

WHAT TWO WOMEN SAW.

STATE NEWS. A Brief Reference to Matters of Fact Gathered Here, There and Everywhere.

Robt. Lyle, a Chehalis county logger, expects to employ 100 men in his camp this season.

The balmy weather of the last few days has permitted the farmers around Dayton to begin spring plowing.

Leon Stamp, who was shot by J. H. M. Vicker, at Vance, in Lewis county about two weeks ago, will recover.

Maurice Powers died of dropsy at his home near Walla Walla, Friday. He was 62 years old, and a pioneer in the Walla Walla country.

It is said that a party is being organized on Gray's Harbor to purchase the steamer Tillamook and take her up to Alaska, to place her on a local route there.

Bruce and Henson are making, at Hopman, two masts for the schooner Volunteer. These are each 112 feet long, and said to be the longest ever made on Gray's Harbor.

The highest price yet paid a Yakima stock owner for sheep was given James Wright a few days ago. He sold two cars for Tacoma shipment, receiving \$5.12 1/2 a head.

W. S. Starr, postmaster at Orting, pleaded guilty to embezzlement in the United States court the other day and was sentenced to six months' imprisonment and fined \$235.

The shingle mill at Aberdeen, formerly known as the Sherwood mill, has been overhauled and has begun operations under the management of its new owners, Farnam & Coates.

"Indian Joe," grandson of Princess Angeline, daughter of Chief Seattle, was found alone the other day in his shack in Seattle, suffering from rheumatism. There was no bed, food, fire or fuel in the cabin.

The Whitman County Commissioners have offered a reward of \$500 for the apprehension and conviction of the lynchers of Chadwick Marshall, alias "Blacky," who was taken from the jail and hanged by a mob.

Colonel James McNaught, a former Seattle lawyer, but now of New York, received, it is understood, \$50,000 as his fee in the case of the Lake Shore bondholders against the Northern Pacific. The colonel represented the bondholders.

John Horn knot-sawed 56,000 shingles out of raw timber in 10 hours one day last week at the Meridian mill at New Whatcom. A good day's work by a fast man in such timber is 35,000, so that the run was a most phenomenal one.

A man, supposed to have been M. F. Antoine, was found dead, the other day, in a vacant house at Tacoma. The body was lying on the floor, and it was evident that the man had been dead several days. The cause of his death is shrouded in mystery.

The shipments of lumber products from the State of Washington during 1897 were valued at \$9,065,908 at the mills. With freight rates added the total will not fall far from \$16,000,000. The value of the shingle shipments alone footed up \$4,042,466 at the mills.

The State Reform School at Chehalis will go into the hop business. The State Board of Audit and Control has ordered the planting of 29 acres. This is one of the Hon. H. J. Sively's ideas. He thinks the inmates of the reform school ought to be kept busy.

The editor of the P-I has requested the Salvation Army to exhort to some other locality than in front of his office, as it interferes with his thought-collecting machine, in other words, causes the "wheels in his head" to become indiscriminately mixed up.—West Coast Populist.

The decomposed body of Iver Larsen, the 6-year-old boy who disappeared from his home near Ferndale last spring, was found recently in the woods four miles from his home by some single-bolt cutters. The body lay in the shelter of a huge log, as if the little fellow had thus attempted to escape perishing from exposure.

Commissioner Huber, in Astoria county, has an interesting keepsake that he prizes very highly and which reminds him of his march from Atlanta to the sea. It is an original map issued by the War Department during the war to the advance guard of the company. Mr. Huber procured the document from the captain at the close of the war, and also the company's flag of the Ninth Illinois mounted Infantry, which he still retains.

D. E. Hall, representing the O. R. & N. Co., was at Skamokawa, last Wednesday and adjusted the claim of Mrs. Charles Grater for injuries received at the time of the accident to the steamer Bailey Gatzert in Portland, last December. The company allowed Mrs. Grater \$1,500 and doctor's and attorney's expenses, estimated at \$100 more. Mrs. Grater is a very sick woman, and the attending physician thinks she will be an invalid the remainder of her life.

D. C. Blandly, wife and 4-year-old son, who left Brainerd, Minn., August 27, to come to Puget Sound in a "prairie schooner" drawn by dogs, arrived at Tacoma last Thursday afternoon, after traveling all night. Blandly lost 93 days' time en route. His team of eight dogs averaged from 40 to 50 miles travel in the ten hours of each day that they were kept going. In the snow belt, runners were affixed to the schooner, but they were discarded on this side of the mountains. Blandly denies that he is an

Two New York women stood in front of a Broadway window watching a Persian weaver laboriously weaving upon a frame, the pattern of a beautiful rug. Slowly, almost imperceptibly, thread by thread the pattern grew beneath his hand, until what had seemed a meaningless crossing of dull threads gradually took on form and beauty. Suddenly a notice of the woman began to repeat the lines:

Waving, weaving, threads of faith / Patiently, woman's heart. / Who can ere anticipate / The hues of life in every part? / With the colors warms the glow / All traced in love and happiness; / For will they fade in somber ways / A woman's future who can guess?

There is infinite pathos in the way that women ponder over and try to trace out the purpose and meaning of their lives.

Every young and happy woman it seems as if destiny was weaving their future in all the colors of the rainbow like a merry dance of capricious weaving goblins. But to thousands of women life looks to be all "a warp of pain."

WHAT LIFE REALLY IS.

A woman's life pattern is really woven by herself. A great philosopher has said "Life is neither pain nor pleasure; it is serious business." If a woman would make it her serious business to understand herself mentally, morally and physically, using the common sense that God has given her, there would be far less misery and suffering woven into the pattern of her life. She can make it almost anything she chooses.

Every woman who wants to derive the full share of happiness, which nature intended her to find as a woman, wife and mother, ought to read that great and wise book, The People's Common Sense Medical Adviser, by K. V. Pierce, M. D. Several hundred of its thousand pages are devoted to the subject of woman's special physiology, telling in plain and refined language how a woman may build up her physical self to meet the emergencies of her developing career.

The author of this great book is among the most successful of living physicians. His "Favorite Prescription" is known in every corner of the civilized globe as the most remarkable supportive tonic and health restorer ever devised for weak and ailing women. It imparts direct strength and beautiful vitality to woman's delicate, special structure, and increases the vigor, endurance and resourcefulness of her entire system.

A beautiful lady, Mrs. Alonzo Rathwell, living at the corner of Meade and Almond Sts., in Walla Walla, in a recent letter, says: "My life is a story of misery until the birth of my boy. Oh, what a God-send your medicine to me! My boy was born in two weeks after my husband's death. Then the health I had lost came back. For two years I can never describe the awful suffering I endured for a year and a half. I was so miserable I longed for relief. I bought a bottle of Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription, and I was in despair, got a bottle, and I took it just to please him. I had a baby, and I was able to walk across the room without feeling faint or having any palpitation of the heart. Oh, what a God-send your medicine to suffering humanity. I had spent two hundred dollars with the leading doctors without any benefit whatever."

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route to Klondike. He intends to settle in this State.

Bert Lemon and Sam Mauring narrowly escaped drowning, at Garfield, the other day. They secured a boat, and while rowing around through the streets, decided to shoot the rapids of Silver creek. The creek being high, the rapids had become quite a cataract, but the young men made the attempt in spite of the protest of their friends. Their boat was capsized, and the two disappeared beneath the surface, where they were caught in the whirlpool and nearly drowned before they were rescued by the aid of ropes. They were rolled over barrels for several minutes before the water that they had swallowed was expelled, and they regained consciousness.

Judge Hanford in the United States court on the 11th inst., granted an injunction, restraining the Treasurer of Lewis county from selling Northern Pacific railroad lands for delinquent taxes of 1891. At the time that the judgment was rendered, the railroad was in the hands of receivers appointed by the United States court, and consequently no process could be legally executed. Judge Hanford holds, however, that if taxes on the lands had been legally assessed, the court would be obliged to order payment thereof. The statute calling for the listing of all lands by the assessor had not been complied with and there were also errors on the part of the county officers in making up the roll for 1891.

Thomas Haines, a white man, and Charley Ross, a half-breed, were taken to North Yakima Sunday morning from Fort Simcoe, to prevent their being lynched by the Indians on the reservation. One or both of the prisoners killed Watoose Benson, an Indian, on Friday last week, though the body was not discovered until Thursday. They were given a hearing before the Indian "supreme" court at the fort, the evidence against Ross being very strong. Haines sold whiskey to both of the Indians, and in a drunken quarrel, Ross broke Benson's back and nearly scalped him. The hair on the top of his head all came out when the body was dressed. Ross was wearing part of Benson's clothes when arrested. Ross' gloves were found beside the body of Benson.

CASTORIA For Infants and Children.

THE tax rolls for 1897 are now in my possession. For the collection of the taxes for the year 1897. All taxes are due and payable from this date, the first Monday of February, 1898. All personal taxes must be paid in full on or before March 10th next. Real property taxes become delinquent after the 31st day of May next and draw 10 per cent. interest after that date. Dated at Olympia this 7th day of February, 1898. Treasurer Thurston County.

Notice to Taxpayers.

Notice of Sheriff's Sale.

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Notice of Sheriff's Order of Sale.

SUPERIOR COURT, State of Washington, in and for Thurston County.

A. A. Phillips, as Receiver of the First National Bank of Olympia, Plaintiff, vs. A. W. Laughlin and O. V. Linn, Defendants.

Under and by virtue of a writ of order of sale issued out of the Superior Court of the State of Washington, holding terms at Olympia in and for Thurston County, said State, and dated on the 15th day of January, 1898, on a judgment and decree rendered in said court on the 14th day of January, 1898, in favor of the above named plaintiff, and against the above named defendants, for the sum of nine hundred and thirty-five dollars, together with an attorney's fee of seventy-five dollars, and costs of suit, with interest at the rate of 12 per cent per annum from date thereof and amounting in all to the sum of one thousand one hundred and ten dollars and 10/100 (\$1,100.10).

Which said writ of special execution was to me as Sheriff of Thurston county, Washington, duly directed and delivered and by which I am commanded to sell at public auction, according to law the following described real estate, to-wit:

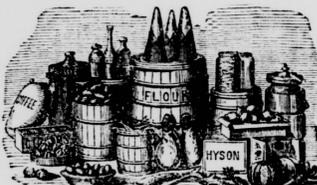
Lot numbered respectively ten (10), eleven (11), twelve (12) and thirteen (13) in block No. 11, in the city of Olympia, in and for Thurston county, Washington, as the same are designated on the plat of said addition now on file in the Auditor's office of said county; also those certain parcels of land known as lots numbered respectively five (5) and six (6) in block No. 12, in the city of Olympia, in and for Thurston county, Washington, on what was formerly known as the J. J. Dickson Donation Claim on the west side of Budd's Inlet.

Now, therefore, public notice is hereby given that on the 25th day of February, 1898, at 10 o'clock A. M. of said day, the Washington street front door of the court-house of said Thurston county, in the city of Olympia, I will sell the above described real estate at public auction to the highest bidder for cash, or so much thereof as may be necessary to raise said amount, together with increased costs and increased interest.

Dated at Olympia, Washington, this 21st day of January, 1898. CHARLES A. BILLINGS, Sheriff of Thurston county, Washington.

T. N. Linn, Attorney for Plaintiff.

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In the Superior Court of the State of Washington, for Thurston county.

John W. Ray, Plaintiff, vs. No. 2082. Lura E. Ray, Defendant.

The State of Washington to the said Lura E. Ray, Defendant:

You are hereby summoned to appear within sixty days after the date of the first publication of this summons, to-wit: within sixty days after the 8th day of February, 1898, and defend the above entitled action, and answer the complaint of the plaintiff, and serve a copy of your answer upon the undersigned, attorney for plaintiff, at his office below stated, in case of your failure so to do, judgment will be rendered against you according to the terms of the complaint, which has been filed with the clerk of said court, and has been filed with the clerk of said court.

This action is brought for the purpose of procuring a decree of absolute divorce from the bonds of matrimony now existing between you and plaintiff herein on the ground of desertion.

A. P. FITCH, Plaintiff's Attorney, Olympia, Thurston county, Washington. Date of first publication, Feb. 4, 1898.

DISOLUTION OF PARTNERSHIP NOTICE

NOTICE is hereby given that the co-partnership heretofore existing between the undersigned, John Meacham and J. C. Horst, under the name and style of J. Meacham & Co., is this day dissolved by mutual consent. J. C. Horst retiring from the business. Mr. John Meacham will continue the same at the usual place, west side of Columbia street between Third and Fourth, Olympia, Wash. He will collect all outstanding accounts and assumes the payment of all bills owed by the firm.

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