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Phelps Dry Goods Co's.

Open Evenings Thursday, Friday and Saturday before Christmas.

Children's Shopping Days at Mrs. Phelps.

Saturday, December 17th
and
Saturday, December 24th

ON THESE TWO DAYS, a big reduction on all the Christmas toys will be given to the children. Bring all your pennies as you can buy more for your money here than at any other place in town.

A few hints to help the older members of the family with their Christmas shopping.

Mother would certainly like one of those leather shopping bags with traveling toilet case inside, and how about a box of nice fancy stockings for sister. We have them in all colors, silk finished, at 25 cts. a pair. Everyone likes a nice umbrella, and we surely have some fine ones, also a nice line of furs, automobile veils, Newport scarfs, fancy belt buckles, and novelty pins of all kinds.

Just Received, a splendid line of ***kid gloves*** including black and all colors. How about these for Christmas presents?

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store all kinds
of holiday goods.
You will find little
candles, dribbling wax,
spangles, bells and chimes,
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and whistles too. Dolls for girls
and banks for boys. Children's
watches made of brass, tin horns and
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paper, and harmonicas as well as knives. A
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mamma dear, and a toilet set for sister Lou.

All these things
on the tree, and
on the floor as
well as all kinds
of suitable gifts
for Christmas.

Times Clothing Mart

BRINGING LAKE TO ANGELES

New Fishing Resort Just Outside City Limits. Trout of All Clans Will Gather There.

"Think what a fish pond it will make," said Foreman F W. Mandau, of the Olympic Power Co., Monday morning, "why, we'll grow trout nine feet long! There are millions of fish in the river but Stakemiller and Nailor have kept the few pools cleaned out, and just as soon as the smaller ones that live out in the swift water get too large for shelter behind the rocks in the stream they are carried out to sea. That's why the ordinary fisherman never has any chance in the Elwha and has to go to Lake Sutherland. Now when we get this hundred foot dam built," continued Fred, "there will be a new Lake Sutherland right on the auto road within seven miles of town. It will be broad and deep and the current will be slow; all the big Dolly Vardens in the river will make it their home. We'll have a new summer resort with electric launches and all the fancy trimmings."

Speaking about the progress of the work, Mr. Mandau said he expected it would be three months before any work is done in the water. A trestle will first be built just above the surface of the river; this will carry the flume. When all is ready, piling will be put in above the trestle and rock and gravel dumped in to complete the temporary dam. Workmen—expert powder men from Montana—are now drilling and blasting out holes just above the water on either side the canyon to hold the ends of big logs, the foundation for the trestle. They are swung up and down, from bridge to water, in what they are pleased to call an aeroplane, the same being a small, wagon-box like platform which really does slide thru the air like a soaring bird when there is no one in it. Motive power is furnished by a big hoisting engine coupled to an 85-foot crane, which handles large logs as tho they were feathers.

The historic log jam is practically all gone; a few charges of dynamite loosened it so that the next high water took it out. During the recent heavy rains the river rose over ten feet, rising four feet in one night. The force of the current was something enormous, four and six foot trees coming down from up-river shooting thru the canyon like matches. Three or four ratts have been built, and lost, the largest one, made of logs driftbolted together, being no sooner launched than it was drawn under water and instantly thrown up against the canyon walls entirely out of water, smashing into pieces and going down stream as separate logs. Hence the necessity of the suspended platform, or aeroplane.

Very little more clearing has been done since our last visit, but more buildings have been built and grading is being done for the overflow channel across the river. Some forty or fifty men are employed at present and more will be added as work progresses.

OFFERS FREE LECTURE COURSE

A free lecture course is the prize to be awarded the school of any city or town of this state that makes the largest sale per capita of Christmas seals in the campaign now being waged by the Washington Association for the prevention and relief of Tuberculosis. First class cities of the state are barred from the contest, but all others may compete.

Three well known and popular lecturers from the faculty of the State University have a generously volunteered their services for this course, Prof. Edmond S. Meany, Prof. Maynard Lee Daggy and Prof. John Meany. These lectures will be given between February 1st and May 15th, on dates to be agreed upon by the winning school and the Washington Association. The subjects covered are very varied, one at least illustrated with stereoptican views, —and the school and town winning this prize will enjoy a rare treat. Try for it.

Wanted, to get board for pony for winter. Inquire of Olympic-Leader.

MACHINES FOR STUMP BURNING

Will Burn 40-inch Stumps and Roots in Three Days, with Three Hours' Work.

Clark Smith, the clever engineer of the Pacific Coast Condenser at Mount Vernon, has invented a new stump burning machine and has received his patent.

The new stump destroyer will not exceed $30 in cost and is said to burn a forty-inch stump, with roots, in seventy-two hours time and three hours of labor. The machine is very simple in appearance, says the Herald, light and easily handled by one man; but it is the application of certain familiar scientific principles of gas mixture and combustion long known to stove makers and laboratory men, but never before applied to the problem of clearing stumps off land. Its general description might be said to closely resemble an enlarged tobacco pipe. A long steel cylinder, eight to twelve feet in length, with a chimney or stack at one end; the cylinder contains three air tubes or chambers, so arranged as to give the proper admixture of oxygen and gases; the cylinder resting upon the ground, one end inserted partially under the stump. This is the external description. Just a little fire started in the end of the cylinder is all that is required to give the combustion a start, and after that, your concern, every six hours, will be to see that it is not burning too fiercely; for this powerful element mixer will easily generate sufficient heat to burn the earth beneath it to a slag.

One of the heaviest stump land owners in the state is already trying to secure several hundred of these machines which he proposes to use in clearing land extensively, having already satisfied himself of the feasibility and efficiency of the machine. There is no stock company to be formed, and no one will be asked to buy stock in the company; patent rights are not going to be sold. But the machines will be made for the patentee, and they will be set up and demonstrated and those who see them work will have a chance to purchase them at a reasonable price—from $27 to $50, according to the size of the machine.

One man can attend to about a dozen of these machines at a time, and without any cost may clear completely and thoroughly, five or six big fir or cedar stumps a day. And they may be used as effectually in the winter as in the summer season.

DOUBLE HEADER BASKET BALL GAME SATURDAY

There will be a double header basket ball game Saturday night, December 17th, at the A. A. A. Hall. The girls blue team will play the girls red team, and the Angeles High School will play the Angeles Athletic Association. There will be dancing after the games.

MASONIC OFFICERS.

Officers of Masonic lodge for 1911 elected Tuesday the 13th:

Herman Johnson, W. M.
E. D. Short, S. W.
W. B. Smith, J. W.
Robt. D. Willson, Treas.
C. E. Fulmer, Sec.
Williard Brumfield, S. D.
Dewitt Burns, J. D.
Boyd Edgar, L. S.
Harry Gray, J. S.
J. W. Hayne, Marshal.
Albert Draper, Chaplain.
John Hitch, Tyler.

CHRISTMAS SUGGESTIONS ?

Well, just go down to Lutz & Co.'s store and you will not have to puzzle your brain further. The swellest line of men's boxed goods ever brought to the city you will find there. Beautiful holly bedecked boxes containing one pair of silk hose with necktie or muffler to match, or maybe you would rather have those elegant suspenders with sleeve bands and sox supporters to match, and then just look at those neckties, also the handsome tie pins and cuff buttons. Your father, brother or sweetheart could be made happy with one of these gifts.

THE LEADER DEPARTMENT STORE

OUR Prices help your Christmas spending money go further, that is a big consideration for you, be sure and pay attention to it.

DOLLS priced from 10c up to $1.00

TOYS 5c 10c 15c 25c.

Children are better pleased with ten 10 cent toys, than they are with one 50 cent toy.

Games 5c, 10c, 15c, 25c.

Special Sale on Presents for Big Folks

Ladies' and Boys' Sweaters
Ladies' Sweaters, $3.50 sweaters for $2.50
$2.50 sweaters for $1.75
Boys Sweaters, $1.00, and $1.50

Misses' Capes
Misses Capes, regular price $2.75 $3.00 $3.50 we offer any of them for..... **$2.50**

Ladies and Children's Shoes
No better shoes and no better present.
$5.00 Shoes for $4.00, $4.00 Shoes for $3.00
$3.50 Shoes for $2.50
Misses High Top Shoes, $2.00 and $2.50
Childrens' High Top Shoes $1.40

Silk Petticoats on Sale.
$6.50 kind for $5.50, $5.00 kind for $4.00
$4.00 " " $3.00, $3.00 " " $2.00

Ladies Imported Kid Gloves.
$2.00, $1.50, $1.00

Men's and Boys' Shoes
Boys Shoes $1.40 up to $2.25
Men's Shoes $2.25 up to $4.00

Men's Shirts and Neckties
Men's Fine Shirts, the regular $1.25 shirt $1.00
Men's Neckties in a fancy Christmas box 50c

Golf Gloves
Ladies' Knitted Golf Gloves in black 25c, 50c.

Handkerchiefs
The best line of Handkerchiefs and priced the most reasonable that you can find, from 5c up to $1.35 each.

The Free Sewing Machine
Sold everywhere for $40. our price $35, a very fine present for the wife.

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Minor Happenings of the Week

The government's case against the coal trust will be carried to the supreme court of the United States.

Capt. Albert Mertz has been nominated by the president at Washington as a rear admiral, to succeed Rear Admiral John B. Milton, who retires.

At Pau, France, Aviator Le Gagneux, in a Bleriot monoplane, last week broke the record for altitude, according to an unofficial announcement. His barograph showed that he ascended 10,400 feet.

The Arizona Constitution has been completed and the constitutional convention has adjourned. The document now goes to President Taft for approval or rejection.

A wireless message from Seattle to the government life saving tug Snohomish at the Neah Bay station, resulted in the saving of the barkentine Griffiths, which was disabled off the Vancouver coast last week.

Within a few years the library of Congress will occupy the supreme position in numerical strength among the libraries of the world. It now ranks third, with the Bibliotheque Nationale and the British Musueum holding first and second places.

To promote the welfare of the Farmers' Educational and Co-operative Union in Oregon, an organizer has been sent from Washington to begin a campaign for membership. His work will consist of organizing locals of the Farmers' Union, and in getting these locals started on a firm basis.

Donald A. McKenzie, who was arrested last week charged with conspiring with four others to procure title fraudulently to 2,000 acres of coal land in Alaska, has been released under $25,000 bonds. Mr. McKenzie regards the case as virtually a test of the government's position on Alaska coal lands.

MILLMEN HAVE PLENTY OF ORDERS FOR PRODUCT

Seattle, Dec. 10.—With one 20,000,000-foot lumber order just placed, a 3,778,000-foot government order about to be placed and manufacturers able to book all the business they desire at the prevailing prices, the lumber industry is rapidly recovering from the slump in which it has been wallowing for three months. With the present active demand for lumber manufacturers are predicting an advance in prices within thirty days.

Divided Among Northwest Mills.

Instead of purchasing 7,000,000 feet of lumber, as originally announced, the Chicago, Burlington & Quincy railroad has during the last few days contracted to purchase approximately 20,000,000 feet of forest products. The prices at which lumbermen were willing to furnish the lumber were such that the purchasing department decided to increase the order to close to 20,000,000 feet. To Lord & Bushnell, a Chicago firm, has been alloted a large portion of the big order. This firm is parceling the business among the Northwest mills. The Henry Dickinson Lumber Company has also received a large allotment of the order.

Big Timber for Canal.

The largest government lumber order put out since last summer has just been issued by the Panama canal commission. The bids are to be opened December 27, at Washington, D. C. The commission is in the market for 3,778,000 feet of lumber, mostly dimension. A large proportion of the order is for large timbers which yellow pine manufacturers cannot supply, and which will have to be purchased in the Northwest.

Nearly all lumbermen whose plants are in operation report that they can get all the orders they want. One of the biggest mills at Portland has so many orders on its books that the plant is being operated nights. A few other plants are also using night shifts.

SAMUEL HILL URGES LONG NATIONAL ROAD

Indianapolis, Ind., Dec. 10.—Urging that congress be asked to construct a national road from Walla Walla Wash., to Omaha, Neb., called the "Marcus Whitman Way," in honor of "the man who saved to the United States that great territory now comprising Washington, Oregon and Idaho," Samuel Hill, of Seattle, addressing the American Good Roads Congress, declared the question of good roads one of comparison to which "the tariff question and the building of the Panama canal are mere jokes."

Northwestern Is Floated.

Seattle, Dec. 12.—The Alaska Steamship Company's steamship Northwestern, which went on the rocks at False Bay, San Juan Island, December 2, was floated at high tide Saturday, and proceeded to Seattle under her own steam. Extensive repairs to the damaged steamer will be necessary.

Washington State News Items

Steps are being taken to collect about 1,500 unpaid state liquor licenses.

The state board of education will meet in Seattle for four days, commencing December 26.

A municipal water system to cost $300,000, carried by a vote of 7 to 1 in an election held at Ellensburg last week.

The war department has decided that the military tournament on the Pacific Coast for the next year is to be held at Tacoma, if an appropriation is obtained from congress.

State university fraternities are prohibited from pledging high school students hereafter under a rule passed by the faculty at the request of Seattle and Bellingham high school principals.

Representative McCredie has advised the president that his first choice appointments to West Point and Annapolis are Frank E. Mayer of Vancouver and Fred W. Riggs of McCormick.

Renton will soon have a modern school building with a large playfield, if the board of education can find a suitable site. Bonds in the sum of $65,000 were voted for this purpase last Saturday.

By paying $20,000 into the Thurston county superior court Friday, the sum representing the face of the official bond, the National Surety Company has disposed of the Ortis Hamilton shortage so far as it is concerned.

The Tukanon valley, comprising 12,000 acres of fine bottom land, is to be developed and put under a gravity irrigation system by an association of capitalists organized at Dayton. That this valley will produce an annual produce crop of $3,000,000 in four years, the investors assert.

"Twenty-five Reasons Why You Should Come to Western Washington" is the title of a booklet describing and illustrating the wonderful resources of the Puget Sound country, issued by W. D. Skinner, general freight and passenger agent of the Oregon & Washington Railway Company, 50,000 copies of which were circulated at the recent United States Land and Irrigation Congress at Chicago.

CHINESE SOON WILL HAVE CONSTITUTION

Peking, Dec. 10.—It seems safe to announce that the ancient absolute regime in China will exist only historically after the Chinese New Year in January, 1911. It is stated that the throne has decided to accede to the resolution of the imperial senate praying for the immediate creation of a constitutional cabinet.

Political events in China have moved with a rapidity that appears almost revolutionary when it is considered that the provincial assemblies representing the first step toward popular government in the empire's history of thousands of years were inaugurated so recently as October 14, 1909.

The first imperial senate met on October 3 last. The late empress dowager had decreed that a general representative legislative body to be known as the imperial parliament be convoked in 1915 at the end of a nine-year period of preparation.

People Impatient.

However, the people, having had a taste of popular government, were impatient and the senate, soon after it was organized, demanded the immediate convocation of a general parliament. The throne and grand council yielded to the extent of advancing the date for the inauguration of parliament to 1913, a decree making this effective being promulgated on November 4.

It was at first thought that the senate, one-half of the membership of which was appointed by the throne, would be subservient, but early in its existence it developed a striking independence and exhibited a spirit that was almost rebellious.

Persuasion Effective.

When a few weeks ago this attitude was changed notably, the general belief was that the body had been intimidated. An increased number of troops in the streets was mistaken as an evidence of the government's determination to suppress the activities of the provincial delegates and their supporters.

It appears now that these and others who urged a still earlier meeting of parliament had no intention of abandoning their campaign, but simply altered their tactics and embarked upon a plan of private though undoubtedly forceful persuasion.

Fish Catch Worth $14,000,000.

Olympia, Dec. 10.—An output of fish close to $14,000,000 is what 1910 statistics for Washington will show. In asking the legislature for an appropriation of $30,000 for the state bureau of statistics, agriculture and immigration, Secretary of State Howell has in mind the exploitation of the state's increasing fish industry, the present year showing an advance of about $500,000, the value of the output having been $13,534,010.10. These figures include salmon, packed, fresh, salted and smoked fish, oysters, clams and crabs.

WASHINGTON SHOWS GREATER GAIN IN POPULATION THAN ANY OTHER STATE

Washington, Dec. 12.—In the United States and all its possessions the Stars and Stripes protect 101,100,000 souls. This is the official estimate of the United States bureau of the census, announced Saturday in connection with the population statistics for the country as enumerated in the thirteenth census. It includes the Philippines, Samoa, Guam, Hawaii, Alaska and the Panama Canal Zone.

Within its borders on the North American continent, exclusive of Alaska, the United States has a population of 91,972,266 inhabitants.

Country Gains 15,977,691.

In the last ten years the states of the Union had an increase in population of 15,977,691, which amounts to 21 per cent over the 1900 figures.

Since the first census was taken, in 1790, the country has grown 25 times as large, the population then having been 3,929,214, slightly larger than the present population of Texas.

The growth of the country was greater than has been expected by the expert statisticians, who have closely watched the progress of the country's population.

Washington's Gain Highest.

The state of Washington carries off the banner for rate of increase in population between 1900 and 1910. Its present population, announced by the census bureau Saturday to be 1,141,990, exceeds that of 1900 by 623,887, or a gain of 120.4 per cent.

No other state in the Union showed so large an increase. Oklahoma is second with 109.7 per cent gain, and Idaho is third with 101.3 per cent. With this enormous increase of population, Washington will have five representatives in congress after the new apportionment is made, and would have six but for the fact that the basis of apportionment probably will be increased to 225,000 or 230,000.

Census Director Durand Saturday called attention to the fact that the rate of growth of population during the past ten years was greater in the Pacific Northwest than in any other part of the country, the average increase for Oregon, Washington and Idaho, taken collectively, being 94.6 per cent.

Coast Develops Rapidly.

Taking the three coast states alone, exclusive of Idaho, the rate of increase is 81.6 per cent, and even this rate is far greater than that shown by any other portion of the United States, except the Northwestern trio.

The compilation of state statistics given out Saturday shows Oregon to be the 36th state in size, Washington is 30th and Idaho is 46th. Ten years ago Oregon was 35th, Washington 33d and Idaho 47th. Oregon's apparent drop of one place is due to the combination of Oklahoma and Indian Territories, forming a new state whose population exceeds that of Oregon. Therefore, in reality Oregon's place among the states has not changed. Washington has moved up three points and Idaho one.

Director Durand expressed some surprise that Oregon's heavy gain in population had not elevated the state on the list, but a careful scrutiny of the figures shows the announcement to be correct.

Washington Counties Given.

The table of population of Washington by counties shows that Columbia alone has a decrease. The county figures are:

County—	1910.	1900.
Adams	10,920	4,840
Asotin	5,831	3,366
Benton	7,937	.....
Chehalis	35,590	15,124
Chelan	15,104	3,913
Clallam	6,755	5,603
Clark	26,115	13,410
Columbia	7,042	7,128
Cowlitz	12,561	7,877
Douglas	9,227	4,926
Ferry	4,800	4,562
Franklin	5,153	486
Garfield	4,199	3,918
Grant	8,698	.....
Island	4,704	1,870
Jefferson	8,337	5,712
King	284,638	110,053
Kitsap	17,647	6,767
Kittitas	18,561	9,704
Klickitat	10,180	6.407
Lewis	32,127	15,157
Lincoln	17,539	11,969
Mason	5,156	3,810
Okanogan	12,887	4,689
Pacific	12,532	5,983
Pierce	120,812	55,515
San Juan	3,603	2,928
Skagit	29,241	14,272
Skamania	2,887	1,688
Snohomish	59,209	23,950
Spokane	139,404	57,542
Stevens	25,297	10,543
Thurston	17,581	9,927
Wahkiakum	3,285	2,819
Walla Walla	31,913	18,680
Whatcom	49,511	24,116
Whitman	33,280	25,360
Yakima	41,709	13,462

Other states, announcement concerning the population of which was withheld until the country's total population was announced, were as follows:

Georgia, 2,609,121, an increase of 392,790, or 17.7 per cent, over 2,216,331 in 1900, when the increase over 1890 was 378,978, or 20.6 per cent.

Montana, 376,053, an increase of 132,724, or 54.5 per cent over 243,329 in 1900, when the increase over 1890 was 100,405, or 70.3 per cent.

Wisconsin, 2,333,860, an increase of 264,818, or 12.7 per cent, over 2,069,042 in 1900, when the increase over 1890 was 375,712, or 22.2 per cent.

Population of the counties containing the principal cities are:

In Montana—Cascade, 28,838; Deer Lodge, 12,988; Lewis and Clark, 21,853; Missoula, 23,596; Silver Bow, 56,848; Yellowstone, 22,944.

In Washington—King, 284,638; Pierce, 120,812; Spokane, 139,404; Walla Walla, 31,931.

No city or town statistics were issued for these states.

In a statement explaining the increase of population of the continental United States to 91,972,266, Director Durand attributed the growth largely to greater net additions through immigration.

He finds a wider disparity in the growth of the different states in the past decade than for any other. The range is from a decrease of 5.6 per cent down to an increase of 120 per cent in Washington.

"The states showing the lowest increase, falling below 10 per cent," he said, "are Iowa, Missouri, Kentucky, Indiana and Tennessee, the three northern New England states and Maryland and Delaware.

"The states showing the next highest increase, between 10 and 20 per cent, include Ohio, Michigan, Wisconsin, Illinois, Minnesota, Nebraska, Kansas, Virginia, North Carolina, South Carolina, Georgia, Alabama and Mississippi.

"States which show an increase from 20 to 30 per cent are for the most part the great manufacturing states, including Massachusetts, Rhode Island, Connecticut, New York, Pennsylvania and West Virginia. The only other states increasing between 20 and 30 per cent are Arkansas and Texas.

Greatest Increase in West.

"The states which show an increase exceeding 30 per cent are, with the exception of New Jersey and Florida, all in the West and make up a belt comprising one-third of the area of the United States. South Dakota, Colorado and Utah have increased between 30 and 50 per cent, while North Dakota, Wyoming, Oregon, Nevada, California, New Mexico and Arizona increased between 50 and 100 per cent, and Oklahoma, Idaho and Washington more than 100 per cent.

"The increase in the ten years, 1900 to 1910, was greater than in the previous decade in 26 of the states, 15 of these being west of the Mississippi river.

"The increase in the last decade was less than in the previous one in 13 states, most of which are east of the Mississippi river.

"The greatest change in growth is found in the three Pacific Coast states and Nevada and New Mexico, all of which grew far faster in the last ten years than in the decade preceding.

CENSUS RECOUNT GIVES TACOMA SLIGHT INCREASE

Tacoma, Dec. 10.—Statistician Hunt, sent to Tacoma by the census bureau, announced Friday, after one month's work of rechecking and recounting, that the census is 83,743, which is a gain of nearly 800 compared with the figures given out by Director Durand some time ago, but about 33,000 below the figures originally turned into the census bureau by the local supervisor, Mr. Kelly.

Mr. Hunt announced that on Monday he will begin preparing the evidence upon which he expects to convict a number of dishonest enumerators in the federal courts.

The figures as given out show a growth of 120 per cent as compared with the census of 1900.

SPOKANE WELL PLEASED OVER CENSUS FIGURES

Spokane, Dec. 10.—Spokane people are elated over the announcement by the census bureau that the city's population is 104,402, and that Spokane has passed fifty-seven cities in the ten years.

Plans are on foot to hold a monster luncheon Tuesday noon, in celebration of the growth of Spokane.

Addresses are to be made by men prominent in city affairs regarding Spokane's phenomenal growth and her future.

It has been proposed to change the famous "150,000 Club," to a Quarter of a Million Club."

ALASKA'S POPULATION INCREASE NOT LARGE

Washington, Dec. 10.—Population statistics issued by the census bureau included the following:

State of Wyoming, 145,965; an increase of 53,434, or 57.7 per cent over 92,531 in 1900. The increase from 1890 to 1900 was 29,976, or 47.9 per cent.

The territory of Alaska, 64,356, an increase of 764, or 1.2 per cent over 63,592 in 1900. The increase from 1890 to 1900 was 31,540, or 98.4 per cent.

Hawaiian islands, 191,909, an increase of 37,908, or 24.6 per cent over 154,0001 in 1900.

City of Honolulu, 52,183, an increase of 12,877, or 32.8 per cent over 39,306 in 1900.

Islands of the Hawaiian group as follows:

Hawaii, 55,382; Kauai and Niyhau, 23,952; Lanai, Maui, Kahoolawe and Molokai, 29,762; Oahu, including Honolulu district, 82,028; Kalawao, 785.

METHODS OF POLICE SCORED BY COURT

SUPREME COURT SAYS INQUISITION PROCEEDINGS ARE ILLEGAL.

Conviction of Peter Miller Set Aside Because Confession Was Obtained Under Duress—No Law Officers Have Been Granted Inquisitorial Powers.

That the decision of the Supreme court setting aside the conviction of burglary in the Peter Miller case will result in his going free, is the statement of Judge J. M. Glaegow, the prisoner's attorney. Miller is now confined in the county jail where he has been held pending the decision of his case by the supreme court.

The sensational charges made by Miller against the Seattle police department, during the progress of his trial, started an agitation which has not abated. Although the police denied that Miller had been assaulted with a bludgeon and knocked senseless, it was admitted, however, that he was confined in the black hole until he was ready to confess. It was Miller's contention that he would have confessed to anything to escape the torture of the police.

Misconduct of Jury.

In the Miller decision, which was handed down Friday, the supreme court emphatically condemns the "third degree" as a means of getting evidence. The two chief points upon which the conviction was set aside were the alleged confessions of Miller and his accomplice Willis Taylor, obtained after Miller had been kept in the black hole nearly a week and after Taylor had been in jail three months, and the misconduct of the jury in visiting the private room of Capt. of Detectives Charles Tennant.

Under his own admission, the court found that Prosecuting Attorney George F. Vanderveer visited Miller in jail upon several occasions and made a threat or a veiled threat prior to obtaining the alleged confession. The court took judicial notice of the fact that Miller was kept in the black hole and quotes the testimony of the police that this means was frequently employed to force prisoners to tell things the police wanted to know whether true or not.

Rights Invaded.

This, the decision says, "plainly indicates the fact that the sacred rights of citizenship had been invaded by officers of the law."

The court says, "neither policemen, detectives nor jailors have inquisitorial powers." The decision says that the methods of the Spanish inquisition, with dungeon and bludgeon have passed and that "an attempt to revive them, even in a mild form, ought to call forth the execration of the people."

During his trial in Seattle, Miller, who knows a smattering of law, defended himself. Subsequently he engaged the services of an attorney who, at the second trial, obtained a change of venue to Tacoma. Miller testified that he had been kept in the black hole until he was nearly crazed and that he had been brutally assaulted by Capt. Tennant, knocked senseless with a club and was revived by Tennant's bulldog licking the blood from his face.

Visited Dark Cell.

The jury which tried Miller in Seattle visited the city jail to see the dark cell and to investigate the story told by Miller. While at police headquarters, the jury, at the invitation of Tenant, visited his private office where the assault upon Miller was alleged to have occurred. While in the office Tennant explained that the only bludgeon which he had was a lead pencil and made other statements concerning the case which the supreme court holds were designed to discredit sworn testimony. The misconduct on the part of the jury is one reason why the conviction is set aside.

Four More Charges.

Miller was also convicted at the Tacoma trial, but sentence was never pronounced. There are four additional charges of burglary hanging over him, which, however, according to his attorney, are based largely upon the alleged confessions testified to by Tennant and Vanderveer, and upon the testimony of Willis Taylor. Attorney Glasgow believes that if the testimony of these witnesses is not admitted, there will be nothing to hold Miller.

Raspberries Now Ripe.

Ridgefield, Dec. 10.—It is not uncommon for strawberries to yield a second crop in Washington, but it is a novelty to see ripe raspberries hanging on the bushes in December. Robert Wilson has picked a branch from his patch, which was loaded with beautiful ripe berries. Mrs. H. S. McConnell, also, has picked luscious berries from her patch and the bushes are white with blossoms.

Free Trade Bills Introduced.

Washington, Dec. 10—Several measures intended to affect the tariff have been presented in the house. Mr. Smith, of Texas, offered a bill to admit lumber free of duty, and Mr. Clark, of Florida, introduced a measure for the free admission of all food and food products.

WHITE IS NOW CHIEF JUSTICE

PRESIDENT PROMOTES ASSOCIATE AND NOMINATION IS CONFIRMED.

Two Other Supreme Court Nominations Made, Also Members of the New Interstate Commerce Court—Some Changes from Original Slate.

Washington, Dec. 13.—The senate yesterday confirmed the nomination of Edward Douglas White, of Louisiana, to be chief justice of the United States.

President Taft's promotion of Associate Justice White was received by the senate shortly after it convened. The senate interrupted business to go into executive session to make the necessary confirmation, as the rule requiring reference of nominations to committees does not apply in cases where the appointees have served as members of the senate. Chief Justice White's commission will be issued before another session.

Other Nominations.

Accompanying Justice White's name in the list of nominations were those of Justice Willis Van Devanter, of Wyoming, now a judge of the Eighth judicial circuit, and Joseph R. Lamar, of Georgia, formerly of the supreme court of his state, to be associate justices of the supreme court of the United States.

No action was taken in their cases, although there is no apparent opposition, nor was any attempt made to confirm the judges named for the new court of commerce. All were referred to the senate judiciary committee. The following nominations were made:

To be judges of the new court of commerce: Martin F. Knapp, now chairman of the interstate commerce commission, for a term of five years; Robert W. Archbald, now United States district judge for the Middle district of Pennsylvania, term of four years; William H. Hunt, now a judge of the court of customs appeals, formerly United States district judge of the district of Montana, term of three years.

South Dakotan Named.

John Emett Carland, of South Dakota, to be judge of the new court of commerce for a term of two years. This is a change from the original slate, Arthur C. Denison, United States district judge for the Western division of Michigan, having first been selected for this place.

Julian W. Mack, now judge in the appellate circuit court of the First Illinois district, term of one year.

To be members of the interstate commerce commission: B. H. Meyer, of Wisconsin, and C. C. McCord, of Kentucky.

To Fill Vacancies.

The appointments to the interstate comemrce commission are to be made to fill the vacancies caused by the elevation of Mr. Knapp to the commerce court, and the forthcoming retirement of former Senator Francis M. Cockrell, of Missouri. The commission will elect its new chairman. The members of the commisison who remain are: Messrs. Clarke, Harlan, Clements, Lane and Prouty.

New Designations.

In the official nominations sent to the senate yesterday the members of the new commerce court are designated as additional circuit judges. In carrying this out, Mr. Knapp is named as judge of the Second judicial circuit; Mr. Archbald for the Third judicial circuit; Mr. Hunt for the Ninth judicial circuit; Mr. Carland for the Ninth judicial circuit; Mr. Carland for the Eighth judicial circuit, and Mr. Mack for the Seventh judicial circuit.

Judge Carland of South Dakota, named as one of the new judges of the court of comemrce, is a Democrat, having been appointed to the bench by President Cleveland. His appointment makes the complexion of the court three Republicans and two Democrats.

White Is Grateful.

Judge White later issued the following statement:

"The president and senate have indeed honored me, the one by nominating, and the other by confirming me without reference, as chief justice that is to preside over the sessions of the court and to be its spokesman in matters of administration.

"I am deeply grateful, not only to the president and the senate for the confidence thus reposed in me, but also to all those, whether lawyer or laymen, and whether in public or in private life, who without solicitation or knowledge on my part may have recommended or suggested that nomination."

Building Falls Off.

Chicago, Dec. 10.—Official reports from forty-seven cities of the United States, according to the American Contractor, show a decrease in building operations in the aggregate of three per cent for November. Seattle showed a decrease of 18 per cent, while operations in San Francisco and Tacoma fell off 49 per cent and 62 per cent respectively.

Rights Granted to Jews in Russia.

St. Petersburg, Dec. 13.—An imperial order has been published confirming a resolution recently adopted by the cabinet permitting Jewish merchants of the first guild to reside in the city and province of Moscow.

Holiday Bargains at Port Angeles Grocery.

BARRELS OF CANDY

to be sold very cheap. Give us your order.

Until after Christmas we will sell goods listed below in any quantity **for cash**.

Choice Apricots 25c value		2 cans for 35c
Shredded Pineapple		2 cans for 25c
2 lb. cans, Corned or Roast Beef		40c
Del Monte Pumpkin per can		10c
Standard Tomatoes,	per doz.	$1.00
Olives, 50c value		40c
Olives, 40c value		35c
Bulk Olives, fine and large, per pt.		30c
5 lb. Box English Breakfast Tea		$1.50
Beans, large or small, white, per lb.		5½c
Corn Meal	per 10 lb. sack	30c
Fine Large Hams	per lb.	18½c

F. A. STILES = = Phone 38

A Merry Xmas and a Happy New Year

Remember that we can supply you with many of the articles necessary for your Christmas Dinner and solicit your patronage.

Sealshipt Oysters

Oysters prepar ed in some way are necessary to complete a Holiday Dinner. Try a pint of Sealshipt Oysters. You will need no urging after the first trial. 50c per pint of solid meats.

Kippered Salmon

Ready to serve, or can be cooked to suit. 15c per pound.

SMOKED CHINOOK Salmon, 20c, 2 lbs. for 35c.

CRANBERRIES, 15c per quart.

SWEET POTATOES, 6 lbs. for 25c.

MALAGA GRAPES, 20c lb.

CALIFORNIA HONEY, 20c lb.

We carry a large stock of Fresh Vegetables, Fresh, Salt, Smoked and Canned Fish, Crabs, Shrimps, etc.

CITY FISH MARKET

The few days between now and CHRISTMAS will be filled with the cares of gift buying.

Be Photographed by Us and Save 12 Cares.

New Styles Mounts Just In

Fulmer's Studio

Weeks Abstract Co.

Abstracts of Title

To all lands in Clallam County, from the patent, or continued from any date desired.

Certified information of all kinds.

Maps and Blue Prints of City, County or Additions.

Port Angeles, Wash.

CITY NEWS

Look up the ad of Fulmer's Studio.

For the celebrated Libbey cut glass go to P. J's.

See the window of fancy Leather Goods at Nailor's.

Christmas candles? a big line of them at Dale's.

Holiday Stationery. Fifteen cents to 2.50 per box at Nailor's.

Some bargains in underwear and hose at Mrs. Jameson's.

Have a Christmas group taken of your family at Fulmer's studio.

Remember that Baker will trade you a new range for your old stove.

Confectionery of all kinds, with special prices for the holiday trade at C. S. Dale's.

Dewitt Sisson, of McDonald returned home from a business trip up-sound.

Mr. Fulmer is busy making Christmas pictures. Better make your appointment for a sitting now.

How about an Ingersoll watch for that boy or girl, $1 00 to $2.50 and guaranteed for one year at Nailor's.

See our chinaware department; we feel proud of our selection of new dinner sets and would like you to see them. Willson Hardware Co.

One of those fancy Gillette Safety Razors or a Rider Perfection Fountain Pen would make him an excellent and servicable gift. See them at Nailor's.

The moon shone bright on a happy crowd of our young people last Tuesday evening, as they went sailing out to the "Spit" where they had a clam bake, games, and all-around good time.

An exclusive line of tailored shirt waists and beautiful dress patterns of all kinds you will find at Mrs. Goldwater's.

Modern Woodmen of America—Your attention is called to the fact that the annual election of officers of camp 6043 is to be held on Friday evening, December 23 at 8 o'clock. All members are earnestly requested to attend.

Before selecting your Christmas books look over the new lot just received by Mathewson; it includes all the latest novels, also some of the classics in leather binding, bibles, and a nice line of books for boys and girls.

Last week this paper inadvertently sent Dr. McGillivray east of the mountains. The Doctor says that he believes in advertising, but not exactly in this instance, as he has no intention of leaving Angeles at this time He says that many whom he meets are offering regrets over his contemplated departure, as they suppose, from our city. It was "Doc" Stewart McGillivray, the telegraph operator, whom the item referred to, and the intelligent compositor caused the written abbreviation to appear in the paper "Dr." instead of "Doc".

Come in and see our new lot of art square mattings, the best kind for bedrooms and in ten different patrens; we also have a new line of rugs of all sizes and kinds. Christopherson & Leland.

FISHER'S BAZAAR.

Toys from five cents up, plain and mechanical. Toy dishes and in fact everything to make the little ones happy.

For best light use Macda Lamps. Toler Supply Co.

New crop of No. 1 English Walnuts. Gate City Grocery.

Everybody wants a good knife. You can get a dandy of C. S. Dale.

Visiting cards and card envelopes at the Olympic-Leader office.

Wouldn't SHE like one of those lovely boxes of candies just received at Mathewson's?

In sachet powder, fancy box perfumes, and bulk odors, we lead at Nailor's.

How about that Kodak or Fountain Pen as a holiday gift, at Nailor's.

Did you see those fancy Christmas post cards at Goldwater Bros. for only one cent?

Christmas toys of all kinds for girls and boys will be found at Cristopherson & Leland's.

Mrs. Munson and Mrs. Warren of Dungeness were doing shopping in Angeles Wednesday.

Christmas being a legal holiday, the banks and post office will be closed Sunday, the 25th.

Hats must all be sold before New Years, so prices are reduced to the lowest at Mrs. Jameson's.

Fisher's Bazaar for souvenirs of Port Angeles. Correct picture of the harbor, city and mountains.

The Nineteen Ten Dance Club meets tonight, Friday the 16th, at the Parish Hall.

For anything in the jewelery line go to P. J. Williams, the oldest established business house in the city.

Carpet laying, mattress making, upholstering, furniture repairing. L. Guy, Opp. P.O., Port Angeles.

M. J. Carrigan, King County's efficient and fighting commissioner, was an Angeles visitor this week.

There is still time for a very few people to get portraits finished before Christmas at Fulmer's studio.

The ladies of the Fortnightly Club will entertain their husbands at Dr. McGillivray's home, December 8th.

C. S. Dale is doing a wholesale and retail business in all brands of tobacco and cigars. Give him a call.

Fancy Princess Jersey Creamery Butter, fresh and sweet, 40c per pound at the Gate City Grocery.

F. E. Warner, the Optician, will be at the Merchants Hotel, on December 13, 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, 19th.

Nothing is superior or more appreciated as a gift than a piece of Ha d Painted China or Cut Glass. See the exceptional values at Nailor's.

The difficulty with some Christmas shoppers is to know what to buy, but the majority of us find it more difficult to pay for what we know we want to get.

We have a fine new line of Christmas Novelties and Post Cards. Call in and look them over. Goldwater Bros.

T. T. Aldwell & Co. will occupy the store room recently vacated by the Willson Hdw. after the first of January.

Big sale of fancy work in building opposite post office, Saturday, December 17th. Tea and wafers 10c. St. Andrew's Guild.

We carry a nice line of useful and enjoyable gifts for girls and boys. Sleds, skates, chairs, tables, doll buggies, etc. Willson Hardware.

The next regular meeting of the Brotherhood of the First Congregational Church, Port Angeles, occurs at the church Monday evening, December 19th.

Indian baskets, just the thing to send to your eastern friends for Christmas, can be had in all sizes and the finest weaves at Baker's.

Remember Willson has as fine a line of table silver ware as one could wish for, and carving sets that are real beauties, these are the things that one appreciates for Christmas.

Have you seen the big line of Rockford silver plated goods at P. J's? These goods are sold under a positive 25 year guarantee. Come in and look them over. P. J. Williams.

Stereoptican Lecture at the Congregational church Sunday evening at 7:30. The slides are from the American Board of Commissioners of Foreign Missions and represent our work in Mexico. A collection for missions will be taken.

When weary with your Christmas shopping go to Willson's Hardware Co.'s and in their cozy, comfortable Rest Room forget the cares that infest the day and think how fortunate we are to have business men with the push and energy of the Willson Hardware Co. There are few towns in the West the size of Angeles that can boast of so fine store and the ladies rest room and toilet is certainly a valuable addition.

Throw away that old oil wasting lamp burner and get a Saxonial Incandescent burner at Fulmer's Studio. Fit your old lamp.

A splendid line of solid silverware a P. J. Williams.'

Judge Still has been in town this week holding court.

Bring your pictures to Johnson & Bork and have them framed.

Full line of Holly Tags and seals for your holiday packages at Nailor's.

How about a razor for a Holiday Gift. All kinds and prices at Nailor's.

F. E. Warner, the Optician, will at the Merchant's Hotel during December.

Leland Beam finished his term of school at Mora and returned home Wednesday.

A fancy line of box candies; just the thing for her Christmas Gift. Goldwater Bros.

Miles Earles of Port Crescent spent a few days of this week in Angeles.

Howard Farmer returned home Wednesday to take a position in the Citizen's National.

The most complete and elegant line of toilet cases ever shown in the city at P. J. Williams.

See the window full of cut glass at Nailor's. All fancy but the price. That's quite common.

Holiday books all in. Make your selection early. We will hold them for you at Nailor's.

The T. D. C. club met with Mrs. Frank Fisher Thursday and enjoyed a very delightful afternoon.

Fisher's Bazaar for your Holiday Goods for old and young, rich or poor—a full line to select.

Miss McCaffrey returned from Seattle Sunday, after having spent a very pleasant week there with friends.

F. E. Warner, the Optician, will be at the Hotel St. Clair, Sequim, Wash., December 20th and 21st.

Remember that C. S. Dale carries a complete line of all the late magazines, and a new stock of stationery.

How would a package of one hundred visiting cards do for the sister for Christmas? See the Olympic-Leader, or Phone 44.

W. E. McAnis and family have moved into the nice comfortable house on Pine Hill owned by E. D. Short.

A duplicate order in candy over stocks us, so we will sell cheap to make it go during the Holidays. Come in and get our prices. Port Angeles Grocery.

Wanted—To exchange Everett property for farm near Port Angeles. H. Fathers, at Port Angeles, or 2326 Colby Ave., Everett, Wash.

A few handsome burnt wood boxes for sale at Baker's; also remember we have some very nice pieces of china, we would be glad to show you when buying your Christmas china.

Did you ever see prettier material for kimonas than Mrs. Goldwater has? Your daughter would enjoy one for Christmas.

What's the matter with a new range or heater for a Christmas present. Just look at the dandies at the Willson Hardware Co.

Muskett simplifies your shopping by having counters where you see the price of every article—5, 10, 15, 20, 25, and 75 cent counters, and even up to $1.00.

The Elks' ball last Friday evening was a brilliant success, as all the Elks' affairs are bound to be. The crowd was not as large as usual, which made it all the pleasanter for those dancing, and the band boys furnished the best kind of music.

Have you seen those little hand colored art folders, book mark calendars, fancy hand painted motto folders, etc., at Nailors Just the thing to mail or slip in with other gifts.

CANDY? CANDY?

We want your order and we can please you, as we have variety and quantity at the lowest prices. Port Angeles Grocery.

SUGGESTIONS FOR CHRISTMAS

For Christmas shoppers and to make buying easy, H. Gutenberg & Co. are offering a good line of useful and appropriate articles for Christmas Gifts which are practical and will made good presents for mother, father, brother, sister, sweetheart or friends. A Round Oak range or heater, a nice rug, or easy Morris chair, or rocker, a book case, buffets. A good set dishes, or silver knives and forks or spoons, carving set, comfortable divan or couch, an up-to-date folding go-cart, or doll cab, sleds, skates, air rifle, Wabash coasters, shuffler, wheel barrows, wagons, sets of dishes, tables, pocket knives, razors, boy's tool sets, and a hundred and more articles, too numerous to mention.

Call in early and make your selection. Prices will be right at the H. Gutenberg Hdw. & Fur. Co.'s store.

E. W. Merrill & Co.

AGAIN MARKET CHANGES

We have much more attractive prices to offer you this week than last.

12 cans choice Tomatoes 95c
6 cans choice Peaches 75c
25 lbs small or large White Beans 1.25
9 lbs Yellow or White Corn Meal 25c
2 cans Corn'd or Roast Beef (2 lbs) 30c
5 lb box extra choice Japan Tea 1.45
5 lb box extra choice E. B. Tea 1.45
6 cans Delmonte Pumpkin 55c

Same rule applies this week as last, three or more items must be included to obtain these prices.

We are headquarters for

Oranges 30, 35, 40, 45 cents per dozen
Citron, Lemon and Orange Peel, per lb. 20c.
Walnuts, Brazils, Pecans, Filberts and Almonds per lb. 20c.

We carry the largest and most varied candy stock in the city, from 9c a pound for the plain, to 50c for the fancy.

We have many customers and we have only the best, we want you.

E. W. Merrill & Co.

FOR THE HOLIDAY TRADE

NUTS, FRUITS, CANDIES, DATES
a fresh supply just received.

ELEGANT BOX CANDIES

Just the thing for your best girl.

Trimmings for the Christmas Tree.

"PALACE OF SWEETS"

GOLDWATER BROTHERS.

P. J. WILLIAMS The Old Reliable Jeweler

Watch Repairing a Specialty

Morey & Wright Horse Shoeing and Wagon Repairing

Successors to H. P. McNutt

Satisfaction Guaranteed.

JAMES R. GALLAGHER'S TRANSFER

—: PHONE 24 :—

LIVERY, FEED, SALE STABLES

Lincoln Street Wharf, Port Angeles

Commercial Baggage a Specialty. Cab Service at All Hours.
Piano Moving. Heavy Hauling.

Horses for Sale on Hand Now.

SUBSTANCE OF PRESIDENT TAFT'S ANNUAL MESSAGE TO CONGRESS

Enforcement of laws now on statute books of the United States—as sharply contrasted with the congressional policy of new legislation—is the striking point in the annual message of President W. H. Taft. The president declares it is time to stop legislating with reference to regulation of corporations. He indicates his opinion that the country and the government should be given opportunity to apply laws already in force, in order to ascertain their fitness or unfitness for the purposes intended.

He emphasizes this view further by declaring that the exact limitations upon business methods imposed by laws already enacted doubtless will be made clearer by pending decisions of the supreme court, thus affording a working ground upon which really effective work may be done by Congress at a later date.

Time Needed to Recuperate.

It plainly is the desire of the President to give the country a chance to recuperate from the effects om doubts and indecisions, following long agitation, in Congress and Legislatures of the various states, with reference to regulation of corporations. He points out the stupendous value of agricultural products amounting this year to $8,926,000,000, and adds that this condition indicates a good prospect for business throughout the country.

At the same time the Taft idea of pushing cases vigorously with laws at present in force is emphasized in his declaration that census padders are vigorously to be prosecuted.

Vigorously Favors Economy.

The second big note in the presidential policy is economy. He says that just at this time he believes the activities of the government, in addition to enforcement of the laws, should be directed toward economy of administration, enlargement of opportunities for foreign trade, building up of home industry and strengthening of the confidence of capital and domestic investment.

Mr. Taft recommends strongly some form of a ship subsidy to increase American shipping, especially to South America.

The tariff board is not ready to submit a report on any of the schedules of the Payne law and Mr. Taft says he will not recommend any tariff legislation until the new Congress convenes in December, 1911.

He urges that the tariff board be made permanent and that all future revisions be made schedule by schedule. He vigorously opposes any general revision.

Canal Should Be Fortified.

The Panama Canal should be fortified. An appropriation of $19,000,000 is recommended for this purpose.

There must be no more "pork barrel" methods in river and harbor and public building bills. The latter should be based upon the report of a commission of experts. In the past Congress has appropriated too much for buildings not needed and not enough for buildings badly needed.

Recommendation for anti-injunction and federal incorporation laws are renewed.

It is proposed the second class mail rates shall be readjusted so as to charge magazines a much higher rate on their advertising sections.

Strong representations are made for establishment of a new banking and currency system.

Two new battleships and several auxiliary vessels are urged for the navy.

The President recommends that coal, phosphate and oil lands and waterpower sites be disposed of in the future by leasing.

Immense Amount Saved.

Estimates for government expenditures during the next fiscal year have been cut to $630,494,013.12, which is $52,964,887.36 less than the actual appropriations for the current year. The estimated receipts for the next fiscal year are $680,000,000.

The President urges extension of the civil service principle to the diplomatic and consular corps and acquisition by the government of residences and offices for its diplomatic officers.

Some criticisms of the Payne tariff act are just, says the President, but more are unfounded.

There should be more officers for the army. The engineer corps should be increased by sixty.

The fortification at Corregidor Island, Manila Bay and at Pear Harbor, Hawaii, should be carried to early completion.

Regarding the Panama Canal, the President says:

Will Complete Canal on Time.

"The progress of the work is most satisfactory. It will be completed well within the time set, January 1, 1915, and within the estimated cost of $375,000 offer no great reason for delay."

Failure to fortify the canal would leave the United States powerless to enforce universal and equal use of the waterway against a desperate and irresponsible enemy, and would defeat the object of the canal in increasing the military effectiveness of the American navy. The tolls should not exceed $1 per net ton. The President should be authorized to adjust rates as necessity arises. The government should include in its management of the canal furnishing not only to the navy, but to the public as well, dry docks and repair facilities and the sale of coal, oil and other ship supplies.

Interstate railroads should be prevented from owning, or controlling ships trading through the canal.

Cheaper Litigation Needed.

Regarding the courts, the President declares the crying need of the United States is cheapening the cost of litigation by simplifying judicial procedure and expediting final judgment. The supreme court should be relieved from unnecessary appeals. The salaries of federal judges should be increased.

Postal savings banks will be established in a number of cities January 1. A parcels post on rural delivery routes is recommended.

Postmaster-General Hitchcock is given high praise for putting the postoffice department on a self-sustaining basis. The extension of the civil service, to include all classes of postmasters and thus take these officials entirely out of politics is urged.

Asks Honor for Peary.

The President recommends that Congress give some fitting recognition of the polar discoveries of Commander Robert E. Peary. The secretary of the navy suggests that Peary be made a rear admiral and placed on the retired list.

The stupendous value of agricultural products amounting to $8,926,000,000 this year, indicates a good prospect for business throughout the country.

The present census promises to be the best ever taken, but is not perfect. The census padders are to be vigorously prosecuted.

A bureau of health should be established.

The Southern Pacific Railroad should be reimbursed for its expenditures in fighting the flood in the Imperial Valley of California several years ago.

Heavier Fines Asked.

Heavier fines should be imposed against steamship companies for violating the immigration laws. The facilities at Ellis Island, New York, should be increased as to offer an inducement to steamship companies to concentrate their immigrant business at one port. Immigrants are needed in the rural districts.

Some provisions should be made for retiring superanuated government clerks.

The only amendments suggested in the interstate commerce law are an appropriation to enable the Interstate Commerce Commission to advance the valuation of railroads and fix the responsibility of public carriers in the issuance of bills of lading.

BALLINGER'S RECORD CLEAR, SAYS MAJORITY REPORT

Washington, Dec. 10.—The Ballinger-Pinchot investigating committee, after eleven months' work, has made its report:

In the opinion of seven Republican members, a majority of the committee, Secretary Ballinger "honestly and faithfully performed the duties of his high office, with an eye single to the public interest."

In the opinion of the four Democrats Mr. Ballinger "has not been true to the trust reposed in him as secretary of the interior and should be requested by the proper authorities to resign."

Both reports, with the independent report of Representative Madison, insurgent Republican, also adverse to Mr. Ballinger, were offered in the senate by Senator Nelson and in the house by Representative McCall, their presentation following a meeting of the full committee.

The Democratic members, led by Senator Fletcher, of Florida, agreed to this method of getting the reports before congress, after their motion to substitute their own report had been rejected in the committee.

The reports were accepted in both houses without comment.

Plans Not Decided Upon.

The plan of action to be followed by the Democrats has not been determined, but it is understood a resolution will be presented to carry out the recommendation for the secretary's removal. Such a resolution probably will call flatly upon the president to discharge his cabinet officer.

An effort undoubtedly will be made to put the house on record as to its opinion of the majority report.

Officials of the interior department declined to make any comment whatever on the majority report.

Bankers Want Law Passed.

Seattle, Dec. 10.—State Bank Examiner J. L. Mohundro met the bankers of Seattle, Tacoma, Aberdeen, Spokane, Kelso and Bellingham to discuss important measures which will be introduced the next session of the legislature. The bankers are anxious for a law to prevent fraudulent use of bills of lading and warehouse receipts, one providing punishment for furnishing false bank accounts, and one to improve the garnishment act.

Pension Bill Carries $153,688,000.

Washington, Dec. 13.—The pension appropriation bill carrying $153,688,000 was ordered reported to the house by the appropriations committee yesterday. The amount is identical with the estimates submitted by the interior department and about $2,000,000 less than appropriations for the current fiscal year.

CURRENCY REFORM IS URGED

PRESENT MONETARY SYSTEM BREEDER OF TROUBLE, SAYS MacVEAGH.

Secretary of Treasury Warmly Urges Changes in Financial Laws and General Abolition of Red Tape—System of Reserves Advocated—Circulation Tax.

Washington, Dec. 10.—Currency reform, extension of the scope of the national banking laws, in the event of no immediate general changes in the monetary system; civil service retirements, a customs service free from practical politics; business like methods in the daily transactions of the government and a general abolition of red tape whenever it clogs the wheels of the government's business, are among the recommendations contained in the annual report of Franklin MacVeagh, secretary of the treasury.

The expenses of the government in the fiscal year 1913, for which this session of congress is asked to appropriate are estimated at $630,494,013.12. The estimated expenditures of the Panama canal are given as $56,920,847.69, making a total of $687,414,860.81. The estimates, if carried out, represent net savings of about $13,000,000 in the executive departments, as compared with the appropriations for the current fiscal year.

Surplus About $50,000,000.

Receipts for 1911, Secretary MacVeagh estimates, will be $680,000,000, which would leave an ordinary surplus of about $50,000,000.

If the treasury should continue to pay for the Panama canal out of the cash drawer as at present, such a surplus would be turned to a deficit of $7,414,860.81.

Secretary MacVeagh expresses the hope that the monetary question will come into congress detached from sectional or political considerations.

"Our system can fairly be called a panic breeding system," he says, "whereas every other great national banking and currency system is panic-preventing. As long as we continue under our present system we are liable to panics and the devastations of panics reach Republicans and Democrats and all parts of the country alike. Panics are no longer necessary and no longer respectable. It is for the government to say whether we shall have panics in the future or not. It is a mere matter of choice.

System of Reserves Needed.

"We have no system of reserves. Our banking system destroys them. It concentrates in New York what are pretended to be reserves and then forces the New York banks to lend and abolish them. Our system, instead of building up a reserve, destroys it as fast as it inclines to accumulate."

In connection with his criticism of the money system, one of the secretary's most important recommendations concerns future issues of Panama bonds of which $290,000,000 were authorized by the tariff act. The secretary renews the recommendations made last year for legislation to tax the new bonds at 1½ per cent if used by national banks for circulation, and intimates, as was announced in news dispatches a few days ago, that it might be more preferable to issue the new securities for investment purposes only at a rate of 3 per cent.

Circulation Tax Suggested.

As a check against the use of the bonds as the basis for a further inflation of the national bank currency, he suggests that a circulation tax of even 2 per cent would have the effect of making them unprofitable for banks to use for such a purpose and at the same time would make them attractive to investors without injuring the 2-per cent bonds, of which more than $700,000,000 are outstanding. Another means of accomplishing the same end, the secretary suggests, would be for congress to authorize an issue of $50,000,000 or $100,000,000 of the bonds at 3 per cent, without the circulation provision. If there is no prospect of immediate change in the monetary system, the secretary thinks the American national banking system should be developed to perform an international function.

"There is a clear need of banking facilities in foreign countries where there is American commerce," he says. "We shall never be a full-fledged commercial nation unless we have merchant ships of our own and foreign banks of our own. We should have banks at all ports that are important to our commerce."

Certified Checks to Pay Revenue.

The treasury's relations with the business communities are unbusinesslike, artificial and burdensome, the secretary declares, and he recommends legislation to permit the payment of revenue to the government by certified check, guarding the government against loss.

The recommendation that the treasury be authorized to issue gold certificates against gold bullion and foreign coin is renewed.

Reviewing the discovery of frauds and the subsequent reorganization of the customs service, Secretary MacVeagh urges appropriations for rewards to those who aid the government.

The rehabilitation of the customs service at New York has been marked, he says, by a decided elimination of spoils and "practical politics."

"American travelers are more and more realizing the indefensibleness of smuggling, its rank dishonesty and bad example and influence," says the report.

PASSENGERS OF OLYMPIA ALL SAFE AT VALDEZ

Valdez, Dec. 13.—The steamship Olympia now lies on the rocks of Bligh island, apparently a hopeless wreck. The fifty-nine pasesngers and seventy-four members of the crew, except four who were left to guard the vessel, were taken off Sunday night by the government launch Lieutenant Donaldson and the steamer Juno, of this port, and carried to Ellamar. They were later brought to Valdez, where they arrived at 2 o'clock this morning.

Only by the narrowest chance did the vessel avoid quick sinking and the consequent loss of a hundred and thirty lives. The ship is firmly planted on a rock sloping to the starboard side. It is within a few feet of deep water. Had its weight been over the slope and had it broken badly the people would have been driven to lifeboats and would have had as little chance as a swimmer in Niagara cataract.

The good fortune which gave the stranded vesesl a safe bed made the wreck almost commonplace. There never was any real danger to life and this fact was ascertained thirty minutes after the vessel had struck. From that time on there was nothing to do but wait for assistance.

TREASURY ESTIMATES FOR APPROPRIATIONS

Estimates of appropriations required for every branch of the federal government in the fiscal year ending June 30, 1912, aggregating $748,414,861, have been submitted to Congress by Secretary of the Treasury MacVeagh. This total stands against estimates of $745,067,197 and appropriations of $805,294,513 for the current fiscal year, which included more than $10,000,000 for the census and $10,600,000 for postal and other deficiencies.

The estimates today were distributed as follows: War department, $205,257,546; interior department, $189,151,875; treasury department, $141,599,997; agricultural department, $19,681,066; navy department, $128,942,158; commerce and labor, $16,276,970; District of Columbia, $13,602,786; legislative, $13,426,806; justice, $10,063,576; state, $4,875,576; independent offices, including Interstate Commerce Commission, $2,638,695.

Postoffice department proper, $1,697,490; deficiency in postal revenues, no estimate; executive, $998,170; territorial governments, $202,150.

There are no striking features in this year's estimates. Among the items are:

Estimates for Naval Increase.

Increase in the navy, $23,294,048, including $12,840,428 for construction and steam machinery and armor and armament in the proposed building program for 1912, and $3,000,000 for armor and vessels already authorized.

For hulls and outfits of vessels and steam machinery of vessels heretofore authorized, $6,031,786 is asked; for submarine torpedo boats and subsurface destroyers, $890,834; an estimate of $531,000 is made because of the two fleet colliers already authorized. It is pointed out that in order to construct a collier on the Pacific Coast in the government yard, Congress must increase the limit of cost from $1,000,000 to $1,500,000.

Million for Coal Stations

A lump appropriation of $1,000,000 is asked to enable the secretary of the navy to establish at such places as he may deem necessary suitable depots for coal and other fuel. The estimate for naval barracks and quarters in the Philippines is $600,000, in place of the present appropriation of $375,000, and $5,000 is estimated for wireless experiments in the Philippine Islands. For dummy guns and mortars for instruction of the coast artillery, $300,000 is asked. For a torpedo station "near the Pacific Coast," $250,000 is asked in addition to the $145,000 appropriated for this year. There is $100,000 increase for the Alaska-Canada boundary works and $87,000 for enforcement of the insecticide act.

Millions for New Buildings.

The largest amounts are $100,000 for continuing the erection of the postoffice building at Denver; $150,000 for a site and continuation of the appraisers building at Boston; $550,000 for continuing the New Orleans postoffice and courthouse construction; $1,250,000 for continuing the New York postoffice construction; $190 for Oklahoma City postoffice completion; $350,000 for completing reconstruction of the Richmond, Va., postoffice and courthouse; $1,253,696 for a site and completion of erection of a building for the bureau of engraving and printing at Washington, D. C.; $200,000 for completing a postoffice at York, Pa.; $1,500,000 for commencing the erection of a postoffice building in Washington, D. C., and $500,000 for commencing erection of a building for already appointed a permanent tariff the state, justice and commerce and labor departments in this city; $350,000 for building two revenue cutters, for which $150,000 was appropriated previously.

Canal Defense Estimate.

For the defense of the Isthmian Canal, the estimates ask $7,000,000, to be immediately available, and ask authority for $19,546,843 in all for this fortification project, with a view of completion within three years. This work will include sites, emplacements, guns, carriages, searchlights, camps and posts.

The estimates also carry $2,000,000, immediately available, for creation of a naval establishment in the canal zone as a necessary part of the defenses. The total appropriations asked for the canal service reach $56,928,847.

For examinations, surveys and contingencies of rivers and harbors, for which there may be no special appropriation, $400,000 is asked. The total rivers and harbors estaimates for the work in the next fiscal year aggregate $22,627,361, which is a reduction of $1,763,000, by direction of Secretary Dickinson, and as against $41,339,113 appropriated for the same purpose in the current fiscal year.

$30,000 DIVIDEND GOES TO A.-Y.-P. SHAREHOLDERS

The Alaska-Yukon-Pacific exposition will distribute $30,000 among its stockholders. The largest beneficiary of this dividend will be the King County Anti-Tuberculosis League, to which has been assigned more than 30,000 shares of exposition stock. As a result of these stock donations the Anti-Tuberculosis League will receive $12,500, and it is likely that this amount will be greatly exceeded when all the shareholders are heard from.

Aside from the $30,000 dividend, the exposition left improvements for the University of Washington which cost $927,000, including grading, clearing and landscaping 225 acres of land, a pumping plant, a double water system for drinking and irrigation, a sewer system and paved streets.

There also went to the university as a direct result of the exposition seventeen buildings. It is estimated by engineers that it would have cost the university $2,000,000 to duplicate what it received from the Alaska-Yukon-Pacific exposition.

At the Lewis and Clarke exposition at Portland the corporation was able to sell all its holdings, and was thereby able to pay 21 per cent dividend on a capitalization of $500,000. The A.-Y.-P. exposition was capitalized for $800,000, and it left all its improvements on the grounds. Had the A.-Y.-P. management been able to sell the pumping plant, water and sewer systems, it is estimated that at least $80,000 would have been saved for the stockholders.

At a recent meeting of the executive committee of the exposition an endeavor was made to close up the affairs of the corporation, but owing to the fact that a suit for damages, which was won by the exposition in the superior court, had been appealed to the supreme court, no steps could be taken to disorganize.

Although the affairs of the exposition have been closed save for the pending suits, the disorganization cannot be accomplished until these claims are finally disposed of. The executive committee believes that this will not be accomplished before March.

COURT SAYS CONSPIRACY MAY BE CONTINUOUS

Washington, Dec. 13.—Announcing the broad rule that a conspiracy under the Sherman anti-trust law may be a "continuing offense," instead of an offense limited to the formation of the conspiracy and, possibly, over the acts thereunder which would revive the conspiracy, the supreme court of the United States yesterday went a long way toward dispelling doubt as to the law.

Must Answer Again.

The direct result is that Gustave T. Kissell, of New York, and Thomas B. Harned, of Philadelphia, must answer further to the indictment brought in 1909 in New York, charging them with conspiracy with the American Sugar Refining Company and others, to drive the Pennsylvania Sugar Refining Company out of business.

Justice Holmes yesterday in announcing the opinion of the court, took for consideration the argument that a conspiracy is a completed crime as soon as formed as would be the case where a conspiracy was merely a contract.

Crime Not Exhausted.

"It is true," said Justice Holmes, "that the unlawful agreement satisfied the definition of the crime, but it does not exhaust it. When the plot contemplates bringing to pass a continuous co-operation of the conspirators to keep it up, and there is such continuous operation, it is a perversion of natural thought and natural language to call such a continuous co-operation a cinematographic series of distinct conspiracies rather than to call it a single one."

Bryan Warns Democrats.

Lincoln, Neb., Dec. 10.—Protesting against the "stupid" policy of winning a victory by retreat, "The Commoner," W. J. Bryan's paper, warns the Democratic party against forming a combination with Wall street. "The Democrats are being asked to accept Wall street leadership, not because Democratic principles are advanced, but because victory is promised."

Hard Luck.

"I understand that you are a very lucky poker player?"

"I thought I was, but I have changed my mind."

"How did that happen?"

"I won an automobile, and since that I have not had enough money to play poker, so I can't lose the blamed thing."

FARM FOR A FIDDLE

WOMAN GIVES LAND WORTH $2,000 FOR A $3 VIOLIN.

Mrs. Lightner of Paris, Mo., Defrauded by Man Representing Self as Music House Agent—Prize Hopf Violin Proves Bogus.

New York.—Carrying a carefully wrapped bundle in both arms and mumbling excitedly to herself, "I've got it," a little old woman stepped nervously into the violin department of Lyon & Healy, this city.

Five minutes later she was carried to a car, moaning hysterically. What she believed to be a genuine Hopf violin, an almost priceless instrument, proved to be a fiddle not worth $3. She had been swindled, she said, out of her home a farm worth $2,000 bought with her life's savings.

The woman was Mrs. J. M. Lightner of Paris, Mo., she told a pathetic story to the officers of the piano house. Early in July, she said, she was approached by a man giving the name of N. M. Ewing, representing himself as an agent of Lyon & Healy. He said that he was searching for a rare Hopf violin for which he asserted the company would pay $5,000. A confederate giving the name of Price then appeared in Monroe, Mo., with the instrument and Mrs. Lightner hunted him up and bought the violin.

"I had to go twenty-four miles to find Mr. Price," wrote Mrs. Lightner in a letter to Lyon & Heealy. "He had heard that the violin was very valuable and I had to pay him $2,000 for it. I didn't have that much money and deeded over my farm to him."

Ewing never called at the Lightner home to buy the instrument. The victim became suspicious and wrote Lyon & Healy on August 27, making inquiry about the agent and asking what price would be given for the violin. A reply was sent stating that no such person as N. M. Ewing was in the employ of the company. Then Mrs. Lightner was also notified that it would be necessary to see the violin before any price could be made.

After learning how she had been swindled Mrs. Lightner took the first train for home.

SKUNKS INVADE COUNTY SEAT

Don't Make Friends With the Cat, Warning Since Animals Shooed From Farm.

Ipswich, S. D.—Don't make friends with a cat, is the advice given here since the invasion of this county seat town by skunks began several days ago.

As Willard Brown, a prominent resident, was going home after dark, he attempted to pick up what he took to be the old house cat, but he was mistaken and was fined a new suit of clothes.

A day or two later one of the odoriferous animals was found starting upstairs in a business block.

Knute Knutesen, a farmer in Clear Lake Township, has a skunk farm, raising the animals for their oil and fur, and local residents are of the opinion that the visitants are strays from the skunk farm.

OYSTER BITES MAN'S TONGUE

Restaurant Keeper Placed Tiny Shell In Mouth as Temporary Storehouse.

Warsaw, Ind.—L. C. Hamman, a restaurant keeper, was waiting on a customer when he noticed among the raw oysters he was serving one tiny fellow, shell and all. He removed it from the plate and placed it in his mouth for safe keeping until through waiting on his customer.

In response to the warmth, the oyster opened its shell, then closed as nearly as possible, barring the impediment of a tiny bit of Hamman's tongue. This was followed by a series of loud yells by Hamman.

Like other non-talkative creatures, the oyster bit before it barked.

Cow Charges Laundry.

Dayton, Wash.—All work was suspended in the ironing department of a laundry here when a cow, being driven to slaughter by Basil brothers, became infuriated and, dashing through an open door into the washing plant, sent frightened women pell mell through all the available exits. The cow was infuriated by a red apron worn by one of the ironers.

At work in another department of the laundry, R. B. Cady heard the feminine screams for help and lassoed the animal. After the red apron had vanished the animal became quiet and was driven from the building. Then the dozen ironers went timidly back to work

It Was Bashfulness.

A school teacher in a town in Bavaria has been arrested for a singular offense. He caught a boy of fourteen and a girl two years younger whispering during school hours, and he made them sit in the same seat with their arms tied together. Both were so bashful that they finally fainted away, and their parents had the teacher arrested for cruelty. The case hasn't been tried yet, but it is safe to say that nothing will be done to the teacher.

Naturally.

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"How?"

"He hit me with his night stick."

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THE LIMIT OF CAUTIOUSNESS

Liveryman Demands Proof of Honesty from Man Who Would Rescue Fire-Trapped Horses.

The man who refused to be saved from drowning because he had never been introduced to his would-be rescuer was an incorrigible bohemian compared with the liveryman the commercial traveler met on his last trip west.

One night the livery stable caught fire. The stable was old, the fire had made considerable headway before the alarm was turned in, and it seemed inevitable that most of the horses must perish. To the liveryman who stood in the street cursing and wringing his hands an athletic stranger rushed up and said:

"Tell me in what part of the building your best horses are stabled and I will save some of them."

The liveryman ceased lamenting and eyed the stranger suspiciously.

"Sir," said he, "can you produce proof that you are square in your horse deals?"

"Square hell," said the stranger and dashed into the stable. With the assistance of a fireman he saved five horses, but not until they were safely stabled elsewhere did the liveryman cease to suspect the stranger of horse-stealing.

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Never take any headache tablet just on the recommendation of a friend. Many of them are injurious to the heart.

An Observation.

"What says the voice of the people?" inquired the oracular alarmist.

"My personal observation," replied Senator Sorghum, "is that the voice of the people is, as a rule, too closely occupied in giving three cheers fo somebody to articulate anything very distinctly."

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VERY, VERY IMPUDENT

By CARL JENKINS

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Judge Cliff was a widower with one child—a daughter, Viola. Colonel Spencer was a widower with one child—a son, Robin. Judge Cliff had a manor house called The Beeches. Colonel Spencer had a manor house called The Elms. The two properties adjoined.

The judge and the colonel were old cronies, but they seldom visited each other at their homes. When they met outside it was "Billy" and "Tom," and the greatest good fellowship. There was no line fence between their properties. At the rear of his grounds the judge had a big chestnut tree. At the rear of his the colonel had the same.

It should have been that the son and daughter of these old cronies were at least friends, but as a matter of fact up to the time that Viola Cliff was nineteen years old, and Robin two years her senior, they had never met. The two families had not been neighbors over a year, and the young folks were away at college and boarding school. Sometimes the judge had said to the colonel:

"Colonel, you have a son, I believe?"

"Yes, fine boy. Judge, you have a daughter, I belive?"

"Yes, fine girl."

And that was all the two old cronies knew of each other's offspring. The judge would have moved into the city for the winter in September, but for a whim of the daughter's. She wanted to wait for the chestnuts to ripen. The trees were loaded, but she must wait for the frosts to ripen the nuts and bring them pattering down. She had never gathered chestnuts.

"Well?" Queried the Young Man.

She had never eaten chestnuts gathered under her own tree.

"Nonsense, my dear—all nonsense," the father had replied, but she had had her way just the same.

There had been three frosts, and now the wind was blowing merrily. That meant chestnuts would be falling—brown, fat chestnuts to be eaten on the spot or taken home and roasted.

A hasty breakfast was eaten, and Miss Viola donned an old dress, hunted up her shabbiest hat, and set off for the trees with a basket on her arm. Yes, the frost had done its work. There were heaps and heaps of chestnuts lying on the ground, and more peppering down with every gust.

When there are two big chestnut trees standing within twenty feet of each other, each loaded with fruit, is a poor girl to think of dividing lines? Is she to remember that there is such a legal phrase as trespass? Must she hesitate over picking up the fattest and brownest? Not at all. Of course she skips from tree to tree and back again, and if thought of property rights enters her head at all she murmurs to herself that the law can go hang. If she were the daughter of a judge, as was the case in this instance, she would accompany the murmur with a defiant toss of the head.

The wind blew—tthe chestnuts rattled down—Miss Viola gathered and devoured. And then came the accident. In passing from tree to tree she caught her foot between two roots in such a way that she was held as fast as if caught in the "frog" of a railroad switch. It seemed a trifling thing at first, but after five minutes she had to realize that she was a prisoner until aid should come. Standing there, with a sapling for support, she uttered a very lady-like cry for help. Then she uttered another and another. It was forty rods to the house, and her father deaf in one ear. The falling chestnuts were peppering her hat, and the situation was looking serious, when a young man came into view.

He had a basket on his arm. He was also after chestnuts. He also had a club in his hand, as if expecting to find trespassers. He came around the corner of a thicket and halted within ten feet of the prisoner. She was on land that did not belong to her. She had gathered chestnuts belonging to some one else. In a hesitating way the young man removed his hat. In a hesitating way the young lady bowed.

"Well?" queried the young man.

"Caught by the foot!" laughed the young lady.

"You are on my father's land."

"Yes? Then you must be the son of Colonel Spencer?"

"Yes, and you—you—"

"Oh, I stop at Judge Cliff's. Funny how I got my foot caught. I guess you'll have to help me."

"H'm. You stop at Judge Cliff's, eh? You mean you are employed there?"

"That's it," answered Viola, realizing that her second-best clothes had deceived him.

"Parlor maid?"

"Sometimes, and sometimes assistant to the cook. They get all the work out of me they can."

"And the judge's daughter—she is home?"

"Yes, but I wish she weren't. She's snippy and bossy. She wants everything her own way. She had the furniture all changed about before she had been home an hour."

"I have heard that she is very good looking."

"Not nearly so good looking as I am. And she hasn't got my grit, either. If she were out here, caught by the foot, she'd be crying like a baby."

"Young lady you are pretty free with your criticisms," observed the young man as he tossed away his club.

"I'm glad you didn't hit me with that," was the reply. "If there's anything I hate it's to be walloped over the head with a club. Aren't you going to release me?"

"Of course."

"If it's any trouble to your lordship—"

He bent down and pried the roots apart and she was free. As he rose up he put on a stern look and said:

"You are a very, very impudent girl. I wonder that they keep you about the house."

"Oh, you do? Well, I can tell you. It's to give it tone. Did you ever see the judge's daughter?"

"A few times, at a distance, but we will not discuss her. I ought to confiscate your basket, as you are a trespasser, but you can take it and go. Don't break the law again."

"But when a gentleman has made a hero of himself by rescuing a young lady, even if she is an assistant cook, shouldn't he see her home? Shouldn't he walk beside her and be ready to catch her if she stumbles?"

"I—I guess you will get along all right. You see—"

"Yes, your lordship, I see," finished the girl, and she picked up her basket and tripped away.

"Impudent—very, very impudent," muttered the young man as he watched her disappear.

And it was four weeks later that they faced each other in the judge's city residence, where young Mr. Spencer had dropped in with his parent to call on the father and be introduced to the daughter.

"Why—why—" began the young man, as he stared at the young lady before him.

"Why—why not?" she replied with a laugh. "You didn't hit me with that club, and you released me and didn't have me arrested, and even if you didn't see me home I'm charmed to meet you."

"Eh, eh? Something here, Billy," chuckled the father.

"Looks like it, Tom, old boy," was the reply.

And a long time later, when the colonel hinted to the judge that his son was going to call on him to ask a very delicate question, the judge smiled and answered:

"About chestnuts? It's an old thing, but we must have them in the family, Billy—we must have them."

The Game of Life.

Life is a game, we say, and from time to time we urge one another to play the game fair and to a finish. In this reference, we must remember that the zest of a game consists in one's skill to overcome opposition. An opponent who fails to call forth our best endeavor deadens all interest in the sport, whatever it may be. A one-sided contest means lose playing and flagging zeal; on the other hand, the more skilled and alert an adversary, the more resourceful and aggressive our game. In the contests of life where there is no worthy competitor, there can be but slight achievement and little glory. The up-hill game, however, which is won through no adventitious aid of favor or of fortune, but solely upon its merits and by stubborn persistence, brings a glow of satisfaction which is wholly unknown in the triumph of an easy victory. We do not care to play with a novice, we demand the rigor of the game, and free scope for the display of our powers. It is possible, therefore, to meet the opposition which life holds for us, in the spirit of adventure, and, like the knights of old, ride forth to meet the foe with high hope and the joy of battle in our heart.—Atlantic Monthly.

The "Yankee" Lawyer of Nicaragua.

One of the classmates of President Taft at Yale is to be the next minister to Washington from Nicaragua. He is Senor David Arrellano, of Granada, one of the most prominent and wealthy lawyers of his country. Senor Arrellano is known as the "Yankee" lawyer of Nicaragua because he is the most thoroughly Americanized man in the country and speaks English with as great fluency as his native tongue. He is a man of great stature and weight and seldom walks when in his home city. After his graduation at Yale with Mr. Taft he took a law course at Harvard University and spent some time in New York in law offices.

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REAL JUDAS FEAST AT TOKYO

Enmity in Division of Spoils and Tips Between Guides Leads to Tragedy.

Kosaku was the head guide at a big Tokyo hotel. He and another guide called Tomora, who also acted as policeman and incidentally as a spy on foreigners, were constantly quarreling about the tips and spoils they extracted from globe-trotters, says the Wide World. Kosaku finally proposed reporting Tomora to the police authorities and so destroying his hopes of a pension. At the end of the year Tomora one day dressed himself carefully in foreign clothes, loaded a revolver, put it in his pocket, and invited the unfortunate Kosaku to a feast at a tea house. It was indeed a Judas repast. The two men ate together and drank. One after another, as little stone bottles of sake were emptied, the former enemies swore in bibulous phrases that all was forgiven. Together they started to return to the hotel, both apparently full of happiness and peace o mind and resolved that in future they would fleece the stranger within their gates hand in hand, as beloved brethren should. Then, just by the bridge near the hotel—the untidy bridge where the trams meet—Tomora turned like a wolf and suddenly shot Kasaku in the neck and body—shot with unerring aim, for Kosaku fell dead without a moan. Tomora then killed himself on the spot. He had not forgiven, but was there not a supreme and cruel treachery in spending his last hours making merry with his victim?

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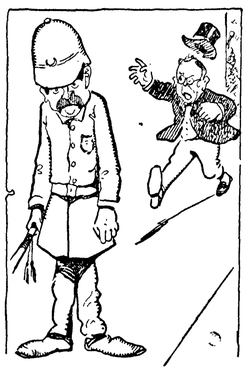

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Caesar's Lament.

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"More blood! More death!" they yelled ferociously.

Great Caesar in his private box heard their cry and sighed.

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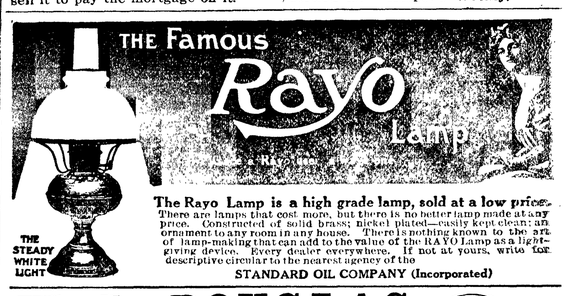

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Mrs Craig went to Seattle Friday for few days business and pleasure trip.

Go to Muskett's for your Christmas tree decorations, he has the largest and best stock in town.

New line of late copyright books at 75c each. See our window and select while assortment is good. C. E Nailor.

The most complete line of pipes and smoker's outfit in the city carried by C S. Dale. He can supply all your Christmas wants in this line.

T. F. Trumbull was a returning passenger from up-sound on Monday's boat.

The biggest Christmas stock in town will be found at Muskett's Santa Claus Toy Shop. It will make you long to be kids again

What more useful gift could you find than some of those dainty handkerchiefs, or the fancy hosiery that Mrs. Goldwater is displaying?

Good hot tea and wafers will be served Saturday, December 17th, in building opposite post office. Also many fancy articles for sale. St. Andrew's Guild.

Are you thinking of buying handkerchiefs for the men folks? Lutz certainly has an elegant lot of silk ones, also different styles of linen, including the initial ones. Call early before the best are picked over.

Clay Wolverton met with quite a serious accident last Saturday while working with their power saw; he had the thumb of his right hand cut off and several fingers badly cut.

Muskett has a big line of all kinds of appropriate Christmas gifts,—elegant line of men's gloves, suspenders, mufflers, sox, handkerchiefs, umbrellas, slippers and many other things too numerous to mention.

The Saturday Reading Club was very pleasantly entertained by Mrs. Frank Chambers on last Friday afternoon and three new members were added to the membership roll, namely: Mrs. Gilmore, Miss Gilmore and Mrs. Allan Trumbull. The next meeting will be with Mrs. Geisness, January 6th.

All housewives enjoy nice dishes and they surely make a most acceptable Christmas gift. Step in and look over the nice new stock just received by Christopherson & Leland. They have fancy cake plates, salad sets, sugars and creamers, salad bowls, cups and saucers, and a few of the Buster Brown sets.

Holiday Post Cards. All kinds and prices at Nailor's.

MOUNT PLEASANT

Henry Boyd is the proud possessor of a new cow, which he purchased this week from Mr. Russell.

Eva and Ada Stevens were Angeles visitors Saturday and Sunday.

Mr. Asa Byers returned home Sunday for a weeks stay.

J. W. Boyd was an Angeles visitor over Saturday and Sunday.

Hang, our well known Chinaman, has been away for the past few days, visiting Dungeness and Seattle on business.

Mrs. Draper and little daughter Nellie were Mount Pleasant visitors again this week.

Oscar Lee took a fine wagon load of turnips to Angeles the past week.

Mrs. Caroline Lee and Mrs. Oscar Lee were Angeles visitors during the week.

George Dillon is hauling logs to to the J. W. Boyd mill this week, to be turned into lumber with which to complete his barn.

Mr. McNutt is digging a ditch on his place this week.

Mrs. E. Stevens was an Angeles visitor Wednesday.

Mrs. Copatoe and Mrs. H. Boyd were in Angeles Thursday, taking in the sights and going shopping.

This week saw installed in the DeWitt Burns home, a fine new hot water tank, which replaces the one which recently sprang a leak, and which proved irrepairable.

Mr. Cornelious Jacobsen left for the metropolis, Seattle, the first of the week.

Perry Harrington was an Angeles visitor last Saturday in attendance upon a party given by his sister, Mrs. T. McRoberts.

Mrs. Bertrude is visiting at the home of her parents, Mrs. T. Harrington.

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SEQUIM

The Ladies Aid met with Mrs. J. A. Adams, Wednesday; the following ladies were there: Mrs. Frank Jones, Mrs. Thomas Mathews, Mrs. E. C. Payne, Mrs P. S. Govan, Mrs. John Jones, Mrs. Fred Howell, Mrs. John McDonald, Mrs. Longmyre, Mrs. Elie Cruzen, Mrs. Willie Dey, Mrs. S. R. G. Wilber, Mrs. F. T. Balch, Mrs. Fred Waldon, Mrs. Ed. Wilson of Mount Pennent, Iowa, sister of Mrs. Fred Waldon, Miss Amby Jones, Miss Grace Jones, Miss Ethel Jones and Miss Teige.

Ed. Green, who has been very sick, is reported to be improving.

There was a benefit ball given at the opera house for Jim Grant, who got his leg broken some time ago; there was a large crowd. The tickets were $1. each and there were baskets sold that brought a good price; the people of Sequim are always to the front when there is anyone in great need of help.

R. C. Button has sold his home on Sequim to P. Robinson of Centralia, who will take possession about the last of February or the first of March.

Mr. and Mrs. S. R. G. Wilber, Mr. and Mrs. George Priest, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Barham, Jack Long, Hugh Priest, and Frank Swanson were in Seattle a days last week.

Archie Robb moved from town on to Mrs. Jim William's place last week, so he will not be so far from his work.

Mr. and Dr. Willis Cook returned to their home from east of the mountains; the Doctor looks fine after her much needed rest from her work.

Mrs. P. S. Govan and children are home from their visit with friends in Wisconsin; she says she had a grand time, but she is very glad to get back to Sequim; she is looking for Mr. Govan the last of the week.

The Ladies Aid chicken supper in the G. A. R. Hall was a grand success and drew a big crowd; they sold all the fancy work they had and could have sold more if they had made more of some things; they took in over $62.

The S. P. D. Co. held their annual meeting the 10th and elected J. M. Grant president; P. S. Govan, vice-president, and Louis Goldsmith, secretary and treasurer.

Harold Dawson of Kamaloops, B. C., is visiting old friends.

E. A. FitzHenry says if he can have a week of good weather he will have the big bridge secured so he thinks it will never go out again. It will be a grand thing for this end of the county.

J. S. Bugge, who was east as far as Minnesota, has returned to Sequim.

Have you seen Santa Claus' Toy Shop? It is a large room 45 by 25 ft. and is trimmed and decorated till it makes your eyes dazzle. Take the children down to the Times Clothing Mart next Saturday and Grandpa Muskett will see that they are made happy.

This is the time of year you will be using canned fruit and vegetables. Don't forget that the Amocat Brand is one of the best in the market. You can get them at the Gate City Grocery.

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For the Week Ending December 10th as Reported by the WEEKS ABSTRACT COMPANY, of Port Angeles, Wash.

Arthur Hillier to Henry Schmith, The ne qr of the sw qr of Sec. 21:-29-3 $1000.

Wm. Howe and wife to C. K. Sturtevant, lot 18, block 9, Townsite, and lot 9, block 6, B. T. Smith's Add. $10.

Anna V. Tibbals and Husb., lot 25, Block 58, of P. S. C. Colony Sub. of Surburban lot 23, $150.

Fred H. Edgington and wife to Earley W Edgington, 17½ acres in the e hf of the sw qr of Sec. 12:30-4, $1

Henry Belden and wife to J. F. Rudisile, the sw qr of the se qr of Sec. 3:30-15, $8000.

Frank M. Tuttle and Gerard T. Morgan to Minnie Johnson, lots 13 and 14, block 225, and lots 1 and 2, block 194, Townsite, $1.

Olympic Power Co, Deed of Trust to Continental and Commercial Trust and Saving Bank, at als, w hf of ne qr, and se qr of nw qr, and e hf of sw qr, and sw qr of sw qr, and e hf of e hf of nw qr of sw qr of Sec 15; e hf of nw qr, and sw qr of ne qr, and se qr, se qr of sw qr of Sec. 21, and that part of the sw qr of the nw qr lying westerly of Thread of the Elwha River, and that part of the nw qr of the sw qr lying west of the Elwha River of Sec. 22; the n hf of the ne qr, and the sw qr of the ne qr, and the ne qr of the nw qr, and sw qr of the nw qr of Sec. 28; the e hf of the nw qr of Sec. 33, all in Tp. 30, R. 7. Excepting timber. Consideration, $750,000.

Lizzie Teipel to Lena Heflin, lot 22, block 1, Juan de Fuca Add., $1.

U. S. Patent to Ulysses G. Love, the se qr of Sec. 27:32-15.

C. H. Brockhagen and wife to R. S. Moody, lots, 4, 5 and 6, block 2 of Juan de Fuca Add., $10.

U. S. Patent to Charley Howeattle, lot 3, Sec. 17:28-14.

County Treasurer to Ed. O'Neill, lots 1 and 2 of block 1, Star Add.

Albert Lee Trickel to Norman A. Cloukie, lot 15, block 231, Townsite, $225.

Norman A. Cloukie to Ira Finch, lot 15, block 231, Townsite, $10.

Thomas Watson and wife to Flora Craig, A. G. Frye and Arthur Shute, ne qr of Sec. 10:29-5, $10.

James A. Lilly and wife to H. H. Kulies, se qr of se qr of sw qr of Sec. 17:30-6, $10.

R. P. Joyce, J. M. Joyce and wife R. W. Joyce to David Govan, the sw qr of the ne qr of the se qr and the s hf of nw qr of ne qr of se qr and w hf of the se qr of the se qr of Sec. 32:31-8 $1200.

Walter O. Carlisle to Mrs. J. P. Jensen, lots 17 and 18, block 292, Townsite, $275.

Elmer M. Eckard and wife to Charles A. Murphy, the s hf of ne qr of nw qr of Sec. 10:29-5, also lots 15 to 19 inc. block 9, and 7 and 8 of block 10, Willson's Add. also lots 4 to 7 inc., block 9 of Tipton Add. $1.

Frank P. Fisher and wife to A. J. Cosser, lots 7 to 11 inc., block, 6 McGills Add, $8.

Oscar Harrison Graham to William Graham, the e hf of lot 12, block 92, Townsite, $10.

William Graham and wife to Oscar Harrison Graham, lots 13 and 14, block 267, Townsite, $10.

Peter A. Wilson to S. C. Kenyon, lot 25, block 14, Union Pacific Add, $10.

O. N. Marcolais and wife to T. B. Waller, the w hf of the nw qr and the nw qr of sw qr of Sec. 4:29-7, and the sw qr of the sw qr of Sec. 33:30-7, $8000.

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CHAR-PIT DEMONSTRATION AT SEDRO-WOOLLEY

Detailed Description of Process of Removing Stumps at Cost of Fifty Cents Each.

The demonstration of the char-pit method given in Sedro-Woolley on Tuesday by Prof. H. W. Sparks of the State College at Pullman was witnessed by many interested spectators, says the Courier The experiments right in the heart of the logged-off section were such that the result should be of great benefit to the community. The progress of the demonstrations were followed closely during Prof. Sparks entire stay in Sedro-Woolley.

Prof. Sparks' successful experiments have been with the char-pit method. Once understood, this method is the most simple and inexpensive that can be imagined. A little fire, a little clayey earth and a little watchfulness are the essentials in the process by the combination of which the most hopeless looking stumpy acreage can be prepared for the plow in the course of two weeks.

The char-pit method is simply an adaptation of the old and well known method of making charcoal by burning in closed pits. It depends for its efficiency on concentration of heat. A ring of loose wood, bark, etc , is first laid all the way around the stump and as close to it as possible, and this is then covered to a depth of about six inches with earth, leaving a small opening in the direction from which the wind is blowing. The wood is then lighted at this point and left for about half of an hour until the fire is well started, when this hole is covered up like the rest. As the fire burns back into the stump the blanket of earth must be kept right up to the stump so that the fire never has an opportunity to break out. The top of the stump doesn't burn but is simply cut off cleanly, at a point about level with the top of the earthen blanket. When the top has been cut off by fire and rolls off, the whole crown of the stump should be covered with earth, and can then be left without much further attention until the roots have been burned out, and this is sometimes done to a depth of 15 feet or more.

The length of time required to destroy the stump depends on that kind of wood it is and whether green, dry or rotten. The most stubborn stumps will disappear in two weeks at the most, while many are done away with in three or four days.

The record of Prof. Sparks' experiments shows an average cost of beteen 40 and 50 cents a stump. In some of these he has used fuel oil and coal tar.

The experiments which have so far been successful have been with clay soil. This, baked and hardened by the fire, conserves the highest degree of heat. Sandy or stony soil sifts in and puts out the fire or permits it to spread. Prof. Sparks is now working out certain theories by which he expects to perfect a similar method adopted to other soil than clay.

The practicability of the char-pit method means much to the owner of logged-off lands and will undoubtedly lead to larger settlement upon and cultivation of lands in this section.

WOULD CHANGE GAME LAWS

The State Game Commission has recommended that the use of salmon eggs as a bait for trout be prohibited. They also ask for a license of 50 cents a year from each angler, which is very reasonable. It also recommends that the catch be limited to 50, which is enough fish for anybody. But steps also should be taken to prevent the taking of small fish. No trout less than six inches in length should be bagged.

The proposed law against the hounding of deer will injure the sport of many honest hunters who are careful that the law is followed. It is directed at those who make a business of deer hunting. Perhaps the recommendation might be strengthened by giving the still hunters the opening of the season, allowing the dog owners a few days at the close. While it is admitted by all hunters that dogs often hunt alone and do great damage, it must also be recognized that scores of cats, cougars and other animals that prey on deer and game birds never would be destroyed but for the presence in the woods of dogs.

Objections also may be raised against the change in the grouse season. It practically prohibits the killing of grouse. October 15 is said to be too late for the opening of the season. The birds at this time of year have usually retired to the tall timber. But it should be remembered that the game commission has given the whole subject large a deal of hard study. It has interviewed scores of hunters and fishermen. Washington's game can be made a source of enormous revenue to the state. Reasonable conservation will bring to the state millions of dollars. Maine and other game states have shown the way.

DAIRYING PRODUCES PROSPERITY.

The Mount Vernon Argus says that it is a significant fact that the price of milk at the Pacific Coast Condenser Milk Co.'s plant there has reached the highest point ever paid for it in that market, $1 85 per hundred pounds. Yet there is an inadequate supply to meet the demands of a growing market for Carnation canned milk.

"It is notable that conditions in the dairy industry everywhere in the United States are marked by favorable indications. Higher prices are being paid for the products of the dairy today than at any former period in the history of the nation.

And the demand is growing far more rapidly than the supply. Better stock, improved methods and higher prices are a chain of favorable conditions that surround no other great national industry today with such a marked emphasis as they do the dairying pursuit. Contemplate the adverse conditions of the markets of the world relative to other food products, particularly oats. Today the oat market is demoralized, the price depreciating, and the market unresponsive and the outlook unfavorable, to say the least.

"It is an incontrovertible fact that wherever dairying becomes a permanent pursuit, prosperity abounds among its producers. Dairying enriches the soil, and consumes all of its products. Naturally Skagit county is a dairy and stock region. It has the best market and the climatic conditions to produce the finest dairy animals in the world. No agricultural pursuit offers equal inducements for labor and well directed efforts. Dairying in Skagit county spells general and permanent prosperity."

The American Issue, the official organ of the Anti-Saloon League, sums up the results of the local option elections in this state on November 8th, in part, as follows:

Of the forty-nine towns which voted, twenty-two had saloons; twenty-four were already "dry." Twenty-eight of the forty-nine towns voted "dry." Twenty-one voted "wet." Seventeen "dry" towns voted "dry" again, most of them by largely increased majority. Eight "dry" towns voted "wet." Thirteen "wet" towns voted "wet," and eleven "wet" towns voted "dry."

Before the election probably not one person in one hundred believed that either Bellingham or Everett would vote "dry" in November, but Bellingham and Everett did vote "dry," the former by 94 majority and the latter by more than 300. Bellingham and Everett are each estimated to have more than 30,000 people. Bellingham has forty-two saloons and Everett thirty-eight.

They are the two largest license cities west of the Mississippi River that have voted "dry," with the single exception of Lincoln, Nebraska, which has 65,000 people, and has twice voted against saloons.

It is important, also, to bear in mind that these two cities are the two largest sea-port cities of the world to abolish the saloon.

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LODGE NOTICES

B.P.O.E.—Naval lodge No. 358, meets every Thursday evening at 8 o'clock at Elks Hall, opposite Office Hotel. Visitors cordially invited.
J. I. Kirchberg, Exalted Ruler.
T. F. Trumbull, Secretary.

I.O.O.F—Clallam Lodge, No. 72, meets every Monday evening at I.O.O.F. hall
E. R. Wait, N. G.
M. H. Wait, V. G.; Frank Wait, R. S.; H. R. Pardo, F.S. J. J. MacKechnie, Treasurer.

Modern Woodmen — Port Angeles Camp No. 6043 meets second and Fourth Friday nights in I. O. O. F. hall. Visiting neighbors always welcome.
W. G. Martin, Consul.
C. E. Shields, Clerk.

W. O. W.—Port Angeles Camp, No. 697, meets second and fourth Saturdays of each month in I.O.O.F. Hall.
J. D. McRoberts, Consul Com.
R. A. Martin, Clerk

Treasurer's Notice.

The Treasurer of Clallam County, Washington, will pay upon presentation at his office in Port Angeles, Clallam County, Washington, the following warrants and all of prior issue on said funds.

County General Fund.
Warrant No. 1716 issued April 16th, 1894.

Bridge Fund.
Warrant No. 135 issued May 16th, 1910.

General Road Fund.
Warrant No. 391 issued January 22nd, 1909.

River Improvement Fund.
Warrant No. 109 issued October 14th, 1910.

Road and Bridge District Fund.
District No. 1, Warrant No. 2962, issued April 16th, 1909.
District No. 2, Warrant No. 3262, issued June 15th, 1909.
District No. 3, Warrant No. 3219, issued June 14th, 1909.

General School Fund.
District No. 2, Warrant No. 8, issued November 4th, 1909.
District No. 5, Warrant No. 12, issued June 27th, 1910.
District No. 7, Warrant No. 344, issued August 9th, 1910.
District No. 31, Warrant No. 1, issued October 13th, 1909.
District No. 36, Warrant No. 1, issued October 4th, 1909.

Special School Fund.
District No. 36, Warrant No. 129, issued August 4th, 1909.
District No. 53, Warrant No. 32, issued September 11th, 1909.

No interest will be allowed after December 9th, 1910.

A. R. PRINGLE,
Treas. of Clallam Co., Wash.

Notice of Final Settlement of Account.

No. 416.
In the Superior Court of the State of Washington, for Clallam County.
In the matter of the Estate of Mary E. Meyers, deceased.

Notice is hereby given that Mary J. Hooker, administratrix of the estate of Mary E. Meyers, deceased, has rendered and presented for settlement to, and filed in the Superior Court of the State of Washington for Clallam county, her final account and report of said estate and that Saturday the 17th day of December, 1910. at 10 A. M., at the court room of our Superior Court, at the City of Port Angeles, in said Clallam county, has been appointed by our said Superior Court, for the settlement of the final account of said estate, at which time and place all persons interested in said estate may appear and file exceptions to the said final account, and contest the same.

Witness the Honorable Lester Still, Judge of said Superior Court and the seal of said court this 30th day of November, 1910.

[SEAL.] HORACE WHITE,
County Clerk and Clerk of the Superior Court

Order to Show Cause.

No. 425.
In the Superior Court of the State of Washington, for Clallam County.
In the matter of the estate of Joseph H. Ristine, deceased.

It appearing to the satisfaction of this court by the petition this day presented and filed by Clara B. Harrison, the executrix of the estate of Joseph H. Ristine, deceased, that it is necessary to sell the whole or some portion of the real estate of said deceased in order to pay his debts and the expenses and charges of administration.

It is ordered that all persons interested in said estate appear before this court on Saturday, the 31st day of December, at the hour of 10 o'clock A. M. of that day, in the court room of said court, at the court house in the city of Port Angeles, County of Clallam, State of Washington, to show cause why an order should not be granted said executrix to sell so much of said realestate as shall be necessary to pay such charges and debts; and it is further ordered that a copy of this order be published four successive weeks next preceding said day in the "Olympic-Leader", a newspaper printed and published in said county.

Dated November 26, 1910.

[SEAL.]
GEO. VENABLE SMITH,
Court Commissioner for Clallam County, Washington.

Notice of Sheriff's Sale of Real Estate.

Cause 2493.
In the Superior Court of the State of Washington for Clallam County.
James A. Chapman, plaintiff vs. Fred H. Deppe and Florence E. Deppe, defendants

Under and by virtue of Order of Sale issued out of and under the seal of the Superior Court of the State of Washington, holding terms at Port Angeles, in and for said county, on the 10th day of November, A. D. 1910, upon a judgment rendered in said Court on the 15th day October, A. D. 1910, in favor of James A. Chapman, and against Fred H. Deppe and Florence E. Deppe for the sum of Four Hundred Thirteen and 5-100 ($413.-05) Dollars, together with attorney's fees, interest, costs and increased costs, and to me directed and delivered, commanding me to sell the following described property to satisfy said judgment, to-wit:

That certain tract of land in Clallam County, Washington, bounded and described as follows: Commencing at the northwest corner of Suburban Lot No. 31 of the Townsite of Port Angeles, thence easterly along the north line of said lot 31 a distance of 100 feet; thence at right angles southerly 140 feet; thence at right angles westerly 100 feet to the west line of said lot 31; thence northerly along said west line 140 feet to the place of beginning, being a tract 100 by 140 feet in the northwest corner of said lot 31.

Now Therefore, Notice is hereby given, That on Saturday, the 17th day of December, A. D. 1910, at ten o'clock in the forenoon of said day, I will sell the above described property, or so much thereof as may be necessary to satisfy said judgment, together with attorney's fees, interest, costs and increased costs, in all amounting to the sum of Four Hundred Twenty-nine 69 100 Dollars.

Said sale will take place at the front door of the Court House at Port Angeles, in said County and State, and will be at public auction, for cash in hand to the highest and best bidder.

Dated at Port Angeles, Wash., the 10th day of November, A. D. 1910.

A. J. COSSER, Sheriff.

Notice of Sale of Real Estate.

In the Superior Court of the State of Washington for Clallam County.
In the matter of the Estate of John P. Hawks, Deceased.

Under authority of an order of sale granted by the Superior Court of the county of Clallam, State of Washington, dated November the 15th, 1910, I will sell at private sale the following described real estate: Lots numbered twelve, thirteen and twenty-five in block numbered fifty-eight in Puget sound colony subdivision of lot twenty-three in Port Angeles, Washington; Lots numbered fifteen, sixteen, seventeen and eighteen in block numbered three hundred and eighty seven of the Townsite of Port Angeles, Washington; Lots numbered sixteen and seventeen in block numbered five in Puget Sound Co-operative colony second addition to Port Angeles, Washington. The west half of the west half of the northeast qr. of the northeast qr. of sec. numbered thirteen, township No. thirty north of range six W., W.M., containing about ten acres. An undivided one-half in and to Lots numbered eight, nine and ten in block number four of Puget Sound Co-operative colony second addition to Port Angeles, Washington. An undivided one-half interest in and to Lots numbered one, two, three and four in River Park addition to Seattle.

The sale will be made on or after December the 17th, 1910, and bids will be received at my office in the Filion Mill & Lumber Company, Port Angeles, Washington.

Terms of sale cash, ten per cent of the bid payable at the time of sale, and balance upon confirmation of sale by this Court.

J. E. BEAM,
Administrator of the estate of John P. Hawkes, deceased.
Dated this the 18th day of November, 1910.

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Additions to the appropriations for Washington waterways included in the Rivers and Harbors bill have been made through the efforts of the state's congressmen. Besides appropriations reported earlier, Everett will get $100.000 cash with a additional $180,000 to be spent under the continuing contract. The Grays Harbor jetty project was put on a continuing contract basis with authority to expend $655,000 in carrying it on in addition to a cash appropriation of $300,000. Washington fares very well in respect to appropriations for the year.

Prominent apple growers representing the various districts throughout the Northwest will meet at Portland in the near future for the purpose of adopting a plan for collective bargaining in the selling of the fruit crop. It is expected that an association will be formed similar to the one of the raisin growers of the Sacramento Valley, the pear growers of the Rouge River district and the orange growers of Riverside, California. Better market conditions and more profits to growers are hoped as a result of the organization.

The hunting season just closed, according to the Chicago Tribune's record, has been most prolific in the loss of human life; 113 people scattered over 23 states were sacrificed, a large number of whom were mistaken for deer or shot by companions through carelessness. This record outclasses football and Fourth of July causalities.

The census figures for the three Northwest states, Washington, Oregon and Idaho, reveal a number of interesting facts. Perhaps the first significant fact suggested is the comparatively small population in such a vast territory. The population of these three states, an empire in themselves, is 2,140,349. California, with a population of 2,377,547, outnumbers all three of these states, and the comparison is starting. Prehaps the most amazing feature of the census figures in Washington and Oregon is in the fact that so much of the population is in a few of the larger cities, through the interests of these two states is supposed to be largely agricultural and lumbering. In Washington the population of Seattle, Tacoma and Spokane approximates 423,000 out of the total of 1,141,990. This means that more than one third of the people live in these three cities. In Oregon, Portland is credited with a population of 207,000. The state is given as 672,765. Here in Clallam county we have a population, according to the census figures, of 6,755. If the population of Port Angeles is anywhere near what many of its citizens claim for it, nearly half the people of the county are bunched in our city. Evidently the people of these two states are not going back to the farm to any extent.

The completion of the enormous power plant of the Olympic Power Company on the Elwha river in Clallam county will mean the electrification of the power used in operating the rolling mills and various departments of the Western Steel Corporation in this city,—says the Irondale News. The plant of the company in Irondale will use 5,000 horse power from the electrical supply developed by the force of waters held in check by the huge dam at Aldwell canyon and this power will supplant steam force in many departments of the steel mills.

It is now stated that the Western Steel Corporation will be a heavy consumer of the electric power of the Clallam enterprise and will be in the market for a vast amount of juice when the plant is ready for operating. It is believed that five thousand horse power will be turned here when ready and this will mean the changing of steam into the more modern and satisfactory motive power of electricity. Electricity is claimed to be a more economical and convenient motive strength for the purposes required here and the completion of the Elwha river plant will mean a great deal to the company so heavily interested in Irondale.

The population of Washington is 1,141,990. This is an increase of more than 120 per cent over 1900. The percentage of growth is the largest in the Union of states. In 1920 Washington's population was 518,103.

The population of Clallam county is 6,755. This increase in population in the state means more representatives in Congress. The number will depend upon the basis of apportionment to be adopted by congress. The last apportionment gave one congressman to every 190,000. If 200,000 should be the unit, we would have six congressmen. If however, the basis should be 210,000, as suggested, Washington would get but five members in the house.

The city commissioners of Tacoma and the council at Hoquiam have recently been engaged in the pastime of passing freak laws. At Tacoma an anti-treating ordinance was passed, making it a misdemeanor for any bartender or saloon keeper to permit a person to buy a drink for another person. At Hoquaim hereafter there must be no more smoking in election booths on election days, neither may judges of elections smoke while counting the ballots. Petitions for a referendum vote on the anti-treating ordinance are being circulated in Tacoma.

THE BAND CONCERT.

The band concert and ball Saturday night was a brilliant success financially as well as socially and musically. The musical program was a fine one and was heard to advantage in some strongly contrasting selections and with equal pleasure to all. The rendering of that gem, the overture of Suppe's "Poet and Peasant," was most delightful, its harmonies being finely brought out. Just as enjoyable was the splendidly played selection "Lucia Di Lammermoor," waltz, "Italian Nights," medley, "The Jolly Minstrel," and yet of another class was Dalbey's Fantasia "Auld Lang Syne," which was played in a magnificent manner.

The duet—"Two Thoughts," (clarinets) Messrs. Miles and Farmer, was splendidly rendered.

Miss Ada Thomas' fine voice was heard in a selected vocal solo. It is clear and sweet and she received well merited recails.

Under the talented leadership of Prof. S. E. Wright, Port Angeles Marine Band continues to improve. As built up within the last year it is easily one of the strongest musical organizations on the Olympic peninsula. It is a band of which the citizens of Port Angeles may well feel proud.

At the close of the concert The Woman's Literary Club served an excellent supper for benefit of the band, the net proceeds of which was $31. The treasury of the band is richer by $98 as a result of the concert, supper and dance.

BUY RED CROSS SEALS.

Stick a Red Cross Seal on the back of every letter you write before Christmas. They are beautiful stickers, printed in holiday colors, red and green, and bid Merry Christmas and Happy New Year. They cost but a cent each and the results of the thirty day sale, extending over the entire state of Washington, will help to block the progress of the worst scourge that threatens humanity. Every cent will be expended by the Washington Association for the prevention and relief of Tuberculosis, and the countyleagues, in waging an aggressive campaign of education against the disease, and in relieving those who have already fallen victims to it. Seals are on sale in this city. Ask for them. Every piece of mail and every package and gift sent out during the campaign should bear a Red Cross Seal.

MACCABEES OFFICERS.

Maccabees elect new officers for 1911, at their meeting Tuesday evening, December 13th:

Lady Commander, Eva L. Hopkins.
Lieut. Commander, Maud Hoare.
Past Lady Commander, Marie Baker.
Secretary, Lillie D. Willson.
Finance Auditor, Rosana Filion.
Lady at Arms, Lillie Myers.
Chaplain, Susan Phelps.
Sergeant, Nettie R. Tuttle.
Picket, Zella Polhamus.
Official Prompter, Margery Hansen.
Captain of Guards, Grace Fisher.

THE CITY COUNCIL

The city council transacted but little business Tuesday evening of interest to the public, much of the time being spent in discussing the advisibility of allowing certain bills presented to the council for their action. The bill of the W. W. Co. for 19 hydrants at $3.50 each, was allowed after much discussion.

Bills to the amount of about $500 were allowed.

The matter of removing gravel from the city gravel pit to the injury of adjoining property was referred to the city attorney, who advised council "That it was an old and well settled maxim of the law that one should so use his own as not to injure the rights or property of others". Therefore city attorney Smith advised that the city would be liable for damage by the cav ng in of adjoining property if such caving-in or slide occurred because of excavation made in the pit.

Four foot side walk were ordered on both sides of Fourth street, from Oak to Cherry, and a crossing ordered on west side of Laurel, between Front and First.

Saloon license was granted Bon Reigen & Stoelt.

The official canvass of the city election developed no changes worthy of note.

Every lady or girl likes something new and pretty for her neck and it is an easy gift to send by mail. Call in and look over the fine display of these goods at Mrs. Goldwater's; the latest things in Irish Point and Persian patterns.

THE CITY NEWS

Mrs. C. I. Haswell goes to Seattle tomorrow for a short visit.

Go to Bakers when in need of a good heater, either for wood or coal.

Buy the latest. Aren't those burnished brass novelties at P. J.'s just beauties?

Mrs Al. Jensen and Miss Kate Jensen went to Seattle Wednesday to spend a few days.

O, joy! those souvenir tooth pick holders at P. J.'s are just the things to send an eastern friend.

Fancy embossed Christmas and New Year's letters. Something New. Ask to see them at Nailor's.

What better present could a housewife ask than a nice piece of furniture from the Willson Hardware Co.

Fancy vests and the latest things in gentlemen's belts and umbrellas just received for the Holiday trade at Lutz & Co.

A few pieces of late sheet music or some new records for the talking machine would make a nice gift. See Nailor's.

St. Andrew's church, Episcopal; services at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. by Rev. D. G. C. King of Seattle. Sunday School 10 a. m.

The art brass outfits make the best kind of a Christmas gift and then next year you can make your own. At Mathewson's.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Cox are rejoicing over the arrival of a baby boy at their home Thursday, December 8th.

How about that Fruit for Christmas? Fancy Citron, Lemon and Orange Peel, Currants and Seeded Raisins, at the Gate City Grocery.

If you want to see something classy in rocking chairs go to the Willson Hardware. One of these would make anyone's heart glad for Christmas.

Something for the baby? P. J. can supply just the thing. See his line of baby spoons, food sets, cups, knife, fork and spoon sets, rings and bracelets.

Have you seen those new belts in the beautiful Persian patterns at Mrs. Goldwater's, also the elegant line of shopping bags? How about these for Christmas gifts?

How the children, yes, and the old folks, too, like a nice warm pair of slippers to get into these cold mornings. Better stop in and take a look at the dandies Lutz have "just in" with their Christmas stock.

The band boys have joined hands with the base ball team for the annual masquerade ball on New Years, 31st, and every member of both organizations is working for the success of what they hope will be the biggest masquerade ever pulled off in Angeles. Some sixty handsome prizes on exhibition in the Lewis Levy building will be awarded to the best representations as an extra inducement.

Warner, the Optician, will be glad to receive his friends and patrons at The Merchants Hotel Dec. 13th to Dec. 19th, 1910.

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Will Tell Port Angeles About Living Normally and Happily and Enjoying the Fullness of Life.

On Monday night, January second, will be presented the opportunity to hear these well known thinkers and speakers from Denver, who come for the purpose of expounding the doctrine of good health; to tell us how easy it is to get and to keep what our heritage intended for us. Their lecture will be a notable addition to the engagements of the winter and will be remembered long after the ordinary entertainments of the season are forgotten. These lecturers are snappy, earnest, forceful, and deserve the largest audience Port Angeles can afford. Their tour in Washington includes less than ten of the larger cities and their visit here is through their personal acquaintance with Mr. and Mrs. Clark, at whose home they will be entertained. Full notice of place and hour will be given in a later paper.

The Northwestern General Hospital at Irondale is one of the most modern and best equipped institutions of its kind in the entire Northwest. It is a handsome four story brick structure occupying the most sightly location in Irondale, commanding a beautiful view of Port Townsend Bay, the Olympic and Cascade mountains. It contains wards, single private rooms, and two and three rooms with private bath. Acute and chronic medical and surgical cases accepted for treatment.

Nails? Baker & Son have in a supply for sidewalk building.

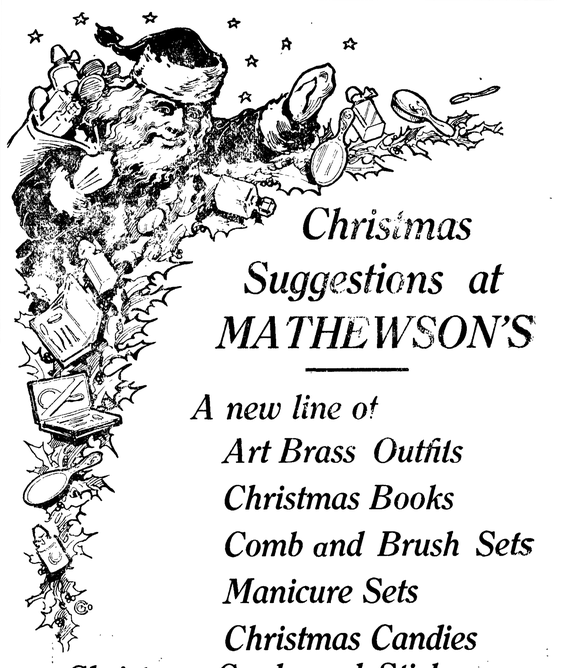
Call for Bids

The Board of Education of School Dist. No. 7 will receive bids up to 12 m. Dec. 31st, for hauling pupils from that part of the district located between Belleview Schoolhouse and what is known as the Cosser Ranch.

Pupils to be hauled as far as Central School grounds.

S. E. Stakemiller,
Clerk.

Port Angeles, Wash.
Dec. 15th, 1910.



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Port Angeles Water Supply Co.

With the exception of some lateral extensions, we have completed the new water system for the City from Ennis Creek. The City Officials have tested the pressure and found it ample. We believe the quantity and purity of the water, the whole system in fact, is one the city can be proud of, and is of special value to the community as a whole.

We have now a large investment and there will be some adjustment in rates to meet this expenditure. The residence rates where Bath and Closet are not used will be for the present, per month $1.25. For payment at the office on or before the 10th of the month a DISCOUNT of 25 cents will be allowed, making a net rate of [not including sprinkling] $1.00 Some rate will be charged where Baths and Closets are connected, and an adjustment equalizing rates will be made for commercial connection.

The increase will be small, and we hope consumers, where the rates are changed will find the new and excellent supply worth the increased cost.

The changes will go into effect January 1st, 1911.

Port Angeles Water Supply Co.