FOR THE HOMELESS.

HOMES QUICKLY FOUND FOR ORPHANS IN WASHINGTON.

More Than a Hundred Waifs Placed in Tender Hands—Homes Secured Even for the Children of Indians—Beneficent Work Conducted Under the Supervision of Mrs. Libbie Beach Brown.

Mrs. Libbie Beach Brown, of Seattle, has erected an invisible orphanage in the state of Washington and placed therein over 100 waifs who are now enjoying all the comforts and advantages of a home. This institution is not enclosed in walls of brick, stone, wood or iron, and there are no piteous appeals to the public for money for its maintenance. It is well established and is growing rapidly, and will endure forever, because it is built in the hearts of the people.

The articles of incorporation of this organization proclaim that its principle of operations is: "A home for every homeless child, and a child for every childless home."

Mrs. Brown is the state superintendent of the Children's Home Society, a national society, which has for its object the solution of the orphanage question by finding homes for homeless children. Much of Mrs. Brown's success is attributed to her varied experience in work of this kind in the middle states, covering a period of twelve years. She was superintendent of the state institution at Lincoln, Neb., where she held office under Republican, Democratic and Populist administrations, and still lives. Her experience in Nebraska was limited largely to wayward girls, but she studied the question of how to care for orphans. Until the last twelve years reformers and philanthropists have contented on the principle that the orphans should be gathered into an institution and there fed and housed until of age, and then be turned loose on an unsuspecting and long suffering public.

Mrs. Brown was known in Nebraska as the Rev. Rev. H. D. Brown, formerly a Methodist presiding elder in Western Washington, was traveling in Nebraska and met Mrs. Hoel. Soon thereafter they were married. Mr. Brown returned to the Pacific Northwest as agent for the Children's Home Society, and soon found homes for a number of orphans.

Nearly two years ago he was appointed pastor of the Battery street church, and Mrs. Brown became his successor. She has since given most of her time to the work of finding homes for orphans. There is a state organization with a big array of names from various parts of the state in the list of officers, but the real active work is done by Mrs. Brown, in co-operation, of course, with the various local boards. Mrs. Brown visits the churches, tells of her mission, and at the close takes the names of those who wish to adopt children, and also gets information about orphans in need of homes. She has visited many churches in all parts of Washington, and is recognized by all denominations. In this way she has built up her invisible orphanage in the hearts of the people, and is now so busy that she can scarcely call a minute of time her own. Children are passing through her hands constantly. All ages are represented, from the helpless infant to boys and girls of 12. They rarely stay with her more than a week.

Requests for children are received by mail, telephone and telegraph, and from all classes of people. Great care is taken to place orphans in good homes, the object being to select foster parents who are at least nominally Christian. The children are released to the society, and the society attends to all the legal steps of adoption, and thus each orphan is carefully protected. Sometimes a "miss-fit" is made in placing a child in a home, but it does not take long to make a satisfactory adjustment elsewhere. By means of the international character of the society, orphans can be sent across the continent if it is thought best to do so in finding a home for them. No matter where they go—Maine or Washington—a careful and systematic record is kept of each orphan cared for by this society.

A tender and sympathetic interest exists between Mrs. Brown and the inmates of her "orphanage," where they are old enough to understand, and in all cases between Mrs. Brown and the foster parents. Letters, pictures, presents and personal visits are exchanged, and many other evidences of affection are exhibited.

Perhaps the most interesting discovery in connection with this work is the one that so many people are eager to adopt orphans. A volume of bright sketches could be written about the transformative that has been wrought in childless homes by the adoption of some innocent little orphan boy or girl.

Over a year ago an educated Indian, en route to Alaska, called on Mrs. Brown and applied for an Indian boy to adopt. Mrs. Brown could not find one for him then, but this summer she sent him a bright little fellow on one of the Alaska steamers. The Indian lives at New Metlakahtla, and when his orphan boy arrived the affair caused considerable interest among the Indians—and now there is an increased demand for Indian boys. On another occasion Mrs. Brown had two Indian babies come into her possession. She found homes for them among the Indians of the Nooksack mission, and now the Indian babies are in demand in that part of the country.

A year ago, when the Methodist conference was in session at Vancouver, Wash., this society was indorsed, and Mrs. Brown commended to the pastors of the churches. During the same session the Crown Jewel orphanage at Winlock was ordered sold, the proceeds to be used in paying the indebtedness of the institution. There were six or eight children in the home at the time. A member of the conference was making a righteous protest against the abandonment of the children, and demanded:

"What will become of the orphans?"

Quick as thought Mrs. Brown sprang up and exclaimed:

"I will take them."

There was no more room for argument, and the good brother resumed his seat during the applause.

Mrs. Brown speedily disposed of the orphans accepted on that occasion, and many more in addition thereto. The present outlook is that she will find homes for an increased number during the coming year, and thereby greatly magnify the orphanage that is built in the hearts of the people.

New Superintendent Here.

R. W. Bryan, assistant general superintendent of the Great Northern, with headquarters at Spokane, is making his first official tour of inspection of his division, since assuming his office August 1. Mr. Bryan arrived in Seattle yesterday morning, accompanied by Division Superintendent T. A. Riton, and spent the day looking over the company's property. In the afternoon Mr. Bryan and the local officials of the road visited the manufacturing district and inspected the building of the Centennial mill.

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JIM WOODS DIED UNKNOWN

Not Even Chief Hussey Could Penetrate the Secret—British Columbia Officer Here.

Jim Woods went to his death on the scaffold at Nelson, B. C., last Wednesday morning with a smile on his face and silence on his lips. He is fast becoming a part of mother earth now, and no one knows or has an idea as to who he really was and where his mother may be found. Perhaps there was that spark of pride in him which made him shrink back from the thought of having the woman who nursed him, know that he was a red-handed murderer.

Even Chief of Provincial Police Hussey cannot tell Woods' history, and he knows more about the "goings-on" in criminal matters in British Columbia than any other man. Chief Hussey arrived in Seattle yesterday from Nelson, B. C., where he saw Woods hanged. He called upon Chief Reed and Capt. Sullivan.

Chief Hussey would not discuss the difference between the criminal procedure in British Columbia, where murderers are hanged, and in Washington, where they fatten at the public expense.

"We hang them. That is all there is to it," said the chief. "Woods murdered Paddy Wood October 18, 1896. He was arrested, but owing to the fall term of court being over, escaped immediate trial. He escaped from prison at Nelson, B. C., June 25, 1897, but was captured two days later. His trial took place almost immediately, and he was condemned to die. The evidence was sent to the minister of justice at Ottawa who approved the action of the court. An futile effort was made to secure a new trial, and then came the execution."

Chief Hussey has been in police service eighteen years, and held the position of chief for six. He was born in England, and has lived in British Columbia twenty years.

NEW TUG FOR THE SOUND.

The Resolute Arrives From Yaquina Bay With the Blakeley.

A new tug and a powerful one has been added to the fleet of towers now on the Sound. The tug Resolute, recently purchased for $28,000 by W. C. Stetson and E. E. Caine, of this city, arrived here last night from Yaquina bay and is lying at the Arlington dock.

While coming in yesterday morning the Resolute picked up the brigantine Blakeley, which was aground on Dungeness spit. The Blakeley was towed to West Seattle, and will fit up for a voyage to Dyea and Skaguay, leaving here the latter part of next week. She has been codfishing in Alaska waters during the summer.

The tug Resolute will be put on general towing work on the Sound, a business just now very profitable. She has been at Yaquina harbor towing lumber-laden sailing vessels over the Columbia river bar. She is comparatively new, having been built in 1881 at a cost of $51,000. She is 105 feet in length, 26 feet breadth of beam and 11 feet deep, with 480 horsepower. Her engines are fore and aft compound, with a Scotch marine boiler.

Capt. Thomas Kelton, a well-known master on Puget sound, has the Resolute with a crew of eleven men. W. C. Stetson will manage the tug.

TOO FREE WITH WORDS.

One Man Calls Another a "Thief"—Arrested for Criminal Libel.

When one man uses the word "thief" in an indiscriminate manner there is apt to be trouble. George Benson, who is employed on the fireboat, claims that Antone Bushani, a bartender at the Columbus saloon on Washington street, addressed him in the presence of other people as follows:

"You are a thief. You stole money from me. You stole my property."

Benson positively denies the assertions, and has gone to the extent of accusing Bushani of criminal libel. A warrant was issued last evening from Justice Austin's court.

The story connected with the case dates back several days, to a time when Bushani reported to the police that some one had entered his room and stolen a bunch of keys and a small sum of money. Benson had been in the Columbus house, and on information furnished by Bushani he was taken to police headquarters and questioned. He satisfied the police that he was not after money at the Columbus house and was allowed to depart. The police heard nothing more about the case until last night, when they heard of Benson's charge against Bushani.

Umatilla Due Today.

Steamship Umatilla is expected today from San Francisco.

BREVITIES.

Rev. L. D. Beck is conducting a series of children's services at the Third Cumberland Presbyterian church, corner Cherry street and Twenty-second avenue, every evening this week at 8 p. m., and Sunday at 11 a. m. and 8 p. m.

"First History of Rossland, B. C.," with sketches of some of its prominent citizens and firms, is just at hand. It is a neatly printed 24-page book, and its author is Harold Kingsmill. The book is published by Standen & Perine, of Rossland.

S. Peterson, a beachcomber, reported to Capt. Sullivan late yesterday afternoon at police headquarters that a mysterious boat had been tied up at the foot of Mercer street, North Seattle, for about a week. He thought some one has stolen and then left it.

The funeral services of Mrs. Philinda Foster were held yesterday afternoon at Bonney & Stewart's chapel. Mrs. Foster died at Port Townsend last Tuesday night of brain trouble. Her remains were interred in Lake View cemetery at the side of her husband.

Mr. John Makins, of Tacoma, who is going as floating Endeavor missionary to Nagasaki, Japan, will deliver an address to the Junior Endeavorers of the city who feel interested in hearing him, at the Third Cumberland Presbyterian church, Twenty-second avenue and Cherry street, on Sunday afternoon at 3:30 o'clock.

PERSONAL.

Thomas Bordeaux, of Shelton, is at the Diller.

E. G. English, of Mount Vernon, arrived at the Diller yesterday.

Judge George W. Dwelly, of Port Blakeley, registered at the Diller yesterday.

Wesley Wilson, manager of the Seattle Coal and Iron Company, was in the city yesterday.

Hon. John Lillis, of Port Townsend, late member of the Washington legislature and manager of the Port Townsend gas and electric light works, is in the city, a guest of the Butler. Mr. Lillis was mentioned among the possibilities for the postmastership at the Key City. The billet, however, fell to the share of A. Learned, jr., who was the incumbent of the office during President Harrison's administration.

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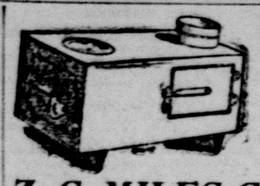

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LAST "P.-I." CONCERT.

RICH MELODY OFFERED FOR THE CLOSE OF THE SEASON.

Good Weather Promised for the Open-Air Musical Event of the Year—Lively Numbers Adapted to the Jingling Dollars of Good Times—First Rendition of De Caprio's "Mount St. Elias," Dedicated to Prince Luigi.

The open-air band concert to be given tonight by the Post-Intelligencer, with the First Regiment band as the attraction, promises to be an exceptional one in point of programme, the numbers being nearly all in a light vein, eminently calculated to fit the dispositions of Seattle people who have grown, in a measure, accustomed to the flood of prosperity that has within the last three months swept over the city, carrying before it discontent and hardships, filling pockets with jingling dollars and attuning natures to music of the happiest measure.

The programme, which is printed in full below, contains several numbers of pronounced popularity, and a new march by De Caprio. The well-known baritone's latest contribution to the music portfolio of the First Regiment band is entitled "Mount St. Elias," and is dedicated to Prince Luigi Amadeo, duke of Savoy, whose exploits to attaining the summit of the highest mountain peak in North America were chronicled in the Post-Intelligencer Thursday morning. It is a fitting testimonial to the success of the expedition from Italy by a compatriot.

F. Boyd Wells' caprice, "Bohemia," will be rendered by request, and it is one of the daintiest works of the well-known local composer.

The other numbers have been a part of the repertoire of the First Regiment band, including De Witt's new potpourri, "In Gay New York."

There is no suggestion that the weather will not be all that it should be and the cool, pleasant evenings that the past week has brought will only add to the attractiveness of the occasion. There are enough encore pieces in the repertoire of Wagner's band to satisfy the cravings for more, and it is not to be doubted that the good nature that has prevailed on other occasions of a like nature will hold on this.

The Post-Intelligencer announces this as the final concert of the season to be given under its direction, and trusts that every one will take advantage of a hearty invitation to participate in a feast of melody. When occasions have justified it the Post-Intelligencer has sought to furnish wholesome entertainment to Seattle people and visitors from outside the city in its band concerts, at the same time encouraging a musical organization that is second to none on the Pacific coast. Seattle people should flatter themselves on the possession of such a band as that gathered together by Mr. Wagner and take a pride in a local institution that has sought to provide them with entertainment. While this occasion is the last down-town concert, it is understood that the Sunday afternoon and Wednesday evening concerts at Madison park will be continued.

Following is tonight's programme:

March—"Mt. St. Elias" (new).....
.....A. De Caprio
Respectfully dedicated to Prince Luigi.
Fantasia—"The Yankee Peddler" .....
..... Masten
Overture—"La Gazza Ladra"..... Rossini
Selection—"El Capitan"..... Sousa
Waltz—"Jolly Fellows" .....Vollstedt
Medley—"Ten Minutes With the Minstrels" ..... Bowron
Caprice—"Bohemia" (by request). F. Boyd Wells
Selection from "La Favorita"...Donizetti
Potpourri—"In Gay New York" (new).
..... DeWitt

DASHA'S BODY RECOVERED.

Waiter Who Fell From the Humboldt and Was Drowned.

The body of John Dasha, the waiter who fell off the gangplank of the steamer Humboldt on the evening of August 15 and was drowned, came to the surface of the water yesterday morning about twenty yards from where the accident occurred. The discovery was made by the cook of the Spartan. Coroner Yandell instructed Deputy Bert Butterworth to investigate. Butterworth found that the description of Dasha tallied in every way with that of the floater, except in the matter of height. The description said he was 5 feet 9 inches. The body measured 6 feet 1 inch. The discrepancy is explained by the fact that the height given in the description was estimated.

The body was also identified by Neil P. McFafferty, formerly cook on the Humboldt. McFafferty told Butterworth that he did not think Dasha was intoxicated when he was drowned. He saw him about a half hour before the accident.

At the morgue the articles taken from the body were as follows: A bottle of whisky, a bunch of cards from a well-known saloon, a plug of tobacco and 10 cents.

The body was badly decomposed. The skin was commencing to slide. There was a bruise on the forehead where he struck when he fell from the plank. It proved that he was stunned and could not make any effort to save himself.

The body will be sent to San Francisco to W. F. Dasha, 28 Fourth street. Dasha's name has been spelled Disha and Desha, but Butterworth and Coroner Yandell say that Dasha is correct.

NO U. S. CONSUL AT SALVADOR.

Munchmeyer, the Last Incumbent, Commits Suicide.

News has just been received by J. E. Chilberg, agent of the Puget Sound & Central American Steamship Company in Seattle, of the suicide of the American consul at Salvador. Said Mr. Chilberg yesterday:

"The office of consul at Salvador is a peculiarly fatal one, and although it pays between $3,000 and $4,000 annually, it is not very much coveted by Americans.

"Some three years ago the American consul then at Salvador, a Mr. Pollock, died of yellow fever. His successor, Mr. Munchmeyer, put in after some delay, held his office but a few months, when he succumbed to yellow fever, and a few days later his wife also died. Then the wife's sister died in the same epidemic, nearly wiping out the family. There was one member left—a cousin, also named Munchmeyer—and he was appointed consul. Now comes the news of the suicide of this officer.

"There is no consul general and no minister at Salvador, so that the consul is the highest American officer there.

"I might add that the British consul at Salvador also died about a year ago."

Senator Wilson Leaves for Spokane.

Senator John L. Wilson left yesterday afternoon for Spokane, expecting to stop at Wenatchee and possibly one or two other places, where he will make several hearts glad by dishing out large chunks of Federal pie. Senator Wilson stated that in doing this he is compelled to create some sorrow and disappointment, but as there is but one piece of pie of any one kind, for a place, there is sure to be some objection to the way it is served.

First Presbyterian Services.

For the past three weeks Rev. A. L. Hutchison, D. D., has been taking his summer outing, and may be expected to occupy his pulpit September 3. On this Sabbath, August 29, the pulpit will be occupied by Rev. B. S. Winchester, a graduate of Chicago Theological Seminary and for several years a student in one of the universities of Germany. He is at present visiting friends in this city.

TO ATTEND CONFERENCE.

Bishop W. J. Gaines in Seattle—Need of Activity in Church Circles.

Bishop W. J. Gaines, of Atlanta, Ga., at the head of the Eleventh Episcopal district of the African Methodist Episcopal church of the United States, is at the Hotel Butler for a few days, en route to Tacoma to attend the annual conference of the American Methodist Episcopal church of Washington and Oregon. The Eleventh district, over which Bishop Gaines presides, includes California, Washington, Oregon, Oklahoma and the Indian territory. He left his home in Atlanta in June, since which time he has traveled through the several states of his district, attending the conferences and looking into the growth and development of his churches.

Last night Bishop Gaines stated that for several years, at least, his district is likely to be increased by the recent death of Bishop James Crawford Emory, of Philadelphia, of the Seventh district. A successor to Bishop Emory will not be elected until 1900, as the general conference meets only once every four years.

"Even then it may be decided," said Bishop Gaines, "that the ten remaining bishops are able to do all of the work, although I do not doubt that there are many brothers who would willingly assume the office and its responsibilities."

This was said with a fine sense of humor, as Bishop Gaines settled his huge frame comfortably back on the cushions of a leather lounge in the hotel parlor.

A year ago, when the Oregon and Washington conference of the African Methodist Episcopal church was held in Seattle Bishop Gaines was here, and last night he spoke of the business activity that he finds here, as compared with that of a year ago.

"I wish I could create the same activity in the matter of Christianity," said the bishop. "Of course, I understand that we must have commerce to furnish the sinews to carry on the Christian war with, but wouldn't it be better if the two could be combined; amalgamated, as it were, into a homogeneous composition to prosecute the Lord's work?

Bishop Gaines will preach Sunday at the Jones street African Methodist Episcopal church at 11 a. m. and 8 p. m.

CONDENSED DISPATCHES.

Gen. Booth, of the Salvation Army, has approved Gen. Booth-Tucker's scheme for colonizing people in the West.

David J. Seligman, the New York banker, has had an operation performed for appendicitis and is still dangerously ill.

The American Fire Insurance Company has passed under control of the Manchester Fire Insurance Company of England.

The British steamer Corocuro has gone ashore in the Straits of Magellan and is a total loss. She was bound from Callao to New York.

The motion for an appeal to the United States supreme court in the case of Benjamin Hill, the wife murderer, delays his execution till October.

Ferdinand May, who fled from Germany with nearly $1,000,000 of his clients' money, is supposed to be in Australia, and rewards are offered for his arrest.

Loss amounting to $75,000 was occasioned yesterday by the burning of the Florence flour mill, Omaha freight depot and several cars of merchandise, at Stillwater, Minn.

The postoffice at Laneboro, County Longford, Ireland, was dynamited at 2 o'clock yesterday morning. The front of the building was destroyed, but nobody was injured.

Having installed improved machinery, the American Wire Nail Company, of Anderson, Ind., has notified its 300 men of a reduction in wages and ordered them to remove their tools.

The San Francisco Salvation Army, in conjunction with the citizens' committee, has raised several thousand dollars towards buying 500 acres of land near Soledad, Cal., for a colony.

John D. Tallant, the San Francisco banker who became violently insane last Saturday on a train and was removed to the sanitarium at Geneva, Wis., is reported to be entirely recovered.

White river, for several miles on each side of Mount Adams, Ark., is lined with pearl hunters, who are going there from all sections. One party took out $350 worth in a day. The pearls are as large as buckshot, round and brilliant.

The salmon canning industry on the Sacramento river is at a standstill, the fishermen having struck against payment by the pound at a reduced rate. As the close season begins today, there will be no pack.

Mgr. Martinelli, the papal delegate, will remain at Atlantic City until today as the guest of the Augustian order, of which he is a member. On Sunday he will go to Philadelphia to assist the Augustinians in a celebration on that day.

Harry C. Stone, manager of the Paterson, N. J., opera house, went to his home unusually early on Thursday, just in time to save his three daughters from drowning. Their boat had upset on the Passaic river and he rescued them, unconscious, in twelve feet of water.

J. P. Jones, colored, of Sacramento, Cal., charges a woman named Dell Gomez with murdering his brother, E. C. Jones. She is said to have also caused the death of Frank Hossler, at Stockton, Cal., and another man at Cottage Grove, Or., from which town she was driven.

A detachment of Grand Army men marching under the American flag at Toronto, Ont., was told that the city ordinance forbade carrying a foreign flag unless accompanied by the British flag. A small union jack was bought and a boy hired to carry it, as none of the veterans would do so.

At the request of Lord Salisbury, the British consul is searching for a little girl named Emma Davis, near Madera, Cal. She was brought from England four years ago by Mr. and Mrs. Edward A. Tubbs, of Rock Ferry, in that country, has been kept in practical slavery and now has been spirited away.

Art League Outing Today.

A sketching party of the Seattle Art League will go to the state university grounds this afternoon. Those meeting at the studio in the Hinckley building will leave there at 2 o'clock.

Prince Luigi Eastward Bound.

Agent E. W. McGinnis yesterday reported that Prince Luigi Amadio, Duke of Savoy, and his suite, including his Alpine guides and mountaineers, had left at 9 o'clock in the morning for the East over the Canadian Pacific. The distinguished party of foreigners will reach New York September 2 and will sail at once for Italy.

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Steamer Farallon will sail from Schwabacher's wharf, foot of Union street, August 30.

Room for a few more horses on Rapid Transit, sailing the 30th. See Caine, Arlington dock.

Take steamer Utopia for Skaguay August 28.

LOVE SMILED ON THEM.

IRONDALE COUPLE DODGE PARENTS AND POLICE.

Comely Grace Lee, Aged 16, Runs Away With Charles Arey—They Slip Away From Their Pursuers, and Are Married at Sidney—Chief of Police Reed Captures the Couple After the Ceremony Has Been Performed—Now All Is Lovely and They Will Go Home.

Irondale, that quiet hamlet near Port Townsend, has forgotten all about its glory as the scene of the greatest Indian battle ever fought on Puget sound, and is now reveling in the delights of an elopement in high life. The affair was very cleverly arranged and carried out, and despite the efforts of "mamma" and the prosecuting attorney of Jefferson county to head off the young couple they were far behind, and the wedding ceremony was performed at Sidney after one of the most romantic trips ever taken by a young and loving couple. That hackneyed phrase, "Love laughs at locksmiths," sinks into insignificance before the daring originality of these young souls with but a single thought, these hearts that beat as one.

Grace Lee, aged 16, and Charles Arey, aged 24 years, are the two principal actors in this exciting drama in real life. They arrived in Seattle yesterday afternoon, and are now staying with Arey's relatives on Third avenue, not far from Pike street. Chief of Police Reed, acting under instructions from the prosecuting attorney of Jefferson county, located the young couple and had a talk with them last night. He learned that it was all over. The wedding had been performed, and after listening to their story and satisfying himself that young Arey was honest in his intentions toward the girl, the chief came to the conclusion that he did not care to mix up in the affair, and last night wrote a letter to Mrs. Lee telling her how the case stood.

There is little doubt that Mrs. Lee will receive her daughter and son-in-law with open arms when she receives the chief's letter. It was a case of love, and so far as can be learned there is no reason why the Lee family should not be willing to give young Arey a place on the family list.

The love affair between Grace Lee and Charles Arey is not different from many others that might be mentioned. They met, became friends, learned to think more and more of each other until they awoke to a realization that they had a bad case of love. The evidence does not relate whether Mrs. Lee knew anything about the exact status of affairs. It makes no difference now. The brief story shows that the case was as stated.

Miss Lee is a very pretty girl. Chief of Police Reed will swear to this, so the reader does not have to rely on the judgment of the reporter. She has clear blue eyes, light hair and a nice complexion. She is really a dainty, winsome girl. She won Arey completely. Arey is a bright-looking young man, and does not appear to regret having taken the step which makes him in duty bound to provide for two in the future, instead of one.

As to the actual elopement. It was a peach. It was original in one feature at least. It will serve undoubtedly as a guide to other young hearts under a similar predicament. It was carefully planned, and Mrs. Lee and Miss Lee's best friends did not know what was in the air. Miss Lee said to Mrs. Lee that she was going over to see one of her friends for the afternoon. Then she dressed as prettily as possible and tripped down the lawn and out of the gate and away. Mrs. Lee was busy, and went about the house calmly and contentedly, never dreaming that there was a sensation in store for her. After a while one of Miss Lee's friends came in. Grace was out, and after a while the young lady thought she would go over to the "other house" and see if Grace was there. She went. Grace was not there. Something was wrong, and the town knew it in a little while.

In the meantime Miss Lee was not lost or murdered. She went quietly out of the town and walked along until she met a young man in a buggy. That was young Arey. Miss Lee got into the buggy, and away they went. From Port Townsend they took a boat to Port Madison. That was Wednesday afternoon. Then they made their way along the road to Port Blakeley, and in order to reach Sidney had to get a sailboat. Arey was equal to the emergency, and at last they sailed into the bay at Sidney and were landed. Then they got a license to wed, and before the prosecuting attorney of Jefferson county, or Mrs. Lee, of Irondale, or Chief Reed, of Seattle, could get hold of them they were wedded.

Yesterday afternoon they came over to Seattle and were intercepted by Chief Reed's detectives, who had been watching for them since Thursday night, a brief report of which appeared in yesterday's Post-Intelligencer. What the young couple said to Chief Reed has already been told, so nothing remains but to announce the reception they receive at Irondale.

GRAIN INSPECTION LAW.

Hearing Before Judge Benson on the Question as to Its Validity—Case Under Advisement.

The suit to test the validity of the state grain inspection law, as amended by the last legislature, which was begun by State Grain Inspector Wright in an action against Lilly, Bogardus & Co. several days ago, was up for hearing on a demurrer before Judge Benson yesterday. John H. Powell appeared for the plaintiff and Attorney General Winston represented the state.

The facts in the complaint and answer were printed in the Post-Intelligencer of August 21. Briefly stated, the defendants object to a construction of the statute which permits the inspection of grain, where such is not desired by either the consignee or consignor, and especially in cases where both are the same person. It is further contended that the inspection ought not to include inferior grain, designed for feeding stock.

Many authorities were cited to support the contention on the part of the defendants, while the argument of the attorney general in support of the statute was exhaustive. A decision is expected within a few days.

Stanley Divorce Case.

A suit for divorce, filed yesterday, brings forth a tale unusually interesting at this time. The plaintiff is Mrs. Ella M. Stanley and the defendant is John L. Stanley, a son of William Stanley, of this city, who made a fortune in the Klondike last winter. The elder Stanley returned to this city on the steamship Portland July 17 with $112,000. The pair were married January 29 last, and on June 28, it is alleged, a baby came to bless their union. It is alleged that Stanley is about to leave the state and the plaintiff asks for an order directing him to pay $100 into court for legal expenses and $50 per month alimony.

Mrs. Foster Gets a Divorce.

A decree of divorce was granted yesterday by Judge Moore to Mrs. Stella C. Foster from her husband, J. E. Foster. They were united in wedlock in Kansas twenty years ago. Negligence and failure to provide were the grounds alleged. Findings in support of the complaint and a decree were signed by the court.

New Suits Filed.

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

W. W. Wilshire vs. R. Bryan—On promissory note for $663.

Ella M. Stanley vs. J. L. Stanley—Action for divorce.

Carney Bros. vs. C. A. Taylor—Action for debt, $516.

G. F. Fay vs. H. Fuller—On promissory note for $1,000 and foreclosure of the mortgaged premises.

J. G. Corbin vs. M. C. Kennedy—Action on promissory note for $450.

Court Notes.

A decree of divorce was granted Stella Webster against E. B. Webster yesterday.

Receiver Giles, of the Seattle Dairy Company, was yesterday directed to reject the bid of James Campbell for the property.

Judge Moore went to Issaquah yesterday afternoon to investigate the circumstances surrounding the strike of the miners employed by the Seattle Coal & Iron Company.

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