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To Our Friends, Patrons and All

We extend our heartfelt wishes for a happy and prosperous New Year. We thank you for the generous business extended us. The closing year has been the biggest year, by far, in our history.

The coming year will find us trying harder than ever to give you bigger values, larger assortments, and better service. We want you to be satisfied with anything and everything you buy, and we stand ready always to refund money or exchange goods, if you are not satisfied.

Our constant aim is to more thoroly satisfy our increasing trade. You can always rely on our advertisements, and depend on the quality of our goods, no matter how low the price.

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TOUCHING TALE OF DESERTION

Wenatchee Woman Abandoned by Her Husband Dies in Seattle Hospital

A story of the desertion at Wenatchee of a woman with a three-year-old child, and her death in a Seattle hospital after giving birth to another, is told in a Seattle paper of Saturday last. The day following the death of the mother the little three-year-old girl was burned to death in the fire which destroyed the Washington Children's Home, near Seattle, on Saturday, Dec. 28th.

The following is the story of this unusual sad affair:

Deserted by her husband, abandoned by her father, and forgotten by all her natural protectors, Mrs. Hazel Lee of Wenatchee died at the Wayside Emergency hospital three days after her arrival, Dec. 19, and a few hours after she had given to the world a little girl babe. When she died, Miss Catherine Major, superintendent of the hospital, wired Mrs. Lee's father, Dan Watson, at Conconully, informing him of her death and that he was the grandfather of another child. But she received the brief reply, "Bury her there," and no offer of assistance either for the three-year-old child or the newly born babe was made.

"It is the saddest and most heart-rending case that I have ever come in contact with," said Miss Major. "Just three days before the poor woman died she came to the hospital. Her strength was nearly gone, but she managed to tell us that she was penniless and abandoned. She brought with her a sweet-faced child called Hazel, and seemed to be afraid that she would be taken from her. Her love for the infant was touching. I managed to get from her the information that her father lived in Conconully, and immediately communicated with him, but he absolutely refused to help her in any way. I thought, however, when she died he would show some feeling, but death never changed him and he has taken no notice of the children. As for the husband, I have no means of finding out where he is, but I think a man who would abandon a woman at the time when his affection and support are most needed should be severely punished."

The two little ones, Hazel and Wenatchee, are in the care of the Washington Children's Home Society. Superintendent L. J. Covington today said that he would apply for a warrant for the arrest of Lee, charging him with abandonment of his children. This, under the law, is a felony punishable with a penitentiary sentence.

In the fire which occurred in the Washington Children's Home, at Mortimer, near Seattle, at an early hour on Saturday morning, little Hazel Lee was one of the two children burned to death. Death mercifully removed the mother, and thus spared her the anguish of this last stroke of the hand of fate for the Lee family.

TOWN COUNCIL MEETS

Routine Business Transacted and a Number of Bills Allowed

The council met in adjourned session, Thursday night, Dec. 26.

The paying of the usual monthly bills was the first matter of importance to come up, and the following were allowed:

- D. H. Mayor, \$20.70.
- Moore Co., \$16.05.
- Leavenworth Mercantile Co., \$15.95.
- Wm. Harris, \$75.
- Debord & Abbott, \$22.60.
- J. G. Debord, inspector of elections, \$3.
- J. R. Persinger, election clerk, \$3.
- J. D. Wheeler, election judge, \$3.
- Thos. Burke, election judge, \$3.
- Bert Coble, election clerk, \$3.
- J. G. Debord, \$1.
- Guy Hamilton, \$35.90.
- Pioneer Bindery & Printing Co., \$4.20.
- Star Livery Barn, \$3.
- Tum. Light & Water Co., \$10.50.
- Total allowance of \$219.90.

Ordinance No. 38 coming up on the second reading, action was postponed. Ordinance No. 40, relating to the storing and use of explosives, was read a second time and passed.

Messrs. Edwards and Woldenberg were appointed a committee to interview President Davis of the light and water company, in regard to the lighting bill and the cost of printing the ordinance granting the franchise for the Wenatchee Valley & Northern Railway Company.

Council adjourned to meet again Jan. 2.

Congregational Church.

Services will be held next Sunday as usual. Sunday school at 10 o'clock a. m.; sermon at 11; young people's meeting at 6:30, followed by sermon at 7:30. All welcome.

Many thanks to all for contributions and patronage of the New Year's dinner served in the church parlor. The sum realized was upwards of \$50.

There is a report among the railroad men that J. E. Hood, formerly division superintendent of the Spokane division, is now holding down a job on the Portland & Seattle road.

PESHASTIN NEWS

"Merry Christmas" and "happy New Year" are once more sayings of the past, and 1907 is no more. Have you resolved to make more of the coming year than you did of the past one?

E. L. Meeker lost a horse last Saturday. The animal suddenly dropped dead in the harness without any apparent cause.

On the Thursday following Christmas, Messrs. A. Walters, J. J. Griffith, Johnnie Griffith, S. P. Beecher, Chas. Miller, E. L. Nichols, Bert Clark, L. P. Hylton, Mr. Sweely and Mr. Burdick joined forces and cut wood for the Widow Love. On the completion of the day's work they finished up the remains of a Christmas dinner by the camp-fire. Such neighborly acts show the right spirit. May the good work continue.

Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Otis and son, R. Otis, Mrs. Evanson, Chas. and Anna Harvey, G. B. Kinney, E. L. Nichols and Mr. Olden were visitors to Wenatchee during the holidays.

Chas. and Darwin Harvey spent the holidays with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. K. Harvey. Darwin returned to his work in Oregon, last Saturday, and Charles will return to his college work at Pullman the coming Saturday.

Mrs. J. H. Allen is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Gallaher, on the Sound.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Stage have returned from Mt. Vernon, Wash., where they visited Mr. Stage's parents.

Quite a crowd of young folks gathered at the home of Chas. Stage on New Year's eve, and enjoyed an evening of games and dancing. At a late hour a nice lunch was served, which was greatly appreciated.

Peshastin is certainly devoting lots of time to fighting the cold, if one may judge by the ricks of wood piled up here.

Have you taken that sleigh ride yet? If not, why not?

Christmas at Peshastin.—The people of Peshastin gathered at Dist. No. 34 schoolhouse on Christmas day, and enjoyed a Christmas dinner which would be hard to surpass anywhere. There were nearly one hundred persons present, and the ladies are to be congratulated on their success in preparing the many dainty edibles that filled the three large tables. In addition to the large number present from Peshastin and vicinity were Mr. H. H. Meeker and the Misses Pratt, from Leavenworth. Everyone present enjoyed the sumptuous feast, and was

glad of the opportunity to meet and greet friends and neighbors at the same time. The ladies of the district, as assisted by Mrs. H. H. Meeker and Mr. Nichols, remained at the schoolhouse in the afternoon, to decorate the tree for the evening. The schoolhouse had been previously decorated by the teacher and pupils, and this, with the beautiful tree and its rich crop of presents, presented an attractive appearance.

The program rendered in the evening was exceedingly good, and the teachers and pupils deserve much credit for their untiring efforts to make the event a success. At the end of the program Santa made his appearance and distributed a large number of presents and a nice treat of candy, nuts and oranges. Everyone returned home feeling that the day had been well spent, and looking forward to more such events.

REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS

As Furnished for the Week Ending Dec. 28 by the Chelan County Abstract Company

- C H Chapman to F C Nielsen, lot 9, b 51, replat First add to Wen, \$550.
- F C Nielsen to Julia A Bullock, lot 9, b 51, replat First add to Wen, \$500.
- G C Wolcott to H A P Glover, 1/2 interest s 1/2 nw 1/4, lots 3 and 4, sec. 1, t 21, r 20, \$1.
- Cary B Fly to J McFarland, part s 1/2 sw 1/4, sec 4, t 23, r 19, \$875.
- J A Shotwell to C F Keiser, part e 1/2 sw 1/4, e 1/2 w 1/2 sw 1/4, sec 13, t 23, r 19, \$18,500.
- School Dist 49 to L-D Lbr Co, part sw 1/4 se 1/4, sec 1, t 24, r 17, \$3500.
- J C Lilly to Wm E Hinman, se 1/4 ne 1/4, sec 7, t 23, r 19, \$200.
- Wen Dev Co to Wm B Smith, lots 31 and 32, b 39, G N plat Wen, \$150.
- C H Wildberger to Nell M Wildberger, lot 2, b 2, Fairview add Wen, \$1.
- U S to Wm Buzzard, e 1/2 nw 1/4, n 1/2 ne 1/4, sec 26, t 83, r 17.
- Wen Dev Co to M K Wilkinson, lots 12 and 13, b 37, G N plat Wen, \$200.
- Carrie B Turner to J M Raasch, lot 23, b 5, Merriams add to Leavenworth, \$100.
- L H Breese to Helen D Trimble, e 1/2 ne 1/4, se 1/4 sw 1/4, sec 4, t 22, r 20, \$9000.
- A J Hamilton to J J Burner, lots 10 and 11, s 1/2 lot 9, b 17, G N plat Wen, \$530.
- H F Hubbard to J J Burner, lots 10 and 11, s 1/2 lot 9, b 17, G N plat of Wen, \$1.
- M F Peake to A A Gutherless, part lot 4, sec 6, t 24, r 18, \$2400.
- L S Phillippi to A B Phillippi, s 206 ft of n 1/2 sw 1/4 sw 1/4, s 22, t 23, r 20, \$750.
- Helen D Trimble to L H Breese, lot 6, b 2, Fairview add to Wen, \$3000.
- Wen Dev Co to Blanche Leedy, lot 9, b 37, G N plat of Wen, \$100.

FIR TWIGS

By Lue F. Vernon

A woman in Tacoma, who advertised for "a girl to do light house work" received a letter from an applicant, who said her health needed sea air, and asked if the woman would kindly inform her where the "lighthouse" was situated.

A scientific journal says that a load of coal "left outdoors for a month loses one-third of its heating power." It loses all of it here in Leavenworth, so far as the owner of the coal is concerned.

In territorial days they used to string a man up for stealing a horse. Nowadays a man who steals an automobile is given a purse for ridding the country of a nuisance.

If the Sunday newspapers continue to enlarge in the future as in the past, a special building will have to be erected, by co-operation of publishers, in each town, to store them in.

Now the holiday papers come. The mistress, how happy she looks. For she knows the cook can now make a fire. Without tearing the large cook books."

A Leavenworth man was waiting for his wife to get ready to go to a show called, "Are You Crazy?" recently, and impatiently called: "For goodness sake, Emma, why do you have six buttons on your gloves? It takes you a day to get ready. Wouldn't two buttons do just as well?" "No, dear," replied his better half; "if there were only two buttons there would be four vacant button holes. Now, just help me on with my cloak, that's a dear man."

A Seattle minister ordered quail in the Rathskeller cafe in that city. The game warden happened along and after the divine had finished his repast, gathered in the bones as evidence. Quail is out of season, you know. The waiter who served the minister was arrested and fined one hundred dollars. It's my opinion that the waiter does not think the minister "a bird."

It's strange and peculiar, but a hard-boiled fact, so to speak, just the same, that wages of laborers in Seattle are being reduced, while room rent and foodstuff is advancing in cost, and if a man takes time to study economic matters, he is just losing that amount of time he should seize and grasp in hustling enough coin of the realm to pay his laundry bill and for his bowl of noodles. Hey?

Owing to increased cost of white paper, the P.-I. and Times, of Seattle, have advanced the price of subscription,

to take effect Jan. 1, 1908. The New York Herald, and Times, are considering the same thing. Next thing we know, pencils and paste will be advanced in price, and as for shears, well, country editors will have to borrow a pocket knife from some subscriber, that's all.

Two witnesses were in the justice court, the other day, in a case which concerned long-continued poultry-stealing. As usual, nothing could be got from them in the way of evidence, until the nearly-baffled prosecuting attorney asked in a tragic tone: "Will you swear, Mike Brady, that Jerry Malone has never, to your knowledge, stolen chickens?" The responsibility of this last lie was too much for the witness. "Shure, I don't know about that same," said Mike; "but I do know," he added, straightening himself, "that if I was a chicken, and Malone was about, I'd roost high."

New Canning Factory

"Did ye hear about the new canning factory we're going to have in Leavenworth?" said one citizen to another, yesterday, in the Leavenworth Merc. Co.'s store; "they're going to begin work on it next week."

"Ah, g'wan," said citizen No. 2; "they can't build this kinda weather. What kinda factory? What they going to can?"

"Going to can snow to ship to Alaska," said No. 1, as he dug a snowball out of his ear, where a kid outside had more or less carefully deposited it."

Advertised Letters

Remaining in postoffice, uncalled for Dec. 30, 1907:

Anderson, Chas	Bennett, J S
Boyle, B M	Baillon, W
Bundy, R W	Clark, Cahem
Dalton, Walter	Donohue, Jas L
Dustaugh, Dr B T	Grune, Pauline
Hammer, S A	Hill, Geo C
Kom, Harold	Martin, Mrs E
McCarty, Richard	Pembleton, Mr
Polich, Steve	Parmeter, J R
Pinnann, Fred	Searle, E
Schmoker, Oran	Tyar, F A
Wren, Lyle	Ward, Edward
Wail, Carl	Williamson, Olaf

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