

METEOROLOGICAL

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CITY NEWS IN BRIEF

March 1st. Farmers are busy. Fine weather prevails. School election to-morrow. Early gardening has begun. Eggs retail at 20 cents a dozen. The public schools will re-open next Monday. A. O. Page was in the city from Rainier last Tuesday. No definite clue to Winkle's whereabouts has yet been obtained. Mrs. John C. Barnes has recovered from an attack of the measles. Miss Prudence Wyman is up from the University to spend a few days at home. The initiative and referendum bill passed the House yesterday by a vote of 60 to 25. Matt Forstrom and Helney Anderson, both of Rochester, have been licensed to wed. Prof. Sampson speaks to-night in the M. E. Church on "The Making of a Community." Carl Hill was fined \$25 yesterday for hitting Ed. Neylon over the head with a beer-bottle. The Senate has passed the House bill placing the Statehouse in charge of the Board of Control. The anti-cigarette law is endorsed by petitions throughout the State containing over 7,000 names. The funeral of Frank Lamp, killed by Jesse Winkle, was held in the Christian Church, Tuesday afternoon. Ed Jack and Julia John were married yesterday afternoon by Justice Giles. The bride is only fifteen years of age. Mrs. J. G. Parker is recovering from her late severe illness and now at the home of Mrs. Wm. Mc-Micken. A defective fuse caused a still alarm of fire yesterday morning at Councilman Kenney's house. The damage is nominal. The concert at the theater last evening did not materialize for want of support. Too many "attractions" is the cause. The Governor has announced the appointment of Hon. M. M. Godman, of Dayton, as a member of the Alaska-Yukon-Pacific Commission. Al. Brucker and C. H. Reichel have gone to Seattle to purchase fixtures for their new saloon soon to be opened on West Fourth street. R. M. Montgomery, who moved into the city from the vicinity of Summit last November on account of his health, is slowly improving. Mrs. Jesse Winkle, wife of the slayer of Lamp, yesterday moved her household effects from West Fourth street to a cottage near South Union. While Dr. Holbrook has been in a fair way of recovery he is still a very ill man. He is bedfast and considerably emaciated from his long confinement. Mrs. Edith L. Peake closed a very successful week's revival in the United Presbyterian church Sunday evening, and has returned to her home in Carnel, Cal. "Ye Old Folks' Concert," given with such great success nearly a year ago in the Christian Church, will be repeated next Wednesday night, at the same place. George S. Doby, the optician, is ready to give scientific examination of all eye troubles and adjust glasses to suit exact conditions. His office is 520 Main street. Judge Frank Rudkin of the Supreme Court, after a week's visit to his home at North Yakima, has returned to this city. Mrs. Rudkin did not return with him. At the W. C. T. U. meeting in the Christian Church to-night. Several members of the Legislature are announced for addresses. The public is specially invited to attend. Mrs. Carrie Edgerton Diggs, formerly of this city, who is now conducting a well-paying lodging-house business at Aberdeen, was in town this week for a visit to friends. Gov. Mead has granted a parole to Dr. Mary Latham, sentenced at Spokane in 1895 to four years in the penitentiary for a crime which is 60 years of age and in failing health. Mitchell Harris has sold to Dr. N. J. Redpath and his father-in-law C. W. Maynard of Lewis county, his lot on Washington and Seventh streets, on which the doctor intends to build a fine residence. John Sanderson, of Mud Bay, has sold his farm to David Helser for \$5,000 and will move to town, having bought the residence of G. E. Blankenship on Eighth and Eastside streets for, it is said, \$2,500. L. F. Schmidt has asked for a light and water franchise in Tumwater, and proposes to erect a modern electric plant next summer and to establish a water system to be supplied from his artesian wells. Mr. E. L. Minard, formerly of Olympia, but now a prominent business man of Elma, was in the city Wednesday, helping to swell the delegation from Chehalis county as opposed to county division. At a school election to be held to-morrow, a director to succeed Thos. McLarty, and a vote upon a ten-mill special tax will be taken. Five will be for the new high school building and five for maintenance of schools. The meeting of the Olympia Poultry Association has postponed the annual meeting announced for to-morrow, till the succeeding Saturday, the 9th, on account of the school election to be held this week. The Senate yesterday amended the House indeterminate sentence bill placing authority for extending parole in the hands of the Board of Control. As amended it applies to all crimes except murder and treason.

The Governor yesterday signed the executive mansion bill. The appropriation of \$35,000 is available soon as warrants are sold. The Governor, the State Auditor and the State Treasurer are constituted a commission for its erection. John Lynch and Mrs. Mary Jones were married Tuesday night at the bride's home on Westside. Both of the contracting parties are well and favorably known to the community which wish them all the happiness to be enjoyed in conjugal relation. The City Superintendent of Schools has consented to make "The Value of Total Abstinence to Life," the subject for consideration of higher grades, with a view of presenting that subject at the prize contest to be conducted by the W. C. T. U. Gov. Mead has granted a conditional pardon to H. W. Smith who was sentenced to a year's servitude for the crime of forgery, and is afflicted with consumption, on condition that he remain in the State and conduct himself as a good citizen. Messrs. Guilberson & Guilberson will next week move their fine stock of groceries into the west store room of the new Chambers building on fourth street, where they will have more room to display their goods and be nearer the business center. John G. Proctor, an architect of Tacoma, has been employed to draw plans and specifications for proposed improvements to the State-house and beautifying the grounds, under terms of the bill lately passed making an appropriation for that object. Representative William H. Weber of the 12th district, Walla Walla, was adjudged insane a few days ago, and taken home by a relative. It is hoped that a season of rest will restore him to his full mental powers, which does not seem to be seriously deranged. County Assessor Rowe has made the following appointment of deputies: Wm. A. Weller, Olympia; Geo. B. Aspinwall, Mud Bay; S. Y. Bennett, Puget City; J. A. Van Eaton, Grand Mound; George Sumption, Tenino; Walter Longmire, Yelm, and P. D. Moore office deputy. The County Institute—consisting of about an even hundred of "wielders of the rod," as they were called in times of yore—have been in session here this week, bent upon improving methods of teaching; a teachers' school, as it were, in which mutual improvement is the object. Edwin J. Brown, announced by "dodger" as a prominent lawyer of Seattle, will lecture in Rebeck's hall, this evening, at 8 o'clock, on "Socialism, Law and the Coming Revolution," which latter suggestion is indeed "the world's most important topic." Admission is free and everybody is enjoined to be present. Our old townsman, Mr. D. S. B. Henry, spent last Sunday in the city with his family on East Sixth street. He returned to the Gray's Harbor country Tuesday. He reported times to be very lively at Aberdeen, and that that section of country is sorely in need of better overland shipping facilities. The lumber trade by water is increasing rapidly. Mr. Chas. F. Frye of Centralia, and Miss Edith McIntyre of this city, were united in marriage at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. R. McIntyre, east of Westside, yesterday afternoon. Rev. C. B. Sealey, of Coupeville, performed the ceremony. The couple left for a short trip down the Sound, after which they will return to Centralia to live. George H. Funk and his sister, Mrs. A. S. Volland, have bought the northwest corner of Main and Fifth streets, of State Treasurer Mills, for the sum of \$10,000, who bought it less than three years ago for \$7,625. It has a frontage of fifty feet on Main street and 130 feet on Fifth. It has always enjoyed a good rental and after deducting taxes and repairs, it is easily understood that Mr. Mills' investment has netted him over ten per cent. per annum. Frank Tillotson, formerly of this city, died in Tacoma Sunday morning, from an operation for appendicitis. His age was 56 years, and he was clothed in the fat of a pig. Mr. Port Townsend Southern road as engineer, and had worked in the Northern Pacific shops near Tacoma for 26 years. He leaves a widow, two sons and a daughter. One of the sons, Oney, is on the transport Dix, which steamer is probably near Honolulu, on her return from Manila. The upper works of a new steamer for the Olympia-Shelton run will be built and the machinery placed in position here, after the hull, costing about \$6,000, has been constructed at Tacoma, by Crawford and Reed. It is said that the boat will be built somewhat after the lines of the Multnomah, which has been such a favorite with the traveling public, and will have a speed of from 15 to 17 miles per hour. It is estimated that the cost of the hull and equipments will amount to about \$25,000. The STANDARD acknowledges a pleasant call from Mrs. May De Suera, of Skagway (who many years ago was Miss May Prout and "learned her letters" in that print-shop). She was, some time ago, the successful conductor of a daily newspaper in those northern regions, equipped with a "Merg" and fast presses. The lady is unfortunately the victim of paralysis, the whole right side of her body being without volition. She was on her way to visit a daughter in Portland, who is soon to be married. Mrs. George W. Mills died at Tumwater, Sunday, after a prolonged illness. About three weeks ago she suffered a stroke of paralysis, which prostrated her. The funeral was held Tuesday afternoon in the M. E. Church of the Falls suburb. Mrs. Mills was born in Goncondo, Ill., August 11, 1835, and married in 1853. She came west soon afterwards and the family settled in this county, at South Union, where they resided until a short time ago when they moved to Tumwater. She leaves, besides her husband, seven children, who are Mrs. Oscar Sayle of Seattle, James M. Mills and John Mills of Tumwater, Mrs. James M. Huntington of The Dalles, Oreg., Mrs. LeRoy Myers of Little Rock, and George G. Mills and Jesse T. Mills of Olympia. Steve Judson, the Democratic war-horse of Pierce county, came up Tuesday, to look over the Legislative Assembly and see how they differed from the old-time law-makers of Terolous and better provided for them in "the old barn on the hill," and there are more new if not better-looking ones, but he does not think that they do better work or enjoy themselves more in consciousness of well-performed tasks than the law-makers of yore. Steve was introduced to the Senate as "the man who had been a member of more sessions of the Territorial and State Legislatures of Washington than any other person living." That is probably true, as well as the fact that a clear-headed legislator or more better parliamentarian never graced its membership, nor one having a better voice for presiding officer or member.

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