MOTTO FOR 1912: "LOOK UP AND NOT DOWN; GO FORWARD, NOT BACK; AND LEND A HAND."

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WHEN THE NEW YEAR STARTS HIS RACE AGAINST TIME.

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New Year's Gifts

By EMILY GRANT HUTCHINGS

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IT is worthy of comment that in all Latin countries the day for exchanging gifts is New Year's day, while in all Saxon countries it is Christmas. The reasons for this difference in customs are easy to trace. The people in the north of Europe celebrated the feast of Freyr, the winter solstice, by bestowing gifts on their loved ones and those to whom they were indebted. In Rome the time for gift giving was the feast of Janus. At the present time "Le jour de l'an" (the day of the year) is regarded in France as of far more importance than "Noel," Christmas day.

Although the habit of giving presents to the loved ones on Christmas is not unknown in France, the giving of gifts on New Year's is almost compulsory, the exchange of remembrances having degenerated into a mechanical farce. Certain absolutely useless articles are manufactured simply as New Year's gifts, and when once they have been purchased they pass into the regular New Year's currency. Those who receive them this year put them away and pass them on next year to some friend or relative. It is nothing unusual for a gift to find its way in the course of a few years into the hands of the original donor, no whit the worse for its migrations. Indeed, the recipient of the much used message of affection is not offended in the least, as persons of the Anglo-Saxon race would be.

In England the regular time for bestowing gifts has always been the Teutonic holiday in honor of the birth of Christ, yet there was an established custom of giving presents to the month on the first day of the year, whenever that happened to be. This practice was inaugurated by Henry III., who "extorted" gifts from his subjects. These, he informed his people, might consist of such trifles as a purse of gold, a yoke of oxen, a splendid jewel, a piece of cloth worthy to be made up into a garment for royalty or any little thing the fortunate vassal could procure, even down to a pair of pigeons or a box of homemade sweetmeats.

STRUCK IT A BLOW.

Elizabeth fared better than any of her predecessors in the matter of New Year's donations.

There is a peculiar custom in the city of Berlin, that of smashing tile hats, which has been in vogue since 1848, when the students joined with the poor people to make war on the bourgeoisie, the hated class who wore silk hats as their mark of distinction. The first great riot was on St. Sylvester night (New Year's eve), and many a skull under the pretentious headgear was fractured. The native Berliner knows better than to go on the street on that night with a tall hat on unless he is out for retaliation.

When Emperor William was a young fellow, not even crown prince (it was before the death of his father and grandfather), he learned something about the methods to which a man who had a good silk hat ruined is capable of resorting. He approached a man in a shining opera hat and struck it the customary preliminary blow with his fist. Alas, the hat was of thin cloth stretched over a metal frame, and the top concealed a whole battery of sharp spikes. The prince's hand was so badly lacerated that he had to give up his sport for that night. However, he stopped long enough before setting out in search of the royal surgeon to congratulate the armored pedestrian on his cleverness.

A WATCH MEETING EPISODE

by WILLIS HAWKINS

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FOR seven mortal years on end
Sim Lucas courted Mary Burr
Till folks begun to apperhend
He wouldn't never capture her.
Yit Sim he stuck an' hung to it
An' swore, by jing, he'd never quit
Till she give in an' named the day
When she'd love, honor an' obey.

HE'D dog her ev'rywhere she'd go.
No other feller got a chance
To take her out to any show
Or party, festival or dance.
An' allus of a Sunday night
We'd see the same familiar sight
Of Sim a-waitin' by the door
To take her home f'm church once more.

THE women all took sides with Sim,
An' some talked plain to Mary Burr,
A-sayin' they regarded him
As jes' the fittin' man fer her.
But Mary wouldn't budge a peg.
She jes' sot back an' let him beg
Till somep'n happened Noo Year's eve
That all us men could hardly b'lieve.

WATCH meetin' had begun awhile
When with a sort o' gallus stride
Sim come a-marchin' down the aisle
With Sallie Goodwin at his side.
An' when, as if not seein' her,
They sot in front of Mary Burr
All round the church the women folks
Grinned like it was the best of jokes.

NEX' mornin' Mary chanced to meet
With Sim (I guess she made the chance),
An' there, right out upon the street,
She ast him to the leap year dance.
Then Sim walked with her to her gate,
An' on her way she sealed her fate.
That's how one weddin' come about
Through watchin' of the old year out.

The Call of the Heart

A New Year's Event

By CARLOTTA PERRY

IT is not often that the prodigal returns on Thanksgiving day to sit at the table where a plate is always laid for him; that Christmas brings a restoration of peace and good or that Easter sees a resurrection of buried hopes. But here is a family episode at New Year's which is exceptional.

They were an old fashioned family, and they lived in an old fashioned country house.

They always watched the old year out and the new year in, and when from the near church tower the old bell lingered on the last stroke of 12 with much ceremony the outer door of the great hall was thrown open that the old year might depart and the new one enter. And according to a time honored custom each one made a wish for something that was most desired at the hands of the New Year. There was a tradition that strange and beautiful things had come to pass because of this wishing.

Mr. Walter Graham, the head of the

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BELIEVES TROY MIGHT BE ELECTED GOVERNOR

The Port Townsend Leader of last Saturday, in an able article, brings out the name of the Hon. David S. Troy as an available candidate for the office of governor of the State of Washington. Among other things, the Leader says:

"According to the latest developments in state politics, it is more than possible that Jefferson county will, next year, take a very prominent place in big events through the fact that a nominee for governor may hail from this county. What is more to the liking of those who are behind the move, the local man will stand an excellent chance of landing the big state office, unless something unexpected happens to change the political trend.

"The man who is being urged for the position by many of the most prominent people of the state is Hon. D. S. Troy of Chimacum, at present representing the district composed of Jefferson, Clallam and San Juan in the state senate. If Mr. Troy is a candidate, he will, of course, make the try on the democratic ticket, for he nominally belongs to that party, though he left the ranks in 1896 and returned to them only when he ran for the senate last year.

"While under ordinary circumstances it would appear to be hopeless for a democratic nominee in a state so strongly republican as Washington, the old-time 'dope' is not of the slightest use in forecasting future events." There is strong opposition in some quarters, the Leader goes on to state, against Governor Hay, and the opposition, as yet, have not settled on a man upon whom all can unite for the republican nomination, hence Troy's availability.

The supreme court of Iowa has affirmed the decision of the lower court on the legality of the Moon law. The court held that it was the intention of the legislature that when the next general consent was given, after the law became effective, July 1st last, there sho'd be only one saloon for every one thousand population in communities that tolerated the saloon, no matter how many were in existance when the law was passed. The decision, it is said, will result in the closing of more than four hundred saloons in Iowa.

LOGANBERRIES AT PUYALLUP

Anent the discussion of the growing of Logan berries in this vicinity for profit, we note that Hon. W. H. Paulhamus, president, says "The Puyallup & Sumner Fruit Growers Association is willing to make a five or ten year contract with growers within a reasonable distance of Puyallup to take all of the Logan berries, and all of the Cuthbert red raspberries that can be grown and furnish crates to pack in free of charge, and if a sufficient quantity can be obtained will haul the berries without cost to the growers. Will pay the grower 3 1-2 cents per pound for the Logan berries and 4 cents per pound for the raspberries. These prices to be net to the grower. I am satisfied that the Association can use any quantity that can be supplied."

"The average yield of an acre of valley land is about 400 crates, with good care. These weigh 22 pounds bringing 4 cents a pound at the cannery, so the expense is in picking, which can be done for about 30 cents a crate. This gives the producer a net of about 60 cents a crate, or $240 per acre, for light work and certain returns."—Puyallup Herald.

With energetic, concerted action, and thorough organization, and with a cannery or drier to take care of the fruit, there is not the slightest reason why the raising of Logan and other berries would not prove profitable to growers in Clallam county. We have the soil and the climate; with a little push behind these, prosperity among our small ranchers is assured.

William Allen White of Emporia, Kas., packs a horse load of horse sense into a recent article on the shortcomings of the public schools.

They educate their pupils to be princes or princesses. Hitching the wagon to the stars, they neglect the good-roads movement on earth.

Mr. White recognizes that there is always need of the cultural element in our system of education, and that we should keep it, but points out that we must also provide for the vocational factors.

Education should not, even by implication, teach that manual labor is degradation. It ought to inculcate the worth and nobility of work in the factory and on the farm and in all manual industries.

Democracy depends on education The object of education is to prepare children for efficient living. This includes practical ability as well as intellectual equipment and robust, full-orbed character.

If education fails to give these results, if the public schools graduate their pupils with the idea that professional or mercantile careers are the only ones worthy of "gentlemen" and "ladies," then American education falls at the fountain and the success of our democratic experiment in popular self-government is imperiled.—Spokane Review.

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IRRIGATION BY MEANS OF PUMPING STATIONS

With the object of developing the possibilities of irrigating by electric power, the Olympic Power Company has been gathering information from those who have had to irrigate their lands on the Sequim Prairie. The first pumping will in all probability be done in the neighborhood of Dungeness, where the land has an elevation of fifty or more feet above the river.

From preliminary investigations there would appear to be some twelve hundred acres which could be developed immediately. Irrigation by pumping with electric power is no new problem. It has been successfully carried on in California and in the Yakima and Columbia river countries. In the Yakima country, outfits from three horse power up to large developments utilizing 500 to 1000 horse power, have been operated, elevating the water from a few feet up to 150 feet or more

There is little doubt but the crops raised at present on the dry lands can be made to double themselves Some of the figures gathered show returns of from $60.00 per acre for dairying to $500 per acre for the growing of strawberries. The prospects for the developing of this part of the country for small fruits, are very bright.

PRODUCTION OF ALASKA

From a preliminary report by the United States Geological Survey devoted to the mineral resources and production of Alaska for 1911, we make these extracts:

The value of the total mineral output of Alaska in 1911 is estimated at $20,370,000, compared with $16,883,678 in 1910. The gold output in 1911 is estimated to have a value of $17,150,000; that of 1910 was $16,126,749. It is estimated that the Alaska mines produced 22,900,000 pounds of copper in 1911, valued at about $2,830,000; in 1910 their outpnt was 4,241,689 pounds, valued at $538,695. The silver production in 1911 is estimated to have a value of $220,000, compared with $85,236 for 1910. The value of all other mineral products in 1911, including tin, marble, gypsum, and coal, was about $170,000, an increase over that of 1910.

By using the above estimates for 1911, (which, the report says, are approximately correct) the total value of Alaska's mineral production since 1880, when mining first began, is found to be, in round numbers, $206,600,000, of which $195,950,000 is represented by the value of the gold output. The total production of copper in Alaska since 1901, when systematic mining began, is about 56,700,000 pounds, valued at about $,170,000.

A bulletin from the State College at Pullman on the possibilities of electricity, points out that there is enough undeveloped waterpower in Washington to turn every wheel in the state, and leave a surplus to light the homes and cook the food. But before this power can be used, the energy of mountain streams and rivers must be changed into electricity and transmitted to the place where it can be used.

Another source of power lies in the fact that the cheap lignite coals which underlie large areas of Western Washington soon will find market in the producer-gas plants, and thus become one of the chief sources of power in the state. In the engineering laboratories of the State College, experiments are being made with these coals, the purpose of which is to discover the best means of extracting the tar and of preparing the gas for use in gas engines. This problem successfully solved, means that the gas engine will supplant many steam plants, and materially reduce the cost of power in small installations.

Dr. Charles H. Mayo, the Rochester, Minn., surgeon who held the world's record in 1905 for the largest number of operations for appendicitis with the smallest number of fatalities, himself underwent two operations recently, for gallstones and appendicitis. That's giving the doctor a dose of his own medicine.

Ben C. Wilcox has enlisted on the Tahoma for a year. They are at Astoria now.

J. L. CROSBY IS NO MORE

After a lingering illness, the last two years of utter helplessness, J.L. Crosby, father of Mrs. A. J. Cosser, passed away without a struggle Friday night last at 11:20 at the home of his daughter. The funeral was held from the Congregational church Tuesday at 1 p. m. and was conducted by the local Odd Fellows, of which organization he was a member for the past 21 years. Mr. Crosby was born in Nova Scotia in 1849. About 35 years ago he came west, settling in San Francisco, where Mrs. Cosser was born and where his wife and another daughter are buried in OddFellow's cemetery. He came to Port Angeles in 1890, remaining six years, when he again sought the Golden Gate city. For the past five years he has resided with his daughter and it was noted that his once powerful frame was slowly giving away under his ailment, locomotor. He was given every care to make his last hours pleasant. The body was shipped to San Francisco Tuesday in care of A. J. Cosser for burial alongside the wife and child.

FAIR-VIEW

Happy New Year to all.

The Christmas program at the schoolhouse last Friday afternoon was very good. The children all had nice pieces and the tree was very tastefully decorated.

Mrs. Emery and son Cecil were down to the John Winters home one night last week.

Elizabeth Page spent part of last week in town with her cousin, Harry Pike.

Mr. Luke bought a cow of Cliff Thomson last week.

Miss Bjorklund is spending Christmas week in Seattle.

Oscar Winter's youngest child has been quite sick but is now improving.

Word was received last week that Fred Kummer, a former resident of Fairview, was married in Seattle. Congratulations.

Mr. and Mrs. Shank of Port Angeles spent Christmas at the Sutter home.

Mr. Hemme on Morse Creek was a visitor one day last week.

Jim Jacobs spent part of the week at Blue Mountain.

Mr. and Mrs. Dan Jackson spent Christmas at Cary's.

Mr. and Mrs. Chambers went out to the Sturdevant and Pellerin mill the first of the week to see their daughter Ruth who has been quite ill.

Miss Leah Babcock was visiting her cousin Esther the first of the week.

Mr. Moss Land's sister and family come out the first of the week.

Mr. and Mrs. Fossett are entertaining Mr. Perry, Mrs. Fossett's father, Chalmera and Florene Fossett, Mr. Fossett's brother and sister, and a friend from Morton.

The other day a big airship was seen to sail over Fairview and light with a "thud" on the top of Mount Angeles. "Now would n't that jar you?"

MISS CHRISTINA HANSON

Miss Christina Hanson, daughter of Frank Anderson of Piedmont, passed away Christmas day after an illness of over a year.

She was born at Lake Cresent in 1892 and attended school a number of years in Port Angeles, where she had many friends and acquaintances who sympathize with the mother and family in their sorrow. The funeral services were conducted by Rev. Phillips at the Methodist Church Wednesday morning and the body laid to rest in Ocean View cemetery.

We desire to express our thanks and appreciation to the kind friends and neighbors who assisted and sympathized with us during the illness and the death of our daughter and sister.

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A Trifler With the Truth

Story of a Cheerful Liar Who Scattered Sunshine

By HOWARD FIELDING

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Williston Reed, a young artist, wandered into an apartment house where there was a studio to let, and he signed a lease of it and paid a month's rent. Some days later he began to wonder what he should do with so much space. It was an eight room hat, but "Willy" hadn't noticed it. He had seen one end of it, which suited him exactly. The previous tenant had been an artist with a family and plenty of money. Willy Reed had even more money, but not a near relative on earth.

The proprietor supposed that Willy was about to be married. He mentioned it, and Willy let him think so. But when Willy became acquainted with the family that occupied the apartment across the hall he dared not stick to the matrimonial story, so he invented an aunt and two sisters who were coming to live with him.

His neighbors were named Bailey—father, mother, son and daughter. The daughter, Priscilla, exercised from the

"I'M SO SORRY YOU WERE STARTLED."

first a very powerful influence over Willy, but he was always in a sort of ance when she was about and could ot converse intelligently except upon art. Priscilla was interested in art, but she liked to talk also about Willy's sisters, a fearsome topic.

He got along better with Granville Bailey, Priscilla's brother. Granville was about twenty-four, but he seemed to have had an almost limitless business experience. He spoke of the great captains of industry as if their secret ways were open to his eye, and, in truth, he did know more of such matters than is good for a young man's moral character. He was very closely associated with an incipient high financier named Sweetzer, whose operations had begun to attract the notice of the real princes, but unfortunately the gentleman obtained an inferior quality of legal advice in what promised to be a very pretty deal in mining stocks, and a crash followed. Sweetzer fled abroad and took young Bailey with him, and the newspapers published the story. They did not accuse Bailey of any serious offense, but he was badly wanted on this side of the water.

The Baileys were old fashioned people, and the disgrace of this affair cut them deeply. It was Granville's flight that hurt the worst. If he had stayed and faced the music they would have stood by him with good spirit. And the subsequent events proved that the boy could have done so with safety.

In these days of sorrow Willy Reed was an invaluable consoler. He was such a pleasant chap to look at and so healthy, strong and happy, a creature that had never known care. Mrs. Bailey, who was not in robust health and was seriously shaken by her son's misfortune, derived more benefit from Willy's calls than from the doctor's.

"I shall be so glad when your sisters come," she said repeatedly. "Are they as cheery as you?"

"You must judge of that when you see them," said Willy, who tried not to lie more than was necessary and would have given half a year's income for the nerve to confess the truth.

Instead of clearing his conscience he was presently obliged to pile another burden upon it. He received a letter from Granville Bailey, who was in London, and it was very mournful reading. Granville had been deserted by Sweetzer. He was almost penniless and could get nothing to do. He did not ask for money, but Willy immediately cabled him a generous sum and wrote a cheerful letter, urging him to return.

"I'll stake you to all the money you need for your defense," wrote Willy.

Presently Mrs. Bailey's illness took a very serious turn. A cable message was sent to Granville advising him that his mother's state demanded his return, and Willy secretly sent him money for the voyage. Granville replied by cable that he would sail on the Carinthia.

This vessel was due on the morning of May 16. Willy would have liked to meet her, but upon consideration he decided that Mr. Bailey would better go alone.

By the time that Willy was ready to go out to breakfast next morning it was 9 o'clock, and as the hour struck there came a violent ringing of the bell at the door of his apartment. He opened it, and Priscilla rushed in, a newspaper in her hand.

"Oh, this is dreadful!" she cried. "What shall we do? Mother has read this!"

She thrust the paper into his hand and pointed to a leaded paragraph which ran as follows, being a part of a wireless message from the Carinthia:

Granville Bailey, who was private secretary to Irving Sweetzer and went abroad somewhat hastily when Sweetzer got into trouble, is not among the Carinthia's passengers, though he was supposed to have sailed on this vessel

Willy cast one glance upon Priscilla, and all thoughts except of comfort and assistance vanished from his mind.

"Oh, that's all right," he said. "Of course your brother wouldn't sail under his own name. He'd be interviewed and all that sort of thing, which he'd naturally desire to avoid. But he's aboard. Just tell your mother not to worry for a minute."

"You tell her!" exclaimed the girl. "She has so much confidence in you."

"Why, with pleasure—of course," he said. "There can't be the least doubt of it, you know."

Mrs. Bailey was sitting up, supported by pillows and clutching the bedclothes with both hands, as if they typified the world from which she was slipping away. But the instant that her eyes lighted on Willy Reed's face she felt an accession of courage.

"I'm so sorry you were startled," said Willy, "but this is just the very best thing that could have happened. Of course your son is aboard the vessel, but not under his own name because of the reporters and other nuisances that would infest his path."

"But why should he send such a message at all?" said Mrs. Bailey. "It sounds so strange."

"He sent it because he was asked," said Willy. "This paper made an inquiry."

"I didn't think of that," said she. "Naturally I know little about these matters."

"I was illustrator on a newspaper for quite a long time," said Willy, adding one more lie to his list, "and I know just how it's done. So don't give yourself a moment's uneasiness."

He took his leave, and Priscilla followed him into the hall.

"How do you do it?" she said, in admiration.

"Eh?" he cried, startled. "I beg your pardon. Do what?"

"Inspire such confidence. I might have talked to mother till I was blue in the face, and you—you did it all with a word. Is it because you are so naturally truthful and sincere?"

"I—I think not," said Willy. "It must be something else."

"I thank you so much. You see, mother simply lives for Granville's return. She has lost all hope of recovery."

"But she's going to get well, for all that," said he. "There can't be a doubt of it."

"Is her illness like your aunt's?"

Willy had forgotten for the moment that he had an aunt whom his sisters were supposed to be taking care of, but he remembered in time.

"Just precisely," he said, "but she had it worse. And now she's getting along splendidly. The doctor writes that her health will be better than ever."

"Oh, I wish you'd let me show that letter to mother!"

"I will if I can find it," said he.

He ate a very hasty breakfast and returned to his apartment, where he paced the floor in trouble with his conscience.

"How did I get into this habit?" he groaned. "I used to be truthful enough except when I imagined things. It's my cursed imagination that does this to me."

And he proceeded to imagine that he had confessed every falsehood of his whole life to Priscilla and she had forgiven him. He thought of what she said and of what he said, and even in this dream he was confessing lies that he had never uttered and denying others that he dared not confess.

He was interrupted in this moral exercise by the sound of his bell, and there was something in it that struck to his heart. He admitted Priscilla, utterly distracted.

"Father has telephoned me that Granville is not on the Carinthia," she gasped, "but his things are there in his cabin. I made father tell me the truth. He tried to keep it from me."

"Did your mother hear anything?"

"No; I was careful to close all the doors. You know we had the telephone inclosed so that it would not disturb mother, and it is a long way from her room. Father says that mother must not be told anything, even that Granville was not aboard, until the doctor comes."

"We'll say the vessel is detained at quarantine—yellow fever or something. Nobody allowed to leave until tomorrow. I'll fix it. Did your father leave word at the doctor's house?"

"Yes; but, oh, Mr. Reed, I know you can't do this. Your power is in the truth, and this is a lie. You can't tell it!"

"It will come hard," said he, "but I'll do it."

They found Mrs. Bailey as Willy had seen her before except that she was now as rigid and as white as a marble statue. Willy's heart seemed to die within him at the sight of her.

The mother addressed Priscilla without looking toward her, seeming unable to turn.

"I heard," said she in a dreadful whisper—"I heard every word that you said to your father. My boy is dead."

"Oh, not at all!" said Willy, with a sincerity that would have removed mountains. "Not at all, I do assure you, Mrs. Bailey. Your daughter has told me everything, and it's just what I expected. It's exactly what happened in the case of a Mr. Howland when I was on that newspaper. This Mr. Howland was coming back under almost precisely the same circumstances, and he was afraid that something would detain him at the pier. Some malicious enemy might have had him arrested, you know, and he was very anxious to get to his family. I think it was a Christmas eve or something like that. And"

"But my son's baggage was in his cabin. Did you not say so, Priscilla?"

"So was Mr. Howland's," Willy interposed, "and where was he, do you think? He was hidden in one of the officer's cabins. He'd bribed him, you see. And now that I think of it I told the story to Granville. So that makes a positively sure thing of it."

"But this officer would not have permitted Mr. Bailey to leave the steamer under such a dreadful error," said Mrs. Bailey in the same strained whisper which she had used from the beginning. "He would have taken him aside and told him the truth."

To Willy Reed's imagination this staggering consideration acted merely as a stimulus.

"But the officer couldn't know that it was really Mr. Bailey," said he. "Any detective might have played the part and furnished no end of identification. You see, Granville had to keep out of sight; he couldn't identify his father."

A very slight trace of color found its way into the lady's face. She turned toward Willy with something like her natural manner.

"This seems possible," she said.

"I know it as well as if I had been there," he declared. "Granville may have to lie low even until dark, for, of course, the officer is doing this secretly and would forfeit his position if it were known. But we shall see the boy before 9 o'clock this evening."

"But how could he frighten me so?"

"My dear Mrs. Bailey, your son couldn't know that you would have any cause for alarm. You see, it was all pure accident. You just happened to hear. And of course he has arranged some means to notify you in the course of the day that all is well."

Then Mrs. Bailey spoke and in almost her usual tone.

"Mr. Reed," she said, "I think I should have died without this hope."

Shame gnawed at Willy's vitals. He felt that "liar" was branded on his brow. He could positively trace the individual letters.

The telephone bell rang, and Priscilla answered it. "It is a man to see you, Mr. Reed," she said, returning. "They have sent him up."

"Please return as soon as you can," said the invalid as Willy rose to go.

In the hall his visitor was already waiting. It was Granville Bailey.

While Priscilla was preparing her mother for this joyful surprise the two men waited in Reed's apartment.

"What do you suppose I got up against?" demanded Bailey, like a man with a grievance. "Why, the confounded monkey that shared my cabin with me was a detective with a warrant for my arrest—an old one, but good—which he amiably designed to serve as soon as we reached this side. I got on to it and worked a disappearance. Everybody thought I'd gone overboard, for I'd exhibited a very superior article of despondency in preparation for my exit. In reality, I'd bribed one of the engineers, and he hid me. I slipped ashore at quarantine

IT WAS GRANVILLE BAILEY.

and came up on a press launch. All the boys swore to keep it dark. I'd given my engineer a description of father, and he was to look out for him, but I guess the description was too flattering. At any rate, there seems to have been a slip-up."

Priscilla came to call her brother in, and by and by she came again.

"It was all true," she said, "just as you told mother," and she gave him her hand.

"Priscilla," said he, "I merely lied. I am incapable of any truth but one. Shall I tell you what that is?"

"I think I know," she said, very timidly. But she gave him her other hand.

"I love you," said he.

Father Healy Was Witty, but Occasionally Met His Match.

Among the clerical humorists of Ireland Father James Healy stands out prominent. On one occasion when a pretty child was proudly shown him by her mother he remarked, "My dear child, you'll have a blue lookout as long as you live!" The mother's face at first clouded, but immediately afterwards brightened up when she saw the smile on Father Healy's face, for the child had blue eyes.

Once Father Healy was asked how he would describe a Scotchman and in answer, assuming as he spoke the Scotch accent, said, "A Scotchman is a mon wha keeps the Sawbath and everything else that he can git."

Father Healy, a thoroughly temperate man, on one occasion ordered a humorous cabman at Bray, known to indulge in an occasional drop, to call for him after dinner at the house of a friend. On the jarvey's arrival Father Healy was grieved to notice that he was not quite sober. "Drunk again, Peter," sighed the priest in a tone of reproof. "Well, to tell yer the truth, yer reverence," retorted the impudent cabby, "I'm a little that way myself."

A barber once in shaving the father had a very trembling hand. "There, now," exclaimed Father Healy, "you have cut me! Oh, whisky, whisky!" he wound up by way of lamenting the source of the barber's unsteadiness.

"Yes, yer reverence," replied the barber promptly, "it do make the skin tender, don't it?"

Feared the Worst.

A certain railway has a most execrable roadbed. A new brakeman was making his first run over the road at night and was standing in the center of the car grimly clutching the seats to keep erect. Suddenly the train struck a smooth place in the track and slid along without a sound. Seizing his lantern, the brakeman ran for the door. "Jump for your lives!" he shouted. "She's off the track!"—Success Magazine.

Incorrigible.

The commanding officer of a corps was much troubled about the persistent untidiness of one of his men, an easy going Irishman. Reprimand and punishment were unavailing. The man was incorrigible. A brilliant idea struck the colonel. "Why not march him up and down the whole line of the regiment and shame him into decency?" It was done. The untidy warrior was ordered to exhibit himself and march up and down the entire regiment and the men told to have a good look at him. The unabashed Pat marched, halted, saluted the colonel and said in the hearing of the whole corps with the utmost sang froid, "Dhirtiest regiment I iver inspected, sorr!"

THE UNABASHED PAT MARCHED.

A Fight For Fair.

Jim Hall, the Australian fighter, came to Chicago at the time Jake Schaefer, the billiard player, was in his prime, and they came to know each other intimately. Jake used to josh Jim openly about his fighting career and say that none of his fights had been on the level.

The pugilist was to be one of the billiard player's party on a certain occasion and looked a bit seedy. The conspicuous blemish was his hat, so Schaefer gave him a five dollar note and told him to buy a real one.

A part of the evening program was a visit to a theater, where they sat in a box. Hall hung up his hat on a peg, and during the entertainment some outsider made a crafty exchange. Jim looked over a sunburned and battered derby and exclaimed:

"Jake, if I can find the bloke that pinched my hat there will be one fight on the level."—Chicago Post.

A Long Way From Home.

The late Jeff Hudson of Fredonia, Kan., who came from Boone county, Ind., used to tell this yarn, bearing on the incredulity as to what might exist outside the neighborhood where going to mill was a long journey and a trip to the country seat was a venture into a far country: "Jimmy Smith ran away from home, went clear into Illinois, returned and the relatives were invited in and a feast spread, where Jimmy announced that he had been 100 miles from home. The clan did not grasp this enormous distance, and finally Jimmy said, 'W'y, pap, 100 miles is so fur that folks don't use talk like we'uns. Actually, pap, it is so fur that folks calls "sop" gravy!'"—

The Optimist.

"You're looking blue, doc. What's the matter?"

"Well, I'll tell you. A patient I began to treat died this morning."

"Ah, cheer up. He might have died even if you hadn't been called."

HOW TO WASH CURTAINS.

Valuable Suggestions That Will Save Fabric and Trouble.

There are many convenient ways for washing and drying the most delicate of curtains. The white ones may be placed in a thin bag and washed with soap and water, rinsed and slightly starched while still in the bag, and squeezed as dry as possible, then spread on a clean sheet, either tacked to the floor or stretched between lines. The curtains are gently pulled in shape, the points pulled out and then left until dry.

For the finest and somewhat worn ecru curtains the following method is a favorite: The curtains are shaken free from dust and then put in a bag. But this time a few quarts of cornmeal, wet with gasoline, is put in the bag with the lace. The whole is rubbed and kneaded together and left as it is until the next day. Then the bag is taken out of doors, the curtains removed and shaken clear of the meal and hung on the line until free of the odor. They will then look fresh and clean and will still have the rich ecru color. Colored madras curtains may also be cleaned by this process.

The heavier curtains and draperies of scrim may be washed in warm water with soap, rinsed and starched in the usual way. Even those stenciled with paints and aniline dyes may receive this plebeian treatment. The ecru and cream tinted ones may be colored by putting tea or coffee in the rinsing water and dilute starch or dry yellow ocher (obtained at paint shop for a few cents), may be added to the starch until the right shade is obtained. To make a smooth, thin starch of these, mix half a cupful of starch with half a cupful of cold water until smooth, then add a gallon of boiling water, stirring constantly.

A stretcher is best to dry these heavier curtains on. There are wooden frames adjustable to any size of curtain, and several curtains may be dried at once on a single stretcher. Ironing is usually unsuccessful on any style of curtain, the size and open loose mesh of the article making it difficult to keep from stretching out of shape.

CARE OF BLACK CLOTHES.

How to Clean Them Perfectly and Improve Appearance.

From month to month people go on wearing black clothes and never seem to think that they require cleaning. It is enough that the dirt "doesn't show," and so one doesn't worry at all about it being there all the time. Think how quickly soiled a white garment would be and how a couple of days make muslin waists yearn for the washtub, and perhaps you will realize that black, too, is unhygienic and unclean, even when it looks all right, and much more so when it has actually the appearance of being soiled.

At any time the appearance of black clothes may be greatly improved if they are thoroughly sponged with a strong infusion of tea or coffee, provided they are first of all well brushed and shaken. But they may also be washed without coming to grief. Experiment with a blouse and go on to a skirt, and you will soon see how successfully voile, serge, cashmere, lawn and cloth may be cleansed.

Add a little ammonia to lukewarm water and souse the garment, without, however, rubbing it; then take it out, squeeze but do not wring it, plunge it into cold water, then hang it dripping in the air to dry, having selected, of course, a fresh and breezy day for washing. Before beginning the process all stains should first be removed.

How to Clean Wicker Furniture.

After summer use doubtless the wicker furniture will require a good cleaning. Do not scrub it with soap and water, as that invariably turns it yellow and causes unpleasant squeaking. Try scrubbing it with strong salt water. If there are shabby pieces give the articles a thorough salt water bath first, then scrub well and dry as quickly as possible in the open air and sunshine. Should you decide to paint the furniture get well mixed paint, rather thin. If paint is too thick it will always rub off on the clothing. It is well to finish with a coat of enamel to make it last longer. Enamel does not hold dust like ordinary paint, consequently is more easily kept clean.

How to Freshen Black Silk.

Black silk can be renovated and made to appear almost new by sponging it with weak gum arabic water. Dissolve half an ounce in a little boiling water and then dilute with cold water until the stickiness of the gum can only barely be noticed. Sponge the silk over on the wrong side. Dry thoroughly. Sprinkle over, roll tightly in a towel, leave for a few hours and then press on the wrong side with a medium iron.

How to Clean Irish Crochet.

Here is a novel way of cleaning articles of Irish crochet. Put them in a fruit jar filled with gasoline and after placing the top tightly on shake the jar for a few minutes. Allow to stand for a few moments and then shake again. If the article is much soiled this process may need repeating several times. When it looks clean take from the fluid, hang out to dry and it will look as good as new.

How to Test Drinking Water.

Fill a pint bottle three-fourths full of water. Dissolve half a teaspoonful of granulated sugar in the water and cork the bottle. Set it in a warm place for two days, and if at the end of that time it becomes cloudy it is unfit for use. If it remains clear it is safe.

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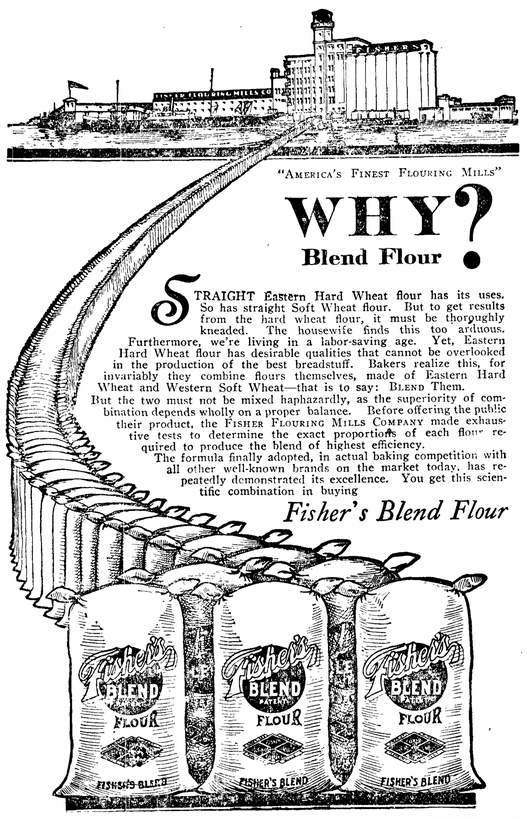

DEVELOPMENT OF THE NORTHWEST

From page 1.

Further investigation of the outrages in Los Angeles reveal the fact that James B. McNamara was in Seattle in August, 1910, about the time that the Lyons building here was shattered by an explosion. A local electrician has come forward with the information that he repaired some clockwork mechanism for a man that looked like McNamara. This has shifted the scene of investigation to the Pacific Northwest and a number of labor leaders in this section will be examined as a result.

The Alaska Bureau of Seattle has sent J. J. Underwood to the National Capital, to spread information concerning real conditions in the far North. Underwood is a local newspaper man who has been writing a great deal of inside history about Alaska, of late, dispelling many of the stories which have been circulated. The exploitation department of the New Chamber of Commerce has selected R. H. Mattison as its secretary. He is also a local newspaper man. Mattison is not to be confused with the political writer of the same name.

Oregon poultrymen are discussing going nto the business of hatching and shipping day-old chicks. They point to the fact that last year 3,000,000 baby chicks were shipped into Oregon, Washington, Idaho and California and that not more than 50,000 of this number were hatched on the Coast, the remainder coming from east of the Rocky Mountains. The mild climate of the Pacific Northwest would seem to be favorable to the development of this business. flowers blooming in the yards, a terrible cold wave and blizzard has been sweeping through a large portion of the United States. causing great suffering in many localities.

Down in Oregon a state-wide campaign of education that leads toward instead of away from the farm is to be undertaken. The Bankers' Association, Agricultural College and the Development League are co-operating with the StateSuperintendent of Public Instruction to formulate a course of study to be introduced into the public schools. A conference will be held in January at which the various interests will be represented and a course of instruction will be adopted. State bankers are strongly backing the plan and are contribtributing funds to maintain an organizer in the field, who will visit the various local school boards and teachers and enlist their aid.

Lower distributive rates lately ordered between Eastern land Western Washington points are hailed with delight by wholesalers and jobbers of the chief Washington cities. The new rates will undoubtedly prove a great advantage to the territory affected.

MEALS-MARTIN

At the home of Mr. and Mrs. R.A. Martin on Lincoln Heights occurred the marriage of their daughter Ertha, at 8 o'clock, the evening of New Years day, to F M. Meals, former telegraph operater in the Western Union Telegraph office.

About fifty guests witnessed the wedding ceremony which was performed by Justice of the Peace, J. M. Davis. Shortly after the ceremony, a wedding supper was served and a pleasant evening enjoyed by all present.

The young couple will make their home in Angeles, Mr. Meals having signed up as one of the crew on the Snohomish. They received many handsome gifts from their friends with congratulations and best wishes for their future happiness and prosperity.

NOTICE

There will be a meeting Friday, January 12th, at the opera house for the purpose of organizing a Dramatic and Glee Club.

This is intended to be a permanent organization and will be self-supporting. If you are interested turn out Friday night at 7:00 sharp and help us to get started.

The Socialist Lyceum Lecture Course

will open at the opera house, Monday,

January 8th, 8:00 p. m.

Comrade Eugene Wood will be the first speaker.

His subject will be **"How We Are Gouged."**

We all know we are gouged "all right." Let us all turn out and learn how the trick is turned.

The Doings of Our Neighbors

FAIRVIEW

Oscar and Bob Winters, Phil and Roy McCumber, rowed from the mouth of Morse Creek up to the Dungeness spit last week. They returned home Saturday afternoon.

Carl Kendell of Dungeness was a visitor last Saturday and as usual, people are wondering again.

The dance proved to be a success in every way. There was a good crowd, good music and plenty to eat.

Miss Bertie Stilwell of Blue Mountain was a guest of Nellie Sutter the latter part of last week.

Jack Kilmer has gone out to Dry Creek to work for his brother Bob who is clearing land.

John Luke made his father a short visit last week.

BLYN.

A very pretty wedding occured New Years Day at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. Zaccardo, when their daughter Julia was united in marriage to Mr. James Stewart in the presence of the intimate families, Rev McNamee of Dungeness officiating. The bride, who was handsomely gowned in white embroidered net over white satin, was attended by her sister Laura who was prettily gowned in white lingerie. Mr. Clarence Sheckler acted as best man. After the ceremony they went to the hall where many friends awaited them and a very dainty luncheon was served.

The rest of the afternoon was spent in dancing and at six o'clock amid a shower of rice the happy couple left for Port Williams to take the Albion for Seattle. His parents, Mr. and Mrs. Johnson, went back with them, they came in on the morning boat to attend the wedding. The couple received many lovely presents including quite a number of pieces of silverware.

Mr. and Mrs. Spearing and nephew Fred returned Saturday from a very pleasant visit at Mrs. Spearing's sister's in Seattle.

Santa dropped in at Mr. and Mrs. A. Ericson's just before Christmas and left a brand new baby boy.

Sunday school is being held in the hall every Sunday afternoon at two o'clock.

Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Evans are here visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Severn. Mr. and Mrs. Evans expect to soon go east of the Mountains where he is going to run a creamery.

Mr. Napp's daughter and husband spent the holidays with him and the children and they have now decided to spend the winter here.

Mr. and Mrs. Philip McCullum spent Chritsmas week here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Antone Silva.

Mr. and Mrs. Rey's daughter and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Peterson, also their son and his wife, Mr. and Mrs. Lambert, spent the holidays here.

CLALLAM

The Christmas program given at the church in Clallam Bay was voted a great success by all who were present.

The numbers consisted of music by the young ladies, recitations by the school children, a Christmas Operetta in four scenes, which was arranged and directed by Miss MacKechnie. Those who assisted were: Miss Amelia Mandau, Mr. Raymond and Mr. Kefauver, with Mrs. Last at the organ. Following the operetta were songs by the little Wickersham girls of West Clallam, and music by the young people. The last number being a dialog given by two boys, Clement Fairservice and Stanley Murray, who were waiting to catch Santa, but caught cold instead. Finally Santa came down the chimney, but on finding the boys peeping decided to go and distribute the gifts which he found on a well stocked tree.

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Grant Humes and George Hannaman were New Years guests at the Delabarre home, also taking in the fancy dress ball.

About People of Local Interest

As the old year passed away at midnight Sunday, the new year was ushered in with loud ringing of bells, tooting of horns, blowing of whistles both on land and sea, firing of guns and howling of dogs, and e'en the soundest slumberers were awakened to the fact that a new year had dawned upon us. May it be one of progress and great civic improvement to our city of Port Angeles and the whole Olympic Peninsula.

Lieutenant Wolf, commander in charge of the Snohomish, and Lieutenants Bagger and Jack, assisted by Mrs. Wolf, Mrs. Clark and Miss Allen, received their friends aboard the ship New Years day between the hours of two and five. Christmas greens and holiday decorations added to the attractions of the dining hall where light refreshments were served.

Ladies will please bear in mind that next Tuesday afternoon, Jan. 9th, will be the next regular monthly meeting of the Auxiliary and it is desirous that there be a large attendance as there are several matters of business to be decided.

Work has begun on a new home for the Catholic priest, which is to be in the bungalow style; improvements are to be made on the church building also, and the surrounding grounds.

Mr. Haggith returned from Seattle Wednesday, after seeing Mrs. Haggith safely started on her way to Spokane, where she expects to spend the remainder of the winter.

We are in receipt of a correspondence from Dungeness this week, but the writer inadvertently, or otherwise, failed to enclose sheet No. 2, the connecting link. Let us hear from you again.

Some people know a good thing when they see it. Some take a bargain when they can get it. The greatest bargain is now at C. L. Baker & Co.'s, in Ranges. Go see them.

Howard Farmer, Duane Allen, Jim Lotzgesell, Lewis Mutty of Port Townsend, and Roy Hall spent the week-end at the Farmer cabin on Lake Sutherland.

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Wm. Glanert, of the Phelps, Hanson & Glanert Mill Co., accompanied Mr. Phelps to Seattle last week to spend a couple of weeks in the city.

John Cain and Mr. Lindsay were returning passengers from up-sound Wednesday; they were accompanied by a son of Morrow.

Miss Baird of Seattle was an arrival on Wednesday's boat to fill the position of stenographer in Mr. Lindsay's office.

T. T. Aldwell and Mr. Pollock were up-sound passengers Wednesday. Mr. Aldwell expects to go on to Chicago.

Miss Hazel Murray returned Wednesday from Clallam where she spent the holiday vacation with the home folks.

Mr. and Mrs. Luppen enjoyed a visit the first of the week from their son L. Luppen of Los Angeles, Cal.

Charles Fosberg and wife were called home from their Seattle visit by the death of Mr. Fosberg's father.

Mayor Mead expects to go to Seattle Sunday and will be in attendance at the Jackson dinner.

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Miss Beatrice Allen left on Wednesday's boat for Ellensburg to resume her studies at the Normal.

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Mr. Woods of Neah Bay was a business visitor to Angeles this week.

The Misses Weeks entertained at an informal afternoon tea, Friday.

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Small can Pork and Beans, " "	.10

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THE SILO ON WESTERN WASHINGTON FARMS

Agronomist at Experimental Station, Puyallup, Very Strongly Recommends Its Use. Best Fertilizers to Use on the Mangel Field.

As the winter season advances and the warm rains and the frosts alternate, thus causing the kale to rot and the roots to sprout and soften, one is convinced more and more of the economic necessity of a silo. Many fields of mangels were damaged more or less this fall by the early heavy freeze, and kale is losing from 15 to 30 per cent of its leaves. This is, we are told, an unusual condition but it shows the uncertainty of such a food supply. These are also expensive crops to harvest at best and great physical injury is done the soil by removing the kale during wet weather, es pecially if the soil is fine and easily puddled.

The use of the silo removes the above objections in that the crops are gathered before the rains or the killing frosts come and there is no tramping of the wet fields. The feed is stored in most convenient form for handling and at much less loss than by any other method. According to various careful experiments, among which are those conducted by Prof. King of Wisconsin, the maximum loss of feeding value in a well constructed silo need not exceed from 5 per cent to 10 per cent of the total crop, whereas by the ordinary method of curing hay and other fodder the loss ranges from 15 per cent to 50 per cent. Among the crops which are especially suited to Western Washington for soiling and silage purposes are red clover and Italian rye grass, common vetch and oats, and in some localities corn.

Where two crops of vetch and oats and three crops of clover and rye grass can be grown in a season the silo solves the problem of succulent winter feed for the dairy in the most satisfactory manner. A silo well constructed need not necessarily be an expensive one. The one condition upon which the successful making and preserving of silage is that the air be excluded. This is best accomplished in a circular silo, the wall of course being air tight. Since the air will be more complètely forced out where the pressure is greatest, the silo should be of pretty good depth, not less than 18 or 20 feet.

Fred Tibbetts of Issaquah, Wash., writes the Experiment Station, asking for information concerning the application of lime, also the kind of commercial fertilizer to use in growing mangels.

The following reply is made:

"It is probable that your soil is lacking in lime and consequently is more or less acid, as this is quite generally true of the soil in Western Washington.

"Now if your soil is heavy, I would recommend the use of slaked lime. If, on the other hand, the soil is light, crushed lime rock, costing $3.00 per ton, would be better. It would be safe to use at least 500 pounds per acre of water slaked lime, which is put up in 100 lb. sacks at $5.00 per ton.

From three tons to five tons per acre of crushed lime would be sufficient.

The fact that the mangels grown on your soil are under sized is further evidence of a lack of lime and probably of potash too. The lime, in addition to the physical effect on the soil, will help to liberate the farm food from the soil as well as from the manure and thus increase the growth of crops.

Well rotted barnyard manure is a good fertilizer for mangels but it has been proven by careful experiments that it may be profitably supplemented by commercial fertilizers. A light application of nitrate of soda, 75 to 150 pounds per acre, made immediately after the first thinning will increase the growth. The amount of nitrate used would be determined by the amount of barnyard manure used.

Owing to the fact that mangels do not ripen early enough in Western Washington but grow on after the rainy season has set in, it might be well to apply at the time of seeding about 400 lbs. of dissolved bone or other superphosphate.

Phosphatic fertilizers are recommended for mangels and other beets as a fertilizer and they would tend to hasten the ripening. It should always be borne in mind, however, that the application of fertilizers is useless unless the soil is first put in good physical condition. No amount of commercial fertilizers can take the place of good tillage. Proper tillage, drainage, and crop rotation, on the other hand, will remove in many cases the apparent need for commercial fertilizer.

L. J. Chapin, Agronomist.

Many a canine, gentlemanly and pious looking by day, will bear watching after nightfall, particularly if there be a sheepfold in the neighborhood. There be folks who in conduct at least are second cousins to these same nice appearing dogs.

The freakish bearing of strawberries in October by plants of the common kind is the result of a practically dormant period during a droughty summer followed by late August and September rains, which produce conditions akin to those prevailing in the spring of the year.

In the latitude of north Iowa and southern Wisconsin United States weather stations have recorded for 1911 a season of 168 days without a killing frost—from May 4 to Oct. 19—a record that has not been equaled in the past twenty years and probably will not be in as many more.

The heifer calves on many a dirty farm are scrimped on butter fat and are less thrifty than they would otherwise be. It is only fair to the calves as well as good management to supply a fat forming food in the shape of corn or oil meal when the natural fat of the milk is removed or sold with the milk.

Both in the matter of safeguarding the health and well being of the members of the family and in the care of the farm animals there is all too much tendency to overlook the fact that prevention is vastly better than cure—the exercise of just good sense cheaper than medical attendance and veterinary service.

The small boy should keep in mind that even more important than a bright mind and a strong body in the life which lies before him are trustworthiness and honesty—in other words, that his word shall be good. Not a day passes but somewhere over the country men in various pursuits come to grief through this lack. The trait may require some pains to develop, but it is worth all it costs.

Many a good housewife who seeks to augment the family income by spending her spare hours with tatting, embroidery and the like would make just as much in the end and be far better off physically and mentally if she would invest the same money and put the same time in growing garden truck or raising chickens. More than this, there would be a decided saving in dope and doctor's bills.

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The stains that gather so quickly on the inside of the coffeepot may be easily removed by boiling in it a fairly strong solution of baking soda. If one treatment doesn't do the business, repeat.

One of the latest baits recommended for catching wall eyed pike is strips of orange peeling. It seems to be the bright color of the bait rather than any value it possesses for food that attracts the fish.

The Northwestern Greening is a late and none too prolific bearer, rots quickly if bruised and has none too good a texture, but it has when full ripe a twang and spiciness that are surpassed by not more than two or three other varieties.

A fellow's real patriotism—interest in the welfare of his community and country—is not measured by his fine buildings, bursting cribs and mows and sleek animals, but by the pains he takes to inform himself of the important issues of his time and to cast his vote on election day.

The Colorado blue spruce is a beautiful tree in its native habitat on the hill slopes and in the valleys of the Rockies, but it is even more thrifty and beautiful if given the special care possible when set as an ornament for lawn or park. From the standpoint of vigor, symmetry and color effect no conifer surpasses it.

A good many folks who make light in a general way of the danger of one's contracting tuberculosis from dairy cows afflicted with the disease are not at all anxious to have their own children use the milk from such animals. It is merely a case in which a trouble is not so bad provided it is "on" some body else, say over in the next county.

Mowing the lawn in the middle of October may improve the looks of it for a brief time, but unless there is a good mulch of well rotted manure applied to enrich the soil and protect the roots of the grass from winter thawing and freezing the practice is not advisable. Grass needs a rest just like folks, and it's a pretty good plan to do no cutting after Sept. 20.

There is no tool that gives as good results in freshly cleared land and is as economical in operation from the standpoint of both horsepower and patience as the disk harrow. This holds both in getting the land in shape for a crop and tending it while growing. The advantage of the disk for the purposes mentioned is appreciated by any one who has operated one of the old break pin cultivators on a rooty field.

If the housewife has a small sized fish to bake she will find an easy as well as a very satisfactory way to do it to cut the fish along the backbone so as to lay it open and then cover it nicely with the stuffing which one prefers, a breadcrumb dressing seasoned with sage and onion being excellent. This method of baking not only keeps the fish moist and tender but gives a brown crust to the covering which is very appetizing.

Some one has figured out that if every boy in the country would eat five apples a day for the next three months it would require all the apples which have been produced in the country this year and would insure a fair price to the growers. Another thing about this boy-apple combination is that it is just as good for the boy as it is for the apple market. Five apples a day will merely keep the average boy's digestive organs in good working order.

A point that the dweller in the well watered central and eastern states should keep in mind on going into the dry country west of meridian 100 degrees is that, while one acre of pasture in his native section will keep a steer or five head of sheep, it requires from eight to fifteen times as much land in the dry belt to furnish a like amount of forage. This is not said to the detriment of the land of the short grass, but simply for the information of the settler who may not be aware of the fact.

Many newly set family orchards that we know, like many boys and girls, need some attention just now if they are going to develop into anything symmetrical and valuable later on. As regards these young trees they should have their rangy, sprawling tops cut back so as to give a sturdier and more shapely head or frame, while cross or ill shapen limbs should be taken out entirely. This work is done easily now, while the trees are in the formative stage, while the results secured are in every way more satisfactory than if the job is postponed.

In ponds where carp are raised for market the practice is quite common of fattening the fish before catching them by feeding them soaked shelled corn, which they are said to eat greedily. Even fish know a good thing when they get it.

One should not only exercise care in the matter of the terms of notes which one signs, but also in the wording and terms of contracts for land that he may contemplate purchasing. It is some bother perhaps to look into this matter carefully and if necessary pay a good attorney for doing so, but in the end one may save hundreds and possibly thousands of dollars.

The San Jose scale is a pest that requires a stronger spray than tender growing foliage will stand. For this reason the treatment should be made between the time the leaves fall in autumn and the time they start in the spring. If the job is delayed until spring the spraying will also play smash with the green aphis, which is a troublesome pest in many sections.

A fine team of six-year-old Percherons which a friend drives to town frequently and for which he would hardly take a cold $500 indulged in a short but vicious run the other day. In explaining it the owner said it was not due to any meanness on the part of the horses, but to the fact that the harness and double trees were in poor repair. This team will not run away with him for the same cause again.

It is a long step from the grease which used to be sold at country stores before the day of the creamery at 5 cents per pound to the 3,000 pounds of butter which were sold the other day at auction at the close of a big dairy show, which scored an average of ninety points and brought 33¼ cents per pound. The difference in the prices quoted nicely typifies the progress which has been made in the organized dairy business in the past thirty years.

Brush land or wood soil is ideal for growing potatoes. This is due to the mellowness of the soil resulting from the large amount of humus it contains and the usual freedom of the soil from weed seeds. Where new land is not available much the same condition can be had on a piece of newly plowed pasture or on a clover meadow the last crop of which has been turned under the preceding fall. In both of these cases there will be a good supply of humus and few weeds.

A law of nature as irrevocable as that of the Medes and Persians ordains that a certain class of landlords and tenants—the kind who skin the land and put nothing back—will have to repent and turn from their evil ways or go into involuntary bankruptcy. Stated in another way, it means that this class of chaps have got to quit insulting land worth from $100 to $250 an acre with methods that for awhile were considered permissible on virgin land worth from $15 to $30 an acre.

They are getting on to the ropes down in German South Africa, having recently ordered 3,000 bushels of pedigreed seed corn from the agronomy department of the University of Wisconsin. Experiments in corn growing have been conducted in the territory mentioned and have been attended with such good results that corn culture is to be taken up on a more extensive scale. The season in South Africa is the reverse of that in the north temperate zone, corn being planted on the 1st of October instead of the 1st of May.

It is seldom that profit or benefit comes through getting two bad things together, but there seems to be an exception in the case of using convict labor on the bad roads of the country. In several states where the system has been or is being tried a twofold result has been noticed—roads have been improved at a minimum cost, while the men performing the work under the supervision of proper authority have, through the wholesome influence of exercise, sunshine and fresh air, taken a decided step ahead toward better citizenship. Every state has its bad men and its bad roads. The two should be got together.

Hardly a community but has two types of citizens—the one deserving and receiving the contempt of all fair minded people, the other meriting the greatest respect. The types referred to are respectively those who will not and those who try to pay their honest debts. Instances are frequent in which folks of the former class have money a-plenty to spend for most anything under the sun, but nary a cent to pay on an obligation. Those of the other class, who take a reasonable attitude toward their debts, will often deny themselves and go short on things they actually need to meet obligations when they become due. In the same measure that the class first named is deserving of censure the latter is worthy of respect and encouragement in every way.

The roots—turnips, carrots, parsnips and such—which have been put in the cellar for winter keeping will remain crisp and firm much longer if they are put in boxes and covered with moist sand. They will keep the longer if the cellar is cool.

The real merit of a cream separator does not depend upon the cheapness of the price at which it can be secured, but rather upon its durability and the kind of job it does in removing the butter fat from the milk. A good many get caught by the cheap bait and a little later throw their bargain out

Resolution No. 1.

Be it resolved by the City Council of the City of Port Angeles:

Section 1. That the 30th day of January, 1912, at 8 o'clock p. m., is hereby fixed as the date of hearing on the Francis Street Assessment rolls for the following local improvement

No. 2, for the Improvement of Francis Street et al under Ordinance No. 385.

Section 2. That the City Clerk be, and he is hereby directed to publish in the official newspaper of the City of Port Angeles, notices thereof as required by law and the Ordinances of the City of Port Angeles.

Passed by the City Council the 26th day of December, 1911, and signed by me in open session in authenication of its passage this 26th day of December, 1911.

N. K. MEAD,
Mayor of the City of Port Angeles.

Filed by me this 27th day of December, 1911. C. E. SHIELDS
City Clerk.

Date of first publication Dec. 29, 1911.

Call for Bids.

Notice is hereby given that the City Council of the City of Port Angeles, Washington, has passed a resolution authorizing the refunding $50,000 of the first issue of its municipal bonds, maturing February 1, 1912, which refunding bonds shall be dated February 1, 1912, and maturing February 1, 1932, the City of Port Angeles to have the option of retiring any or all of said bonds after five years from date of their issue, and that bids for the purchase of said bonds will be received by the City Authorities at the office of the City Clerk in the City Hall in the City of Port Angeles, Washington, until four o'clock P. M. of Saturday, January 13th, 1912, and that at said time and place the said bids will be considered and the said bonds will be disposed of for the most advantageous offer. Bidders are required to state the price and rate of interest, not exceeding six per cent, at which said bonds will be taken.

By order of the City Council of the City of Port Angeles, Washington.

C. E. SHIELDS,
City Clerk.

Date of first publication December 15th, 1911.

JAMES STEWART
Attorney at Law
Office on Front Street
Port Angeles, Wash

SUMMONS
on Application for Registration of Land.
No. 1.

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

Alice M. Raymond, Ralph B. Raymond, Caroline B. Averill, Anna B. Edwards and Jessie M. Parker, plaintiffs, vs. Ella M. Martin and Albert E. Sanderson, and also all other persons or parties unknown, claiming any right, title, estate, lien or interest in the real estate described in the application herein, defendants.

The State of Washington to the above named and designated defendants, greeting: You are hereby summoned and required to appear and answer the application of the applicant plaintiff in the above entitled action and application for registration of the following land situate in Clallam County, State of Washington, to-wit: Lots Fifteen (15), Sixteen (16), Seventeen (17), and Eighteen (18) in Block Forty (40), of Norman R. Smith's Subdivision of the Townsite of Port Angeles, and file your answer to the said application in the office of the Clerk of said Court, in said county, within twenty days after the service of this summons upon you, exclusive of the day of such service; and if you fail to answer the said application within the time aforesaid, the applicant plaintiff in this action will apply to the Court for the relief demanded in the application herein.

Witness, Horace White, Clerk of said Court and the seal thereof, at Port Angeles, in said county and state, this 16th day of December, A. D. 1911.

HORACE WHITE,
[Seal] Clerk of said Superior Court.

SUMMONS.

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

George W. Moore, plaintiff, vs. E. M. Pound, defendant.

The State of Washington to the said E. M. Pound, defendant.

You are hereby summoned to appear within sixty days after the date of the first publication of this summons, to-wit, within sixty days after the 22nd day of December, 1911, and defend the above entitled action in the above entitled court, and answer the complaint of the plaintiff, and serve a copy of your answer upon the undersigned attorneys for the plaintiff at their office below stated; and in case of your failure so to do judgment will be rendered against you according to the demand of the complaint, which has been filed with the Clerk of said court.

That this action is brought to recover a judgment in the sum of six hundred thirty dollars ($630.00) with interest and costs and to foreclose a mortgage upon the North half of the Southeast quarter (N. ½ S. E. ¼) of Section 26, Township 32 North of Range 15 West W. M. TRUMBULL & TRUMBULL and GEORGE E. BEARDSLEE
Attorneys for Plaintiff,
P. O. Address: Port Angeles, Clallam Co., Washington.

Notice of Hearing on Assessment Roll.

Improvement of Francis Street by Grading.
Local Improvement District No. 2.
Ordinance No. 385.

Notice is hereby given that the assessment roll for Local Improvement District No 2 under Ordinance No. 385, for the improvement of Francis street, by grading the same to the established grade, from the south line of Railroad Avenue on the north, to the south line of Eighth street on the south, and doing such other work as may be necessary in connection therewith, is now on file at the office of the City Clerk.

Said roll has been set down for hearing at the regular meeting of the City Council to be held in the council chamber in the city hall in the city of Port Angeles at 8 o'clock p. m. on the 30th day of January, 1912, and all persons who may desire to object to said assessment are notified to make such objections in writing and to file same with the City Clerk, at or prior to the date fixed for such hearing. At the time and place fixed and at such other times as the hearing may be continued to, the Council will sit as a board of equalization for the purpose of considering such roll, and at such hearing, or hearings, will consider such objections made thereto, or any part thereof, and will correct, revise, raise, lower, change or modify such roll, or any part thereof, or set aside such roll and order that such assessment be made de novo, as to such body shall appear just and equitable, and then proceed to confirm same by ordinance.

C. E. SHIELDS,
City Clerk of the City of Port Angeles, State of Washington.

Date of first publication Dec. 29, 1911.

City Warrant Call

The City Treasurer of the city of Port Angeles, Clallam County, Washington, will pay on presentation at his office the following warrants and coupons and all of prior issue:

Current Expense Fund warrants to 5804 inclusive.

Lighting Fund warrants to 1173 inclusive.

General Indebtedness Fund, B 1-289 inclusive.

Electric Light Bond Interest Coupon No 36, 1 to 36 inclusive.

Municipal Bond Interest Coupon No. 39, 1 to 50 inclusive.

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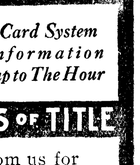

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LINCOLN HEIGHTS NOTES

The holiday season is passed and schools are now in session, but the mills have not resumed work and many men are out of jobs. Joe Harding, Joe Hall, Welling Dorr, and Arthur Land are gone to Seattle to see if they can secure work. George Ristine went to Concrete last week with the same object in view.

Mrs. Gran has gotten so much better, that her daughter has gone home, and her granddaughter stays with her.

Mr. Rogers, Sen., has been quite poorly this week.

The Burgeman children were the happy recipients of a sack of Oklahoma peanuts a few days ago, and they kindly made others happy.

Mrs. Ada McNay of Newberg, Oregon, her son Claud, of Columbus, Kansas, are visiting her nephew, O. L. McNay, and other relatives and friends. Mrs. McNay spent the summer of '09 in this city.

O. B. Fleming and his sister, Mrs. Burgman, entertained on Christmas day the McKee, McNay and Fleming families.

The wedding bells we were listening for last week rang New Years evening at the residence of R. A. Martin when his only daughter, Miss Ertha, took onto herself a "Meal" for life. Here's hoping she will never experience the want of a meal three times a day and much happiness in the possession.

Mrs. Emma Shraber of Tacoma is visiting her friend, Mrs. LaFlower.

AT THE METHODIST CHURCH

Subject for Sunday morning, "The Promises of God." In the evening, "Esau's Profanity."

The week of prayer will be observed; the following is the program: Monday, subject, "The Church," led by the pastor. Tuesday "Temperance," leader, Mrs. J. J. MacKechnie. Wednesday, "The Ladies Aid," leader Mrs. C. E. Fulmer. Thursday, "The Use of the Bible in Winning Souls—Personal Work," leader, Frank McCarty. Friday, "The Sunday School and Epworth League," leader, C. E. . All services begin at p. m.

At the morning services next Sunday will be the reception of members.

Everybody cordially invited to attend these services.

RAY HAYNES RESIGNED

Ray L. Haynes has resigned his position as superintendent of the Westphal Home, and the Commissioners have engaged Mr. Getchell to fill the unexpired term and continue. Mr. Haynes has not made public his intentions yet, but we understand will move to town. The county can never hope to secure a better man to handle the farm and his resignation comes as a distinct disappointment.

CLUB MEETING POSTPONED

Owing to the absence of Secretary Cosser and the small number in attendance at the Commercial Club meeting last Wednesday, no business was done and the meeting postponed one week, when new officers will be elected.

The proprietors of the Hat Shop have taken the agency for the Nubone corsets. This is a guaranteed corset with no bones to break or bend and is scientifically constructed to combine with extreme fashion every possible feature conducive to good health It will be a pleasure to show you our samples and take your order. We have all grades.

TO BUILD NEW THEATER

Mr. and Mrs. Witbeck, proprietors of the Grand Union's local agency, are to open a moving picture show in a building to be built on the lot between Angeles Hotel and Garrison's Market. This will be the third business to be started here since the construction of the Morrow road became a certainty, and soon there will be increased competition in all lines. It is said the Witbecks offered fifteen hundred for the Star Theater, but the prospects of sufficient business for two houses were considered too good to admit of accepting. The new theater will be 25 x 100 and built on modern plans by the owners of the property, Aldwell, Smith and Pringle, work starting Monday.

W. S. CALDWELL

W. S. Caldwell passed away at his home in Ballard, December 18th, 1911, after an illness of over two years. Deceased was born near Pittsburg, Pennsylvania, November 30th, 1852, and was a resident of Port Angeles for over ten years, where he was an earnest and enthusiastic worker in the Methodist church, being for many years superintendent of the Sunday school. He was also member of the Modern Woodmen and the K. of P.'s and was a man honored and respected by all who knew him. He leaves to mourn his untimely death a wife and a host of sympathizing friends and relatives. Funeral services were conducted at Gilman Park church Ballard, by Rev. Brooks, Rev. Franc, and Rev. Williston, the two latter being pastors of the Port Angeles church when Mr. Caldwell lived here. The sympathy of the community is extended to Mrs. Caldwell in her affliction.

WOMAN'S LEAGUE

Mrs. E. M. Hogan of Portland arrived Wednesday in the interest of the American Woman's League, and will start rehearsals at once for a Ladies' Minstrel Show to be given at the opera house on or about the 19th. The best talent in the city have consented to assist. The ladies are all enthusiastic and are already quietly practicing stunts while doing the dinner dishes. Mrs. Hogan has had several years of experience in this line, and is prepared to put on a performance up to the professional standard.

P. O. FOSBERG

Mr. P. O. Forsberg was born in Stockholm, Sweden, September 11, 1837, and passed away at the home of his daughter, Mrs. Hartley Goodwin, on January 2nd, 1912, at the age of 74. He left Sweden for Chicago in 1869 and in 1888 moved with his family to Seattle. They resided there for one year, coming to Port Angeles shortly after the big fire in Seattle. He worked at his trade of cabinet maker and did other work for a time in the city, then moved out on the ranch near the Elwha, where he has since resided. His wife passed away October 7, 1906. He had heart disease and was in feeble health for some time but felt well enough to go over to his daughters, Mrs. Goodwin's, for Christmas, and was taken seriously ill while there.

The funeral took place Thursday, Jan. 4th, at 11 a. m., from the residence of Hartley Goodwin; interment was in Ocean View cemetery. He leaves to mourn the loss of a kind and affectionate father four daughters, Mrs. B. T. Smith of Port Angeles, Mrs. Fairley and Mrs. Hartley Goodwin of lower Elwha and Mrs. Walter Darrar of Madras, Oregon, and one son, Charles Forsberg.

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CITY'S NEW OFFICIALS

Tuesday being the first day of the city official new year, the council met and closed up the business of the old year and started in on that of the new. The outgoing officials are Councilman Grubb of the Second ward and Councilman Fitzgerald of the Fifth ward. Both of these officials have served the city for several years and made enviable records for themselves in performing their duties with care and to the best interests of the city. They retire with the good will of all our people.

Reports of the street superintendent, engineer, engineer of light plant, clerk, treasurer and police justice were presented and referred to proper committees.

The newly elected officials took their oath of office, and Mayor Mead read his official message, which appears in full in another part of this paper.

Committees appointed for ensuing year are:

Finance—Fisher, Stiles.
Electric Light—Myers, Dustman.
Streets—Elliott, Gardner.
Francnise—Gardner, Myers.
Cemetery—O'Brien, Elliott.
Park—O'Brien, Fisher.
Health—Elliott, Stiles.
Fire, Light and Water — Stiles, O'Brien.
Ordinance—Dustman, Gardner.
Fire Warden—Fisher, Dustman.

The following appointments were recommended by Mayor Mead and confirmed singly:

Marshal, Garfield Davis.
Day Police, Frank Dilling.
Police Judge, J. M. Davis.
Health Officer, F. S. Lewis.
Street Superintendent, W.A.Wood.

City Clerk allowed $25.00 per mo. additional pay for extra work in office.

City Marshal allowed $10 per month extra for ringing curfew bell.

The matter of transformers was again put over for future consideration.

Councilman Stiles on behalf of the Brotherhood extended an invitation to the Mayor an Council to attend the meeting and dinner of the Brotherhood to be held January 15th at the Congregational church.

SEQUIM

The masquerade at the Olympic is reported to have been a grand success. The prizes given were as follows: Best dressed lady, Miss Katie Rhoderfer, piano scarf. Best dressed gent, Frances Bugge, case of clams. Best waltzing, Miss Josie Smith and Harris Duncan, each a cake plate. Best Queen of Hearts, Miss Lillie Bell, ten pounds bacon. Best sustained characters, Miss Flora Brown and Marian McCourt, framed picture. Best Weary Willie, Wm. Whitney, military hair brush. Best Red Riding Hood, Miss Myrtle Bell, book. Best clown, Clem Fortman, box candy. The two spectators, Miss Beatrice Mathews, berry set; Harley Brown, smoking set. The music was the very best and every one had a grand time.

Mr. and Mrs. Everet Fisher's two little sons, Carl and Lloyd, who have been very sick, are better and around again.

Mrs. Fred Long is very sick.

W. S. Dinsmore of Port Angeles was visiting with F. T. Balch Monday and Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Peter Morgan, after spending some time visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. McDonald, returned to their home in Centerville, Mo. They thought this country was all right.

The Jolly Entertainers from the Orphans Home of Des Moines, under management of Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Draper, was greeted with a full house. The band music by the little tots, the acting, singing and talking was all fine.

George Long of Wenatchee is here visiting with relatives and friends.

True Balch left for Potlatch last Saturday.

Miss Florence Wooding, who is employed in the telephone office in Tacoma, is visiting with relatives and friends in Sequim.

De Paehmann, the greatest living pianist today, is making his final visit to the U. S. and will appear at the Moore, Thursday, January 4, under the auspices of the Seattle Ladies Musical Club.

Basket ball game and dance, High School vs. A.A.A., tomorrow evening.

About People of Local Interest

The new carpet for the Congregational church has been laid this week, also new linoleum on the hall, rugs placed, and several other interior improvements made, and everything is expected to be spick and span for next Sunday's service.

St. Andrew's Church. Holy Communion 8 a. m Morning prayer and sermon 11 a. m. Sunday school 10 a. m. Choir rehearsal Wednesday evening. CHAS. E RICE, Pastor in charge.

A big line of rockers of all kinds and sizes at the lowest cash price; also a splendid line of blankets, comforts and pillows. Christophersen & Leland.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Maloney have rented the Shelpman cottage and Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Wynn are moving into the Lauridsen house formerly occupied by the C.D.Allen family.

Eyes examined. Glasses fitted. J. E. Bigelow, Osteopathic physician. A specialty of chronic diseases. Office over Bank Clallam County. Office hours 9 a. m. to 4 p. m.

Bert Wagner is home from Germantown, California, where he has been for two months eating oranges and enjoying the sunshine.

C. L. Baker & Co. have decided to close out their stock of Ranges by Jan. 1st REGARDLESS OF COST. If you want a range, come and see them before you buy.

Mr. Stocking of the L. L. Summers & Co., engineers, was an arrival from Chicago this week to inspect the work at the Olympic Power Co.'s plant

We have a good many odd pieces of fine china which we are offering at bargains. Call at Christophersen & Leland's and look them over.

Mrs. R. C. Wilson and daughter Esther accompanied their guests, Mrs. Belton and Miss Belton, to Seattle Friday.

Mrs. Wm. Martell and two children of Tacoma are guests of her mother, Mrs. Doty, and sister, Mrs. Ramsey.

Miss Margaret Delabarre will return to Portland Saturday to take up her studies again at St. Helen's Hall.

Miss Emma McMillan, typesetter on the Sequim Press, is taking a holiday vacation with friends in the city.

Robert Gould, Ruth Gould and Howard Campbell were returning passengers to Seattle Tuesday.

For a dainty lunch, we have boned herring, clean, sweet and delicious. 15c. City Fish Market.

Ross Brown was an over Sunday visitor with his mother, Mrs. Brown, and sister, Mrs. T. F. Trumbull.

Just received a fresh shipment of Sealshipt Oysters. 50c per pint solid meats. City Fish Market.

Miss Salisbury of Seattle was a guest of her aunt, Miss Cruikshank, over New Years.

For a change try "Fish Flakes," eastern cod fish. 10 and 15cts. City Fish Market.

Miss Lorena Ester returned Monday to her school duties at Bellingham.

Canned Shrimps and Crabs for Christmas salads. City Fish Market.

Herman Swanson returned Monday from a visit up sound.

Go to Morey's for your blacksmithing; they do it right.

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Howard Farmer was an up sound passenger Wednesday.

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HAS DISAPPEARED

Andrew C. Harrison, 36 years old, height 5 ft. 8½ in., weighs 120 lbs. Wore a dark blue suit, brown overcoat, brown fuzzy hat. Wore a blue lodge button; was a Woodman. Served through the Phillipine war; was very sick with the stomach trouble. Missing from Seattle on Monday, Dec. 11, 1911. We are very anxious for his welfare. Any information will be thankfully received. M. V. Kellogg, 1250 First Ave., S. Seattle.

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LEAGUE MEETING JANUARY 25TH

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the program of the convention

The Tacoma Commercial Club will provide the delegates with 20,000 copies of a new booklet, handsomely illustrated with new and specially selected views showing the scenery and resources of Southwestern Washington. The booklets will be for the purpose of further distribution among eastern friends.

If work progresses satisfactorily at the Hercules stone quarries at Tenino, the delegates will be given an opportunity to experience the sensations incident to a real earthquake, when half a million tons of stone will be lifted from its slate bed with one blast of two car loads of powder. The Hercules company has a contract to furnish 350,000 tons of rock for the government jetties at Grays Harbor.

The oyster supper planned by the Chamber of Commerce for the evening of January 27th, will have a special interest for those among the visitors who are members of the Masonic order. The supper will be served in the newest Masonic temple in the state, alongside of which stands the oldest Masonic home on the Pacific coast.

MAYOR'S INAUGURAL ADDRESS

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without a word or two on a subject which of late has engrossed my mind a good deal, I mean the Morse wharf litigation. Now, gentlemen of the council, there is times when practical men can settle differences or their merits more advantageously to the parties interested, than if handicapped by legal technicalities, and in my judgment, this particular case is one of these. I know that each member of the outgoing council only had the interest of the city at heart when they took this case under consideration with a peaceable settlement in view, and I likewise feel impressed that Mr. Morse is dealing with us in a like spirit; therefore I feel convinced that we can come to an understanding and end the litigation.

The cases should be speedily disposed of, and at this time when our city is entering upon a period of activity, we can ill afford to retard its municipal improvements through long drawn out litigation. Our common interests are greater than any one man's. Let me therefore urge upon you that we take this matter in hand at an early date and earnestly strive to reach a settlement, and let us at it in a broad and generous spirit.

In my humble opinion one of the most important acts accomplished by our outgoing council, and one which I feel confident will mean more to our little city than any single act of the past, is the passing of the ordinance which granted to Mr. Morrow and his successors the right and privilege to build a railroad into and through our city. Personally I congratulate the city council on their prompt and business-like way in which they disposed of this measure, and in doing this I am not throwing any bouquets, for I witnessed their sincere deliberations in committee meetings and outside their official capacities prior to the final passage of the ordinance.

No sordid taint has blemished a single member of the council in connection with this grant, or for that matter in connection with any other act. This is the testimony of disinterested persons, and it is the truth. The outgoing council has set a high standard for the present council to follow, but I trust that they will be equal to the occasion, of which I have no doubt.

Thanking you for your kind attention, I am,

Yours truly,
N. K. MEAD,
Mayor.

In the Manual Training Magazine, published at Peoria, Ill., we find this item in regard to one department of our public schools:

The manual training work is growing at Port Angeles, Wash., The department which was started three years ago, now includes bench, lathe and forge work. It was necessary this year to build an addition, sixteen by twenty feet, to the thirty by fifty foot building used by the manual training classes. This addition was built entirely by the boys of the department. It will be used for a forge-room, and for work in moulding and cement construction. H.G. Singer is the supervisor of this thriving work.

At the last meeting of the Seattle Federation of Woman's Clubs, the candidacy of Mrs Josephine Preston of Walla Walla for State superintendent of public instruction was favorably discussed and praise for her deep interest in social progress and early education was expressed by a number of the members who know her personally.

When our townsman, M. T. Fuller, sold a pen of five prize chickens at the Peninsula Fair, Port Townsend, last fall for $35, some of his friends thought that was going some. But here is something that outclasses Mr. Fuller's chicken deal. We glean from the Puyallup Herald.

"Mrs. H. S. Johnson of this city has just sold to Edward Prescott of Seattle, her prize winning pen of five white Orpington chickens for $1,000. These chickens were hatched and raised on her property here, and the $1,000 is practically all profit.

"Mrs. Johnson has for several years made a specialty of white, black and blue Orpington chickens. She has been awarded first prize at various fairs and exhibitions thruout the state."

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A FIREPROOF AND PANIC PROOF SCHOOL.

Building In Collingwood, O., Has Direct Exit From Every Room.

A school building in which every room has a direct connection with the ground, without first entering the main hall, has been built just beside the site of the famous Collinwood, O., school in which 175 children perished by fire in 1908. It represents many unique features of construction and is said to be as fireproof and panic proof as it is possible for a school building to be.

There are twelve large classrooms and a spacious auditorium in the new building. Between each two rooms a cement stairway extends straight down to the ground, making it possible to empty the entire building in two minutes without using the main halls and with never more than two classes coming in contact with each other. The stairways from the rooms on the first floor are directly under the stairways from the second floor. Doors at the ground exits open on the slightest pressure.

Steel doors are used at the main entrances, and steel doors also separate the classrooms from the halls. Door and window casings are of steel. The floors are laid on concrete, and the roof is concrete. The corridors and cloakrooms have cement finished floors.

Each room is ventilated without the necessity of opening a window. An electrically operated fan twelve feet in diameter provides the ventilation. Heat is furnished from a separate building and passes beneath the floor in brick ducts. An even temperature is preserved by automatic devices.

The auditorium of this building is circular in form, is directly on the ground and has no balcony. There is a glass dome in the center for light. Seven exits lead from this room.

On the adjoining ground and directly on the site of the great fire a memorial park 140 by 500 feet is for flower gardens, shrubbery, decorative trees and lawn.

TEN COMMANDMENTS GIVEN FOR A SPOTLESS TOWN.

Calling itself the "spotless town," New Britain, Conn., has adopted the following ten commandments:

First.—Don't throw anything on the sidewalk or street. Find a rubbish can.

Second.—Don't tear up paper and scatter it anywhere.

Third.—Don't let any piles of ashes or rubbish stay in your back yard.

Fourth.—Don't mix ashes and garbage in the same can. Pigs don't like to eat old coal or clinkers.

Fifth.—Don't fill the ash bin or garbage can too full.

Sixth.—Don't chalk the sidewalk, fences, buildings or pavements.

Seventh.—Don't deface park benches, school furniture or any public property.

Eighth.—Don't forget that horses love banana skins. A banana skin isn't dangerous if it is inside a horse's stomach.

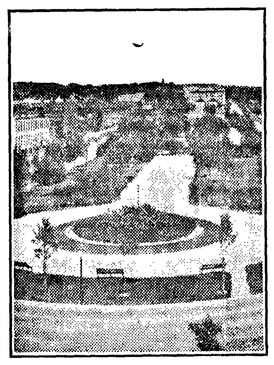
Ninth.—Don't do anything that will bring disgrace to the city where you live.

Tenth.—Don't expect your city to become clean and perfect all at once. It will become an ideal city only when everybody does something every day to help make things better.

DEMANDS CLEANER CITY.

Art League to Show Pictures of Unsightly Spots.

A fight for a cleaner Kansas City will start in earnest during the winter. The Art league will be its guiding spirit, and other organizations will



A PARK IN KANSAS CITY.

lend their support. The Art league will seek the following reforms:

An eradication of unsightly billboards.

An art commission of five or seven men to pass on the construction of public works.

More sightly rubbish cans on the uptown streets and strict laws in regard to throwing refuse on the streets.

A cleanup of unsightly vacant lots in the city, weeds cut and rubbish kept from them.

More window flower boxes along the streets.

"We will put these plans through by demanding the right kind of laws," said Frank S. Land, president of the league. "We will show pictures of the inartistic scenes, the unsightly vacant lots and hideous billboards taken from each ward. In that way we will arouse a spirit that will demand the legislation we are working for."

THE KING CAN DO NO WRONG.

Neither Can He Ever Die, According to British Law.

It is a curious point of British law that the king never dies, or, to put it in another way, it would be useless for any barrister to argue that the ruler's predecessors have really died, since the utmost the law will admit is that there may be a "demise of the crown," meaning, of course, simply that there has been a transfer of the royal authority from one person to another.

It is a maxim that "the king can do no wrong," and under the law he would not be held personally responsible for any crime or "tort" that he chose to commit at any time. At any rate, we are assured by high constitutional authorities that the law should actually and literally be so construed and that the statutes hold that any injury his majesty might inflict upon a subject must be ascribed to the king's advisers. One thing seems to be certain, and that is that his majesty can under no circumstances whatsoever be arrested. Nor, moreover, could his goods be distrained or taken in execution should he fail to meet his liabilities.

A quaint feature of British law is that in theory the king is present at the law court at every sitting, though he might in point of fact actually be on the continent or elsewhere It follows, therefore, that it is impossible to non suit him as plaintiff should he not put in an appearance when his case is called, since the law specifically states that the king is there. In a similar sense the king is always constructively present in parliament, though he be in fact thousands of miles from his shores.

His majesty is under the law the nominal guardian of all infants, idiots and lunatics, and to him is granted the sole right to print the Bible, the Book of Common Prayer and all acts of parliament in the United Kingdom. It has been stated, furthermore, that should he so desire the king could forbid the printing of any or all of them anywhere within his dominions. —Harper's.

MINED THE ROAD.

The Volunteers Wiped Out the Foe, but It Was a Sad Story.

"I can tell you the saddest thing that happened during the whole war," said an old negro to a group of listeners. The story was this. One night it was reported that the town was in peril of attack from the enemy, and the fighting forces were quickly mustered. One of the volunteers conceived the idea of mining the road and touching the fuse in time to annihilate the foe. There was plenty of powder, and the scheme was adopted. The rest of the defenders stood some on one side of the road, some on the other, ready to discharge their rifles into what might be left of the assailants.

The day passed without incident, but as the night wore on the strain of the situation began to tell on the nerves of the defenders. Presently, however, there was the sound of hoofs on the highway, approaching rapidly. Such was the state of mind of the defenders that the sounds appeared to indicate the coming of a mighty cavalry force It was a terrifying moment. A vivid flash lighting up the scene as the first horseman reached the spot told that the mine had been exploded and it had done its work. There was not a vestige of an army to be seen when the smoke cleared away excepting the scattered fragments of a big black mule.

The party laughed as the old man concluded his tale. "That's a good enough story," said one of them, "but what was there so sad about it?"

"It was my mule, sah!" was the old negro's pathetic reply.

A Battle of Languages.

Three or four languages strove for mastery in ancient Gaul, which is now France. German was spoken by the 12,000 Frank invaders. Popular Latin was spoken by 6,000,000 Gallo-Romans. Literary Latin was the language of the church and of literature. Low Latin was afterward the language of the administration. German was the first to succumb. In four centuries it ceased to be understood by the soldiers, and in seventy years more it had become an object of ridicule. But it survives in more than 900 words, expressing the things of government, law and war, and thus forms no insignificant part of the French language.

Corpse Rings.

The sailor of the old fashioned, shellback class always wears a corpse ring. This is a plain band of silver or gold, inscribed within with the sailor's name and port. Corpse rings are worn for the purpose of identification in case of death by drowning through shipwreck, etc. The shellback sailor can never swim, and he looks forward calmly to dying suddenly beneath the sea. Indeed, he usually prefers such a death to a lingering one in hospital.—Buffalo Express.

How He Got Out.

"No," said Woodby, "I don't see Wiseman at all any more. He has dropped out of our social set."

"He tells a different story," remarked Sinnickson.

"Indeed!"

"Yes; he claims he has climbed out." —Catholic Standard.

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LODGE NOTICES

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