ON THE SAME NIGHT.

TACOMA TO HAVE TWO PARADES NEXT SATURDAY.

Will Seattle Help to Make the Republican Turn Out as Great as the One of Last Thursday?—It Will Be a Struggle Which Party Makes the Best Showing, and the Result Will Have Its Political Influence.

Tacoma, Oct. 24.—Special.—Next Saturday is the date fixed for the greatest demonstration for McKinley, sound money and protection that has yet been made in the state of Washington. Pierce county Republicans have already begun preparations for the great event, and they are counting on their brethren in Seattle and King county to testify to the faith that is in them by sending a delegation equalling that which left here Thursday night to aid in the mammoth celebration in Seattle.

As the Popocrats have arranged for a final demonstration on the same night, this city will be "a hot town," in the parlance of the day, on that occasion. The Populists will have Senator Tillman, of South Carolina, and "Cyclone" Mallory, the Nebraska preacher. Big posters have been scattered about the city, calling upon the silver hosts to put themselves in readiness for the final effort of the campaign. There will be a parade, and at its conclusion there will be speechmaking in Germania hall by the notorious senator and the notorious preacher.

It can easily be imagined that there will be a great struggle to see which side can make the best showing, and the Republicans have entered into the contest determined to put the Populists so far in the rear that they will never again be heard from during this campaign. The Republican committee has already engaged half a dozen bands and three drum corps for the parade. There will be 500 additional torches ready for the great demonstration, and transparencies galore. If the weather is good, the turnout of people is expected to pass all previous records in the Northwest.

As might have been expected, there has already arisen an animated contest over the rights of the opposing forces to the principal streets over which will be the line of march. The Republican managers today asked the city council for the right to march upon the streets Saturday evening, and it was granted. This step was taken as a precautionary measure, although it was not legally necessary. As soon as the Populists heard of the action taken by the Republicans, they immediately organized as far as possible for the parade, with A. V. Fawcett as grand marshal, and announced their marching order. It will be published tomorrow morning.

In this city all eyes are turned toward the Republicans of Seattle, who are expected to duplicate in size and enthusiasm the delegations from this city that participated in the grand rally at Seattle Thursday night. Will they do it?

Besides the Seattle delegations, there will be marching clubs from Puyallup, Carbonado, Olympia, Shelton, Gray's Harbor, as well as from the smaller towns in Pierce county. It is expected that 10,000 will march in the parade.

The following organizations have appointed committees to make arrangements for the great demonstration: Business Men's Sound Money Club, Union Veterans' Patriotic League, Young Men's McKinley Club, Doolittle Republican Club, Women's McKinley and Sound Money League, High School McKinley Club. Representatives from these organizations met yesterday in the office of George H. Boardman and organized a general committee, with the following officers: O. B. Hayden, chairman; George H. Boardman, vice chairman; Ole Selvig, treasurer, and Harvey Johnston, secretary. The following sub-committees were appointed:

Finance—Samuel Wilkeson, chairman; G. E. Cleveland and John Holgate.

Invitation—R. G. Hudson, chairman; Robert Bradley and G. H. Boardman.

Advertising—F. H. Graham, chairman; C. H. Hyde and George Thornton.

Decoration—W. C. Bardsley, chairman; H. A. Fisher and George Thornton.

Parade—George H. Stone, E. S. Hamilton and William Peel.

Transportation—E. Steinback, Frank Chandler and G. H. Boardman.

Saturday night's Republican rally will be the greatest of the campaign. The ensuing week brings the campaign to a close and the efforts of the Republicans will be redoubled. Meetings will be held nightly throughout the city and county. The skirmish lines will be pushed to and through the enemy's outposts, and their fortifications will be stormed in a manner that will win the day. It is conceded that if a demonstration equalling that at Seattle Thursday night is carried out, it will give the Republican ticket, from presidential electors down, a lead of 5,000 to 10,000 votes.

The Populist managers realize the tremendous gains the Republicans have made during the last two weeks, and they will concentrate their efforts with the purpose of offsetting the Saturday night celebration as far as possible with one of their own.

O. B. Hayden and George H. Stone, of the Republican committee, had a conference with A. V. Fawcett and other Populists regarding the parade in Saturday night's demonstration. The Republicans agreed to give the Pops right-of-way for their parade from 7:30 to 8:30. As the Pops march off the field the Republicans will enter it. The Republican line will form at 8 o'clock sharp. It will give the Seattle delegation a chance to get dinner before marching.

JUDGE BURKE AT TACOMA.

He Pictures This State With and Without Eastern Capital.

Tacoma, Oct. 24.—Special.—Under the auspices of the Business Men's Sound Money Club and the National Democratic Club, Judge Thomas Burke, of Seattle, delivered a splendid speech in the cause of sound money at the Tacoma theater tonight. The house was well filled, and for nearly two hours the audience listened to the eloquent, scholarly, forceful and convincing argument on the money question. R. G. Hudson presided, and on the stage were fifty of the most prominent business and professional men of Tacoma. A delegation from the Women's McKinley and Sound Money Club occupied seats on the stage and rendered campaign songs.

Judge Burke devoted the major part of his speech to a discussion of the silver question, reviewing the financial legislation of this country from the time of Hamilton and Jefferson to the repeal of the Sherman law in 1893. He proved conclusively that gold has not appreciated since 1873, showing that between that time and 1893, a day's labor, the ultimate measure of value, brought more gold than ever in the history of the country. Therefore gold had in reality fallen in value, the claims of Populist orators and their charts to the contrary nothwithstanding. He showed how foolish is the talk of bankers cornering the gold of the world, a course which would surely produce panics, a condition dreaded by all bankers.

Regarding the causes of hard times in this state, Judge Burke told how, from the Columbia river to the British Columbia line, and as far east as Spokane, he had seen countless evidences of wasted capital and the mistakes in investments common during the boom. All this capital, he said, had been borrowed by the citizens of Washington, who had entreated it from Eastern money lenders, assuring them of sure returns.

In closing, Judge Burke declared that Washington could commit no more serious blunder than to allow the Populists to gain the ascendancy in the state government, thereby notifying Eastern investors that their capital was not wanted in the up-building of the state's manifold resources. He pointed out the glorious future standing before the state if her vote is cast for sound money and for national honor.

The speaker was frequently interrupted by applause, and at the conclusion of the address three rousing cheers were given to him.

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Mr. Porter at South Bend.

South Bend, Oct. 24.—Special.—The Republican rally held here last night and addressed by Robert P. Porter and E. W. Ross was the crowning meeting of the campaign in this county. The hall was crowded, there being a large number from the surrounding country. Mr. Porter applied the intimate knowledge he had gained of the country from his work on the last census to showing how false was Bryan's assertion that the gold dollar was destroying enterprise and paralyzing industry. He incidentally referred to the fact that wheat was climbing up and silver climbing down, which was seriously interfering with the silverites' charts, with this gold dollar which was paralyzing industry this country, under a Republican administration from 1880 to 1892, had furnished employment for 250,000 new hands every year, and the public debt had been reduced one billion dollars. Four years ago Bryan was interested in the wage-earner and promised cheap staples, said Mr. Porter. The necessaries of life became cheap, but wages became cheaper. Now Bryan is interested in the farmer, who is suffering from the poor prices paid for his products, and he promises them high prices, but fails to tell the wage-earner where he is benefited.

E. W. Ross followed with a short speech, which aroused the enthusiasm to a high pitch.

Winstock and Cline Debate.

Sumas, Oct. 24.—Special.—Melvin G. Winstock and Charles E. Cline met here last night, and as we have but one hall it was agreed that the two should have a debate on the issues of the campaign. Winstock literally and emphatically "did up" the Popocrat. The latter had the first speech, and he very unwisely referred to Winstock as a paid agent of the gold bugs. When Winstock got the floor he avoided personal references of every kind, but refuted one by one all the arguments of Cline, and where Cline had read a quotation from one of Blaine's speeches, Winstock read the whole speech. Cline had the closing speech, and he made it the sort of class-against-class argument that one reads in Bryan's speeches. The debate was thoroughly enjoyed, and will result in a few more votes for McKinley in all probability.

Good Work Begins to Tell.

Snohomish, Oct. 24.—Special.—Senator John L. Wilson spoke here tonight to a crowded house. His speech was one of the strongest, brightest and most convincing of the campaign. He effectually answered the arguments of the free silver advocates, and silenced the Bryanites in the audience who attempted to interrupt him, by unanswerable facts and cutting sarcasm. Converts for sound money are being made every day, and Snohomish will give a good majority for McKinley.

THE POWER OF THE PRESS.

Ex-President Harrison Refers to What It Has Done During This Campaign.

Indianapolis, Ind., Oct. 24.—Gen. Harrison spoke at Tomlinson hall tonight to 3,000 people. There was much enthusiasm. He said in part: "I cannot but fear that the issues to be settled in this campaign are peculiarly important; I cannot but fear that they have to do, in a very high measure, with the prosperity and happiness of the people of our whole country, and with the honor and integrity of the nation of which this commonwealth is a part. I received today a clipping from a paper published in one of the silver states, suggesting that I was receiving a large pecuniary reward for the speeches that I was making in this campaign; that I had received for the address at New York the large sum of $10,000. My friends, I have never made a political address for money. In the campaign that I have made about this state no contributions have been levied upon the towns through which I have passed. (Loud applause.) I have not even been compelled to say to my fellow-citizens, 'Lend me your ear.' (Laughter and applause.)

"I can hardly be expected at this stage of the campaign to introduce anything new into the discussion which has now been progressing so long. It has been in a higher degree than any campaign of which I have knowledge an educational campaign; and in this work of education the newspapers of the country have had a conspicuous and worthy part. Great as has been the contribution to the country in past campaigns of the American press, it has never rendered so conspicuous a service as it has rendered in this campaign. (Applause.)

"The issues have been lucidly and minutely stated in the hearing of the people with that deliberation and temperament which is practical in writing where there is easy access to authority and to date. The voice of the campaign orator is limited; it depends upon the aid of the press for any wide or permanent influence that it may have. And never before in the history of this country, certainly never since the struggle of 1861, has the great and potent power of the great newspapers of this country been so unitedly, so intelligently and so powerfully exerted in behalf of true principles in government and in finance. (Applause.)"

THE GEOLOGICAL SURVEY.

The Chief of the Survey Making a Visit to This Coast.

San Francisco, Oct. 24.—There was a large gathering of members of the United States geological survey in this city yesterday, to meet Charles O. Wolcott, who arrived here from Washington City. Mr. Wolcott is chief of the survey, having succeeded Maj. Powell three years ago. He is making a tour of inspection throughout the country, and will remain on the Pacific coast for some weeks. Yesterday morning he visited the faculty of the University of California, and in the afternoon left for Palo Alto to meet Prof. Jordan. He will return to San Francisco tomorrow.

R. W. Goode, geographer for the Coast; R. B. Marshall and L. C. Fletcher, topographers, were in consultation with Mr. Wolcott, laying before him a brief resume of the work of the survey in California during the past summer, and arranging a few details for the fall. Marshall has just brought a party of seven in from the Sierras, where for the past four months they have been doing topographical work. The data arrived at will be contained in a new government map, to be known as the "Dardanelles sheet," and will deal with 930 square miles of country which has not been previously handled by the members of the survey. This country takes in a tract seventy miles long, extending northward from Yosemite park.

After finishing up work on some marsh land on the San Juan and Palo Alto sheets, Mr. Marshall's party will return to Washington City for the winter. They have had considerable difficulty in the Sierras, being compelled in a number of places to abandon pack animals and to carry their instruments, tents and provisions a great many miles over the trails on the summits. The rain and snow have made the roads impassable in many places.

Topographer Fletcher and his party have about completed their work in the vicinity of Diablo, and will also return to Washington City in a few weeks.

A FATAL RUNAWAY.

Farmer Lindsay Has One Son Killed and Another Badly Injured.

Whatcom, Oct. 24.—A serious runaway accident occurred at Blaine, this county, today, in which Edward Lindsay, 18 years old, was killed, and his brother James and his father, Jasper Lindsay, quite badly injured. Mr. Lindsay is a farmer living near Blaine. He and his sons were returning from a fishing trip.

The nearest fixed star is sixteen billion miles distant, and takes three years for light to reach the earth.

STANWOOD ACTIVITY.

ITS EXCELLENT SITUATION AND FERTILE LANDS.

What Co-operation Has Done in the Establishment of a First-class Creamery The Number of Lumber and Shingle Mills, All Running on Full Time.

Everett, Oct. 24.—Special.—Aside from the missionary work which the politicians are doing in various parts of the county the meetings are making the people better acquainted and leading to a more intimate knowledge of the resources of the county. This was especially true on the occasion of the rally at Stanwood this week when a delegation went from Everett to participate in the meeting addressed by Hon. Nils P. Haugen. Stanwood is well situated for business. It is located at the mouth of the Stillaguamish river, on rich level land, which is noted for its productiveness, raising great crops of hay, oats, vegetables and fruit. There are 20,000 acres of this fertile land within the country lying immediately about Stanwood, while the whole Stillaguamish valley is dotted with fine farms. A navigable slough, about four miles in length, connects the Stillaguamish and Skagit rivers.

Under the flourishing times of a few years ago Stanwood laid the foundation for a thrifty place, and it is moving along well, notwithstanding the depression of the past few years. It has a handsome school house of six rooms, costing $6,000. The Norwegian Lutheran church and the Methodist Episcopal church are good edifices, valued at about $3,000 each. Masonic hall is a two-story structure creditable to the order, erected two or three years ago at a cost of $1,800. In a business way the town is well supplied with the usual stores and four hotels, the Millican house, the Miller house, Hotel Heney and the Melby house.

Immense quantities of hay are baled here and shipped. Lilly, Bogardus & Co. are the lessees of the big Stockbridge warehouse, and do a large business in handling all kinds of farm produce. As a means of promoting the livestock interests the Stanwood Livestock Association enclosed a tract of land and constructed suitable buildings, with a fine half-mile track, a grand stand and everything complete for holding fairs and trotting meetings.

Stanwood is already the center of a strong movement in the direction of livestock. This valuable industry has received a great stimulus in the organization of the dairy interests and the farmers are fast learning the substantial worth of the cow.

The Stanwood Co-operative Creamery Association is becoming noted. Its butter took the first prize at the recent Pierce county fair in Tacoma. It is an organization strictly of the farmers on straight co-operative lines. Its officers are: President, C. Joergenson; secretary, C. F. Hanson; treasurer, C. Joergenson; directors, P. Norman, E. P. Hanson, with the president and secretary. The plant is of modern equipment, costing $4,000, all paid for by the farmers with dividends received up to the 1st of September. In October they received the first cash divident for their personal use, and it is understood that all were highly gratified at the size of their checks.

Receipts at the creamery are about 5,500 quarts of milk a day, and the output is from 250 to 300 pounds of butter a day. It brings top prices, and finds a ready market in Seattle, Tacoma and Everett, as well as in Alaska and the mining districts.

As may naturally be inferred, Stanwood's location makes it a desirable place for the manufacture of lumber and shingles. C. Rabel has a combined sawmill and shingle mill capable of cutting 20,000 feet of lumber and 75,000 shingles daily. His plant, costing some $12,000, has been in operation eight or nine years. He employs from sixteen to twenty men. The output of his mill for 1896 will be about 1,000,000 feet of cedar lumber and 10,000,000 shingles.

Lauderdale & Campbell have a shingle mill that will cut 50,000 shingles a day, employing twelve men.

John Hals is cutting about 50,000 shingles a day with twelve men at work.

Howard & Butler removed their sawmill from Edison about six months ago, and are now located about four miles from Stanwood. They are sawing 60,000 feet of lumber a day. A shingle plant is being added to the mill which is very complete in every particular, costing about $25,000. Thirty-five men are employed.

Venable & Orr are cutting about 20,000 feet of lumber a day, with ten men. Their plant cost about $5,000.

Dimmick & Taylor have a portable sawmill, which began work three months ago, cutting clear cedar, 5,000 feet a day.

With these substantial agricultural, manufacturing and commercial opportunities, not forgetting by the way, the Great Northern railroad, Stanwood also gives evidence of thrift in its numerous attractive homes, among which may be briefly enumerated those of George J. Ketchum, W. R. Stockbridge, occupied at present by Dr. Adams; D. O. Pierson, Dr. McEacheran, F. H. Hancock, J. H. Irvine, E. A. Hall, S. A. Thompson, E. Settum, C. Rabel and Nels Rein.

Of course, in such a community, the Post-Intelligencer is widely read and its loyalty and enterprise in furthering the material interests of every portion of the state is gratefully appreciated.

Activity in Whatcom County.

Sumas, Oct. 24.—Special.—Melvin G. Winstock spoke at Sumas last night and at Goshen this evening. Senator Wilson and E. W. Ross are to speak at Fairhaven Monday evening and at West Ferndale Tuesday. In response to the request of the state committee, J. A. Kerr, of Fairhaven, will go on the stump for the Republican state ticket next week.

SULLIVAN WAS PENNILESS.

Instead of Being a Wealthy Man When He Died.

Tacoma, Oct. 24.—Special.—The final report of Administrator Roger S. Greene, of the M. C. Sullivan estate, was before the superior court today for approval. Exceptions had been filed by Conrad L. Hoska, the funeral director, and a number of other claimants. From the report of the administrator it appeared that instead of being worth $150,000 at his death, as was generally believed, Sullivan died almost penniless. Property that had stood in his name was proven to be owned by others, and the sale of furniture in a house on C street owned by Sullivan, it developed, was non-productive, owing to the fact that it belonged to other parties. Other property of the dead detective was mortgaged for more than it was worth.

JUNEAU TO CIRCLE CITY.

The Longest Winter Star Route Mail Service of the Country.

Washington City, Oct. 24.—The longest star route mail service to be performed in the winter in the United States, has just been established by the postoffice department. It is from Juneau to Circle City, Alaska, a distance of 836 miles each way. Similar service was performed on this route for the first time the past summer, and the present contract makes a continuous service for the year. Owing to rough means of transit, only four round trips will be made during the winter period, November 1 to May 30. They will be divided to one round trip between November 1 and December 31, one between January 1 and February 28, 1897, one between March 1 and April 15, and one between April 15 and May 1. A Juneau firm are the contractors. Only letter mail will be carried.

Set His House on Fire.

Arlington, Wash., Oct. 24.—Special.—John Fuchs, a rancher near Oro, was brought in today in custody of Constable Toles. Domestic troubles have caused him to act strangely and yesterday he drove his wife out of the house and then taking an ax demolished all the furniture, placed it in a pile and set fire to it and to the house, remaining inside till the heat drove him out. He says he wants to die, but is too much of a coward to kill himself. Sheriff Hagan will take him to Stellacoom today.

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POPULIST ECONOMIES.

THE FACTS IN THEIR ADMINISTRATION OF WHATCOM COUNTY.

The County Debt Has Increased at a Startling Rate—Corporations and Banks Have Been Favored in Assessments—One Railroad Company Allowed to Compromise for About One-Half of Its Indebtedness.

Whatcom, Oct. 24. — Special. — County Treasurer Purdy has discharged a bomb shell in the Pop ranks, which has exploded the utter fallacy of their claim, so often reiterated in the newspaper organs and on the stump, that the administration of county affairs by the Populist commissioners, by and with the advice and consent of the Populist county attorney, has been so economical as to make the administrations of their predecessors appear to be the very acme of extravagance and mismanagement. Mr. Purdy shows from the indisputable records of his office that since the present commissioners and attorneys went into office, the county debt has increased at a startling rate, amounting already during their term to $129,707.04. Of this increase, $36,923.32 has been in the county fund and $38,488.43 in the road and bridge funds.

He shows further that the same Populist board reduced the assessments of corporations, banks and four or five favored individuals, nearly $75,000, while the reductions on all the other taxable property in the county amounted to only $4,150. He also shows that when he attempted to levy upon the property of two street railway companies to enforce the payment of personal taxes amounting to $2,619.51, the commissioners compromised upon the advice of the county attorney, who represents himself to be the arch enemy of corporations, and accepted $1,011.51; and further that they rebated $3,000 in interest in the settlement of the county's claim against Banker Waldron.

These are just a few of the proceedings of a few of the men who are now masquerading before the people as strict economists, reformers and enemies of corporations.

Populist Frost at Kent.

Kent, Oct. 24.—Today was "Populist day" in Kent. The big time which had been advertised to take place is here in all its grandeur. The procesion formed ast 2 o'clock this afternoon. There were by actual count 290 people in the parade, divided as follows: Men 164, including the band and speakers; women 26, children 106. The business houses are decorated with bunting and flags, and on a great many of the flags are printed a picture of William McKinley. McKinley badges and decorations are to be seen in every direction, and many of those in the procession wore decorations of a Republican design.

Considering the fact that the event has been so thoroughly advertised in the country and near by towns, it seems strange that a larger crowd did not present itself to eat "free ox."

This has certainly put a more hopeful aspect on affairs politically for the Republicans in this section of the county.

The "Christian gentleman" from Puyallup, J. R. Rogers, addressed the crowd this afternoon. This evening the speakers were: John Wiley, Charles S. Voorhees, W. C. Jones and Rogers.

These Silverites Were Frosted.

Port Townsend, Oct. 24.—Special.—The city was invaded by Bill White, Armstrong, Cyclone Jones and others from Seattle today, and they addressed a small, unappreciative audience in a vacant store room on Water street. There was not a soul down at the wharf to welcome the visitors, and they appeared to appreciate the "frost." One of the party, Armstrong, wandered into the Republican headquarters before discovering his mistake. The contingent seemed to be visibly surprised at the cold reception accorded them by the old class of staunch, reliable Democrats, who are supporting sound money and the nation's honor.

Mrs. Parker Drowned.

Arlington, Wash., Oct. 24.—Special.—The wife of V. P. Parker, a saw mill owner near Oro, was drowned Thursday while trying to cross the river in a canoe. She was in the company of Mrs. John Toles, and when about half way across the river the canoe was upset, throwing them into about five feet of water. Mrs. Toles succeeded in getting ashore, but Mrs. Parker was carried down stream into deep water and drowned. She leaves three small children.

FOR A NEW RAILROAD.

THE PUGET SOUND, MOUNT RAINIER AND EASTERN.

Preliminary Surveys Made, a Company Organized, and the Necessary Funds to Be Put Up and Work Begun Immediately After the Election of McKinley.

Tacoma, Oct. 24.—Special.—The Post-Intelligencer correspondent was today informed by one of the gentlemen associated in the project of the construction of the Puget Sound, Mount Rainier & Eastern railroad that the road will undoubtedly be built within a short time. Further, that Baron C. De Courtier, the Hungarian fiscal agent who is here as the representative of a foreign syndicate which is to supply the funds for the enterprise, had fully and heartily approved of the project. Nothing now remains to be done but to complete the formalities of the big deal.

The matter had progressed this far when Baron De Courtier arrived here two weeks ago: The company had been organized with a capital of $2,000,000, and preliminary surveys of the route had been made. George L. Holmes, president of the company, went East last summer on business connected with the financial end of the enterprise. Negotiations were then entered upon between the New York representatives of the company and the people whom Baron De Courtier represents. These continued all summer and into autumn, culminating with the present visit of the baron, in company with Edward D. Greene, of New York, a civil engineer of national reputation and great ability. Mr. Greene has been retained as advising engineer by Baron De Courtier. In all probability he will act as chief engineer of the road from the time the first dirt is moved.

Baron De Courtier registered at the Tacoma hotel and was soon in consultation with I. W. Anderson, manager of the Tacoma Land Company; President Holmes, of the railroad company; C. P. Masterson, president of the Pacific National bank, who is interested in the company, and other gentlemen prominent in financial circles. The baron's visit was for the purpose of personally inspecting the country through which the line is to pass. In company with Mr. Holmes, Mr. Greene and Mr. Anderson, the baron made the arduous journey through one of the most magnificent forests of fir and cedar timber in the state and over the foothills of the Cascades almost to the Cispus pass. The party went by wagon to Kernahan's ranch, beyond Elba, on the road to Mount Rainier. Here they took horses and made the remainder of the journey on horseback. They were absent nearly a week.

On the return of the party there were frequent consultations with President Holmes, Mr. Anderson and Mr. Masterson. When questioned as to the progress of these, none of the gentlemen would talk for publication. It was understood, however, that Baron De Courtier was more than satisfied with what he had seen, and was ready to give the enterprise his unqualified approval.

Yesterday articles incorporating the Standard Construction Company were filed in the auditor's office, with a capital stock of $100,000. The incorporators are Mr. Greene, J. H. Vanderbilt, cashier of the Metropolitan Savings banks, and A. E. Buell, an attorney. George Vanderbilt, of New York, is heavily interested in the Metropolitan bank, and Mr. J. H. Vanderbilt's connection with the construction company has given rise to the rumor that Vanderbilt capital is to be invested in the road.

The articles provide that the company may engage in the business of building railroads, acquiring real estate and steamboat lines, building telephone and telegraph lines and many other things of a similar nature. The prime purpose of the company will be the building of the road. It was admitted last night by one of the gentlemen named that the construction company was organized to build the road. The incorporation of the company is the first public act of the projectors of the line.

Baron De Courtier, Mr. Greene and Mr. Holmes each have maintained a deep silence when asked concerning the project. It has been stated that the syndicate represented by Baron De Courtier is waiting only the result of the national election before closing the final details and placing at the disposal of the officers of the company a sum of money adequate for its construction and equipment. Now that there is no longer any doubt of McKinley's election and the triumph of sound money and good government, the negotiations have been all but finally closed.

The road will be seventy miles long, and will tap one of the richest coal and mineral sections of the state. The timber is particularly fine and is pronounced by the baron the most magnificent forest he ever saw. The district is known as the Busywild. It is understood that considerable local capital is invested in coal and timber properties in the district.

TACOMA'S NICKEL-IN-THE-SLOT.

The City Council Fixes the License at Twenty-five Dollars.

Tacoma, Oct. 24.—Special.—At today's session the city council passed the ordinance introduced by Councilman Hice, imposing a yearly license of $25 upon nickel-in-the-slot machines of all kinds. It is estimated that there are at least 150 such machines in the city, so that quite an amount of revenue will be derived from them.

The council fixed the salary to be paid City Clerk Roys at $1,000 per year. The salaries of the city librarian and his assistant were fixed at $720 and $420.

The appointment of Richard G. Meath as market master was approved.

The Old Coins Recovered.

Tacoma, Oct. 24.—Special.—A week ago it was discovered that the Ferry museum, in the court house, had been entered and robbed of a very valuable collection of old coins. The case was put in charge of Detective George Ashby, who succeeded today in recovering the last of the stolen coins. A portion of them had been sold to a gentleman whose loss, it is understood, will be made good by the museum.

GOOD THINGS IN MEN'S PANTS LINE CONTINUED UNTIL TOMORROW NIGHT.

OUR SALE YESTERDAY WAS A BIG SUCCESS. MANY CUSTOMERS WERE UNABLE TO BE WAITED ON ON ACCOUNT OF BEING SHORT IN HELP. TOMORROW WE WILL PROVIDE FOR IT AND HAVE EXTRA HELP. WE WOULD ASK ALL CUSTOMERS WHO LEFT OUR STORE YESTERDAY ON ACCOUNT OF NOT BEING WAITED ON TO CALL TOMORROW. OUR PRICES WILL REMAIN THE SAME, AND YOU WILL FIND THE CHOICEST OF GOODS AND PATTERNS AT VERY LOW PRICES. SALE WILL POSITIVELY CLOSE TOMORROW NIGHT.

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200 Suit Patterns in All-Wool Black Brocaded Granite Cloth, new Jacquard weaves, value for $6.50, at..... $4.50 Suit.

300 Suit Patterns in All-Wool Black Natte Brocades, very latest novelties, worth $7.50, at..... $5.25 Suit.

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25 pieces Black Brocaded Silk, all silk, new Jacquard patterns, very pretty at..... 75c Yard.

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Ladies' Black Cashmere Hose, double soles, high spliced heels, at 35c and 50c each.

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Ladies' Extra Quality Astrakhan Collarettes..... $10.00 Each.

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