

Advertisement for W.P. Boyd & Co. bath towels, listing various sizes and prices.

Advertisement for W.P. Boyd & Co. 'Little Loops of Luxury' towels.

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Advertisement for GINGER ALE, SODA WATER, and CHAMPAGNE CIDER by Louch, Augustine & Co.

Advertisement for THE SEATTLE TRANSFER CO. offering storage and insurance at low rates.

Advertisement for NETHERLANDS AMERICAN MORTGAGE BANK, always money on hand.

Advertisement for SALT, 'The Best Salt' by R. S. V. P. Brand.

TACOMA'S GIANT DEBT.

Judge Stallcup Flays the Officials Who Contracted It.

MANY WARRANTS NOT LEGAL.

"Revolted Acts of Imbecile and Debauched Servants" Spoken of.

Horrible Suicide at Chehalis, a Man Cutting His Head Off With a Circular Saw—Lieut. Col. Shank, of the Militia, Resigns.

Tacoma, July 24.—Special.—Judge Stallcup today decided in favor of the city in the suit of A. N. Jordan to join the city treasurer from paying warrants for current expenses until a warrant held by him of prior date was paid.

ENGLAND AGAIN.

She Seizes the Little Brazilian Island of Trinidad.

BRAZIL VERY MUCH EXCITED.

The Islet Is Uninhabited, but Lies in the Pathway of Commerce.

Its Possessor Would Be in a Position to Wage War on Brazil—Baron Harden-Hickey's Scheme to Colonize and Rule the Tiny Bit of Rock.

London, July 24.—Referring to the statement called from New York that Brazil has formally protested against Great Britain's claim to the island of Trinidad, persons in authority questioned the subject by the representative of the Associated Press said that the British title to that island dates from the year 1793, when possession was taken of the island by the British.

WALLA WALLA'S WATER.

Trouble Between City and Water Company Over Short Supply.

Walla Walla, July 24.—Special.—The city of Walla Walla has applied to the superior court to set aside a contract with the Walla Walla Water Company to furnish the city with water.

A NEW PAK FOUND.

Through the Baker Range to the Upper Skagit—4,100 Feet.

Whitcomb, July 24.—Special.—Several members of the Early expedition, which left the city a short time ago to search for a practicable route to the upper Skagit, have returned and report having discovered an excellent pass, 4,100 feet high, between the Baker range north of Mount Baker to the upper Skagit.

WILL ADVERTISE FOR BIDS.

For the Normal School Building—Supt. Schwagerl to Select the Ground.

Whitcomb, July 24.—Special.—The normal school board met yesterday afternoon and decided to immediately advertise for plans for the building, making the competition open to all architects and plans to be submitted within thirty days from date of call.

WITH A CIRCULAR SAW.

An Insane Swede Cuts His Throat in a Chehalis Factory.

Chehalis, July 24.—Special.—Walter O. Eggen, a Swede laborer about 32 years old, this afternoon took a novel means of ending his life. He was employed in a Chehalis factory and placed his throat over a circular saw.

A Fraudulent Pop Arrested.

Everett, July 24.—Special.—A young man named Fraser was committed by Judge Shyler yesterday for trial at the superior court on the charge of obtaining money from the state by false pretenses, representing himself to be an agent of a Populist party in Seattle.

Concerning Highways in Counties.

Olympia, July 24.—Special.—A case has been submitted to the superior court by the chief from Thurston county, the result of which will settle the exact intent and effect of the law passed by the last legislature requiring county surveys to compile a record of highways in their respective counties to be filed in the office of the county surveyor.

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