity of helping me in my summer work.

With the help of my little son, who loved the dogs and was loved by them, I harnessed up eight of the biggest and strongest fellows, and arranging them in four teams, we attached them to the plow as a farmer would his horses.

Then the work, or rather, at first, the fun began. The dogs had been trained to go on the jump, and so our greatest difficulty was to make them go slowly. When the word "Marche!"—"Go!"—was shouted, they sprang together in such unison and with such strength that the weight of the heavy steel plow in the stiff soil was as nothing to them.

I prided myself on being, for a missionary, a fairly good amateur plowman; but in spite of all my skill and efforts, those eager dogs would sometimes get the points of the plow up, and before I could get it down into the soil again, they, with the pressure off, were away with a rush, and there was no stopping them until we were at the fence on the oposite side of the field.

Sometimes we did fairly well by having my little son walk ahead, or rather between the two dogs of the first team. It was hard work for the little fellow, as he frequently tumbled down, and then two or three pairs of dogs would run over him before they were stopped. But not a whit discouraged, he would scramble up out of the furrow and from among the dogs and traces, and beg to be allowed to try again.

Thus we experimented until we got the intelligent dogs to understand what was required of them. Then the work, although of course laborious, was a great delight.

I plowed up my garden and the few little fields which I had, and after sowing my grain, harrowed it in with the dogs. They liked dragging the harrow better than the plow because I could let them go faster with it.

An Accident.

A spinster once who was antique
Daubed lots of rouge upon her chique,
But by mistake
She made a brake
And got a little on her bique.

The people saw the crimson strique
And laughed until they all grew wique,
The spinster saw
What made them "Haw!"
And vanished with a fearful shrique.
—Chicago Chronicle.

Preaching Without Practice.

"Do you see that chap over there with the large and virtuous countenance?"

"Do you mean the fellow who was just advising the boys to pay their Christmas bills promptly?"

"That's the one. His grocer told me this morning that he's got a bill against him two years old."—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

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To Limit Cold Storage.

In Cleveland, where the first meat boycott was started, it is said that over 50,000 had signed the pledge to abstain from eating meat for thirty days. These people will ask the Legislature to pass a bill to penalize the retaining of food in cold storage for longer than one month. In this connection a reporter for the New York World gained admittance to one of the largest cold storage plants in New York and found records of foodstuffs kept as long as two years or more, such as fish, poultry, eggs, fruits and meats. Eggs in some cases were five years old and originally had been imported from China. It is estimated that an entire beef carcass for each adult in the country is held in cold storage.

One thing that all the nations, even China, at last have come to know is that the mass of their people must be taught to think, and to think somewhere near straight, and trained to competence in action. No nation is safe in these times, no matter how sagacious are her statesmen, whose people are too ignorant or too stupid to be trusted with a share in their own government, or to be efficient in its support or defense.

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Brown—Passageway! Great Scott, this is the dining room!—Boston Transcript.

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"Yes; I notice they have appropriated quite a few of my jokes and paragraphs."—Boston Herald

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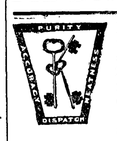

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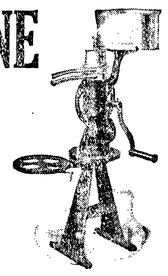

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Charley Cays, Jr, who has been suffering with his eyes for some time, left for Seattle this week to have them treated.

There will be a grand display of fine hats at Birt Mathews' from the 17th to the 26th. All the ladies are invited to come and inspect and get their new hats for Easter. Better go early and get your pick.

J. F. Delaney, of Blyn, was a business visitor to Sequim, Tuesday, and took dinner with F. T. Balch.

James Williams is hard at work clearing and will have a nice home out of his five acre lot.

Mr. and Mrs. John McDonald were made very happy over the arrival of a 12 pound boy March 12. It is thought Mr. McDonald will becompelled to get a larger hat.

Mr. and Mrs. Duncan are very proud of the little 6 pound girl that came to them March 13.

George Pears has bought 40 acres of C. J. Farmer and will build soon. This beautiful weather makes him think he had better stay on Sequim.

Wilmot Eck sold Geo. Pears 70 inches of water in the S. P. ditch.

Mr. Joe Kerner has recovered her health and is home from the hospital.

A very sad accident happened last Sunday in Freeland Valley. A young married man, Wilber Potter, and his wife were going to the Dungeness river fishing. In passing a little stream Mr. Potter got down to get a drink, his revolver fell out of the holster and was discharged, the ball striking him in the breast. He jumped up and called out, "My God, I am shot!" His wife ran to him and he fell in her arms dead. He was about 30 years old; they have no children. They came from Seattle last fall and had taken a claim. They lived in a tent and intended to build a house soon. Mrs. Potter is nearly broken hearted and has the entire sympathy of the community. The funeral was held at the M. E. church on Tuesday.

The East End of the county seems to be very lively just now with railroad work and trains delivering logs. The steel track crosses the public road only once. There is a large crew at work to extend the railroad. It is reported that there is to be a large crew of men employed by the Sequim Bay Logging Co. this summer. This will bring a number of families and many will remain and build homes.

Mrs. L. C. Dey has bought Wm. McDonald's home near the school house.

Joe Keeler has bought out Henry Knapman's interest in the Hotel St. Clair. Henry will go to B. C. to visit his sister Ella and look over that country.

FORKS. QUILLAYUTE.

Prof. Bruno Koch, of Germany, has taken up his residence here, and will give instruction in vocal and instrumental music to our people. A large number of pupils are already enrolled at Forks and Mora. The professor added materially to the interest of the musical program at the church services on Sunday.

Rev. James Oakey preaches at Quillayute Sunday afternoon, March 20th at 2 o'clock. The sermon will be appropriate to Easter, subject, "If a Man die shall he live again." Sunday school at one o'clock.

There will be services in the church at Forks Sunday evening, with preaching by the pastor. Subject, "The Man who Lingered." Prof. Koch will conduct a song service beginning at 8 o'clock.

Charley and Walter Palmer returned on Sunday afternoon from Angelica, N. Y., where they recently attended the funeral of their father. He was a much esteemed citizen of that place, and a veteran of the Civil War. He leaves a widow, seven sons and two daughters to mourn his loss. Six of the sons were the pall bearers.

Mr. Irwin and daughter were visiting his sister, Mrs. M. E. Maybury and family last week.

Miss Ober, formerly engaged in missionary work among the mountain whites of the South, and who is much interested in the Indians of our Coast, passed through on her way to LaPush last Friday afternoon, where she has been invited by the Indians there to make them a visit.

The farmers of this prairie are improving the fine weather to push their plowing.

Eli Coolings and Superintendent Ed Markham of the Glendale Creamery put up the substructure for a water-tank last week. The tank will have a diameter of nine feet. Water will be piped also to the Cottage Hotel.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Morgenthaler are now at home in their tasty, commodious and very comfortable new residence. Their host of friends wish them and their family many years to enjoy this fruition of their labors.

Miss Baker, who since last June has been teaching the young ideas of the Hoh country how to shoot, passed through last week en route to her home in Puyallup. Rumor has it that she will return in the near future to Forks as the bride of a stalwart youth of the Hoh mail route.

Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Sult drove to Clallam last Sunday for a short visit. Iver Johnson and Ed. Markham were left in charge of the hotel.

Emil Sultman was in town Monday.

John Lyendecker, John VanBosche and Harvey Smith, all of Quillayute, were transacting business at the corners the past week.

BLYN.

Mr. L. Zacardo is building an addition to the house he recently purchased from Wallis Lonsberry.

Mr and Mrs. F. Balch spent a couple of days here last week visiting Mr and Mrs. Delaney and family.

Mr. W. B. Main has sold his place at the head of the bay to Curt. Fairchilds who intends to take possession at once.

Mr. Napps daughter, Ruth, was at home for a short visit before going to Dungeness where she has employment.

Mr. Reposa is home now with his children; he intends to stay and run the ranch this summer.

Mrs. Kilby and daughter, Belle, spent a few days on their ranch at Sequim last week.

ESeverson who has been working at Tacoma, Wash, is in Blyn again; he says there is no place like home.

Mr. Joe Hudon has gone to Seattle with his daughter Millie.

A sad accident happened on the Dungeness river last Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. Potter who have been camping at the forks of the river was out hunting when he accidentally shot himself through the heart.

John Zacardo is up sound on business.

Mr. Lonsberry has been to Seattle visiting his daughters, Flossie and Stella.

Mr. Odell and family who have been renting Mr. Main's place, have now moved on Bob Burrows' ranch for the present.

It sounds good to hear the locomotive at work, it makes people think there is some one else in the world. There is a crew of about 40 men and both donkeys are at work. The locomotive makes about eight trips a day. There is also a large crew working on the main line.

The Rex Cedar & Fir Co. have sold out to another company, who expect to put the timber in the bay as soon as possible.

DUNGENESS

At the school election in district No. 1, L. Tripp was elected for another term. In the Dungeness district, Mr. McAlmond was elected to take the place of T. Clark, deceased; Mrs. Davis was reelected.

Robert Libbey of Chico, brother of Mrs. H. R. Merrill, visited here last week.

Pupils neither absent nor tardy in the Dungeness primary schools during the month of February:

Fanice Brooks	Leora Cays
Millie Mapes	Dora Mapes
Catherine Baker	Clarence Brooks
Frank Evans	Melvin Holston
Harris Hooper	Elliot Martin
james Mapes	Winfred Monson
Henry Wootten	Dewey Baker.

Elsie DesVoigne, Teacher.

Joe Constantine and Don Duncan were arrested Saturday for shooting one of the Chinese pheasants recently released here. Wm. Knapman made the arrest and County Game Warden Garfield Davis prosecuted the men before Justice Alexander. They paid the fine and costs amounting to $40, and probably will be more careful after this experience with the courts. The closed season is now on as everyone knows and there is no excuse for any one caught breaking the law. Any one who will shoot game during the mating season should be prosecuted.

Mr. F. E. Knight drove to his ranch Sunday coming back Monday.

Mrs. J. B. Dick is here on a visit; she looks well and enjoys good health.

Mrs. B. Ward returned from up sound Sunday.

Mrs. Amanda Peterson is working in Port Angeles.

Mr. McInnes was in town last week.

Mr. Bert Arnold and wife took their sick baby to Coupeville Wednesday.

Mr. McInnes has sold the Sherard place to Mr. Braidwood, of Seattle, who expects to come on the place soon.

Report of Dungeness school for month ending March 4th: Number enrolled 22; No days present 379; No. days absent 39; per cent of attendance 90; No. cases of tardiness 20; No. neither absent or tardy 6; perfect in deportment 7.

Post cards of the large Halibut at Nailor's.

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Mrs. J. S. Tinkler returned yesterday from an up sound visit.

Poultry Netting and Garden Tools at H. Gutenberg and Furniture Co.

BLUE MOUNTAIN

A. J. Jackson left Saturday for Freshwater, where he will work this summer in the mill.

Sam Emory writes from Kansas that he will start for home by way of California March 10th. He says Port Angeles is good enough for him.

Ed. Fries was quite ill with the grip but is getting along nicely now.

Chas. Lewis had quite a close call one day last week while working on the scow at the Dungeness logging camp. While standing on a board he lost his balance, falling into fifteen feet of water, but help was at hand and he was fished out.

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A Resolution

A Resolution of the City Council of the City of Port Angeles Declaring its Intention to Regrade Front Street in The City of Port Angeles.

Resolved: That the City Council of the City of Port Angeles hereby declares its intention to improve as hereinafter described that certain street in the City of Port Angeles, known as Front street from Liberty street on the East, to three hundred feet beyond the West line of Oak street on the West, upon a level with the established grade and in connection therewith to construct a culvert where the cut for the outflow of the creek runs across Front street at Lincoln street by cribbing; also, all necessary cribbing between Lincoln and Chase streets on North side of street and cribbing as retaining walls, on each side of the street on the flat or lower level of Front street where a filling is necessary; the filling on said flat to be at the curbing on each side of the street; the West terminus of the street, 300 feet West of Oak street, to be secured by brush or other equally inexpensive or temporary abuttment, with such piles as may be found necessary.

The cost of said improvements, including the cost of improving the intersections or spaces formed by the two streets terminating in or across another street and all necessary crossings at corners and intersection of streets, and all sidewalks on both sides of said street, and all damages caused by said improvement, shall be assessed against the property abutting on said Front street, (according to benefits received), to the center of each lot or block; or where there are no lots or blocks, to the distance of one hundred and twenty feet back from said Front street, within the points above described, viz.: from West line of Liberty street to a point 300 feet West of West line of Oak street.

The said improvement shall be paid for on the bond plan and by the issue of bonds against a special improvement fund payable in ten years in ten equal installments of ten per cent per year with interest thereon at six per cent per annum.

All owners of lots abutting on said proposed improvements, on said Front street between the points hereinbefore set forth, having any protest to make against the above named improvements, shall have until the 29th day of March 1910, to file with the city clerk of the City of Port Angeles, Washington, their protests against said improvements or any portion thereof.

Passed March 8, 1910.

Approved March 9, 1910.

Published March 11, 1910.

F. S. LEWIS, Mayor.

(Seal.)

Attest: C. E. SHIELDS, City Clerk.

Application No. 7158.

Notice of Sale of State Lands.

Notice is hereby given, That on Saturday, the 2nd day of April, 1910, between the hours of ten o'clock in the forenoon and four o'clock in the afternoon, commencing at ten o'clock in the forenoon of said day, in front of the main entrance door to the county court house in the city of Port Angeles, county of Clallam, State of Washington, either by the County Auditor of said county or by a member of the Board of State Land Commissioners of the State of Washington, the following described State lands, together with the improvements situated thereon, will be sold at public auction to the highest bidder therefor, to-wit:

Lot 2 of section 36, township 31 north, range 7 west W. M., containing 43.95 acres, more or less, according to the government survey thereof, appraised at $626.29.

Said lands will be sold for not less than the appraised value above stated and upon the terms and conditions following:

Terms and conditions of sale.—Not less than one-tenth of the purchase price must be paid at the time of sale to the officer making the sale. The purchaser, if he be not the owner of the improvements, must forthwith pay to the officer making the sale the full amount of the appraised value of the improvements, as above stated. One-tenth of the purchase price must be paid annually thereafter on the first day of March of each year, with interest on all deferred payments at the rate of six per centum per annum, together with accrued interest on any balance, at the same rate: Provided, That any purchaser may make full payment of principal, interest and statutory fees at any time and obtain deed or state patent. The purchaser of land containing timber or other valuable materials is prohibited by law from cutting or removing any such timber or materials without first obtaining consent of the Commissioner of Public Lands or the Board, until the full amount of the purchase price has been paid and deed issued.

All sales of State lands are made subject to the reservations of oils, gases, coal, ores, minerals and fossils of every name, kind and description, and to the additional terms and conditions prescribed in the Act of the Legislature approved March 20, 1907, being Sec. 3 of Chap. 256 of the Laws of 1907.

The above described lands are offered for sale in pursuance of an order of the Board of State Land Commissioners, and an order of sale duly issued and certified by the Commissioner of Public Lands of the State of Washington now on file in the office of the County Auditor of said county.

E. W. ROSS,
Commissioner of Public Lands.

Feb. 25-Apr. 1.

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Notice of Sheriff's Sale of Real Estate.

Cause No. 2472.

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

Mrs. Alice Wolf, plaintiff,
vs.
William Tyrrell, et ux., defendants.

Under and by virtue of a special Execution or order of sale issued out of and under seal of the Superior Court of the State of Washington, holding terms at Port Angeles, in and for said county, on the 16th day of February A. D. 1910, upon a judgment rendered in said court on the 16th day of February, A. D. 1910, in favor of

Mrs. Alice Wolf

and against William Tyrrell and Martha Tyrrell for the sum of Nine Hundred, Eighty-nine and 50-100 Dollars together with attorney's fees, interest, costs and increased costs, and to me directed and deliverd, commanding me to sell the following described property to satisfy said judgment to-wit:

Urban lots, eight and nine, and the west forty feet of lot seven, being one hundred and forty feet square in block 37, of Norman R. Smith's sub-division of the townsite of Port Angeles, Clallam county, Washington.

Now therefore, notice is hereby given, that on Saturday, the second day of April, A. D. 1910, 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 judgments, together with attorneys fees, interest, costs and increased costs, in all amounting to the sum of Ten Hundred, Ninety-six and 89 100 dollars.

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

Dated at Port Angeles, Wash., this 28nd day of February, A. D. 1910.

A. J. COSSER, Sheriff.

First publication March 4, 1910

Summons for Publication in Foreclosure of Tax Lien.

No. .

In the Superior Court of the state of Washington, for Clallam county:

D. Matthews, Plaintiff.
vs.
J. Maury and J. Maury
and all persons unknown, if any, having or claiming to have an interest in and to the real property hereinafter described, defendants.

The State of Washington to J. Maury and J. Maury and all persons unknown, if any, having or claiming to have an interest in and to the real property hereinafter described:

You and each of you are hereby notified that D Matthews is the holder of certificate of delinquency No. 2347, issued on the 20th day of July, 1907, by the County of Clallam, State of Washington, for the amount of Twenty-four and 30 100 Dollars, the same being the amount then due and delinquent for taxes for the years 1905 and 1906 together with penalty, interest and costs thereon, upon real property assessed to you and of which you are the owner or reputed owner, situated in said county, and particularly bounded and described as follows, to-wit:

Lot No. 13, Block No. 156; Lot 15 and 16, Block No. 415; Lots 19 and 20, Block No. 417; Lots No. 19 and 20, Block No. 421; Lots No. 8, 9 and 10, Block No. 427; Lots 6 and 7 in Block No. 450. All in the Townsite of Port Angeles.

and upon which he has paid taxes assessed against said property as follows:

Year's Tax	Date Paid	Receipt No.	Amt
1907	June 1, 1908	3358	$11.67
1908	June 2, 1908	3678	$10.60

Total amount of Taxes paid since date of Certificate of Delinquency $22.27

all of said amounts bearing interest at the rate of fifteen per cent per annum; and you are further notified that he will apply to the Superior Court of the State of Washington, in and for said county, for a judgment foreclosing a tax lien against the property hereinbefore mentioned, and you are hereby summoned to appear within sixty days after the date of first publication of this summons, exclusive of the day of said first publication, and defend this action or pay the amount due, together with costs; and in case of your failure to do so, judgment will be rendered foreclosing the lien for said certificate of delinquency, taxes, penalty, interest and costs, against the lands and premises hereinbefore mentioned. Date of first publication, January 28, 1910.

Any pleading or process may be served upon the undersigned at the address hereafter mentioned.

J. E. Cochran,
Plaintiff's Attorneys.

P. O. Address, Port Angeles, Clallam county, Wash.

Notice of Sale of Real Estate.— In the Superior Court of the State of Washington, for Clallam County.— In the matter of the Guardianship of Annie Wagner, an insane person.

Pursuant to and by virtue of an order of the Superior Court of the State of Washington, for Clallam County, made and entered at Port Angeles, Clallam county, Washington, on the 17th day of February, 1910, I, the undersigned guardian of the estate of Annie Wagner, an insane person, will sell at private sale the following described real estate, to-wit: Lots 3, 4, 5, 6, 16 17 and 18 in Block 159 of the Government Townsite of Port Angeles, Washington. The said sale will be made on and after the 28th day of February, 1910, and bids will be received at the office of Trumbull & Trumbull, in the Aldwell Building, Port Angeles, Washington. The terms of sale are as follows: ten per cent of the amount at the time of sale and the balance when the sale is confirmed by the court.

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Guardian of the estate of Annie Wagner, insane.

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