

**PERSONAL.**

Mrs. Edsen of Tacoma for the past week has been the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Washington.

Mr. Manuel Moore, the well-known Franklin miner, spent a few days in the city this week and was under dental care while here.

Rev. and Mrs. S. S. Freeman, pastor of the Fourteenth Avenue A. M. E. church, are attending the annual conference of their church at Spokane this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Merguson mourn the loss of their five months' old baby girl. After a brief illness of a few days it died last Saturday and was buried Monday.

Mrs. A. W. Ball of Denver, Colo., daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Reams, who for the past six months have been residents of this city, spent the past week visiting with her parents, returning home last Thursday morning. Mrs. Ball enjoys the distinction of being the first lady of her color to hold a political job in Colorado. She is at present employed in the office of the county clerk in Denver and has been for a number of years.

Mr. and Mrs. George H. Grose entertained last Wednesday evening in honor of Mrs. A. W. Ball of Denver, who has been visiting in the city for the past week. The Grose home was handsomely decorated with floral designs and the host and hostess simply outdone themselves in the entertainment of their guests. Fruit punch, ices and other pleasant delicacies of the season were charmingly served. Those present were Mrs. A. W. Ball (Denver), Mr. and Mrs. Reams, Mr. and Mrs. John Robinson, Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Tutt, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Washington, Mrs. Edsen (Tacoma), Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Hawkins, Mr. and Mrs. Frank N. Harris, Mr. and Mrs. John T. Gayton, Miss Cora Oliver, Miss Carrie Dixon, Mr. Robert Dixon and Mr. and Mrs. H. R. Cayton.

**ROSLYN NOTES.**

The children's picnic was highly enjoyed by all present.

Mr. Lewis Pinkerton has moved into his new home, and is much pleased with it.

Presiding Elder Bailey spent a few days in the city last week looking after his church work.

Among those who attended the Ellensburg carnival were W. T. Le Grand, Mr. Harper and Mr. Reynolds.

Bud Hopkins, Park Chavers and Martin went to Franklin a few days ago to play ball with the local team there.

Mr. Bouyer, the well-known Everett hair goods man, was in the city this week looking after his many customers.

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Miss Myrtle Warmick has returned to Seattle after a pleasant stay in our city visiting with old friends, and was much pleased with her stay.

Mr. Sandy Cafney has returned from North Carolina, whither he went to visit with old friends, and announces that the West suits him mighty well.

Mrs. Alice Breckenridge, formerly of this city but now of Spokane, has been visiting with her aunt, Mrs. Cora Teel, for the past week. She still has a good word for Roslyn.

Ed Sherman of Tacoma was doing business in our town the 15th inst. He was representing a mining company at Tacoma. Mr. Sherman is well known among the colored miners of this section and has many friends.

**GOES TO HONOLULU.**

Mr. James P. Ball, Sr., left last Wednesday for Honolulu, where he will join his son and family, who left for that place last winter, and who are now reported as doing exceedingly well. Though in his seventy-seventh year, yet Mr. Ball is still ambitious and full of life and vim, and goes to the islands at the solicitation of his son to set up a number of Masonic lodges among the natives. Mr. Ball was the pioneer Negro photographer of this country, having started in business in Cincinnati in the "forties." He is perhaps one of the best informed men in this country at present, having taken an active part in the anti-slavery movement, and was thereby thrown in contact with all of the anti-slave agitators. He crossed the Atlantic ocean three times in the interest of the cause and was widely known in England as well as in America at the time. He expects to return to the states within the next five or six months to complete some lodge business which he already has under headway.

Quite a number of the Franklin and Newcastle miners took in the circus this week, owing to the fact that the mines were shut down at that opportune time.

Congressman Humphrey and party, consisting of Brother O. D. Humphrey, State Senator Harper, Robert Ball and R. L. Fox, returned from a brief business and pleasure trip to Alaska on Wednesday.

State Senator A. J. Splawn, president of the State Fair association, has been in this city for several days in the interest of the coming state fair at Yakima in September. He is very enthusiastic about it and predicts a successful exhibition, the leading feature of which this year will be cattle.

Conditions around headquarters of the Seattle Electric company employees' union have been feverish during the week. There was grave danger for a time that another strike would be ordered, but at the last moment Mr. Furth consented, after being importuned by the mayor and some members of the council, to submit the differences to arbitration, which will be done as soon as Mr. Furth returns from a ten days' trip to Yellowstone Park.

But a few years ago and a colored man as steward of a hotel or club in this city was out of the question, but things gradually change, and now there are four colored stewards in the city—John T. Gayton of the Rainier club, James S. Murray of the Jewish club, Pete A. DeBoe of the Firloche club and Mr. Reams of the Golf club, all of whom are doing well and are generally liked by their employers.

Next Monday morning the carnival, by the Woodmen of the World, will be opened at what is now known as the carnival grounds, Third avenue and Union street. It is only two weeks since the labor carnival came to a close, but that was so successful that the W. O. W., which by the way is one of the very best fraternal insurance societies in existence, concluded to continue or hold another. Preparations are about completed and the indications are for a profitable and pleasant two weeks' amusement. The American people have to be amused and entertained, and with money in plenty and good weather the highest dreams of the originators of the carnival, which is Camp No. 1 of this city, are likely to be realized. Outside of the vast number who will attend for the purely amusement feature, there are doubtless many who will drop a ten cent piece and a section of time for the encouragement and good of the order.

The fire last Wednesday night which destroyed Mullen & Co's livery barn, burning five horses to death, was a most sickening sight to the hundreds who saw the animals burned to death.

The circus took not less than \$40,000 out of the city, yet business houses have been complaining of dull times. Just why the citizens will give up their good money to such fakes and scoundrels is the perplexing question.

Editor John H. Ryan, of the Tacoma Forum, was doing business in the city this week. The Forum, though in its infancy, is making a nice showing and bids fair to be quite a success. It, however, seems married to Tacoma and Tacoma, you know, is a dead one.

Dr. J. J. Smith, state senator from the thirtieth senatorial district, spent last Thursday in the city. Though camping in the jungles, the foo choo of the circus caliope brought him around to take in the show. "Something should be done by the business men of Seattle to get a closer business relation with Seattle, for an example, one can get to Tacoma from Enumclaw and get back home the same day, and yet spend five hours in Tacoma, while the same trip to Seattle only allows the passenger two hours in Seattle. The proposed electric line to Enumclaw would remedy the evil.

Chief Sullivan, if given an opportunity, will clean out the thieves and thugs in this city. For months, however, he has been handicapped by having to contend with enemies from within as well as from without. That is to say some of the men he sent out to head off the thieves seem to have sent the thieves word which way they were coming, and for them to go another way. A little cleaning up among

deceptive subordinates on the part of the chief might go a long ways toward stopping thieving and thugery in Seattle.

Any man or woman who wilfully steals the affection of another man's wife or woman's husband is deserving of death, and such should be expected by the guilty wretch. Whether Mrs. Laura Graham, who was killed by Mrs. Sara A. Allen in this city one day this week, was guilty of estranging Mrs. Allen's husband from her, as charges Mrs. Allen, is not known, but if guilty she could not have expected any other fate.

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