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CITY NEWS IN BRIEF.

F. Schomber is on a business trip to Seattle.

Yesterday was Ascension day—Holy Thursday.

A little maiden graces the home of Elmer Dodge.

The Superior Court will be in session to-morrow.

Mrs. Dr. Mead, of Bucoda, is reported to be quite ill.

Mr. John M. Patton and wife visited Seattle this week.

Another confectionery store is to be opened on Fourth street.

A daughter has arrived at the home of Delbert Burdick, South Union.

Now is the time to rid your fruit-trees of the destructive caterpillars.

The Multnomah brought up the freight of the Walla Walla Tuesday.

Wild strawberries are reported to be plentiful on the neighboring prairies.

Chas. Alden Mosher and Fannie Winslow Austin have been licensed to wed.

I. C. Otis, of the Surveyor General's office, is the happy papa of a bright boy.

David Chambers, jr., of Passadena, Cal., is on a visit to relatives in this county.

The G. A. R. Sunday service will this year be held in the Unitarian church.

Supt. Pague, of the weather bureau at Portland, predicts showers for to-morrow.

Dr. Newell reports the birth of a son to the wife of Wm. Ogle, this morning.

Repairs to the Long bridge at the draw will begin soon as piles can be procured.

Mrs. J. F. Smith, book-keeper of the Olympic Mill Co., went on a visit to Tacoma to day.

Senator John L. Wilson is on the Sound, and the *Olympian* says he will visit Olympia soon.

Our beautiful bay is becoming a favorite resort for pleasure-seekers as the season advances.

Capt. Joe. Alexander returned yesterday from his bicycle ride to the Gray's Harbor country.

A delightful shower of rain this morning revived vegetation and cleared the atmosphere.

Attorney Alfred S. Bennett, of Goldendale, argued a case in the Supreme Court this week.

Mr. and Mrs. George Libby went to Shelton last Saturday, to attend the funeral of Mrs. Saeger.

James Connolly, of Chambers' market, spent several days in Mason county during the week.

The Estella took a load of supplies to Mosier & McDonald's logging camp on Mud Bay, yesterday.

The Elks of this city will give a minstrel performance at Shelton on the evening of June 8th.

Does Olympia intend to celebrate the coming Fourth? If so, it is time our people were getting a move on.

Dr. Warren Riley and Mayor C. B. Mann returned from Summit Lake yesterday, having caught sixty trout.

Anold's merry-go-round is now at Everett. It did an excellent business during its two weeks' stay at Shelton.

Quite a number of our people went to Victoria yesterday, to participate in the celebration of the Queen's birthday.

Miss Minnie McCullagh has returned to her home at Union City, in Mason county, where she will spend the summer.

The State Land Commission will visit South Bend, on the 19th prox., to hear the Pacific county tide-land cases.

Dr. A. S. Oliver has returned from a trip to St. Louis, where he attended a post-graduate course of lectures in dentistry.

The Port Townsend Southern brought in 30 passengers yesterday. The travel is steadily increasing over this line.

Gov. McGraw has appointed G. A. Kennedy State Librarian, to fill the vacancy caused by the death of Col. F. T. Gilbert.

Mr. Weston has on sale a collection of rare roses, bergonas, geraniums and other flowers, in pots, at very moderate prices.

The steamer Estella brought up Savage & Schofield's pile-driver, Monday. It will immediately begin work for the city.

The flow of water struck by the county in boring a well at the court-house, is not strong and by no means satisfactory.

Those who participated in the Christian church excursion to Steilacoom yesterday say it was an exceedingly enjoyable affair.

Trevor Kincaid, of this city, has been appointed Assistant Professor of Botany and Zoology of the State University at Seattle.

It is estimated that fully 200 persons participated in the picnic excursion of the Christian church, to Steilacoom, yesterday.

The Olympic mill is running full time on an order from the Northern Pacific Railroad Co., for wharf timbers to be used at Tacoma.

Thomas Giles, a youth 18 years of age, living on Eastside, was Wednesday adjudged insane and sent to the Hospital at Steilacoom.

Alvin C. Sabin, stage-carpenter of the Vancouver opera house, and Miss Lillian M. Wells, were united in marriage in this city, this week.

Drs. Woodard, Gentle and Carlyon, of this city, have been in attendance at the meeting of the State Dental Association, at Seattle, this week.

Hon. Frank Ruth, of Rainier, was in town yesterday. He informed us that there was a heavy frost in his vicinity Wednesday night, which damaged tender vegetables to some extent.

The following passengers left this city to take the steamer Walla Walla, for San Francisco, this week: Francis Fitch and wife, J. R. Brown and David Boger.

The Multnomah will go on the gridiron Sunday, and the Aberdeen which leaves at 2 P. M., will therefore be the only boat for down Sound ports on that day.

The flow from the artesian well at the court house is not satisfactory, and it has not yet been determined whether the project will be further prosecuted or abandoned.

Our city was represented at the meeting of the State Medical Association at Seattle, this week, by Dr. Armstrong, who was elected President of the organization.

The Capital City Band gave their first open-air concert of the season in the band-stand last Saturday evening, which was listened to by a large and appreciative gathering.

The Graham Paper Co. of St. Louis, has the contract for supplying paper for the State printing for the term of two years, and Gane & Co., of Chicago, the award for binding supplies.

Governor McGraw has pardoned Dr. U. A. Gile, who has been serving a term for malpractice which caused the death of a man by the name of Wright, at Centralia, a few years ago.

A man named Dumphrey at Bucoda, was placed under bonds a few days ago to appear for examination Saturday and answer to a charge of assault upon the ten-year-old daughter of William Cober.

The burial of the late Col. Gilbert, who at the time of his death held the office of State Librarian, held Sunday afternoon, under the auspices of the G. A. R., was an impressive tribute of respect to a worthy comrade.

The beautiful "double-end" row-boat lately built by C. Etheridge, will be raffled to-morrow (Saturday) afternoon at 4 o'clock, at his boat-house on Columbia and First streets. Ticket holders are requested to be present.

A change will be made in the Northern Pacific schedule June 2d. It will not affect our local service for the better, the only change being for the afternoon train to depart at 3:30, an hour in advance of the present time.

The Thorne machine which is intended to set type for the *Olympian* has been received, and now the cooks of the intellectual hash served up in that paper are waiting for some one to come along and tell them what to do with it.

G. W. Cleveland, a farmer of this county, has an oddity amid his brood of poultry in the shape of a four-legged chicken. Two of the legs rest on the ground and two point in the air. Eggs-actly what such a sign portends is not proclaimed from the fence top.

The Thurston county Horticultural Society will hold a meeting in the basement of the court house to-morrow afternoon. At this meeting arrangements will be made for the annual strawberry and flower exhibit which will be held sometime next month.

Ernest Flagg, the architect of the State capitol, arrived Mouday, after a delay of about a month from the time he was expected. He met Tuesday with the Commissioners, and it is expected that an advertisement for bids to construct the superstructure, will appear without further "hitch."

The spur of the Northern Pacific track to the Olympia Mill is about completed. The work remaining is to place the crossing at Fourth street. The company to-day loaded a car at that point which necessitated the hauling for only one block. The crossing will be laid as soon as the iron for it is received from Edison.

Olympia Commandery No. 7, Knight Templars, Wednesday evening, elected the following officers for the ensuing year: Eminent Commander, A. P. Fitch; Generalissimo, J. J. Gilbert; Captain General, O. C. White; Prelate, Robert Marr; Senior Warden, M. J. Gordon; Junior Warden, Phil Skillman; Treasurer, C. J. Lord; Recorder, A. B. Cowles.

Will Sternberg has "built" a counter-top for Ellis, which is a marvel of beauty, and the result of much patient labor. Although the top is but two by four feet in size, there are over 1,000 pieces used in its construction. The pieces are mostly diamond-shaped about one-half by two inches in size and of contrasting colors. "Will" is a master of anything in the line of parquetry.

The new vessel built by Van Epps, Dofflemire and others, in the Percival warehouse, was hauled out on Second street Monday, where she will lie for several weeks receiving the finishing touches on the hull, painting and construction of the house and the placement of her rigging. She is a beautiful little craft, and reflects great credit upon the skill of her builders. The "boys" expect to launch the boat in about three weeks, and in the meantime they must settle upon a name. In view of the circumstances surrounding her origin and development, we respectfully suggest the name of "Mystery."

THE cause of malaria and typhoid fever is bred in our homes and called Bacteria. The foul smelling kitchen sink, waste pipes, filthy barrels, tubs, churns, rancid milk cans, urinals, &c. are the breeding place of these invisible enemies of human life. Fine granulated caustic will instantly destroy them, if sifted in such places. Caustic can be obtained from your grocer packed in larger sifting top cans labeled Red Seal Lye, and can be used for any purpose that common lye is used as it is absolutely prue and free from salt.

FOR MEMORIAL DAY.

General Order No. 3 to the Washington National Guard.

The adjutant-general of the national guard has issued the following order:

"So much of general orders No. 3, requiring company commanders to march their companies to such place as may be selected for the purpose of making a record score in small arms practice for the season of 1895, after the parade required by law of May 30, is hereby set aside, the same having been issued with a view to economy alone and not in any manner to trespass upon the sacred observance of the honors due to the memory of the national's dead. Company, regimental and battalion commanders who are so situated as to take part in the observance of Memorial day in connection with the Grand Army will render such service in honoring the memory of the departed heroes of the late war as the officers of the Grand Army of the Republic may require. Where possible, company commanders will make a record score in small arms practice for the year 1895 before June 10 next."

Memorial Exercises May 30th.

The Grand Army of the Republic Memorial services incident to Decoration of the graves of deceased old soldiers will be held at the cemetery May 30th. The G. A. R., Sons of Veterans, W. R. C. and Daughters of Veterans, will assemble at G. A. R. hall at 9 o'clock May 30th, morning.

The W. R. C. and daughters of Veterans are requested to have the flowers at the hall at that time, if not possible to do so the evening before. These societies, headed by the band and Company "A" First Infantry regiment N. G. W., will march thence to Franklin street, down Franklin to Fourth; west on Fourth to Main; south on Main to Union street, where the cars will be in readiness to transport all who wish to go to the cemetery.

Arriving at the cemetery the following exercises will be observed:

1. Opening services of the G. A. R.
2. Music by Band,
3. Address, by Comrade Skillman.
4. Music.
5. Address, by Mr. John A. Rea.
6. Music.
7. Benediction.
8. Decorating the graves with flowers.

After which, the return to the Post hall and dismissal.

FROM OCEAN'S DEPTHS.—"Sam" Nixon has planted potatoes, peas, beans, corn, and other vegetables on the lots filled in from the bottom of the bay for Mr. Horr, on Second street, between Columbia and Water, and they present a very fine growth, although the ground has not been enriched by any dry land fertilizer. Sam has not forgotten that fruit which is so tempting to people of his race—the watermelon—and already these vines are beginning to wander among the crustacean remains of what was, till the cutters of the dredger threw it up, the bed of the ocean. Whether Sam will be able to harvest his crops, if it materializes, with the bad boy on the alert to appropriate anything possessing so appetizing a flavor, remains to be seen.

THE TUBE WELLS.—Messrs. Beesley & Wood have driven a well for Mrs. Hale, in the rear of her brick building, corner of Fourth and Jefferson streets. Quite a flow was struck at a depth of 88 feet, but as the water forced a passage outside the pipe, the attention of the drivers has been directed towards finding some plan to confine it within the casing of the well, and thus acquire sufficient head to operate a ram that will place the water at an elevation for distribution over the premises. This has been the trouble experienced with three of the tube wells—the one at the new mill, that on the Martensen property on Cherry street and the one just driven. It is thought that the soil around the first of these has packed sufficiently to secure an ample elevation, but the others are still in doubt.

VERY LITTLE CHANGED.—The body of Dan. May, who was buried in the Catholic cemetery nine years ago, was removed to a place beside the newly made grave of Alex. May who died last week, in Odd Fellows cemetery, and upon opening the coffin the body was found to be in an excellent state of preservation. It seems that the ordinary process of decay had been, from some cause, arrested, and the features bore the precise expression retained by the memory of his many friends. His hair and finger nails had grown to abnormal length; his moustache was considerably lighter and a slight indication of dissolution was observed about the nose, but otherwise, there was no evidence of the changes which are supposed to rapidly follow death.

A NEW INDUSTRY.—Mr. J. Lehnher has begun the manufacture, at his shop, corner of First and Main streets, of splint baskets, which equal in appearance any in the market. Only two sizes have been made so far, shipping and berry boxes, but it is contemplated soon to make market and clothes baskets. The material used is spruce, sawed into planks from three-fourths to 2½ inches in thickness. From the edge of these a deep-set plane shaves a ribbon, or splint, which is woven into the bottom and sides of a basket. The handles are made of the same material steamed and bent on a form. These baskets may be bought at Mr. Phipps' grocery store, at 10 cents for the large and five cents for the smaller size.

A MARKET IN THE FAR EAST.—The shipment of shingles to the opposite side of the continent has grown within the past few years to be one of the permanent resources of our State. The preference for the Washington shingle is based upon merit, the cedar product being found much more serviceable than than the pine shingle of the East. The mill at Viora, Wednesday, shipped a carload to New Haven, Connecticut, to J. E. Ayer, father of our townsman, Chas. H. Ayer. The shipment will cost laid down in New Haven, $3.70 per thousand, where they readily sell for $4.50.

S. Z. Mitchell, of Portland, the purchaser of the Point Defiance street railway, is in Tacoma, preparing to transfer the property to the City Park Railway Company. The new owners are principally Portland capitalists, but some ot them reside in Tacoma.

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C. V. Fowler, the well known pioneer, of Yakima county, is ready to testify to the skill of the doctor. He was cured of deafness in the ear, and also a fleshy growth was removed from the eye.

Jacob Seiber is a grateful father. Dr. Darrin operated on his daughter's eye which has been crossed since she was a child. It was quickly made straight by the doctor.

The *Argus* reporter also interviewed Mr. Chris Miller, proprietor of the City Racket store. His little nine year old daughter Gertie, had a running sore on her chin, probably caused by a decayed tooth. Many remedies were applied, but the sore would not heal. The child was taken to Dr. Darrin during his last visit here. At the end of one month it was completely well. Mr. Miller speaks very highly of Dr. Darrin and does not understand why more afflicted do not take advantage of Dr. Darrin's skill.

One of the Drs. Darrin is permanently located as 912½ Pacific avenue, Tacoma, the other at Hotel Atherton, North Yakima, Wn., until May 25th. Consultation free and confidential. All curable chronic or private disease, a specialty. Hours 10 to 5 daily, evenings 7 to 8.

New Incorporations.

Articles for the following domestic corporations have been filed in the office of the Secretary of State:

Black River and Waddell Creek Improvement Company, of Little Rock, Thurston county; capital, $1,000, in ten shares of $100 each; incorporators, Frank Kotick, C. L. Kotick; to do a logging business on Black river.

The Purdy Mill Company, of Tacoma; capital $10,000, in 100 shares of $100 each; incorporators, C. S. Barlow, Benjamin Barlow, Frank R. Wright; to do a logging and lumber business.

Columbia Lodge of the Finnish Temperance Society, of Ilwaco.

Gold Coin Mining and Milling Company, of Tacoma; capital, $1,200,000, in 600,000 shares of $2 each; incorporators, L. U. Loomis, L. L. Newton, F. G. Stewart, E. L. Shefner, Ralph Metcalf; to do a general mining and milling business.

West & Slade Mill Company, of Aberdeen; capital, $50,000, in 500 shares of $100 each; incorporators, A. J. West, S. E. Slade; to engage in a lumber business.

Custom House Business for April.

Following is a statement of the customs business of the district of Puget Sound for the month of April last:

Entrances—American vessels from foreign ports, 115; tonnage, 60,078. Foreign vessels from foreign ports, 28; tonnage, 12,142. Total vessels, 143; tonnage, 72,220.

Clearances—American vessels for foreign ports, 120; tonnage, 69,159. Foreign vessels for foreign ports, 30; tonnage, 14,382. Total vessels, 150; tonnage, 83,541.

Total customs receipts, $27,615.

Imports, total value, $167,891; dutiable value, $60,038; free of duty, $107,853.

Exports, total value, $351,980; wheat, bushels, 13,184, value, $5,794; flour, barrels, 54,544; value, $101,787; lumber, feet, 12,544,000, value, $104,362; shingles, number, 447,000, value, $671; miscellaneous, value, $139,366.

Value of merchandise imported into the district and transported to interior ports without appraisement: Dutiable, $76,658; free of duty, $52,850; total, $129,508.

Supreme Court Decisions.

Opinions in the following cases have been filed by the Supreme Court:

Newman Kline et al., respondents vs. City of Tacoma, appellant; affirmed.

George Lewis Gower, appellant, vs. City of Tacoma et al., respondents, reversed.

Columbia & Puget Sound Railroad Company, respondent, vs. D. S. Galloway et al., appellants, from King county; dismissed.

A NEW QUARRY WILL BE OPENED.—The "Huggins" stone quarry near Olympia, containing the best sandstone in the State, has been leased by parties who will at once open the same and be prepared to furnish stone of any size or dimension for all purposes. This is the stone so much favored by the Capitol Commission, and it is not improbable that it may yet get into the superstructure. It is very close-grained, susceptible of the highest polish, and lightens in color the deeper it is entered. Stone can be delivered in thirty days from the commencement of work.

STATE NEWS.

Walla Walla's public schools have closed for the summer.

A shingle mill is to be erected at Getchell, Snohomish county.

The last Spokane grand jury severely condemned the present fee system.

The leaves of plum trees around Puyallup are thickly covered with hop lice.

A Skamokawa firm put 50,000 strawberry boxes on a Portland steamer one evening last week.

The Montesano creamery is now running and is receiving about 4,000 pounds of milk daily.

Fairhaven reports that the run of steelhead salmon is at an end, and that halibut are coming in slowly.

New Whatcom and Fairhaven have contributed over $500 to the sufferers of the Blue Canyon mine explosion.

An inmate of the Soldiers' Home at Orting alleges mismanagement of the institution, and demands an investigation.

The residence of William Kirkendall, two miles from Snohomish, was with all its contents, destroyed by fire last Friday.

The Wilbur *Monitor and Express* has changed hands. A party of ranchers have control, a stock company being organized.

Daniel Bauman committed suicide in Seattle, Monday by taking morphine. It is thought that he was a Snohomish county farmer.

Experiments are being made at Latona, near Seattle, for the purpose of extracting turpentine, fir balsam, etc., from fir stumps.

Knee-breeches and bloomers were worn by about 120 Spokaneites, according to sex, who pedaled out to a bicycle tea Tuesday.

It is said that a recent experiment with the black sand on Damon's point showed that it contained a dollar's worth of gold to the ton.

About $5,000 of Chehalis county's warrants that were called in last February, are still outstanding, although they have ceased to draw interest.

It appears that the building of the Blaine, Lynden & Nooksack railroad can be secured if the localities interested put up a subsidy of $15,000.

The second trial of William A. Wilcox for the murder of Mrs. Fetting, near Seattle, September 4, 1893, began in the superior court in Seattle, Monday.

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Boys, 10c to ..... 39c.
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A strong effort is being made to obtain a change of venue for ex-County Clerk C. O. Downing, of Spokane, charged with misappropriating county funds.

The Satsop skimming station, in operation only since the 1st of the month, is receiving upwards of 2,000 pounds of milk and the quantity is increasing every day.

Twenty thousand fruit trees have been planted in the vicinity of Lake Chelan this spring, and a great deal of ground is being prepared for next season's planting.

The indications are that, in accordance with the sliding scale adopted this year, there will be a reduction in the assessment of Spokane county of between $1,000,000 and $2,000,000.

The Seattle *Times* says that John Edward Hawkins, who was admitted to the bar of King county Thursday, is the first colored man admitted to practice law in the State of Washington.

Elma is sorrowful because of the probably fatal illness of "Grandma" Himes, Mrs. J. M. Anderson, J. L. McDonald and Clint Shamby, neither of whom, it is thought, can possibly recover.

Patrick H. Pender's residence and saloon building, in West Monte Cristo, caught fire from a kitchen stove Tuesday. The residence and furniture were totally consumed, and the saloon badly damaged.

J. P. McMinn, the fruitman near Walla Walla, is enlarging his fruit-drier. Last year the drier had a capacity of 5,000 pounds every 24 hours, which is being increased this year to 13,000 pounds.

The trial of J. Edmiston will come up again at North Yakima early in June before the Superior Court, on a change of venue from Walla Walla. A large number of witnesses will go from Walla Walla.

H. S. Gile is making preparations for erecting a large creamery at Chinook. Henry Kayler, agent for the Sunshine Mill Company, has taken an order for over 50,000 feet of lumber to be used in building.

At a charivari in Hartford Tuesday night, William Welsh, a rejected suitor of the bride, ran amuck in the party and broke the skull of Musician Scott with a club and wounded two others. It is thought Scott will die.

Work on the assessment roll of Franklin county is nearing completion. The valuation on all property has been placed a trifle under last year's assessment. Cattle range from $4 to $15; horses from $3 to $10; cayuses from $2 to $6.

Mrs. Sophie D. Jaeger, one of the bondsmen of ex-City Treasurer Boggs, of Tacoma, who is being sued by the city, alleges in her answer that she never signed the bond, as she was in the insane asylum at the time it was made.

Tug Wilson, of Bay Center, wounded a bear which made for him and knocked him down. In the scuffle Wilson lost his gun, and the bear chewed his leg and arm. Wilson, however, was gritty, and chocked the bear to death.

Governor McGraw has issued a pardon for George Sufferni, sentenced to the penitentiary from Port Townsend for eight years. He had served about five years of his term, and his crime was that of robbing the postoffice at Port Townsend.

County Superintendent Hutcheson of Chehalis has just completed the quarterly examination of teachers. Eleven applicants were granted certificates and five passed the required examination for admission to the State normal school.

At the Gray's Harbor Commercial Company's mill last Saturday evening, J. S. Bigelow ran through an edger 35,000 feet of inch boards, in one hour and 45 minutes. This is the best record ever made in Cosmopolis, and it is thought in the State.

William Simpson, an employe of the Consolidated Shingle Mill Company, at Blaine, yesterday, accidentally stumbled and fell across the bolting saw. His body was instantly cut in two. Simpson was a native of England and his parents reside in London.

E. Lyons, of Portland, representing the Northern Pacific Terminal Company, has purchased 200 tons of the rails that were rescued from the Abercorn, and have been lying at Cosmopolis so long. T. D. Sullivan, with a crew of 10 men, is loading the rails.

A party of 80 laborers, many of them Italians, left Spokane on the Great Northern Friday night en route to the Kootenai country, where they will help grade the Kaslo & Slocan railway. It is understood that another party will start early next week, it being the intention of the contractors to hasten the work of construction as much as possible.

A huge chunk of plaster fell from the ceiling of the New Whatcom city hall Monday night. The room was crowded and D. C. Jenkins, one of those present, was struck on the head and sustained a severe shock. The crash created something of a panic.

The grand lodge of Knights of Pythias, of the jurisdiction of Washington, will meet in twelfth annual session in Walla Walla May 21 and continuing three days. The annual meeting and competitive drill of the Uniform Rank of this State will also take place at the same time.

A large number of convicts are at work in the penitentiary brickyard, making brick. Director Nye states that one kiln of 200,000 brick will be ready by June 1, and it is the intention to manufacture 1,000,000 this year. He says the demand for brick far exceeds any former year.

Some time ago C. T. Wooding, of Aberdeen, was arrested, charged with perjury, and bound over to the Superior Court. His case came up before Judge Irwin and he was discharged, owing to an affidavit filed by the prosecuting witness, W. B. McGerry, that Wooding was innocent of any criminal intent.

A fire broke out Sunday night in a building in Walla Walla, owned by Harry Krutz. The lower floor was occupied by Richard Ludwig's grocery, and the upper story by E. W. Carr. Ludwig carried a stock of about $6,000, insured for $3,000. Most of his goods were moved from the building, but were damaged fully one-half.

The Hill sawmill, at Elma, was burned on the 15th inst. The mill was a total loss, together with all the lumber and 800,000 shingles in the dry kiln. The fire originated by a spark catching on the roof. Being isolated from the water works, little could be done to save it. The total loss is about $5,000, with no insurance.

The Gray's Harbor Commercial Company, of Cosmopolis, has just completed an order for 1,680 box-car sills, together with the stock for 150 cars. Wells, French & Co., of Chicago, the largest car-manufacturers in the United States, made this purchase. This company has loaded a vessel principally with sugar-box stock for Mexico. The vessel will load a return cargo of sugar.

The Indian agent at the Siletz has received official notice from the Indian department at Washington stating that the department had recognized the action of the county court in appointing a Justice of the Peace and creating road districts at the Siletz, and authorizing the agent to abolish the Indian courts, as these Indians are now citizens. The Indians have all been allotted their lands, and there remains to be opened to settlers 84,000 acres.

Billy Bowie, head sawyer, and Jack Hayes, mate of a vessel, were detected Tuesday night, at Hadlock in the act of burglarizing the Washington Mill Company's store. Bowie quietly submitted to arrest, but Hayes jumped into the bay, and by swimming around among the piles avoided arrest for several hours. They are locked up in jail. Both men have heretofore enjoyed excellent reputations. For months the store and postoffice have been robbed several times, always in such a manner as to avoid detection. The arrests at Hadlock created a sensation.

The Everett avenue bridge, connecting the city of Everett with the road to Machias, started by the city of Everett, was sold Tuesday at Sheriff's sale to the Washington Bridge Company for $9,268.60. The bridge can scarcely be sold to the county, as it is partly within the city of Everett, and there is a strong sentiment in the Stanwood and Stillaguamish districts against the county paying for private enterprises. As it now stands, the only thing which can be done if the county does not purchase the property, is for the new owners, who were the builders, to open the bridge as a toll-bridge. The city of Everett can not purchase the bridge, as it is not entirely within the city limits.

The heavy purchases made in this State by the largest car builders in the United States is a most significant pointer. Wells, French & Co., of Chicago, were induced to build one car from Washington lumber. They did so, and after its completion put it on the scales. It weighed 2,000 pounds less than one made of yellow pine, oak and white pine. Apparently that settled the question, for large orders were immediately placed for stock with dealers in Washington. So urgent were these demands that a representative of the company came on to push forward the orders. This company is now completing 600 refrigerator cars for the Armour Co. to be used in the California fruit trade. This contract is to be completed by July 1, and it is for these cars that our lumbermen are forwarding stock.

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HAY—$18 @ $19 ℔ ton.
Eastern Washington, $11 @ $13 ℔ ton.
POTATOES—35c ℔ cwt.
BUTTER—25c and 30c per roll.
SUGAR—Granulated 18 lbs ℔ $1.
Cal. Extra C, 18 lbs ℔ $1.
Golden C, 19 lbs ℔ $1.
COFFEE—Arbuckles', 25 @ 30c.
Mocha Java, 40c ℔ lb.
Green Costa Rica, 25c ℔ lb.
Broken Mocha-Java, 35c ℔ lb.
SOAP—Savon, 90c ℔ box.
EGGS—10 ℔ doz.
PICKLES—In bulk, 35c ℔ gal.
SYRUPS—Rock Candy Drips, 75c ℔ gal.
California, 35c ℔ gal.
Maple, $1 ℔ gal.
New Orleans (Molasses), 60c ℔ gal.
LARD—12½c ℔ lb.
Cottolene, 60c ℔ 5-lb pail.
TEA—25 @ 75c ℔ lb.
MEATS—Beef, steak, 8 @ 15c ℔ lb.
" roast, 6 @ 10c ℔ lb.
" boil, 5 @ 8c ℔ lb.
Mutton, 5 @ 12½c ℔ lb.
Veal, 7 @ 12c per lb.
Sausage 10c ℔ lb.
Ham, 14c ℔ lb.
Side bacon, 10 @ 12½c ℔ lb.
Mess Pork, 10 @ 12c ℔ lb.
FUEL—Cordwood, $1.75 ℔ cord.
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Str Doctor, for Shelton, at ..... 4:30 p. m.
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Notice of Administrator's Sale

IN the Superior Court of the State of Washington, for the County of Thurston.

In re. the Eleanor Alice Barker estate.

Notice.

Notice is hereby given that by virtue of an order issued to me, in the above entitled case, by the Superior Court of Thurston county, State of Washington, on the 27th day of April, A. D. 1895, directing me to sell certain property hereinafter described, for the purpose of paying the indebtedness of said estate, I will, on the 25th day of May, A. D. 1895, offer for sale, at the hour of one o'clock of said day, in front of the Court-house, in the city of Olympia, Thurston county, State of Washington, the following described property:

About ninety thousand bricks, now situated in a shed on the east side of Quince street, between Fourth and Fifth streets, in the city of Olympia; one pool table, and one counter, situated on the east side of Main street, between Third and Fourth streets, in the city of Olympia; and one billiard table frame.

Also the following described real estate:

The north one-quarter (¼) of Lots seven (7) and eight (8) in block thirteen (13), the west half of lots five (5) and eight (8) in block four (4), the east half of lots five (5) and eight (8) in block four (4), all in Sylvester's Plat of the City of Olympia, Thurston county, State of Washington.

The personal property will be sold for cash to the highest bidder. The real estate shall be sold for not less than one-half the price bidden at the sale, to be paid in cash on the day of sale, and the balance of the bid not so paid in cash to be on six months' time; the bidder to execute his note or notes representing the unpaid portion, with surety, and security upon the property purchased by him, by way of mortgage thereon.

Dated this 29th day of April, A. D. 1895.

E. S. HORTON,
Administrator.

Date of first publication, May 3, 1895.

Administrator's Notice

OF SALE OF REAL ESTATE.

BY virtue of an order of the Superior Court, made on the 9th day of April, 1895, at the April term of said Court, I will, in obedience to said order, on Saturday the 4th day of May, 1895, at the hour of eleven o'clock A. M., at the front door of the Court House in the city of Olympia, Thurston county, State of Washington, sell at public auction to the highest bidder for cash, gold coin of the United States of America, all the interest of the estate of Lytle M. Griffith, deceased, in and to certain lots or tracts of land, described as follows:

The west half of the northwest quarter (W ½ of NW ¼), and the west half of the east half of the northwest quarter (W ½ of E ½ of NW ¼) of section 21, in township No. 16 north, of range No. one (1) west of the Willamette meridian.

T. F. MENTZER,
Administrator of the Estate of Lytle M. Griffith, Deceased.

Date of first publication, April 12, 1895.

Notice to Creditors.

IN the Superior Court of the State of Washington, for the County of Thurston.

In re. the estates of William Mills and Eliza Mills, deceased.

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned was appointed Administrator of the estates of William Mills and Eliza