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LOCAL AND PERSONAL

Overalls, any size for 50 cents, at Sweeney's

Mr. Fred Knight came home on the Thompson yesterday.

Dr. and Mrs. J. T. Kelley returned home on the Thompson yesterday.

Mr. Eugene Fowler, of Shaw island, is visiting friends in the Bay Cities.

Cider made on shares or for hire. Cider for sale. J. C. CLINTON, Friday Harbor.

Miss Nettie Stowers, of East Sound, is now teaching a kindergarten school in Everett.

Mr. J. A. Gould returned from a business visit to Seattle on the Thompson, Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Newton Jones have moved into the Blair house, back of the Odd Fellows' hall.

Mr. Thomas, of the firm of Thomas & Simpson, of Whatcom, was in the city Tuesday on business.

Mr. Wm. Lomberg, of Stuart island, was in the city a short time Tuesday while enroute to up-Sound points.

Miss Addie Dightman, who is teaching school on Shaw island, spent Sunday and Monday with her parents here.

County Treasurer Wold reports taxes as beginning to come in fairly well. Pay up before the 30th and save big interest.

Mr. G. N. Culver, of Point Lawrence, Orcas island, was in the city on business on Friday and Saturday of last week.

County Superintendent Miss Rhoda A. Lee has been quite seriously ill for the past week and has not been able to leave her room.

Miss Flora Guard returned from Seattle on the Thompson, Monday, where she has been for several days past visiting friends.

FOUND.—One pair eye glasses in case. Owner can recover same by calling at this office and proving property and paying for this notice.

Mr. James Burke, the popular foreman for the Island Packing Co., returned from a short visit to Seattle on the Thompson, Monday.

FOUND.—A small purse containing a few pieces in small change. Owner can recover same by calling at this office and proving property.

Mr. and Mrs. Newton Jones returned from Port Townsend on the Thompson, Monday. Mrs. Jones has been visiting friends there for the past two weeks.

County Auditor A. H. Sliter granted a marriage lisense on Monday to Mr Lincoln McKay, of British Columbia, and Miss Maggie Woodworth, of San Juan island.

On account of the contractors not being able to complete the new Presbyterian church sooner, the dedication services will not be held until Sunday, December 5th.

Everyone desires to keep informed on Yukon, the Klondyke and Alaskan gold fields. Send 10c. for large Compendium of vast information and big color map to Hamilton Pub. Co,, Indianapolis, Ind.

Mrs. O. H. Culver and two children arrived in the Harbor, Friday, and remained here until Monday visiting relatatives and friends, when they went to Roche Harbor where they expect to reside.

A very pleasant surprise was given Mr. nnd Mr. Cort, Monday evening. Quite a number of their friend dropped in bringing with them jars of fruit. The evening was spent in conversation, singing and acting charades.

On account of the late arrival of the books the teachers' reading circle will not be held on Saturday, November 13, as announced, but has been postponed by Miss Lee until the next meeting, which will be held in February next.

If you are in need of fine clothing, shirts, etc, send your order and measure to the well known firm of Irving & Cannon, Merchant Tailors, Room 1 Colonial Block, Second Avenue and Columbia Street, Seattle, Washington. They guarantee a perfect fit and entire satisfaction. Place your order now for an overcoat. *

At the residence of Mr. James Ross, in Friday Harbor, Tuesday morning, Nov. 9th, 1897, by Rev. Arthur B. Cort, Mr. Donald Ross was married to Miss Jessie Ross, of Novia Scotia. An early dinner was served and Mr. Ross and bride took the boat at Argyle for Seattle. After a short visit there they will return to their home at Kanaka bay.

Chub Chevalier and Billy Lummi, the two boys tried before Justice L. C. Larson on Monday last on the charge of robbery, pleaded guilty and were fined $50 each and ordered to be committed to jail for ten days at hard labor. The goods were stolen out of Mr. Frank Erdmann's cabin on Stuart island. Most of the property was recovered by the Canadian police.

On Saturday evening last Mt. Dallas Lodge, No. 95 I. O. O. F., held one of the most interesting meetings it has had for the past two years. During the evening the iniatiatory degree was conferred upon two candidates and a general good time had by all in attendance. Many of the Valley boys came in during the evening and the turnout was the largest it has been in weeks. Financially the lodge is in the best shape it has ever been, and is steadily and substantially improving.

Miss Lee has just closed a one month term of school in district No. 25, San Juan. This is the newly established dis trict and the one month was taught now in order to save the district, as the law provides that "No new district formed by the subdivision of an old one shall be entitled to any share of public money belonging to the old district until a school has actually been taught one month in the new district, and unless within eight months from the order of the county superintendent granting such new district a school is opened, the action making a new district shall be void."

The entertainments given on Friday and Monday evenings in Odd Fellows' hall by the Somers Family justly merited the large audience which greeted them on both evenings Miss Nellie Somers, the girl soprano, has a truly remarkable and unusually sweet voice and captivated the audience every time she appeared on the stage. Master Perrin Somers, the boy alto, has a strong, sweet voice, and in his duets with Miss Nellie, particularly, showed most excellent ability. The little ones, Lottie and Carl, seemed to be the general favorites. They are very sweet little singers and are natural comedians. In the boys' comic song, entitled "The day the farmer came to see the town," he brought down the house with roars of laughter and was praised on all sides for his most uxcellent work. In the duet entitled the "Little Pic-a-ninny," sung and acted by Little Lottie and Carl, they were most excellent, and their acting caused repeated roars of laughter. As to Mr. Somers, but few words are necessary to express our opinion regarding him as a commedian xiz: He is a whole show in himself. They have been asked by many to return next season and all express themselves in this way: "I hope they may see fit to do so."

ROCHE HARBOR NEWS BRIEFS.

Dr. Harrison returned Monday from a visit to his family in Seattle.

Mrs. O. H. Culver and little daughters arrived Monday and are now "at home" with Mr. Culver at the residence of the deputy customs collector.

The British steamer "Mischief" entered at the customs house from Victoria, Monday evening, en route to English bay and Kanaka bay for a cargo of several hundred sheep for shipment to Nanaimo. Half of them, or more, were purchased of Isaac Sandwith.

Two officers of the provincial police and customs came over from Victoria, Saturday, in charge of "Chub" Chevalier and "Billy" Lummi, two boys well-known here, whom they arrested on Saturna island for violating the Canadian customs laws by importing a considerable quantity of provisions and supplies into British Columbia without payment of duty, and also for bringing stolen goods into the province. For this latter offense they were liable to seven years imprisonment under the Canadian law. They were wanted on this side, however, for breaking into a ranchman's house, on Stuart island, a short time ago and stealing a shot gun, a lot of tobacco and other articles, and as the clue to their whereabouts was furnished from this side with a request for their apprehension, Supt. Hassey, of the provincial police, wrote that the case would have just the same attention as if the offense had been committed on British territory, and when the men were found with the stolen property in their possession the officers were promptly directed to bring them here and turn them over to the proper authorities. The provisions, etc., which they had smuggled from this side were confiscated by the Canadian customs officers. Considerable surprise is expressed here that the men, or rather boys, for the older is only 22 and the younger but 18, were "let off" so easily at Friday Harbor for offences so grave as burglary and theft, to both of which they confessed. ROCHE.

I am sole agent for the celebrated Portland Air-Tight Stoves. They are the best and will be sold cheap. Jos. Sweeney.

Delinquent Taxes.

Here is an interesting problem for taxpayers of San Juan county, who are owing taxes for years prior to 1896. According to Section 118 of the 1897 Revenue Law, all costs, penalties and interest in excess of 6 per cent is remitted if paid before November 30, 1897.

Owing to the fact that during recent years a large proportion of the taxes still remain delinquent, many taxpayers who would be very glad to take advantage of this law might fail to receive any benefit from it because of their not being familiar with its provisions. In order that all who may care to take advantage of the provisions of this act, and may know of its existence and of the effect of its provisions, it is published here, and the following table has been prepared to show more clearly what will be saved by paying delinquent taxes before November 30, 1897:

An original tax of $1.00 for the year 1893 if not paid until after Nov. 30, 1897, will require a payment of $1.46 or more, but if paid before Nov. 30, 1897, will require only $1.22 or less, which will make a saving, on every $1.00 of taxes, of 24 cents or more.

An original tax of $1.00 for the year 1894 if not paid until after Nov. 30, 1897, will require a payment of $1.32 or more, but if paid before Nov. 30, 1897, will require only $1.15 or less, which will make a saving on every $1.00 of 17 cents or more.

An original tax of $1.00 for the year 1895 if not paid until after Nov. 30, 1897, will require a payment of $1.20 or more, but if paid before Nov. 30, 1897, will require only $1.09 or less, which will make a saving on every $1.00 of 11 cents or more.

Every taxpayer who has property that is delinquent can save on 1893 or prior years 24½ per cent or more. On 1894, 17 per cent or more. On 1895, 11 per cent or more.

How to Cure Bilious Colic.

I suffered for weeks with colic and pains in my stomach caused by biliousness and had to take medicine all the while until I used Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy which cured me. I have since recommended it to good many people. MRS. F. BUTLER, Fairhaven, Conn. Persons who are subject to bilious colic can ward off the attack by taking this remedy as soon as the first symptoms appear.

The 25 and 50 cent sizes for sale by drug department San Juan Trading Co.

Fifteen cases of new shoes just received at Sweeney's. Call and get the best bargain you ever had.

WEST SOUND NEWS NOTES.

Mr. Van Bogart was on the sick list last week.

The Deer Harbor literary elected Mr. James as president last Saturday night.

Mr. Joe Bull and wife and part of the family are visiting in Nooksack this week.

Dr. Fitz Mathews is attending Mr. Ed Bostian who was kicked by a horse last week.

Charles Metzler, of Seattle, gave us a friendly call. Always glad to see our old neighbors, come again.

Supervisor Scott is doing some work on the West Sound and Deer Harbor road. Itell you it is rocky.

The Orcas literary is a success. They call themselves the Orcas Entertainers. Mr. Merrel was elected president.

School closed last Friday. This is the second term Miss Lillie Marold has taught here, giving good satisfaction.

Mr. Donahue, of East Sound, and Mr. Smedburg, of this place, are making the seats for the West Sound church.

No marriages and no birthday parties to record this week. Raining all the time, what under the sun will transpire next week to give us locals?

Sunday there was Sunday school at the West Sound church and it will continue hereafter at 2:30 o'clock every Sabbath. Turn out and make it interesting. SCRIBE.

SHEEP FOR BLAKELY ISLAND.

One Thousand Arrive From Earstern Washington.

A shipment that to this section of country is novel came in on Friday afternoon's train. It consisted of several carloads of horses and sheep. There were nearly a thousand head of the latter. The shipment was made from Dayton, in this state, and will go to Blakely island, a few miles west of here. At present the sheep are pastured on the outskirts of town, awaiting transportation to their island grazing grounds. The owner, A. Granger, is a man experienced in sheep raising, and doubtless has looked carefully into the advantages and disadvantages of moving his flock from the range near Dayton to Biakely island.

The islands of western Skagit and of San Juan county would seem to be peculiarly adapted to sheep raising on a large scale. In years past the industry was experimented with, but only in small way. Even this, however, would have proven successful had not the owners of herds suffered heavy loss through the thefts of the sneak-pirates that have from time to time infested the islands. If the business is carried on on broader principles and the sheep are herded, or in a measure watched and protected from theft, it is certain to be profitable. The very best of grazing is afforded, and this, too, the entire year.—Anacortes American.

"The worst cold I ever had in my life was cured by Chamberlain's Cough Remedy," writes W. H. Norton, Sutter Creek, Cal. "This cold left me with a cough and I was expectorating all the time. The Remedy cured me, and I want all of my friends when troubled with a cough or cold to use it, for it will do them good."

For sale by drug department San Juan Trading Co.

EAST SOUND LOCAL NOTES.

Mrs. Garner spent a few days in Seattle this week.

Rev. W. J. Dickson preached Tuesday evening at the Episcopal church.

Mr. and Mrs. H. D. Mahler arrived home Monday evening from Whatcom.

Mesdames Woods and Chalmers returned from Whatcom, Tuesday, Nov. 2nd.

Mrs. Parsons, of Seattle, was here on November 5 and 6 with millinery goods.

The entertainment given by the Somers family last week proved to be a grand success.

Rev. A. J. Joslin, presiding elder of this district, preached at the M. E. church, Thursday evening.

The fruit buyers who have been on this island for some time, left for Tacoma last Thursday evening.

The question these days with foot passengers is whether or no it is the time to "cultivate" the roads.

Mrs. Bessie Geoghegan spent a number of days this week visiting friends in Seattle, where her son John met her. From Seattle she went to Tacoma, where she will reside this winter.

The many friends of Mr. Ed. Bostian were very sorry to hear Monday, of his sad accident—horse kicking his head. Dr. Fitz Hugh Matthews was called immediately and has attended him since. Sunday he was some better but still is in a critical condition. He has the best wishes of the people of East Sound for a speedy recovery. EAST SOUND.

Sweeney is now offering the greatest bargains ever heard of in woolen goods which he has just received from the Washington Woolen Mills.

ATTENTION TEACHERS.

You are hereby notified that the regular quarterly examination of applicants for teachers' certificates will be held at the court house in Friday Harbor, San Juan county, Washington, on Thursday, Friday and Saturday, November 11th, 12th and 13th, 1897. And you are further notified that all applicants will be required to pay a fee of $1 to be applied toward an institute fund.

RHODA A. LEE,
County Supt. of Schools.

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We are glad to inform our readers that we have closed a contract for advertising No-To-Bac and Cascarets, the famous preparations manufactured by the Sterling Remedy Co., of Chicago and New York. The Sterling Remedy Co. appreciate the value of this paper as an advertising medium, and the compliment is the more maked, as the company is a conservative concern which sells its products under an absolute guarantee to cure or money refunded. Every one of our retail druggists is authorized to sell No-To-Bac, guaranteed tobacco habit cure, and Cascarets guaranteed constipation cure, under this absolute guarantee, and our readers need not hesitate to buy these preparations, as it involves no risk whatever, either physical or financial.

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Sheep on Farms.

The tariff has settled the question of sheep raising and wool growing with farmers and stock masters. The despised sheep is again respected and will take its place among the valuable stock on the farm.

Many farmers who had parted with their flock, and are consequently without sheep, are now ready to purchase again at higher prices than they sold.

Those who have taken care of their sheep in the interval, have not only been safe financially, but are now ready to supply their more unfortunate brethren. The danger now is that sheep raising will be over done and that the country will have an over prodution of sheep and wool. But this will correct itself in time. We have always advised the keeping of at least a small flock of sheep on any farm where it can be done. This is often of value to the farm independent of the price of wool.

The check in the prosperity of the farmer which is now closing, has led to much thinking on the whole subject of all farm products, and those who have studied their lesson well, are now prepared to profit by what they have learned.

One thing that has been made especially prominent, and which should not now be forgotten, is, that farming and stock raising must be conducted on business principles; and that the haphazard farmer is always in danger of being left. This is especially true of stock raising, and with sheep there is no exception. With sheep and dairy cattle the larger profits always come from the careful adaptation of the stock to the farms and to the markets where products are to be sold.

Sheep are especially sensative to the kind of soil from which they are to feed. Some are better adapted to uplands or hills, and others to lower grounds and richer pastures. Some are better adapted to produce good mutton, others to produce finer and larger fleeces of higher priced wool. The farmer's land and his markets for mutton and wool and the special attention he can give his flock, should determine for him the kind of sheep he should select for the beginning of a new flock. Almost any kind that can live on his farm and under his care, may pay expenses; but only the best breeds and those best adapted to his circumstances will afford the most profit, and these are the kinds he should purchase for a starter.

Sheep and chickens when once established on a farm, hold their place for a long time. The more necessity, therefore, for making good selections in the beginning. Each man should determine beforehand what he intends to try to do, and then make his choice of breed in accordance with his plans, and work toward the end in view. Sheep and chickens may seem side stock raising to farmers who raise corn and wheat by the hundreds of acres, but they often prove that the profits from these side stock raisings add much to the pin money of the farmer's wife, and to the ready cash of the farmer himself, and that the time and expense used in furnishing a small herd of good sheep or a flock of good chickens for his wife and family to care for, pay better than any other investments in time or money, he has ever made on his farm. If the largest profit is to result, the best breeds must be selected and the best care must be used to accomplish what you have undertaken.

Select your sheep with care and judgment, and they will soon pay all expenses.—Farm News.

The three-year old boy of J. A. Johnson, of Lynn Center, Ill., is subject to attacks of croup. Mr. Johnson says he is satisfied that the timely use of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy, during a severe attack, saved his little boy's life. He is in the drug business, a member of the firm of Johnson Bros. of that place; and they handle a great many patent medicines for throat and lung diseases. He had all these to chose from, and skilled physicians ready to respond to his call, but selected this remedy for use in his own family at a time when his child's life was in danger, because he knew it to be superior to any other, and famous the country over for its cures of croup. Mr. Johnson says this is the best selling cough medicine they handle, and that it gives splendid satisfaction in all cases.

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