

General News.

Work on the Cascade locks is to be resumed at once.

The machinery for a new sawmill has been received at Port Townsend.

The Eastern Washington Medical Society has been organized at Walla Walla.

Right of way along the Seattle water front has at last been obtained by the railroad company.

One hundred excursionists from Bloomington, Ill., are coming to the Sound.

Burritt & Graves, Seattle, have the contract for repairing the Insane Asylum; price, \$2400.

Onderdonk, the Canadian Pacific contractor, advertises for 100 bridge carpenters at \$3 per day.

Fraser river salmon are running at the top of the speed, and the boats average 150 fish daily.

The town of Colfax was completely destroyed by fire last week; loss, about \$300,000.

Workmen are now engaged in the task of regalanizing the corpse of the old steamer Eliza Anderson.

George Waunch, who came here in 1844, died at Skookumchuck on the 6th inst.

During the first half of the year the treasury of Walla Walla received \$19,386, and paid out \$17,740. It had on hand July 1st \$1617.

Many thieves and blacklegs are swarming into Seattle from Oregon and other points, and the police are busy enough.

Negotiations are pending with the managers of Woodward's Gardens, in San Francisco, to establish a branch in Portland.

A boy named Alexander Stevenson was accidentally shot in the arm by a playmate, week before last, in Clarke county.

Charles Canby, a pioneer of 1853, died suddenly at his home in Thurston county, week before last, aged 64 years.

Capt. Wilson, of the North Pacific, is sick at Seattle, and the boat is at present in charge of Capt. Clancy.

Brethren of the A. O. U. W. of this jurisdiction have contributed to the widow of the late Charles Trehart the sum of \$1700.

The Roswell Sprague, which recently took fire and was considerably burned at San Francisco, will be raised and rigged as a barkentine.

It is said that water power has been discovered at Spokane Falls, and that it could be made to grind wheat. Niagara water power is, however, nearly as strong.

Wm. Bull, employed in a Seattle shippard, cut his foot last week, and instead of feeling pain in that member became partially numb in the head and neck.

Peter Koarson and Andrew Olsen were washed overboard and drowned on the last trip of the Cassandra Adams from San Francisco to Liverpool.

Prof. L. J. Powell, for fourteen years a teacher in the Institute at Salem, Or., has accepted the presidency of the Territorial University, and will take charge in September.

It is thought the steamers Dakota and Idaho will change places next month, the former being sent to Alaska and the latter placed on the Sound route.

Trade in Walla Walla is declared better generally than last year or the year before. A considerable increase is noted in the resident population, while the transient has been decreasing. Much building is going on, and most of it is of a superior character. Old mortgages are disappearing from the records, and few new ones are taking places. In the jobbing trade there is also a vast improvement.

Sailing Vessels vs. Steamships.

It may not be generally known to landmen, but all sailors are aware that with a strong and steady favoring wind, it is possible for a sailing vessel to equal the speed of an Atlantic steamship. Mr. Benjamin, in his article on "The Evolution of the American Yacht" in the July Century, compares the time made by some sailing vessels some twenty and thirty years ago, with that of the fastest steamers of to-day. In one of the recent "fastest passages ever made" by the Alaska, her greatest run was 419 miles in twenty-four hours. Before 1850 the ship James Baines, built by Donald McKay, ran 420 miles in twenty-four hours. The ship fine Red Jacket, built at Rockland, Maine, ran 2280 miles in seven days, or 325 miles per diem for a week. The Flying Cloud, McKay's most celebrated ship, made 274 knots or 433 miles in twenty-four hours and twenty-five minutes, equal to 17.17 miles per hour. The difficulty sailing vessels experience in competing with craft whose motive power is steam, lies, not in the ability of the ships, but in the fact that the wind is unsteady. Mr. Benjamin accompanies his magazine paper with a number of plans and diagrams, showing the shapes of various sailing vessels, and the gradual changes that have taken place in the construction of hulls since the days of the American "pink," invented for the cod fisheries.

"How old are you?" said an ancient dame to a grinning little tar-pot. "Well, if I goes by what mudder says, I'se most 10, but if I goes by de fun I'se had, I'se most 100."

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