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**BRIEF MENTION.**

Bring your job printing to the HERALD  
Geo. N. Scammon was up from Westport Monday.  
Most durable shoes at low prices at W. D. Sheldon's.  
S. W. Haptonstal came up from Westport last evening.  
Miss Nellie Giles is recovering from a severe attack of the grip.

Messrs. Alexander Young and George Nye are still confined to their homes.

Don't miss it: The great sawmill scene in "Uncle Josh Spruceby." Don't miss it.  
Firemen's sixth annual ball tomorrow night, FRIDAY, February 21, at Kosler's hall.

WANTED at the Pacific Hotel, a few more monthly boarders, with or without room. See Bob.

Richard T. Dabney has been confined to his room a few days the past week, on account of illness.

Simon Antilla caught a 400-pound sturgeon yesterday in a gill net, that weighed 274 pounds dressed.

Rev. Dr. Lacey returned last week from Whatcom, where he had been conducting successful revival services.

C. J. Coghlin, who published the Pioneer at Ocoosa, has been appointed a justice of the peace for that precinct.

Thomas Maloney, secretary of the Democratic state central committee, passed through town last evening on his way to Hoquiam.

Dr. Vesper came down from Seattle Friday on matters of business, returning Monday. He reports improving times in the Queen City.

Wm. Miner has done his part toward beautifying the town by setting out some trees around the foundry—the place where Miner's celebrated steam skidders are made.

Commissioner Sutton is in receipt of a letter from the land department to Senator Wilson which indicates that townships 15 and 16, range 9, will soon be thrown open to settlement.

In the Levi Dobbins perjury case the federal grand jury at Tacoma last week returned a true bill, and Dobbins was accordingly held for trial before the federal court.

St. Joseph's hospital, of this city, has been awarded the contract, by the county commissioners, for keeping the county poor the coming year at the rate of ninety cents each per day.

To meet the demand of increasing business the West-Slade Mill Company are extending their wharf well up to the Heron street bridge, thus providing berths for several more schooners.

The Ocoosa flouring mill was sold at sheriff's sale last Saturday for \$3,893.30 to satisfy a judgment in favor of Edmund Croft. The property was bid in by Mr. Croft, and is estimated to be worth about \$12,000.

Fred. Ballew is having a trial at Montesano for assaulting Percy McKinlay, on Saturday evening. Ballew had taken offense at young McKinlay, and in company with John Ingram laid in wait for his victim, cutting a deep gash under the eye with a weapon of some kind.

A pleasant surprise party was given Miss Dacie Hovies by about twenty of her young friends, at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Rowland, Saturday evening. An enjoyable evening was spent, the party breaking up just as the midnight hour warned the approach of the Sabbath.

Captains Hughes and Reed, who were arrested last May by Deputy Collector Autzen for smuggling cigars, went to Tacoma last week and plead guilty before the federal court and paid fines of \$50 each. This was the first arrest ever made on the harbor for smuggling, and shows that Deputy Autzen understands his business.

There was a novel strike inaugurated in town Saturday that was as short-lived as it was novel. The Fishermen's Union raised the price of fish to four cents per pound, the lenth season always bringing increased demand. The buyers struck, but as the union also engages in shipping fish, and had a market for the supply, the buyers were forced to yield. The union itself pays out about \$500 a week to its members for fish.

Kittie Stapleton, a fifteen-year-old Hoquiam girl, ran away from home Monday, and came up to this city. Her mother followed and had her taken before Judge Andrews who ordered her before Judge Irwin for hearing, the mother desiring her sent to the reform school. She was placed in charge of Constable Pearson, but she gave him the slip at the Aberdeen hotel, and started for home. He followed on a bicycle and waited for her at the ferry, she having left the plank road to escape him. He took her home, and the mother having relented somewhat, asked that she be left there a few days.

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The date for the Aberdeen fire department's sixth annual ball has been changed from Saturday night, February 22, to Friday night, February 21—Don't forget it.

Mr. Julius Merzbach arrived Tuesday for a short visit with his daughter, Mrs. George Fisher. He is accompanied by his son Gus and daughter Miss Lottie, the latter of whom will remain for some time.

The Neuskah river correspondent of the Vidette says the burned and contents of W. H. Houser turned the Saturday previous. This is the second time in four months, and is a severe loss to an industrious rancher.

The ladies of the Relief Corps of this city will give an ice cream social on Friday evening, February 28, in the room under the G. A. R. hall on H street. Everybody invited. Prices, two dishes of ice cream, with coffee and cake, 25c.

Chas. E. Arnold has just added to his blacksmith shop a new Barnes foot lathe, costing \$100. The machine is as perfect and complete as the large power lathe, and will do just as good work, up to its capacity. It is 34 inches between centers.

DIED.—Monday, February 17, Harold Russell, infant child of Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Tanner, of pneumonia, aged 1 year, 1 month and 15 days, the funeral being held yesterday. Their many friends unite in sympathy in their bereavement.

Capt. Genereaux, of schooner Marica, came in over the bar at low tide the past week, and at no place did the soundings indicate less than 22 feet of water, and in places as much as 26 feet, and this, too, at a time when the tides are at the extreme.

A number of the friends of Capt. and Mrs. S. C. Mitchell responded to their invitation for Tuesday evening, and had an enjoyable time. Mr. and Mrs. Mitchell always entertain their guests well, and all those who were unable to attend missed a pleasant occasion.

The Degree of Honor last Friday evening took advantage of it being leap year Valentine's day, and surprised the A. O. U. W. lodge by invading the session in a body and presenting each member present with a valentine. The occasion was one of more than ordinary enjoyment, and added another link in the chain of good fellowship existing between the A. O. U. W. and its associate order the Degree of Honor.

The reported boycott by the loggers of one of the Aberdeen mills on account of unfairness in scaling proves to be untrue. There is some complaint, however, as to all of the mills on the harbor, and there is to be a meeting of the loggers in this city tomorrow to consider the proposition of asking for a government scaler for the harbor. As one of them expressed it, he would rather feel that he was getting pay for every foot of his logs, even if he had to sell at a lower rate.

The bright sunshine of the week has brought out in all their hideousness the large number of buildings in town which are a constant eyesore by reason of lack of paint. They are a disgrace to the town, and belie all our boasts of an enterprising town. Aberdeen has been fairly prosperous during the past year, and there is no sense in longer delaying this much needed work. The buildings need it for their own protection as well as for the town. Many of them have never been painted, and many more only primed, and that some years ago. If Aberdeen expects to attract immigration her people must show a little more pride in this direction.

During the past week Prof. Bryan has sent out a circular to the patrons of the public schools stating that if sufficient money is subscribed to continue another month all of the grades will be ready for promotion. He intends to continue the 10th and 11th grades anyway. The amount required is \$335, of which \$150 had been subscribed by the patrons up to Tuesday evening. The matter was taken up by the business men's association and a committee appointed consisting of J. A. Hood and John Evans to act in conjunction with Prof. Bryan. We hope those who have no children in the schools will realize the importance of the matter and give the committee their assistance.

Information wanted.  
DULUTH, Minn., Feb. 4, 1896.  
Postmaster, Aberdeen, Wash.

Dear Sir—Kindly inform me if one Wm. Stretch does now or has in the past received mail at your office. Mr. Stretch is an uncle of mine and am trying to trace him up and have him protect some property interests here requiring his immediate attention. Thanking you in advance for your trouble, I am,  
Yours very truly,  
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**County Immigration Convention.**

By reason of insufficient notice of the meeting at Montesano yesterday for the purpose of organizing a county immigration society, there were but few delegates present, in fact, those from the Business Men's Association of this city were the only ones outside of Montesano present. This delegation consisted of E. L. Kosler, E. C. Finch, Max Sanford and James F. Gorton. A number of the leading citizens of Montesano met with them and a temporary organization effected. James F. Gorton was made temporary chairman and J. W. Divilbiss, secretary.

As Mr. Byles, Chehalis county's member of the state association, could not be present, much to his regret, and explain the plan of the state association, the delegates present were without a basis from which to act. It was therefore resolved to issue a call for a meeting to be held later for the purpose of effecting a permanent organization, and a committee was appointed, consisting of E. C. Finch, D. W. Fleet and E. H. Mullen, to act with the temporary officers for the purpose of apportioning the number of delegates in the call among the precincts of the county, and to fix a time and place of meeting.

That committee met upon adjournment of the convention and apportioned from three to fifteen delegates for the various towns and precincts, making a total of about 125 all told. A notice from the secretary will be sent to some one in each precinct, urging that he call a precinct meeting for Saturday, February 29, for the purpose of electing delegates to the convention which will be held one week from next Tuesday, March 3, at 11 o'clock a. m., at Montesano, when the permanent organization will be completed.

Mr. Thomas Maloney, of Port Angeles, was present and kindly gave an outline of the work in Clallam county. There the organization consists of a central association with the usual officers and a vice president from every precinct. In every precinct is a local organization which selects the county vice president for that precinct. Monthly meetings of the county organization are held, and quarterly a public meeting to which everybody is invited. Papers on various topics are read and discussed, printed in the local newspapers, and in pamphlet form. Much interest has been aroused and rivalry excited among the precinct organization to see which could secure the largest and best one. This plan had been in effect some time before the state organization, a salaried representative having been kept in St. Paul for three months, with the result that in January parties from that place came out and bought \$25,000 worth of property.

**To Manufacture Door Knobs.**

At the meeting of the Business Men's Association Tuesday evening Mr. Jacob Weatherwax exhibited a model of his patent door knob, and also that of a little machine to manufacture with. He explained its construction and gave some figures regarding the cost of manufacture. The device consists of an improved method of attaching the knob to the rod that passes through the door, which is done with a spring instead of a screw, as in the one in common use. The knob on the outside is fastened permanently, the spring being on the inside end only, thus making it impossible to remove it from the outside.

The figures given of the cost of material entering into the construction, the estimate for manufacturing and the prices which can be obtained, showed a handsome margin. The annual consumption for the Pacific coast is one and one-half million. One large dealer in San Francisco offers to take a quarter of a million, and one in Chicago will take a full million. This lock when once on the market is bound to supersede all others.

The association were strongly in favor of the organization of a stock company to manufacture them here, and a committee was appointed, consisting of J. S. Gunn, Max Sanford and L. W. Herrick, to thoroughly investigate and estimate as to the cost of production and to then proceed to solicit subscriptions for a stock company. Mr. Weatherwax has an opportunity to go to Spokane in the spring and organize a company there with a capital stock of \$25,000 or more, but prefers to remain here, where his other interests are, if possible. He thinks that the above capitalization, with 20 or 30 per cent. paid in, would be sufficient. We hope everyone will do what he can toward the establishment of this industry in Aberdeen.

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Notice is hereby given that the plat of Township No. 15 north, Range 8 west, has been received at this office, and the same will be placed on file Wednesday, March 25, 1896, at 9 o'clock a. m., at which time applications for land there-in will be received.

JESSE F. MURPHY, Register.

IN THE UNITED STATES LAND OFFICE,  
OLYMPIA, WASH., Jan. 22, 1896.  
Notice is hereby given that the fractional plat of Township No. 16 North, Range 10 west W. M., has been received at this office, and the same will be placed on file Thursday, February 27, 1896, at 9 o'clock a. m., at which time applications for land therein will be received.

JESSE F. MURPHY, Register.

THE STATE OF WASHINGTON, ss,  
COUNTY OF CHEHALIS,  
In the Justice's Court of Aberdeen Precinct, Chehalis County, Washington. Before N. S. Arnold, Justice of the Peace.  
J. C. Cross, Plaintiff, vs. DORA DREYER, Defendant. Summons by Publication.  
To DORA DREYER, DEFENDANT:  
In the name of the state of Washington, you are hereby notified that J. C. Cross has filed a complaint against you in said court, which will come on to be heard at any office in the city of Aberdeen, Chehalis county, Washington, on the sixth day of March, 1896, at the hour of ten o'clock in the forenoon of that day, and unless you be and appear, and defend therein, the same will be taken as confessed, and the demand of the plaintiff granted. The object and demand of the said complaint is to obtain a judgment against you on account of an account stated for the sum of Thirty-nine and 65-100 Dollars and cost of suit. And you are further notified, that in the said action H. E. Yaring has been summoned as garnishee of the said defendant. Complaint filed December 21st, 1895. Garnishee served December 21st, 1895.  
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