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Mr. S. M. Gordon, of Shaw island was in the city Tuesday.

Capt. H. H. Hudson, of Shaw island was in the Harbor on business, last Friday.

Mr. C. H. Stowers, of East Sound, was in town the first of the week attending court.

Mr. A. P. Vaughn, of West Sound, was in the county seat the first of the week on business.

Mr. F. W. Keen, of the Island Packing Company, is visiting up-Sound cities on business.

Messrs. Jos. Hilton, Nils Matson and Thos. Oleson, of Olga, were in the city Tuesday, on business.

Mr. M. R. Noftsger returned on the Thompson, Monday, from a few days business visit to Seattle.

Attorney Thomas G. Newman and wife, of Fairhaven, were visitors in the city the first of the week.

Mr. John C. Clinton of this place is at Rossland, B. C., looking over the future business prospects for that section.

Mr. Grant Jones, of East Sound, son of Mrs. Isaiah Jones of this city, was in the county seat the last of the week visiting relatives and friends.

Contractor James L. Farnsworth began work on the new two story "China house" which he has contracted to erect for the Island Packing Co.

The schooner Nellie Jensen returned from Whatcom last Friday with 30,000 feet of lumber for Contractor J. L. Farnsworth to be used in the construction of the new "China house" for the Island Packing Co.

The Epworth League, of Friday Harbor, will give a basket social Friday evening, Feb. 26, at Odd Fellows' hall. The proceeds to be applied to the organ fund. All the ladies are hereby invited to come and bring a basket.

There will be a revival meeting of the Christian church held at the Deer Harbor school house, commencing on Monday evening next, February 22nd, conducted by Rev. W. S. Crockett, of Whatcom. All are vers cordially invited.

Sheriff Newton Jones and Special Deputy John Kelley returned from Whatcom on the Thompson, Tuesday, with Richard H. Straub, murderer of Leon Lanterman, who was brought here to have his day of execution set and final judgment passed.

Fifteen Days More.—The San Juan Trading Co's. clearance sale still goes on, and fifteen days more are given to their patrons, in which to secure some of the great bargains being offered by them. Remember this sale closes on March 1st. Come now and get a snap.

Judge J. P. Houser arrived from Mt. Vernon on the Buckeye, Tuesday, and early in the afternoon convened a term of court for the purpose of setting the date for Murderer Straub's execution and signing his death warrant, and also to clear up a few other cases which had been filed with the clerk for trial.

At the Chinook salmon hatchery over 1,000,000 eggs were secured this season from the Royal Chinook salmon and 750,000 have already been turned loose. Besides the number of eggs retained at the Chinook hatchery, 650,000 were successfully transported to the Kalama hatchery, which has a larger hatching capacity.

Don't forget the masquerade ball next Wednesday evening, Feb. 22nd, at Union Grove hall. Prizes will be given to the best sustained lady character and best sustained gentlman character, also for best ladies' and gent's costume respectively. Supper and refreshments will be served all the evening. Orchestra music. Tickets to dance 50 cents.

The young people of the Harbor met at the home of Mr. and Mrs. T. M. Lee, Tuesday evening, to celebrate the 20th birthday of their son Herbert. The occasion was one to be long remembered and all agreed that they had passed one of the pleasantest evenings of their lives. Light refreshments were served and it was not until old father time had announced the bewitching hour of midnight that the assembled guests took their departure.

A social and oyster supper was given by the M. E. church, of Roche Harbor, Saturday evening, Feb. 13th, which was a pleasant and successful affair, both from a social and financial standpoint, $22.50 were the net proceeds of the evening. Special credit is due to Mrs. Wold and Mrs. Reid for their efforts in making the arrangements, and to Mrs. J. S. McMillin who opened the large hotel dining room to them for the evening, and gave her assistance to make the affair an agreeable one to all.

On Tuesday afternoon last, Feb. 16, His Honor Judge J. P. Houser signed the death warrant which seals the doom of Murderer Richard H. Straub and set Friday, March 26th, 1897, between the hours of 10 o'clock a. m., and 4 o'clock p. m., at Friday Harbor, San Juan county, Washington, as the day, time and place for his execution. The prisoner asked that further time be granted, on the ground that his attorney, Chas. F. Repath, was not present to conduct his defense. The judge then stated that he had received a letter from Mr. Repath saying that he would not appear in the case, and had no further plea to make. The prisoner then asked the judge to proceed, requesting that as much time be given him as possible in which to prepare for it. The death warrant was then read and the time and place fixed as above stated.

The San Juan County bank hangs up a neat sign to the effect that they are protected by a policy in the Bankers Mutual Casualty Company. This refers to an insurance policy issued by that company to the bank, indemnifying it from loss that may be caused by a burglary or robbery of the bank, and secures the bank and its patrons from the danger of loss from that score. The company issuing the policy pays the loss occasioned, and in addition to this money protection, the company has an efficient detective service which is at once put on the track of a criminal who interferes with any bank holding a policy in the company, and bringing the burglar or robber to bay and trial regardless of the time or effort required. Punishment is sure to overtake any person who attacks the bank in the way of burglary or robbery. The patrons of the bank can readily see the great merit of such protection.

The Island Packing Co's. plant located at this place, numbers among the largest in operation in this state and has the reputation of putting up the choicest pack of any cannery on the coast. Mr. John A. Devlin, president of the company, is one of the veteran cannerymen of this coast and thorougly understands every detail of the work. Last year this cannery caught and packed some 30,000 cases, a large portion of this number being made up of sockeyes, the choicest variety of salmon put on the market. They paid out to fisherman and employes about their plant some $35,000. They are now making extensive improvements in the plant, and unless the legislature enacts some severe legislation with regard to the manner of catching fish, they will erect more large new buildings in the early spring. On the other hand, if the traps are knocked out, the company will be obliged to pull up stakes and move their plant to some other point outside the state, thereby cutting off the chief source of revenue to many residents of our county.

On Wednesday evening of last week Odd Fellows' hall was well filled with an appreciative audience gathered there to witness the little plays "Turn Him Out," "Borrowed Plumes" and "My Turn Next," as presented by the East Sound Dramatic club. While all who participated did well and carried their respective parts finely, we feel that Dr. A. W. Hogg and Mr. Estyn M. Chalmers, who had the leading roll in each of the three plays, are deserving of especial mention and praise. In "My Turn Next" Dr. Hogg, as Taraxicum Twitters, and Mr. Chalmers, as Tim Bolus, are a whole team in themselves and impersonate these characters in such a manner as would make professionals hustle to out rival them in their acting. As Botherby Bibbons, in "Borrowed Plumes," and Nicodemus Nobbs, in "Turn Him Out," Dr. Hogg also carried his part excellently and won the praise of the entire audience. The total receipts of the evening for the play were $43.00, and we hope that this will so encourage them that they will soon come over and present some other play and will have an audience as large and well satisfied as this. After the plays a dance was given under a separate management, and was well patronized and enjoyed by all.

WEST SOUND NEWS NOTES.

Choir practice at the West Sound church last evening.

Christian Endavor next Sunday, Mrs. O. Smaby will lead the meeting.

No services at Deer Harbor Sunday, Elder Crockett could not be there for some reason.

Mr. Gray, of Deer Harbor, was at West Sound Sunday to attend services at the Episcopal church.

Mr. Fred Rineo and son George arrived home last week. He has been working in Whatcom.

Miss Rhoda Lee, superintendent of schools, was the guest of Robt. McLachlan and wife last Saturday, she also took in the Deer Harbor literary.

Mr. Templin, of Fairhaven, was at West Sound last week. He was accompanied by some land buyers. There are some splendid good bargains in real estate on this end of the island.

Mr. McClenan and wife of this place, who have been working at Ferndale, stopped off here to visit his father-in-law, Mr. Freel. He has taken a ranch on San Juan near the valley and intends moving on it soon.

Services at the West Sound church were conducted by Mr. A. Smith, of East Sound. Communion services were postponed until next Sunday at 11 o'clock, our Pastor, Rev. Wm. Dickson, has had a very bad time with the gripp but we hope by this time he is much improved.

The Deer Harbor literary was well attended last Saturday evening. The program was well gotten up and quite amusing. Part of the program for next Saturday will be a police court scene. Mr. R. McLachlan acting as judge, Lee Wakefield as clerk, Mr. Gray as prosecuting attorney. Council will be choson by Mr. Pearmain, policeman and the prisoner are to be chosen Saturday night. SCRIBE.

EAST SOUND LOCAL NOTES.

Mr. James T. Geoghegan returned Saturday to Tacoma with his brother, R. H. Geoghegan.

Mrs. B. G. Geoghegan gave a large party in honor of her son, Harry, Monday evening of last week.

Mrs. J. L. Gow, son and daughter returned on Wednesday from Southern California where they have been spending the winter.

The Reading Room social Thursday evening proved a very pleasant affair. The program was furnished chiefly by the school children.

Mr. Alex Chalmers is having his son Estyn's house papered, painted and otherwise improved during his absence on his wedding trip.

The first meeting of the village improvement committee in connection with the reading room will be held Monday evening at Library hall.

The men of the island had planned to help Mr. Brevick with his logging, Saturday, but on account of the inclemency of the weather the bee was postponed to a later day.

Mrs. J. Dyer, accompanied by her nephew Master John Fry, left Saturday for Kamloops, B. C., to visit her sister, Mrs. Bettman. Miss Minnie Fry accompanied them as far as Whatcom.

Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Tyson left on Saturday for Washington, D. C., where they will visit with her parents for a few weeks, after which they will go to Chicago where Mr. Tyson will enter into business.

The great fertility and equitible climate of Orcas island are proven by the fact that four prizes were received from Burpee's Seed House against the competition of the United States and Canada. Two by Mrs. L. M. Durkee and one each by Miss Isabel Gregg and Mr. G. H. Williams. EAST SOUND.

Making Cider Vinegar.

First have a good, strong, iron-hooped barrel. Next have good apple cider. Cover the bungholes with mosquito netting or other material that will keep out the flies. The bungs ought not to be put in, except temporarily, for at least a year. Keep the vinegar barrel in the garret or other place where the air is warm and sultry. The cellar is a bad place in which to make vinegar. To hasten fermentation occasionally turn the cider out one barrel into another, thus exposing it more fully to the air, and by adding a gallon of strong vinegar or a little "mother" to each barrel.

LOPEZ NEWS NOTES.

Oscar Weeks went to Seattle on Saturday.

Mrs. Duffee went to Seattle on Saturday.

Mr. Bob Smith came home from Seattle on Monday.

Miss Mary Cains, of Argyle, visited the family of B. F. Woods, the past week.

Mrs. Gould, of Friday Harbor, visited at the home of Rev. J. M. C. Warren the past week.

Dr. Dillion and Rev. H. D. Joscelyn have been holding a series of meetings at the Presbyterian church the past week.

The ladies of the M. E. church will give a social at the Parsonage at Lopez on Tuesday, Feb. 23. All are cordially invited to come and have a good time.

Mrs. Kittie Wilson and two children, of Alaska, who has been here visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charley Brown, left on the Thompson, Tuesday, for their home. Her sister, Miss Sarah Brown, accompanied them. ANON.

Mr. Wesley Warner and family contemplate moving to Seattle soon.

Mr. Blowers has nearly completed his new house, and his family expect to move in, during the coming week.

Mr. Humphrey has shipped over 100 boxes of apples during the past few weeks. He is the proud owner of one of the finest apple orchards on the island.

Messrs Robert and George Smith have some very fine dogs which they are getting under splendid training, to draw sleds. They expect to take them to Alaska soon.

The ladies of Lopez will give a box social on February 23, for the benefit of their pastor, Rev. Isaac Dillon, at the Lopez parsonage. Ladies are requested to bring boxes containing lunch for two. These boxes will be sold for twenty-five cents each, and the gentlemen procuring them, thus secure partners for supper. Coffee will be furnished free, if each lady brings two cups. A good program will be rendered, and a most enjoyable time is guaranteed. All are very cordially invited. CLOVERLEAF

Vegetables for Fowls.

In winter fowls should be supplied with something besides grain to keep them healthy and to encourage egg production. Nothing is better for this purpose than vegetables. The small, worthless potatoes may be made to bring more per bushel than those sent to market, simply by feeding them to the hens. For the breakfast of a flock of hens in cold weather boil a kettle of small potatoes, and when done mash them and stir thick with bran, adding a little salt and some cayenne pepper. Spread upon clean troughs or boards in the hen house, not out of doors.

Beets and mangles are relished raw. Simply throw them in and they will pick at them until all are gone. Cabbage should be fed whole. Hens will rarely try to eat the loose leaves.

Corn is always relished by fowls, but something else is needful to attain the best results. Meat should be fed occasionally, and a bonecutter is a good investment. There are inferior animals upon almost every farm for which a good price might be realized by killing and feeding to the hens. Especially is this true of late years, since live stock of all kinds has become so cheap.

The hen is capable of giving the farmer a greater profit upon the sum invested than any four-footed animal about the place. The cow is not to be compared with her in this respect, although probably ranking second. At prices the margin on butter is not great, while upon eggs it is. Eggs pay a good good at any time of year, for the cost is really very slight, but in winter the margin is considerably more than in summer.—W. C. Rockwood.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.

UNITED STATES LAND OFFICE
Seattle, Wash., Feb., 13th, 1897.

Notice is hereby given that the following named settler has filed notice of his intention to make final proof in support of his claim, and that said proof will be made before the Clerk of the Superior Court at Friday Harbor, Washington, on Saturday, April 10, 1897, viz:

MICAH NORTHMAN.

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By virtue of an execution issued out of the Superior court of the state of Washington, for the county of King, and to me directed and delivered, for a judgment rendered in said court on the 19th day of January, A. D. 1897, in favor of B. Pelly plaintiff, and against The Orcas Island Fruit Company, defendants, for the sum of $1,935.83 with interest at the legal rate per annum from said 19th day of January A. D. 1897, and the further sum of $7.00 costs of suit, I have levied upon the following described real estate, to-wit:

The west half of the northeast quarter, and the east half of the northwest quarter of section fifteen (15) and the southeast quarter of the southwest quarter and the southwest quarter of the southeast quarter, of section ten (10), and lots numbered two (2) and five (5) of section ten (10) all being in township thirty-seven (37) north of range two (2) west of the Willamette meridian, situate, lying and being in San Juan county, state of Washington.

Notice is hereby given that on Monday the 15th day of March, A. D. 1897, at the hour of 10 o'clock, A. M. of said day, at the court house door, in Friday Harbor, in said county of San Juan, I will sell all the right, title and interest of the said Orcas Island Fruit Company, defendants, in and to the above described real estate, at public auction, to the highest and best bidder, to satisfy said execution and all costs.

Given under my hand this 9th day of Feb., A. D. 1897. NEWTON JONES, Sheriff of San Juan county, state of Washington.

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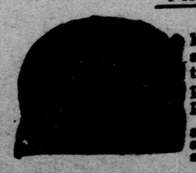
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