WANTS THE LEDGER.

Delegate James Has a Scene With Mr. Aronson.

RAISING MERCHANTS' TAXES.

Schwabacher and McDougall's Figures Increased—Many Petitions for Reductions.

The assessor's office, in which the board of equalization is holding its session, was the scene of quite a lively discussion between Delegate J. A. James, who represents the city on the board, and S. Aronson, secretary and treasurer of the Schwabacher company, over the returns of personal property, grocery and hardware business sent in to the assessor by the company, $75,170, which amount the board thought was altogether too low.

Mr. Aronson was present by request, and entered a strong protest against the figure set by the board, $140,000, or $75,000 for the grocery department and $65,000 for the hardware department. He said he made the amount a little low, believing the board would exercise just discretion, but found out that it had not. He also said he made a return of the value of the stock and thought that was sufficient.

Mr. James said in his opinion the return was not sufficient, and thought the books of the company furnished the only honest means of arriving at a just figure. In other words, he did not believe the statement sent in by the company was correct by any means.

Mr. Aronson was pretty wrathy by this time, and said he would not allow the ledger to be brought up, and left the room.

It is the opinion of the board that $140,000 is not a bit too large, and it unanimously agreed to place the assessment of the company at that figure.

The board also raised the assessment of the Macdougall & Southwick company from $50,150 to $65,000.

The following petitions for reduction of assessments were received:

Charles W. Kitchen, all of block 10, McGilvra's third addition, improvements, from $2,000.

A. E. Braymer, west half lots 1 and 2, block 2, Kaufman's addition, real, from $420.

Schwabacher Land company, lot 9, block 20, Kidd's addition, strike off improvement of $150.

J. B. McDougall, lots 1 to 9, T. Hanford's addition, from $80 to $40 each.

J. B. McDougall, north one-third of lot 47 and all of lot 48, block 18, Madison street addition, from $80 to $25.

Mrs. S. J. Plummer, lot 4, block 11, Maynard's addition, from $14,500.

S. Schwabacher, lot 3, section 7, township 24, range 5, from $1,550 to $550.

J. B. McDougall, in M. Terry's third addition, real property, from $43,800 to $35,000.

J. B. McDougall, in M. Terry's third addition, improvements, from $35,000 to $25,000.

James Thomas, lot 8, block 3, Boren & Denny's addition, reduce improvements from $20,000.

King County Investment Co. No. 2, lot 1, block 10, Neagle's addition, from $600 to $550; lot 2, from $550 to $500; lot 3, from $550 to $500; lot 10, from $600 to $500; lot 11, from $600 to $500; lot 12, from $680 to $550; lot 4, block 33, Maynard's addition, from $3,000 to $2,800; lot 4, block 33, improvements, from $750 to $400.

I. A. Wald, north half of lot 2, block 36, S. A. Bell's addition, reduce from $1,200.

I. A. Wald, lot 12, block 30, S. A. Bell's addition, reduce from $1,700.

I. A. Wald, 30 acres in northeast quarter of northwest quarter, section 34, township 24, range 6, from $700.

I. A. Wald, 260x260 feet in northwest quarter of northwest quarter, section 34, township 24, range 6, real estate from $700, and improvements from $600.

Charles Hopkins, lots 5 and 8, block 93, Denny's addition.

Charles Hopkins, lots 5 and 8, block 121, Denny's Broadway.

M. J. Carkeek, lots 1, 4, 5 and 8, block 119, Denny's Broadway, first and last lots, from $2,700 to $2,000, and second and third from $2,300 to $1,500.

G. W. Kimball, lot 4, block 24, A. A. Denny's addition, from $12,000 to $10,000.

Frank Hanford, lots 7 and 8, block 51, Maynard's addition, from $1,100 and $1,200, respectively.

H. C. Smithson, lots 1 to 4 and 5 and 7 to 10, block 1, Graves' addition, from $120 each to $100 each.

H. C. Smithson, lots 1 to 5 inclusive, block 2, Graves' addition, from $160 to $125 each.

The following petitions to reduce were granted:

King County Investment company, lot 4, block 33, Maynard's addition, improvements, from $750 to $400.

S. Schwabacher, lot 3, section 7, township 24, range 5, from $1,550 to $550.

Schwabacher Land company, lot 9, block 20, Kidd's addition, strike off improvement of $150.

The following petitions to reduce were rejected by the board:

King County Ivestment Co. No. 2, lots 1, 2, 3, 10, 11 and 12, in block 10, Neagle's addition, and lot 4, block 33, Maynard's addition.

I. A. Wald, lot 2, in block 36, and lot 12, block 20, S. A. Bell's addition, and 30 acres in section 34, township 24, range 6.

The board sent a notice to the Gatzert-Schwabacher Land company to appear within five days and show cause why the assessment of its personal property should not be raised from $2,000 to $4,000.

Notices were sent to the Front Street Cable Railway company, the Seattle Consolidated Street Railway company, the Seattle City Railway company, the Union Trunk line, the Third Street & Suburban Railway company to appear and state why their assessment should not be raised.

ARGUING DENNY HOTEL CASE.

Great Array of Lawyers in the Famous Controversay.

The argument in the famous Denny hotel case was continued yesterday before Referee Bell in the library room of the superior court. L. C. Gilman, of counsel for Potvin, occupied the entire forenoon and a portion of the afternoon. He dwelt principally on law points and portions of the facts not brought out by Mr. Wiley, who opened the case Monday afternoon.

Mr. Gilman was followed by S. D. Halliday, trustee and general counsel for Cornell university. Mr. Halliday's standing in the East is very high and his remarks yesterday were eagerly listened to by counsel on both sides. He spoke entirely on the law governing the case, as he did not arrive in time to look over the testimony and left the facts of the case as brought out by the evidence entirely in the hands of Fremont Cole, the local attorney for the university. Mr. Halliday is a very forcible pleader, his language being perfect and his address pleasing.

Fremont Cole will follow Mr. Halliday today and George E. DeSteiguer will follow for Potvin.

Referee Bell will then take the case under advisement and it will probably be about six weeks before he renders a decision.

ALL SAY HASTIE IS QUIBBLING.

Commissioners Postive He Promised Opinion on Mileage Question.

County Commissioner Heaton says that Prosecuting Attorney Hastie is simply quibbling when he says he did not receive a letter from him asking for an opinion on the mileage question. Both Mr. Nickerson and Mr. Gasch uphold Mr. Heaton in his statement and stated to a Post-Intelligencer reporter yesterday that they had heard him ask Mr. Hastie for an opinion and that that official said he would look it up. Mr. Heaton said yesterday:

"When Mr. Hastie states that there is no letter on file from me asking for an opinion as to the right of commissioners to charge mileage he is simply quibbling. The board has often asked him for an opinion without reducing the request to writing, and he has often given an opinion orally.

"In the presence of my two colleagues, Messrs. Gasch and Nickerson, Tuesday evening last, I said to him in substance:

"'Judge, you remember that I called your attention to the matter of mileage and asked you for your version. He replied in substance:

"'Yes, but I have only looked into the matter incidentally in my examination to ascertain whether the surveyor is entitled to mileage.'

"I have nothing more to say, except to refer you to my colleagues."

Mr. Nickerson said:

"From the answer that Mr. Hastie gave Mr. Heaton to the question first propounded by him in the presence of Mr. Gasch and myself, I inferred that Mr. Hastie acknowledged that Mr. Heaton had asked him to examine the law as to whether the commissioners had the right to charge mileage."

Mr. Gasch said substantially the same as Mr. Nickerson.

The hearing of R. J. Wilson's injunction suit against the payment of Heaton's mileage warrant will come up before Judge Langley on Saturday and Mr. Nickerson will be representetd by S. H. Piles and Arthur E. Griffin.

HE SUES FOR BACK WAGES.

Photographer's Printer Claims Money Is Still Due and Garnishes Property.

F. C. Plummer yesterday sued F. La Roche, the photographer, in the superior court for $300 claimed to be due on salary as printer in the latter's gallery and garnisheed goods belonging to La Roche in the possession of the Great Northern railroad company.

Plummer alleges that he was employed as printer by La Roche during the year 1894 at a salary of $15 a week, and from January 4 to July 3, 1895, he was to receive $18 a week. On October 23, according to Plummer's story, a settlement was had, at which Plummer received all the money due him but $25, and from that time to July 3, 1895, earned $540, of which $290 has been paid, leaving a balance of $255. Beside this amount Plummer claims that La Roche borrowed $25 from him on two occasions, making a total of $280, which with the interest brings the whole amount due him to $300. Plummer claims that the Great Northern has personal property belonging to La Roche in its possession worth over $300, and names that road as garnishee.

To Make a Last Appeal for Holmes.

A strong effort is being made to induce Gov. McGraw to commute Willie Holmes' sentence from hanging to imprisonment. M. G. Winstock, his attorney, will make a trip to Olympia today for the express purpose of laying the case before the chief executive. Holmes is failing fast, and it is the firm belief of all who have seen him recently that he will not live more than six weeks, as consumption has secured a firm hold on him.

The Standard, Not the Fidelity.

The action brought by Eliza M. Fraser for the accident insurance on her husband's life is against the Standard Life & Accident Insurance Company, and not the Fidelity & Casualty Company, as inadvertently stated yesterday morning. The defense to the suit is that Fraser at the time of his death was engaged in gambling, an unlawful act, and thereby contributed to his own death.

Squak Slough Ditch Hearing.

The hearing of the objectors to the Squak slough ditch before the county commissioners will be held on Saturday afternoon at 2 o'clock instead of Thursday, as announced in yesterday's paper.

New Suits Filed.

The following new suits were filed yesterday in the superior court:

F. C. Plummer vs. F. La Roche et ux.—Balance due on salary, $300.

George F. Aust vs. W. W. Radcliffe—Two assigned promissory notes, $158.30.

Kap & Co. vs. the Duwamish Construction Company—Transcript from Justice Humphrey.

E. W. Bunker vs. W. P. Wiesenthal, Catherine Wiesenthal and J. L. Green—Promissory note, $225.

Frye-Bruhn Company vs. American Coal Company—Transcript from Justice Cooper; judgment by default, $35.40.

Courts and Public Offices.

Default was entered yesterday in the case of Simon Hirsch and Adolph Hirsch vs. R. T. Brook.

Swan Asker Johnson, a native of Sweden, was made a citizen of the United States yesterday by Judge Langley.

The force in the treasurer's office is busily engaged checking up the index to delinquent taxes, a task which will occupy it for a month.

Theresa Schaefer, a native of Hungary, has caught the "new woman" idea to the extent of being naturalized by Judge Langley yesterday.

Judgment for $447 and costs in favor of plaintiff in the case of the Union Savings Bank and Trust Company vs. William Thomas was satisfied yesterday.

Marriage licenses were issued yesterday for Charles J. Thomas and Decora M. Robertson, both of Tolt, and Stanton Munch and Lola Allen, both of San Francisco.

The sale of Mrs. "Jumbo" Cantwell's property by the sheriff to satisfy the judgment secured against her by W. C. Reeves, was confirmed yesterday by Judge Langley.

Judgment was signed yesterday in the case of Simon Hirsch et al. vs. R. T. Brook for $483.37, and also in the case of Charles J. Dold Mercantile Company vs. R. T. Brook for $406.

A. G. McBride was appointed guardian ad litem for James Guy Taylor, Bert Tayler, Elsie Oules, Leonard Oules and Lela Oules, minor heirs of James H. Taylor, deceased, by Judge Langley yesterday.

The First National Bank of New Hampton, which secured a judgment against George W. Bray, of Puyallup, on July 20, 1889, for $2,748.46, has evidently been unable to collect it, and yesterday filed a motion in the superior court asking that the lien of judgment be revived and it be granted leave to issue execution.

Chin Fook, arrested last Saturday evening in a down-town Chinese laundry for being illegally in the country, was yesterday ordered deported by United States Commissioner C. D. Emery. The Chinaman, it is thought, had a fraudulent certificate, but he failed to produce it, fearing conviction for forgery and confinement in the penitentiary.

Decrees for plaintiffs were signed yesterday in the cases of the Northern Counties Investment Trust vs. C. S. Wheaton et al.; Northern Counties Investment Trust vs. W. H. Baldwin et al.; the Scottish-American Morigage Company vs. J. F. Brewer et al.; the Oregon Mortgage Company vs. Lysander Matthews; and the Northern Counties Investment Trust vs. Jennie Dailey. These are all foreclosure suits for amounts ranging from $500 to $1,100.

In Business in Seattle.

The Brownsville Woolen Mills Company, of Brownsville, Or., have opened a clothing, gents' furnishing goods and merchant tailoring store at 903 Front street, this city. The Brownsville woolen mills have been in operation for more than thirty years. Their goods are well known in most parts of the Northwest for reliability and service. Their goods are strictly all wool, and guaranteed as represented, and will be sold at very low prices, quality of the goods considered. The public are invited to call and inspect the goods. The company will also carry a large stock of blankets and flannels, to be sold to the trade only.

"Old Dominion" Cigarettes
Are booming. Smokers like them.

"Pinafore" tonight. Madison Park.

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First Regiment Band concert, Leschi Park, tonight.

How a Prominent German Cured His Cold.

678 SELBY AVE., ST. PAUL, Minn., March 9, 1894.—Six weeks ago I suffered with a very severe cold; was almost unable to speak. My friends all advised me to consult a physician. Noticing Chamberlain's Cough Remedy advertised in the St. Paul *Volks Zeitung*, I procured a bottle and after taking it a short while was entirely well. I now most heartily recommend this remedy to any one suffering with a cold. WM. KEIL.

OHIO STEEL RANGES

PERFECT BAKERS.

Z. C. MILES CO., Yesler Ave., bet. Front and Railroad Ave. T. F DAVIDSON, Receiver.

THE BIDS WERE TOO LOW.

Property of Yesler Estate of Which Sale Was Rejected.

The list of property of the Yesler estate which was sold at the recent administrator's sale, but not confirmed by Judge Langley, and which will be resold on September 12, is as follows:

R. A. Morris, fractional block 86, Terry's Second addition, $3,750; appraisement, $5,000.

R. A. Morris, lot 2, block 2, Terry's Second addition, $1,200; appraisement, $2,200.

William Devereaux, lot 3, block 8, Judkins' addition, $330; appraisement, $400.

William Devereaux, lot 19, block in McNaught's extension to Judkins' addition, $180; appraisement, $200.

IN YESLER'S THIRD ADDITION.

William Devereaux, lot 7, block 54, $400; appraisement, $600.

William Devereaux, lot 6, block 44, $300; appraisement, $400.

William Devereaux, lot 7, block 44, $275; appraisement, $350.

William Devereaux, lot 8, block 44, $200; appraisement, $300.

William Devereaux, lot 6, block 43, $25; appraisement, $75.

William Devereaux, lot 7, block 43, $25; appraisement, $100.

William Devereaux, lot 15, block 43, $50; appraisement, $150.

William Devereaux, lot 16, block 43, $75; appraisement, $150.

William Devereaux, lot 2, block 50, $300; appraisement, $600.

William Devereaux, lot 1 block 50, $400; appraisement, $700.

William Devereaux, lot 3, block 50, $300; appraisement, $600.

William Devereaux lot 4, block 50, $250; appraisement, $600.

William Devereaux, block 51, $1,000; appraisement, $2,500.

William Devereaux, lot 1, block 41, $205; appraisement, $275.

William Devereaux, lot 1, block 42, $170; appraisement, $300.

F. Atwood, lot 1, block 48, $30; appraisement, $50.

F. Atwood, lot 2, block 48, $30; appraisement, $50.

F. Atwood, lot 3, block 48, $20; appraisement, $50.

F. Atwood, lot 4, block 48, $30; appraisement, $50.

F. Atwood, lot 5, block 48, $30; appraisement, $50.

F. Atwood, lot 5, block 49, $25; appraisement, $50.

F. Atwood, lot 6, block 49, $20; appraisement, $50.

F. Atwood, lot 7, block 49, $20; appraisement, $50.

F. Atwood, lot 8, block 49, $25; appraisement, $50.

F. Atwood, lot 9, block 49, $25; appraisement, $50.

F. Atwood, lot 10, block 49, $20; appraisement, $50.

F. Atwood, lot 11, block 49, $20; appraisement, $50.

F. Atwood, lot 12, block 49, $20; appraisement, $50.

F. Atwood, lot 13, block 49, $20; appraisement, $50.

F. Atwood, lot 14, block 49, $20; appraisement, $50.

F. Atwood, lot 15, block 49, $20; appraisement, $50.

F. Atwood, lot 16, block 49, $20; appraisement, $50.

F. Atwood, lot 17, block 49, $20; appraisement, $50.

F. Atwood, lot 18, block 49, $20; appraisement, $50.

F. Atwood, lot 8, block 54, $325; appraisement, $600.

F. Atwood, lot 9, block 54, $300; appraisement, $575.

F. Atwood, lot 10, block 54, $500; appraisement, $575.

F. Atwood, lot 11, block 54, $260; appraisement, $550.

F. Atwood, lot 12, block 54, $250; appraisement, $550.

F. Atwood, lot 20, block 54, $225; appraisement, $425.

F. Atwood, lot 21, block 54, $200; appraisement, $425.

F. Atwood, lot 22, block 54, $150; appraisement, $425.

F. Atwood, lot 1, block 43, $20; appraisement, $50.

F. Atwood, lot 2, block 43, $20; appraisement, $50.

F. Atwood, lot 3, block 43, $20; appraisement, $75.

F. Atwood, lot 4, block 43, $20; appraisement, $75.

F. Atwood, lot 5, block 43, $20; appraisement, $75.

F. Atwood, lot 8, block 43, $30; appraisement, $100.

F. Atwood, lot 9, block 43, $30; appraisement, $100.

F. Atwood, lot 10, block 43, $30; appraisement, $100.

F. Atwood, lot 2, block 36, $100; appraisement, $200.

F. Atwood, lot 2, block 37, $35; appraisement, $125.

F. Atwood, fractional lot 3, block 37, $20; appraisement, $50.

F. Atwood, fractional lot 4, block 37, $20; appraisement, $50.

F. Atwood, lot 2, block 42, $130; appraisement, $250.

F. Atwood, lot 3, block 42, $130; appraisement, $250.

S. Grand, lot 14, block 43, $60; appraisement, $150.

S. Grand, lot 11, block 36, $60; appraisement, $125.

M. & K. Gottstein, lot 23, block 54, $125; appraisement, $400.

M. & K. Gottstein, lot 3, block 36, $105; appraisement, $250.

M. & K. Gottstein, lot 4, block 36, $75; appraisement, $200.

M. & K. Gottstein, fractional lot 5, block 36, $11; appraisement, $25.

M. & K. Gottstein, fractional lot 8, block 36, $11; appraisement, $25.

M. & K. Gottstein, lot 9, block 36, $50; appraisement, $125.

M. & K. Gottstein, lot 10, block 36, $50; appraisement, $125.

F. E. Emery, lot 14, block 41, $400; appraisement, $675.

E. W. Dickoff, lot 5, block 42, $150; appraisement, $200.

E. W. Dickoff, lot 12, block 43, $65; appraisement, $150.

H. W. Scott, lot 8, block 47, $25; appraisement, $75.

H. W. Scott, lot 9, block 47, $25; appraisement, $75.

J. L. Anderson, lot 11, block 43, $50; appraisement, $150.

E. Johnson, lot 13, block 43, $50; appraisement, $150.

C. B. Turner, lot 1, block 37, $60; appraisement, $125.

H. H. Kent, lot 1, block 36, $120; appraisement, $250.

George F. Aust, fractional lots 5, 6, block 6, Yesler's First addition, $97.

"Canst thou minister to a mind diseased?" asks Macbeth. Certainly, my lord; the condition of the mind depends largely, if not solely, on the condition of the stomach, liver and bowels, for all of which complaints Ayer's Pills are "the sovereignest thing on earth."

Mental Alertness

Depends very largely on the physical condition. Sluggish blood dulls the brain. A Ripans Tabule after meals will clear away the fogs in short order.

Reward.

A reward of $10 will be paid for information leading to the arrest and conviction of any one stealing copies of the Post-Intelligencer delivered to subscribers throughout the city.

Now is the time to visit Yellowstone Park. A specially conducted excursion will leave Seattle September 2 in special Pullman cars in charge of Dr. Roland D. Grant, of Portland. Only a limited number will be allowed to join the party. The lowest rate yet named will cover tickets for this party only. For full information apply to I. A. Nadeau, general agent, Northern Pacific railroad, corner Front street and Yesler avenue.

Puget Sound & Alaska Steamship Company will have no night boat from Seattle for Victoria August 16 and 18, but same will run as usual thereafter. Morning boat leaves Yesler wharf at 10:15 a. m.

"Old Dominion" Cigarettes.
Ask your dealer for them.

Smokers! demand "La Florida" 5-cent cigar. Nothing equal ever sold at the money. The Florida Cigar Company, Tampa, Fla.

"Pinafore" tonight, Madison park.

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Children Cry for Pitcher's Castoria.

IMPORTANT TO MINING MEN.

Assessment Work May All Be Done on One Claim of a Group.

Fred Rice Rowell has received from Comimssioner Lamoreux, of the general land office, a letter solving a question which has troubled many mining men. It is as follows:

"Department of the Interior, General Land Office, Washington City, July 29, 1895—Fred Rice Rowell, Esq., attorney at law, Haller building, Seattle, Wash.. Sir: By your letter of July 18, 1895, addressed to the honorable secretary and by him referred to this office, you ask if it is required that $500 worth of improvements be made or labor performed upon each location of a group embraced in an application for patent. In reply you are advised that either this must be done, or it must be shown that $500 has been expended in labor or improvements for the first development of the several locations embraced in the group. Very respectfully,

"S. W. LAMOREUX,
"Comimssioner."

In giving a copy of this letter to the Post-Intelligencer Mr. Rowell makes the following explanation of how he came to write it:

"A few months since your paper published what purported to be an extract from a new ruling by the secretery of the interior to the effect that improvements and work to the amount of $500 must be done on each of the mining claims in a group worked or owned by joint owners. As this purported ruling was contrary to the statutes and decisions of the United States, which permit the work to be done on one claim of a group, provided a sufficient amount is done on that one to cover the whole group, I wrote the secretary asking if any such a ruling has been made. His reply shows that there has been no change in the law or rulings of the department, and that the source from which your information was derived was not reliable. So long as the work done is for the joint development of a group it can be expended on a single claim in the group."

VISITING HIS SCATTERED FLOCK.

Priest of the Greek Church Here on His Regular Tour.

Rev. Sebastian Dabovich, who has charge of the chapels of the Greek church for Washington and Oregon, has arrived in the city and will hold services for the next four weeks in the chapel near Lake Union. English services and a sermon in English will be given every Sunday at 7 p. m.

The Greek church has two chapels in California, one in Oregon and one in Seattle and has members scattered through Victoria, Port Angeles and other cities. There are 130 members here in winter and eighty in summer, principally Greeks, but there are some Russians, Slavonians and Arabians.

The chapel is located one block from the Lake street car line and can be distinguished by a Greek cross on the cupola.

GEN. RUGGLES DUE TODAY.

Expected to Arrive in the City by the Portland Train.

Adjt. Gen. George M. Ruggles, U. S. A., who is on a tour of inspection of various army posts, is expected to arrive in this city at 6:50 this afternoon by the Portland train. Gen. Ruggles is accompanied by Gen. John H. Bryant, Gov. John H. McGraw, and Mr. H. G. Struve. Yesterday the party visited Fort Canby at the mouth of the Columbia, returning to Portland in the evening.

The party was met in Portland yesterday by J. H. Price, secretary of state, who reached here in the afternoon and is now at the Butler.

Where Little Matches Are Curios.

When R. N. Bigler, who, with his brother, James Bigler, placed the big caisson for the Port Orchard dry dock in position, reached Buffalo, N. Y., recently on his return East he happened to pull out of his pocket a bunch of small matches so common on the Pacific Coast. One of Mr. Bigler's friends, who is an inveterate smoker, caught sight of the matches and became curious. They were new to him, and he was at once taken with them on account of their many advantages, including compactness and ease of ignition. He relieved Mr. Bigler of all the stock on hand, and then distributed the matches among acquaintances. The result was that the supply was soon gone. The friends then together hunted Buffalo high and low, but could not find a store where the little Pacific Coast matches could be obtained. In fact, they had never been heard of. The Buffalo men are bound to have some of the "new" matches, even if they have to send West for them.

Close on the Heels of a Thief.

Charles Dibble was arested yesterday afternoon by Officer Burkman on a charge of stealing a lawn mower from the residence of Dr. S. J. Holmes on Rainier street last Monday. The theft was reported on Monday afternoon at 4:30, and in less than two hours the mower was located by the police in a second-hand store, where it had been sold for 75 cents. Dibble was arrested and identified as the man who sold it, and presumably who stole it. Before his arrest yesterday Dibble had been to Green lake and stolen a scythe from the home of Mrs. McDonald, which he sold to a second-hand man on Pike street for 35 cents.

J. W. Ferrara Killed at Cripple Creek.

James W. Ferrera, aged 24 years, was killed at Cripple Creek, Col., August 9, by a rock striking him on the face. A blast had been fired in the street in front of the store of the Gandolfo Fruit company, of which company he was a member. In the spring of 1890 he was associated with J. R. Gandolfo in conducting the Hotel Gandolfo, at Pacific avenue and Thirteenth street in Tacoma. He later was manager of the Tacoma commisison house of D. Ferrera & Co., at 1520 Railroad street, and in 1892 formed with D. Ferrera and Anthony Ferrera the Everett Supply company in Everett. He has been in Colorado two years. He was born in Portland, where he will be interred today.

Mrs. R. B. Langdon in the City.

Mrs. R. B. Langdon, widow of the late president of the Minnesota Belt Line Railway & Transfer Company, arrived in the city yesterday in car 999, which recently brought to the Coast the party of F. D. Underwood, general manager of the Soo line. Mrs. Langdon is accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. Cavour Langdon, her son and daughter-in-law; Mrs. Harry C. Truesdale and Mr. S. C. Tooker. The visitors are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Henry, and will remain in the city four or five days. This is Mrs. Langdon's second visit to Seattle.

Senator Mitchell in the City.

Senator John H. Mitchell, of Oregon, arrived last night from Portland to attend to business connected with the Northern Pacific suit. The senator has made but one visit to Seattle since 1871, and that was about twelve years ago. He marvels at the strides the city has made in the character of its buildings and as a commercial center.

To the Beach! To the Beach!

Of course you're going, and "so are your sisters and your cousins and your aunts," and * * *. Going on the excursion to Ocosta and the beach, Sunday, the 18th inst. Train leaving at 6:30 a. m. Tickets, $2.50, at Northern Pacific ticket offices.

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FLAGSHIP MAY COME.

Herbert Asked to Send the Philadelphia Here.

FIRST STEAMER OF NEW LINE.

The Transit Soon to Sail for Central America—Chamber of Commerce Wants More Members.

Puget Sound is to have the honor of a visit from the flagship Philadelphia, if the Chamber of Commerce can bring it about. At a meeting of the trustees of the chamber yesterday the president was instructed, after consulting with Mayor Phelps, to wire Secretary of the Navy Herbert, requesting the issuance of an order for the Philadelphia, now at Mare island, to come to these waters.

There was an unusually large and enthusiastic attendance at the meeting of the chamber. The announcement by W. M. Calhoun of the sailing of the first steamer of the Puget Sound & Central American Steamship Company was received with manifest gratification. Mr. Calhoun stated that the steamship Transit, 1,080 tons net, will sail from Seattle September 15 for Central America. Docking facilities have been secured at the Arlington dock. The outward cargo will consist of flour, lumber, hardware, lime and miscellaneous articles. It has not yet been definitely settled at what points the Transit will touch, but her return cargo will consist of coffee, hard woods, tropical fruits and other Central American products.

The president appointed a committee of three to wait on Adj. Gen. Ruggles, who is expected to arrive here within a day or two. The committee consists of C. J. Smith, S. L. Crawford and E. F. Sweeney.

William K. Tullock was elected to membership in the chamber.

The matter of making a material increase in the number of members was taken up, and on motion the chair was instructed to appoint twenty-five committees of one each to canvass the city and secure all eligible persons as members.

Secretary Tracy H. Robertson is preparing statistics concerning the work of the chamber and the general business of the city. As soon as the necessary funds are in hand these statistics will be published in neat pamphlet form for gratuitous distribution.

RELICS OF THE REVOLUTION.

Muskets That Repelled the Red Coats—A Prospering Society.

The Sons of the American Revolution expect to have a valuable collection of relics of the War of Independence when the society is organized. Col. S. W. Scott has an old musket carried by one of his ancestors, who fought under the command of Washington. Another musket carried by a Revolutionary soldier is now on the way here, and another that was taken from a British officer at Yorktown is said to be coming.

There are in Washington quite a number of lineal descendants of the men who fought in the war of the Revolution, over fifty having already joined the Sons of the American Revolution. The charter closes August 24, and it is expected that the number of charter members will be considerably increased by that time.

A SURE SIGN OF GOOD TIMES.

Steady Increase in Number and Cost of New Buildings.

A good index to business, and especially to what might be termed commercial confidence, is the number of buildings going up. On this point the following figures will speak for themselves: During the month of May, 1895, the number of building permits issued by the board of public works in this city was 44, and the amount to be expended was $11,133. The next month showed an increase to 51 permits and an expenditure of $15,930. July showed a still greater increase, for while the number of permits for that month was exactly the same as for June, the amount named to be expended was almost exactly twice as great, amounting to $31,270.

Ready-Made Houses for Africa.

Steamship Antwerp City, for South Africa, will have in her cargo a number of ready-made houses, built in this city, which will be shipped knocked down. The lumber was sawed at Port Blakeley and shipped to this city, where it was framed and the doors and sashes fitted. The whole lot was then shipped back by the steamer Sarah M. Renton, taking three trips. This is an experimental order, but there is little doubt that it will be successful.

Will Work the Golden Cord Mine.

Wilmans Bros. are preparing to resume work on the Golden Cord mine in the Monte Cristo district. They will in a few days have twenty miners extracting ore, and expect to ship about fifty tons a day to the smelter. J. M. Wilmans has just returned from San Francisco to look after the work, and has taken offices at 613 Bailey building.

A Chinese Merchant's Wife Arrives.

A Chinese woman named Mrs. Woo Gen, wife of the manager of the Wa Chong Company, arrived yesterday afternoon from Canton, China, and was admitted by Collector J. C. Saunders at Port Townsend. Having been born in San Francisco and being the wife of a Chinese merchant, she was entitled to admission.

Masonic Directory for Seattle.

A neat 50-page directory of the Masonic orders in Seattle has been issued by W. W. Poole, of this city. The work is said to be complete, the publisher having made every effort to make it correct and a credit to the fraternity.

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