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F. R. JOHNSON,

Alex Chalmers, of Doe Bay, spent Monday and Tuesday of this week in the Harbor.

Walter Lampard visited Whate

J. A. Gould left for up-Sound day on a short business trip.

at the Blue Front Store.

Miss Maggie Morse and her little niece went to Seattle on the Thomp-son, Tuesday. The Fastest and Best Route to

One of Great Britain's old style war vessels passed slowly up the Canal de Haro Monday.

James B. Bell, wife and mother, of United States and Canada. Tacoma, are visiting friends at Port Stanley this week.

Wm. Fowle spent the first of the week in Seattle, making purchases for his holiday trade. From the coast to Minneapolis, St. Paul, Boston, Montreal, Toronto and Winnipeg.

Andrew Newhall spent Monday and Tuesday of this week in the Harbor transacting business. Kootenay and Cariboo Gold Roard Supervisor Farnsworth has

This is the only route traversing the entire mineral belt. Only 24 hours to Sandon, Nelson, Slocan City and Rossland. been putting in some good and much needed work on our streets. Miss Louise Culver spent Thanks giving with her brother and family at Roche Harbor returning Saturday.

Send to Sutcliffe & Hill, Whatcom, for samples of Wall Paper and Paints. They willbe sent you free of charge.*

Freight and Passenger Agent, New Whatcom. New goods arriving at Martin & Jensen's almost every day. Call and have a look at our line of Dress Goods, Trim-The NEW MAIL Str.,

Miss Sadie Middleton returned home from Port Townsend after a six weeks' absence, on the steamer Lydia Thomp-son, Monday.

Gene Gould returned home last Sat-urday from a two weeks' pleasure trip to Seattle, Marysville and other up-Sound points.

Mr. and Mrs. L. M. Harper returned to Seattle Tuesday after a four weeks' visit with Mr. and Mrs. Phipps at Roche Harbor.

December 3. All wanting work done

....6 a m East Sound 7 a. m Friday Har.. 10:30 m Roche Harbor 10 a m Roche Har.11:45 am Friday Harborll am Arrive WHATCOM Arrive SEATTLE

My line of Poems, Bibles, Boy's and Children's Reading and Toy Books arrived today; also a further addition to my Toy stock and Standard Reading Books. WM. FOWLE.

Steamer Buckeye Frank Dennison, who for several years past has been the keeper of the Smith island lighthouse, has resigned his position and hereafter will reside on a farm on Shaw island.

This elegant steamer runs through the Archipelago De Haro, Daily, Leaving Whatcom at 6 a. m. on Monday, Wednesday and Friday, calling at Cottonwood, Olga, Newhall, East Sound, Oreas, West Sound, and arrives at Friday Harbor at 12:45 p. p.

Mrs. Etla W. Smith, late of Port Townsend, invites the attention of the ladies to her new and well selected stock of millinery fancy goods, con-fectionery, nuts, etc., at her store and dressmaking rooms in the building recently occupied by THE ISLANDER. oras, West Sound, and arrives at Friday Harbor at 12:45 p. m. Leaves Friday Harbor with the mail at 1 p. m. for Anacortes, stopping at Pt. Stanley, Thatcher, Decatur, Nedro and Guemes and arrives at Anacortes of 6:20 p. m. and arrives at Anacortes at 6:20 p. m. Leaves Anacortes at 7 a. m. on Tues-

A Port Townsend dispatch of last week says that a collision occurred Tuesday between the steamer Alice Gertrude and the four-mated schooner Prosper, lying at anchor off Point Hud-son. The Prosper's damage was light, but the Gerttude was considerably stove in day, Thursday and Saturday, for the above named points arriving at Friday Harbor at 12:20 p. m. Leaves Friday Harbor at 1 p. m. and arrives at What-For Freight and Passenger rates, ap-

A. NEWHALL, - Owner. County Clerk E. H. Nash has received a letter from Judge J. P. Houser in which he states that he will not likely be here to hold a term of court on December 5 as advertised. Some of the attorneys had their cases already for trial and are much disappointed and put out. pointed and put out.

The B. B. Gas Company, through its attorneys, Kerr & McCord, have asked the superior court to appoint a receiver for the Franco-American North Pacific Canning Company, of Fairhaven. The complaint alleges liabilities at \$50,000 and assets \$17,000. Petition granted and Judge Hadley appointed E. M. Wilson, of Fairhaven, receiver.—New Whatcom News.

During a heavy storm that prevailed in Port Townsend harbor last Saturday night the steamer Wildwood, which made the run for the Thompson Friday and Saturday, sank while lying at her dock. A large hole was made in her hull by a drifting log. A man who was asleep on board was saved from drowning by the ship's cat, which awakened him by scratching his face just as the steamer was going down.

The first annual ball given by San Juan Rebekah Lodge No. 112, at Odd Fellows' hall last Thursday evening, Thanksgiving night, was a grand success, both financially and socially. The turkey supper served by the ladies was an elaborate spread and all who were fortunate enough to partake of it testify as to its quality. The music was good and was so much appreciated that dancing kept up until 6 a. m. Friday.

A gentleman came into our office yesterday morning and suggested that possibly it might be a good idea for us to warn our readers of an approaching rain storm. He went so far as to state that if the wind did not change he was very positive it would rain. As he has been working out of doors on the road, he has had a good opportunity of watching the climatic conditions and evidently knows whereof he speaks.

The lighthouse tender Columbine passed Turn Point, going north, Monday afternoon and an officer mega-phoned to Keeper Christianson, of the B. Q. on each

light station, that the steamer would return Tuesday and call. Mr. Christianson says that he has been notified that the Turn Point station will soon be supplied with a megaphone which will enable the keepers to speak to passing vessels a considerable distance LOCAL AND PERSONAL Christmas and New Year's Cards at Crepe, Tissue and Gilt Paper at

D. Kepler, of Orcas, was in town the first of the week. The steamer Discovery made her initial trip to this place and Roche-Harbor on Monday last. It is the intention of her owners to call at these points three times a week, viz: Mondays, Thursdays and Saturdays. How long she will remain on this run depends upon the patronage she receives. It is an up-hill job for any boat of her size to compete with the already fine service which our mail boats, the Thompson from Seattle to Whatcom and the Buckeye from Anacortes to Whatcom, are giving us. Buy that Solid Gold Wedding Ring J. L. Davis, of Richardson, was in town the first of the week.

James Nelson, of Port Stanley, was in the Harbor yesterday on business. All Grades of Flour Cheaper at the Blue Front Store than anywhere else California Matches, 2 bunches for 5e; 2 boxes Toothpicks for 5c at the Blue Capt. H. H. Hudson, of Shaw island. was in town the first- of the week on

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A transaction in which you cannot lose is a sure thing. Biliousness, sick headsche, furred tongue, fever, piles and a thousand other fills are caused by constigation and aluggish liver. Cascarets Candy (hathartic, the wonderful new liver atimulant and intestinal tonic are by all druggists guaranteed to cure or money refunded. C. C. C. are a sure thing. Try a box to-day; 10c., 25c., 50c. Sample and booklet free. See our big ad.

EAST SOUND LOCAL NOTES.

Mr. Buxton is visiting the Bay Cities. Mr. Walton has moved into Mr. Hicks' property.

Mr. Cramer has purchased the property known as the Armstrong place.

Many of East Sound's young people attended the dance given Thanksgivng eve at Orcas. Miss Nettie Stowers was called to

Whatcom, Tuesday, by the sudder illuess of her sister. Miss Gertrude Bickell returned from

Whatcom, Monday after spending a few days with Mrs. Lavelle.

Mrs. E. Langell and daughter, Mag-gie, returned home Monday after spend-ing a week visiting in Whatcom. Estyn Chalmers has a new steam thresher, also a most excellent crop of

grain, both as to quality and quantity. Mike Adams left Monday afternoon for Seattle. He will go from there to Southern California to spend the win-

Mrs. Dunson and sons left Friday for Patos island, from there they will go to Dungeness, where Mr. Dunson is be to keeper of the light house.

Dr. Lee Baker, dentist, of Port Pownsend, will be in Friday Harbor on November 28 and will remain dotted and West Sound Episcopal Sunday and West Sound Episcopal Sunday

EAST SOUND. Two Millions a Year.

When people buy, try, and buy again, it means they're satisfied. The people of the United States are now buying Cascarets Candy Cathartic at the rate of two million boxes a year and it will be three million before New Year's. It means merit proved, that Cascarets are the most delightful bowel regulator for everybody the year round. All druggists 10c, 25c, 50e a box, cure guaranteed.

LOPEZ NEWS NOTES.

Mr. Ham went to Seattle Tuesday,

J. L. Murray was transacting busi-ness on the island, Friday.

C. T. Butler is prepared to deliver goods to his customers on the island as he purchased a delivery wagon while in Seattle.

My wife having left me without any provocation I hereby forbid anyone to give her credit on my account.

Jas. Nelson.

Port Stanley, Washington, Nov. 11, 1898.

PUBLIC NOTICE.

THE GREAT STORM.

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Judge Hadley, of Whatcom, Tuesday appointed Harvey L. Dickinson, of Whatcom, receiver of the firm of Young & Williams, of Blaine. Application was made by Geo. E. Brand & Co. The complaint alleges that the firm's liabilities are about \$22,500 and the assets \$12,000. The firm was engaged in the fish business at Blaine and the small run and high price of fish are said to be the cause of the firm's financial embarrassment. B. L. Williams, by his attorneys, Frye & Webster, filed an answer, admitting the truth of the allegations in the complaint.

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without exception strewn with wrecks and wreckage; no less than twenty-nine vessels are ashore at Gloucester; over twenty in the supposed safe har-bor of Vineyard Haven parted their anchor chains yesterday and are high and dry on the beach. The upper har-bors of Boston, Plymouth, Salem, Portsmouth, Portland and other places where vessels are supposed to be comwhere vessels are supposed to be com-paratively safe, were the scenes of nu-merous collisions between the ships and

the wharves.

Every life-saving crew performed deeds of heroism in rescuing crews from stranded vessels, and tugboat captains risked life and property in their

LIGHTHOUSE KEEPERS IN DISTRES Among the tugs which started down the harbor as soon as daylight came was the police boat Guardian, which last night was caught in the thick weather off Deer island, while endeavoring to ascertain the meaning of distress signals flying from the lighthouse. She made for the tiny bacon which marks the inner harbor channel again marks the inner harbor channel again this morning, and with a tossing sea and a strong incoming tide tried to answer signals. Finally it was learned the lighthouse had no fresh water, for the heavy sea had broken in the bulkheads and spoiled the water stored there. There were five men in the lighthouse. The two boats which usually hung from the dayits had been ally hung from the davits had been splintered by the force of the waves, and the sea was was washing over the lighthouse with such force, that there was little hope of reaching there.

Big Liner Driven High and Dry.

Beyond Deer island lies the big Wilson liner Ohio, and the steamer C. A. White is a shore. It is a matter of surprise to harbor pilots how the Ohio reached her present terth. She stands up bodily without the semblance of a list, on a hard gravel bottom, in water which at flood tide this morning hardly came to the level of the propeller shaft. The name of this disease which may be divided into three distinct stages is, First, Kidney trouble, indicated by pain in the back, rheumatism, lumbago, frequent desire to urinate, often with a burning sensation, the flow of urine being copious or scant with strong odor.

If allowed to advance, this reaches the White is ashore. It is a matter of sur-December 3. All wanting work done call early.

Mr. and Mrs. G. N. Culver returned to their home near Point Lawrence this week after a visit of several days with their son, O. H. Culver and family, at Roche Harbor.

Miss Eva Philip arrived home Saturday from Guemes, where she has been teaching for the past four months. She begins school in the new district Monday morning. School is to be held in Clarence Van Saut's house.

Miss Eva Philip arrived home Saturday reached her present berth. She stands up bodily without the semblance of a list, on a hard gravel bottom, in water which at flood tide this morning hardly came to the level of the propeller shaft. The white evidently lies on the rocks.

From the wreck of the three-masted hoonea Calvin F. Baker, on Shag Rocks, the two mates were taken off by Capt. James and his crew from across the bay at Hull. It was daybreak when the Baker was seen and the lifeboat was sent out on its mission. The pull was a long one and when finally the wrecked vessel was reached, three bodies were seen lashed to it. Two of them had life in them, but the other had been frozen stiff to his lashings.

ANOTHER TERRIBLE SCENE. Another terrible scene was that at Thompson's island, where the city's Schooner Nellie Jensen took a load of oats to Seattle the first of the week for C. T. Butler.

Mr. and Mrs. Dwight, who have been visiting in Iowa for the past two months, returned Friday.

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reform school is situated. Against the wharf were driven four down-east vessels, each of which, at the time the storm broke, was anchored miles away, and each a long way from the others. An idea of the force of the wind is shown in this instance, for after drifting across the bay, one after another brought up against the error entirely out of the water. The craft are the Virginia, of which barely a vestage is left; the Watchman, the Seraphine and the Fred M. Emerson. The last three are in one great heap of timber and rigging, mixed with debris from the Virginia. Two lives were lost in the latter craft. William B. Stanley, the captain's son, was washed reform school is situated. Against the

in Seattle.

Mr. King, who is working for Judge
Lichtenberg, arrived with his family
last Monday and is living in the cottage on Gem farm.

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JAS. NELSON.

Balansford island. She has gone straight on against a promontory of rocks, and there seems little chance of getting her off. Her consort, a Reading barge, was easily floated this afternoon.

Other evidences of the storm are to be found on every headland and in nearly every cove, for numerous wrecks, snow and sleet covered, are piled up there. Some wrecks perhaps will never be accounted, so thoroughly have the wind and the waves done their work. The managers of the Boston and Portland Steamship company stated tonight that there are grave doubts as to the safety of the steamer Portland, which sailed from here Saturday night. Every harbor between here and Portland on the shore has been heard from and one of the south shore and in no case has the steamer been seen. The only remaining harbor which she could have reached is Provincetown on Cape Cod and news from that port is anxiously awaited, as it is still impossible to reach that port by wire.

She carried sixty-five passengers and a crew of fifteen men.

The American Apple Crop

The apple crop is known to be one of the poorest, and according to investiations of the B. W. Snow crop-reporting agency, the worst of recent years, mounting to 27,681,000 barrels of nerchantable stock, excluding cider pples. This is 14,000,000 barrels less han last year, and less than half of the creat crop of 70,000,000 two years ago. These are approximate comparisons, as ese are approximate comparisons, as product of this greatest of all—out its is quite variable, and on several counts difficult to calculate. These imates make the average consump nof apples, including a reasonable consumer for unmerchantable in do imates make the imates make the imates make the image of apples, including a lowance for unmerchantable in nestic use, and in drying or evaporating, not far from a bushel to each unit of population. The distribution is very unequal; Western New York is the greatest source of commercial supply greatest source of greatest source of commercial supply greatest source of greatest source of

Blue Ridge region of Virginia is prominent. Western Michigan is the great apple region of the west, and the Ozark plateau and bluffs of the Missouri next in prominece. Michigan is this year credited with by far the most abundant supply, or 5,000,000 bushels, while New York has a very small crop. Pennsylvania one nearly as poor, and in New England the crop is very much better, though still a small one. The general failure is attributed largely to the working out of the pollen in spring, general failurs is attributed largely to the working out of the pollen in spring, and frosts at the time of setting of the fruit. The excessive moisture of the season favored fungous diseases, which impaired appearance and quality. The Ontario crop is short, but that of Nova Scotia is nearly a full one.

A Tacoma dispatch to the P.-I. says: J. E. Baker is here from an extended visit through the interior, and reports an excellent fruit crop in all sections. He calls attention to the fact that evaporators and dryers for preparing fruit for market are not as plentiful as they should be, and that for this reason alone much fruit will go to waste which should be turned into money.

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"Referring to the state fruit lands in general, Mr. Baker says there are many inquiries from intending settlers from all parts of the east, looking to their location in Washington with a view to raising fruit for the market. The fruit acreage, he says, is steadily on the increase, and the almost limitless possibilities in this line he predicts will soon place Washington far in the lead as a fruit growing state. But a small fraction of the fruit lands are as yet under cultivation, and with the arrival of new settlers this branch of farming is sure to take long strides to the front."

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I have picked up a number of logs, branded similar to the letter A, which I will deliver to the owner upon identification within a reasonable time and the payment of reasonable salvage charges.

C. S. Krogh. Prevost, San Juan County, December 1, 1898.

THE ISLANDER, The Twice-a-Week THE ISLANDER, The Twice-a-Week Detroit Free Press and the Free Press Annual Year Book and Encyclopaedia for 1899, a valuable book of over 550 pages that tells you all you want to know. Over 35,000 of the 1898 issue were sold at 25 cents each. It is the most popular book of the kind ever published. For further particulars see advertisement on another page of this issue.

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NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.

Land Office at Seattle, Wash., Friday, Nov. 25 1898.

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 Superior Court, at Friday Harbor, Washington, on Saturday, January 7, 1899, viz:

ALFRED R. BIGLEY. Homestead application No. 13,940, for the N 1 Sw 1; Se 1 Sw 1 Sec. 14; Ne 1 Se 1 Sec. 15, Tp. 36 N R 2 W.

He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon and cultivation of said land, viz.:

Harry Bromley, William Fowler, W. J. Clark and D. Kepler, all of Orcas EDWARD P. TREMPER, Register. First publication Dec. 1, 1898.

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