

PROSPEROUS SOUTH.

ADVANCING EXPEDITIOUSLY AND IN ALL OTHER RESPECTS. Statistics illustrating the material condition of the South...

FINANCE AND TRADE. More cars were received over the Puget Sound road today than were ever received in a like period of time...

But this improvement is best shown in the statistics of the past year, which we give again in full, although some of the figures have already been given by the Times-Democrat...

Table with columns for various commodities (Cotton, Wheat, Oats, etc.) and their prices in 1887 and 1897.

Manufacturers have kept pace with the railroads; indeed, there is not a line of business in which the south is not engaged that does not show an increase...

Table showing the value of live stock in the South for various years (1887, 1897, etc.) categorized by state.

The natural result of this activity is an immense increase in southern wealth. It is our conviction that the greatest improvement here has been in the extreme southern and southwestern states...

REAL ESTATE.

AGREEMENTS FOR THE WEEK'S BUSINESS. Below will be found a list of the deeds filed for record with the county clerk during the past week...

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UNKINDEST CUT OF ALL.

WE HAVE SEEN PRICES CUT DOWN ON FANCY ARTICLES, BUT NEVER BEFORE ON SUCH A STAPLE ARTICLE AS RIBBON.

PRICE LIST FOR NEXT WEEK ONLY. Plain edge or Crown edge, all silk, warranted: No. 2..... 5 cents No. 7..... 12 1/2 cents

PLAIN EDGE OR CROWN EDGE, ALL SILK, WARRANTED: No. 2..... 5 cents No. 7..... 12 1/2 cents

HALF SILK: No. 5..... 3 cents No. 9..... 8 1/2 cents

WE ADVISE ALL CUSTOMERS TO TAKE ADVANTAGE OF THESE LOW PRICES, WHICH ARE LESS THAN WHOLESALE COST. PRICES ON FANCY RIBBON IN PROPORTION. NO LIMIT AS TO QUANTITY.

LATOUR & CO.

Opera Block, Front street. FOR SALE!

STETSON & POST BLOCK.

CORNER OF Second and Marion streets, ESHELMAN, LEWELLYN & CO.

REMOVAL NOTICE.

On May 1st, the wholesale liquor store of M. & K. GOTTSTEIN was removed into their new quarters, in Marshall's Block, corner Commercial and Washington Sts.

G. A. GOERKE, MERCHANT TAILOR.

Attention and integrity assure you satisfaction. BROWN BLOCK, FRONT STREET.

EARLY ROSE IN THE POTATOES.

FROM NORTH YAKIMA, AS USUAL. JUST RECEIVED AT

Chas. Louch's UNION BAY.

Front and Union. GOODS DELIVERED AT FREE OF CHARGE.

LOGGERS! OXEN! OXEN!

For a change of seed for this soil nothing can be better than the above, as they are grown in an ably soil and are of fine quality.

WANTED.

I WILL ARRIVE IN SEATTLE ON OR about May 4th, with four car loads of work oxen for sale.

HORSES FOR SALE.

O. H. HOLCOMB HAS OPENED A NEW STABLE ON the corner of Crawford St. & N. Washington St.

NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS & BUILDERS.

SEALED TENDERS WILL BE RECEIVED up to Thursday, May 21st, 1898, for the construction of the building both in stone and brick.

FOR RENT.

128 acre ranch on Vashon Island, rent for stock raising, with a fine view of the bay.

CRANE & DICKEY, EMPLOYMENT BUREAU.

Washington St., near Commercial. IMPORTANT TO INVESTORS.

SEATTLE WOOD YARD.

DRY ALDER AND FIR WOOD CUT ANY length. Dry kilning a specialty.

OUR PRICES ARE TELLING.

Since we commenced business our policy has always been to offer every class of Dry Goods at as low prices as the clearest economy will permit.

FEATURES OF THIS WEEK.

DRESS GOODS, SILKS, VELVETS, WHITE GOODS, HOSIERY, GLOVES, TOWELS, TABLE LINENS, &c., &c.

DOHENY & MARUM, DEPOT OF LOW PRICES.

Corner Front and Columbia streets, Seattle, W. T.

PORT TOWNSEND FOUNDRY AND MACHINE COMPANY.

FOUNDRY, MACHINE AND BOILER SHOPS. ORDERS SOLICITED. PORT TOWNSEND, WASH. T.

WM. H. HUGHES Printing Company.

SEATTLE, W. T. All kinds of book and job work a specialty.

LEVY BROS.

IMPORTED KEY WEST AND DOMESTIC CIGARS, TOBACCO, PIPES, CUTLERY.

LOWMAN & HANFORD S. & P. CO.

SOLE AGENTS FOR KNABE PIANOS, Mason & Hamlin and Farrand & Vetoey Organs.

PETERSON BROS.

Importers and Dealers in GROCERIES AND PROVISIONS.

INTENDING TO CONFINE OURSELVES TO THE WHOLESALE TRADE OF Groceries and Hardware.

Exclusively hereafter, we now offer our entire stock of Dry Goods, Men's Furnishing Goods, Boots and Shoes to the trade at greatly reduced prices.

SCHWABACHER BROS. & CO.

For Sale. Special Bargains. Two lots, corner Eighth and Pike streets, north-west corner, all cleared.

Lot 6, block 40, Maynard's plat, two small buildings renting for \$16 a month, only \$2100.

Lot 4, block 39, Pontus 2d a fine lot for a house, all graded, lawned and fenced, finest view in the city, a small house, \$700.

A Snap--40 acres fine land overlooking the Sound. Look this up, \$500.

60 acres inside the platted district, only \$3000. We will take a one-third interest with right party.

Spplendid five-acre tract, cleared, half mile from depot, platted all around, for each \$500. Choice bargains in a few houses and lots. Look us up.

MONROE & WHIPPLE, Room 17, Union Block. First-Class Private Boarding House, COR. MARION AND FRONT STS., OVER DRUG STORE. Board by the week or month.

100 ACRES OF WATER FRONT NEAR SEATTLE. HOW TO BUY LAND.

After you have bargained for one or more lots, you may wish to purchase the entire tract, or you may wish to purchase the entire tract, or you may wish to purchase the entire tract.

\$50 LOTS IN HAZLEWOOD ADDITION.

Two miles from the postoffice close to Madison street. They are cheap. High and level, commanding a Beautiful View.

COOK & MOORE.