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Orcas Island and especially East Sound, has a wide reputation for its splendid fruit orchards and rich garden lands.

Two forty acre tracts in Sec. 33, Tp. 37, N. R. 2 west; \$650 buys one of them and \$880 the other.

40 acres, known as the Drinkwater place, offered very cheap; two or three acres cleared and set out in fruit trees; good house and fine spring of running water all the year round; plenty of excellent cedar timber, fine view.

One-half acre lot in village of East Sound, good dwelling house, two rooms hand finished and kitchen, woodshed, chicken house, good well of water, garden set out in bearing fruit trees, large patch of strawberries, blackberries, etc.

40 acres of rich alder lands, good cedar timber, 3 acres cleared and in garden, 2 1/2 miles from town; price \$20 per acre.

10 acres, fenced, eight cleared of all brush and logs, balanced slash; most excellent prime land; one-half mile from wharf and post-office.

LOCAL AND GENERAL.

Mr. Oakes, of Kanaka bay, lost a valuable mare last week.

Born-To Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Sutton during the past week a baby girl.

The road between Friday Harbor and Argyle is now open for travel.

Capt. Rollie Davis went to Seattle on the Lydia Thompson, last Thursday.

Mr. J. Doyle is improving very slowly, from his recent critical condition.

J. Binswanger received two tons of flour, for the Friday Harbor Store, last week.

Miss Clara Trage, of Salt Spring island, is visiting with Chas. McKay's family.

A. C. Kittles, sole owner of Jones island, was at the county seat the last of the week.

Wm. Bailey and Charley Thacker spent the latter part of the week in Whatcom.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Wright and family are visiting with the latter's parents in Clallam county.

Mr. R. A. Boggess returned to Seattle last week. We understand he will go east in the near future.

Mr. L. D. Hodge, of Saint Paul, accompanied by his wife and son is paying a visit to the islands.

The commissioners will receive bids for furnishing wood for the court house, at their meeting next Monday.

Quite a number of salmon are coming in, and now that the traps are ready the cannery will probably be kept busy.

T. L. Randall, of Seattle, general agent for the Singer Sewing Machine Co., spent some time in the county last week.

Frederic Jones and Geo. Fowler, of Shaw island, were among those who subscribed for the county paper the past week.

Harry Cribb returned to Astoria, Saturday. He superintended the construction of the salmon cannery at this place.

The ISLANDER was presented with a beautiful bouquet of everlasting flow—Oh! We forgot that we promised to say nothing about it.

Mr. F. C. Harper, of the Harper-White company, at East Sound, passed through the Harbor on his way home from Port Townsend, Friday.

E. P. Bailer shipped two bales of his last year's hop crop to Vancouver, B. C., last week and if the market suits he will ship the balance soon.

The Lydia Thompson is making good time on the Seattle run and is fast becoming a favorite with the traveling men who hail from the metropolis.

Don't forget the Social Dance at Union Grove Hall, next Friday Evening Aug. 31. Admission, including lunch at 12 o'clock, 75 cents per couple.

If you have a kick coming on your assessment for 1894, make it at the court house next Monday, Tuesday or Wednesday, or "Forever hold your peace."

Mrs. Olie Wold and daughter, Miss Valberg, who have been visiting with their folks in the Valley, expect to return to their home in Seattle Saturday.

Ephraim Langell, of East Sound was at the county seat the first of the week, looking after the sale of some of the property belonging to the Gilliland estate.

John A. Doyle purchased three and C. L. Carter one of the lots belonging to the Edwards estate. The sale was approved by the court commissioner Saturday.

The Kids expect to go to Anacortes, to play ball with the team at that place, on Sunday the 12th of Aug. They have chartered the Str. Edna and will take an excursion party from Friday Harbor.

Thos. McGeever finished working out his sentence yesterday and is again a free man. He worked faithfully and cleared up the lot on which the jail now stands, besides doing considerable road work.

Ayer's Ague Cure is the most popular antidote for malaria. All who are exposed to the dangers of miasmatic regions should try it. Always ready for use, and, it taken according to directions, warranted a sure cure for all malarial disorders.

Mr. C. E. Nordyke started for his home in the East, Thursday, after a three week's visit with his cousin E. C. Nordyke. He went away very much pleased with the islands and expects to return in the spring, when he will probably invest in San Juan dirt.

An Entertainment will be given at the church, in Friday Harbor, next Wednesday—Aug. the 8th by the Sunday school, to which everybody is invited. It is hoped that there will be a large attendance as it is given for a worthy cause. Admission for adults 15 cents, children 10 cents.

Prof. S. A. Jones, of Vashon college, was in town last week. He made arrangements by which Mrs. M. A. Woodruff will act as matron to the boys. The fall term will open Sept. 4th. For further information address, Mrs. M. A. Woodruff, Friday Harbor, Wash.

NOTICE—Having retired from the printing business I wish a settlement to date. All bills due for advertising and job printing must be settled during this month, either by cash or note. J. C. CLINTON.

As the contractors said as they painted the jail sky blue.

Half-blood Jersey Heifers for sale, also a good fresh milch cow for sale cheap enquire at this office.

Steamer "Utopia" is now making regular trips between Seattle and Bellingham bay, calling at island ports, she also goes to Vancouver B. C. every Friday. The boat has just been fitted up with thirteen fine state rooms and a nice cabin and her passenger accommodations are now second to none.

Farnsworth & Jones completed the jail building yesterday. It is a neat little structure 16x22, contains three cells 7x9 feet and a six foot hall, with a steel door. The walls of the jail are built of 2x4 scantlings, laid together flat-ways and nailed together with large spikes, and covered with rustic on the outside. A criminal would have a hard time getting out of this "Bird Cage."

Examinations of applicants for state certificates and life diplomas will be held at the following times and places: At Spokane, August 21 at Olympia, August 28; at Everett, during the session of the State Teachers' Association. The last examination will be held for the purpose of allowing applicants to complete the work begun at a previous examination within the year.

C. W. BEAN, Supt. Public Instruction.

Two Port Townsend girls became infatuated with the idea of having their pictures taken with their headsticking coquettishly through a torn newspaper, and visited the gallery for that purpose. However, when the pictures were finished, they were horrified to see what they had failed to notice. The newspaper they had stuck their heads through was a Seattle sheet, and just beneath their smiling faces was a big display advertisement of a clothing firm which announced: "Our pants are lined in the seat."—Ex.

Another of those quiet matrimonial events, for which this community is becoming noted, was the marriage of Mr. William Gallenger and Miss Anna Bartlett, of Lopez. The ceremony was performed by Judge Clinton at the residence of Sheriff and Mrs. Ashton W. Thomas in this city, July 27th, 1894.

Mr. Joseph Thornton and Miss Agnes Wilson assisted in the ceremony in the capacity of groomsmen and bridesmaid. May joy and prosperity be theirs for many years to come is the wish of the ISLANDER.

The Valley B. B. club went to West Sound, in accordance with previous arrangements, to play the championship game with the West Sounders, last Sunday, but the West Sound battery failed to show up and they could not play; and the Valley team then claimed the game by default.

The Anacortes team being present they played five innings, in which the score stood 6 to 11 in favor of Anacortes.

Henry Hannah defeated Willie LaPlant in a hundred yard foot race after the game was over.

Bert Tift left samples of timothy at this office which measures six feet and one inch in height, peppermint which measures five feet and three inches, gooseberries which measure two and three-quarter inches the small way and three inches in circumference the large way. The latter are called the Oregon Champion.

Does this not speak pretty well for fertility of Shaw Island? What do you think of that you poor "Simoon" cursed Kansas and Nebraska farmers?

OBITUARY MENTION. H. M. HINDS.

Mr. H. M. Hinds died at the home of his son-in-law J. M. Rose, on Shaw island on the morning of the 25th of July.

Deceased was born in Kentucky in 1814, and in 1860 moved to California, where he was engaged in merchandising and mining for nearly twenty-five years. He came to Port Townsend five years ago and for the past three years has lived on Shaw island. He was for forty years a member of the Methodist church, and until prevented by age, took an active part in church work.

Deceased was a highly respected resident of Shaw island and a number of his friends and neighbors paid their respects to the dead by following his remains to their last resting place in the Valley cemetery, on this island.

GEM OF THE GROUP. E. B. Fowler and wife paid a visit to West Sound Sunday.

The Shaw Island B. B. team went over to Lopez and defeated the "Lopez Kids" in a five inning ball game last Sunday. The score stood 15 to 35. Hurra! for Shaw Island.

A good shower was welcomed last week and did much good on the island.

Geo. Fowler is helping Grant Jones cut hay this week.

George Jones came home, from Edmonds, last week, for a week's visit. He came by the Str. Buckeye from Anacortes.

Grant Jones expects to work on the school house at Lopez next week.

Mr. L. Larsen, of West Sound was on the island visiting friends, Sunday.

The "Lopez Kids" and the "Shaw Island Scrubs" will play a game of ball for an \$18 purse next Sunday. The game will be played near the Griswold wharf. SCRATCHER.

COUNTY WARRANTS WANTED. The undersigned has been authorized to purchase County Warrants at current rates. J. C. CLINTON.

SCHOOL REPORT.

SCHOOL DIST. No. 12, San Juan Co., Wash., July 30th, 1894. EDITOR ISLANDER:—

The following is a correct report of the standing and scholarship of our school for the month ending Friday, July 27th, 1894.

GENERAL AVERAGE STANDING. Katie Beck.....89 R. E. Firth.....87 Anna V. Stannum.....81 Katie Boyce.....81 Ellen Beigun.....81 Katie Doherty.....81 Edw. Doherty.....79 Fannie Beigun.....78 Geo. Doherty.....78 Jennie Carr.....78 Mary Caines.....74 Frank Leen.....73 Jos. Flemming.....70 Wm. Doherty.....67 Kate Beigun.....61 Lucretia Kelly.....60 Jno. Doherty.....58 Nathan Boyce.....57 Jno. Kelley.....56 Roll of Honor: Raney Edwards, J. M. HATCHER, Teacher.

HORTICULTURAL MEETING.

All public spirited citizens are cordially invited to be present at the meeting of the San Juan Horticultural Society to-morrow (Friday) evening for the purpose of taking definite action to have San Juan county properly represented at the Inter State Fair to be held at Tacoma, commencing Aug. 15 and ending Oct. 30th. Parties having choice samples of grain, fruit, etc., will receive due credit for collecting the same. As the Inter-State Fair will have commissions with exhibits from this state, Oregon, Idaho, Montana, Wyoming, British Columbia and Alaska. A good exhibit from this county will do more to advertise its advantages than columns of "Write up" which is generally considered of a boom nature.

There is no question, but what, if interest is taken, San Juan county can get up a creditable exhibit, which will be the means of adding many new settlers to our population.

EAST SOUND NEWS ITEMS.

Campers are still with us, enjoying themselves, tho' the rain has driven some home.

A gay party of young folks went down to Olga, Friday evening and enjoyed a ball dance, reaching home the next morning about 8 o'clock.

By the way, East Sound can justly boast the largest number of pretty girls in the county. 'Tis a notable fact that our young people are more numerous than in most other places of equal population and they know how to enjoy life. What with boating, fishing, bathing, dances, climbing the mountain, literary meetings and church going, they put in the summer months for all there is in gay life. Their dress is fashionable, appearance neat and comfortable and the best of social feeling generally prevails. This is a paradise for the young and a sanitarium for the aged. Lots of ozone in the atmosphere.

Parties now daily climb the mountain, several riding to the top on horseback, by the new trail.

Berry picking still goes on, many of the campers engaged in picking on shares and putting up their winter supply.

Some of our more enterprising citizens, headed by Smith Stowers, will clear up the choicest sites for camping parties, build floors, over which tents can be set, erect seats, swings, etc., clean out springs and pipe running water into camp. Also erect a bath house near the beach and make such other improvements as may be found necessary to invite visitors during the next camping season. The number of respectable visitors this season has encouraged all our people to improve the natural facilities and make this the most popular summer resort on the Sound. But, be it understood we want no hoodlums, nor fellows with flasks in their pockets. Those coming here must behave themselves, otherwise they will meet a cold reception and the vicious promptly arrested and punished. Civil rights and property must be respected, good order and decent behavior maintained. All complying with these rules are welcome.

County Commissioner Nichols is erecting a new residence, and when completed will be one of the best on the island. Al Will is also putting up a fine residence in place of the old one burned down.

Mr. Templin, from Fairhaven, is temporarily residing on the Carrier place, a half interest in which he held from the original purchase, and, with a force of men, is making considerable improvement.

Capt. Gregg is making extensive improvements on the old Wright place.

"Bismark" Smith is having considerable slashing and other improvements done on his place.

A small drove of beef cattle were shipped to Fairhaven last week by John Kittles and Thos. Dixon.

Friend Tullock has set the political pot over the coals to warm and it has commenced to simmer a little.

The people of East Sound sympathize with their neighbors on Waldron island. They saw in the last ISLANDER that one fellow over there "had it bad." Waldron "Takes the cake."

Now that berry-picking is about over for a time, road working has commenced. Jas. B. Fry, supervisor, has planned to improve the streets and roads all the neighborhood will stand. It is hoped much labor and assistance will be volunteered.

MONEY TO LOAN. Private funds to loan in amounts to suit. No commission, no delay. Realty or chattels. Enquire of J. C. CLINTON, Friday Harbor.

ASSESSMENT FOR 1894.

The following is taken from the detail list of the 1894 assessment of San Juan county for 1894:

The average assessed value of horses is \$42.52; cattle, \$16.74; sheep, \$1.50; Hogs, \$3.59.

NO. ARTICLES. TOTAL VALUE. 629 Horses.....\$20589 977 Cattle.....16355 4824 Sheep.....7241 383 Hogs.....4377 251 Wagons and Carriages.....4935 250 Sewing Machines.....2566 426 Watches and Clocks.....2311 69 Pianos and Organs.....3500 Household Furniture.....14,415 Agricultural Implements.....9,010 Plated ware and Firearms.....1,235 Boats of all kinds.....5,205 Goods and Merchandise.....27,320 Manufactures tools and material.....14,705 Bank Stock.....9,060 Notes Acc'ts Warrants, etc.....67,959 Farm Products.....1,325 Stock and Hotel furniture.....1,550 Improvements on Gov. Land.....10,515 All other personal property.....250 Total value Personal Property.....227,414 including exemptions.....227,414 Net Taxable Personal Property.....\$117,759 Total value of Real Estate.....\$813,225 Total Assessed Valuation.....\$930,984

PORT STANLEY NEWS.

C. C. Dieffenbach is nicely located at East View Park.

Rev. Dr. Mallory is absent this week holding revival meetings in connection with Rev. Todd at Richardson.

George S. Bettes, of Seattle was visiting at the home of his wife's parents, Rev. and Mrs. Mallory, during the past week. He returned to Seattle Saturday.

Norman Todd returned to Friday Harbor, Saturday.

S. N. Gustin has been burning the slashing on Capt. Frank McDonnell's place, during the past week.

Fannie McDonnell, the little daughter of Capt. McDonnell fell into their well last Saturday. The well is nine feet deep and contains about two feet of water, but she was rescued without injury.

Why don't the Populist party organize a club at Port Stanley? L'ARGENT.

THE INTER-STATE FAIR.

TACOMA, WASH., July 29th:—

What with floods and strikes, cutting off communication with all parts of the country, the Inter-State Fair management has been having many difficulties to contend with of late but now these difficulties are past and the project is moving on better and with brighter hopes of success than ever before.

There are a host of new attractions that have been secured. Commissioner Siles in his selection of foreign exhibits has taken only the best. The Bohemian glass works, the Italian statuary, the East Indian exhibit with its countless carvings, rich tapestries and oddities of the Oriental climes are all coming.

There will be the scenic railway, which will go up hill and down dale, through the wild beauty of Ravine park, enter an artificial tunnel, emerge from it only to rush over another and similar course back to the place of beginning.

Then there is the battle of Gettysburg cyclorama; the Cairo Village, with its dancing girls, camels, donkeys and exhibit of Oriental goods.

The Raitaire illusion shows are on their way from San Francisco with twenty-three tons of freight and equipment.

Director general Ducey has secured from the agricultural department of the United States the costly exhibit of fruit models the department has gathered. These models include a perfect specimen of every variety of staple fruit. As an educator to horticulturists the exhibit will prove invaluable.

The last few days have been busy ones with the Fair management and they will grow busier from now on. There is much to be done but there are many hands to do it. Without a doubt all buildings will be up, even to the stand of the humblest concessioner, when with fitting ceremony the gates are opened August 15th.

NOTICE OF ADMINISTRATORS SALE

IN THE SUPERIOR COURT OF THE STATE of Washington, for San Juan County—Probate Department.

In the matter of the Estate of } No. 19 Whitmil P. Ray, deceased.

Notice is hereby given that in pursuance of an order issued by J. E. Tucker, Court Commissioner of San Juan County, Wash., made on the 28th day of July A. D., 1894, in the matter of the estate of Whitmil P. Ray, deceased, the undersigned, the Administrator of said estate, will sell at private sale, to the highest and best bidder one-half cash on confirmation of sale and balance in six months, subject however, to confirmation by said Court Commissioner. Subject also to the rights of the State of Washington said land being school land the following real estate to wit: the undivided half interest in the S. E. 1/4 of S. E. 1/4 and N. E. 1/4 of S. E. 1/4 and Lots 3 and 4 of Sec. 16, Tp. 36 N. R. 2 west, all in San Juan County, Washington. Bids to be made in writing, sealed and delivered to Geo. A. Ellsperman, Clerk of the Superior Court, at his office in Friday Harbor, on and after the 23d day of August A. D., 1894, and until the 1st day of September A. D., 1894, at one o'clock p. m., when the bids will be opened.

ROBERT K. McLACHLAN, Administrator of the estate of Whitmil P. Ray, deceased.

Nordyke & Hackett, Attorneys for Administrator. First publication Aug. 2d 1894.

IN NEW QUARTERS J. BINSWANGER PROPRIETOR OF THE The Friday Harbor Store Across the Street from Old Location.

Reduction In Prices For Cash Or its Equivalent!

I have concluded to make large reductions in prices on nearly every article in the store. On my Bargain Counter This week are Men's, Boys and Girls' Straw Hats from 5c upward A FINE LINE OF Ladies' Trimmed and Untrimmed Hats Just Received and Sold in Accordance with the Times.

NEW STORE JOSEPH SWEENEY The well known Merchant of days gone by, has just opened a large General Merchandise Store, in his old stand, at the foot of Spring street, and will be glad to welcome new as well as old Patrons. His goods are all new and are of the very best quality.

Full and Complete Stock of Dry Goods, Groceries Hardware Notions Which I will Sell at hard Time prices JOS. SWEENEY SPR. G STREET, FRIDAY HARBOR, WASH.

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