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The Gazette wishes its readers a Happy New Year.

Spokane has already selected the judge of the superior court which the legislature will be asked to create at the forthcoming session. When it comes to offices Spokane is not slow.

One American jury has done its duty and that without higgling about it. Finch, the slayer of Fisher, in Portland, was convicted of murder in the first degree Wednesday afternoon, the jury only being out 28 minutes. The usual appeals, of course, will be taken.

The greatest holiday trade ever enjoyed throughout the Pacific Northwest closed on the evening of December 24. In all the larger centers of Washington the downtown districts were a mass of moving vehicles and pedestrians, and the aisles of the larger retail houses were almost impassable during the day and evening.

Abe Ruef has for the third time been convicted and sentenced to the penitentiary, this time for 14 years. Of course notice of appeal was given, so the self-confessed and convicted boodler is probably a long distance from the pen. By what technicality he can escape this time, if he does escape, will be interesting to note.

1909 will be the travel year for the Pacific Northwest. The most advantageous rates are in this direction. All of the great railroads of the country are going to bend their efforts toward presenting the resources of this portion of the United States throughout the East, Canada and Europe. The Alaska-Yukon-Pacific Exposition and the Portland Rose Show will be two important features and railroad men in all the large centers of population predict an enormous travel.

Governor-elect Cosgrove expects to be in Olympia in time for inauguration Judge Robinson of Olympia, who spent Christmas in San Diego, stopped off at Paso Robles Springs to see Mr. Cosgrove, and last Monday telegraphed the Olympia this news: "The arrangements for his trip to Olympia have not been completed, but if he continues to improve as he has recently Governor Cosgrove will be in Olympia to take the oath of office and assume his duties on time, though undoubtedly he must return here immediately thereafter and remain until he fully recovers."

The Steptoe Standard has ceased publication. Mr. Crow came from South Dakota last January and started the paper on assurances of support from the land company at Steptoe, which promises have not altogether been fulfilled. Considering the field before him Mr. Crow has given the people of Steptoe and the surrounding country a good paper, and his failure to make it pay will be regretted by all. Mr. Crow is a man of ripe experience, possessing more than usual ability, and given a field equal to his deserts would be a power in journalism. But he will not be unemployed very long.

Liberty Bell will undoubtedly be seen at the Alaska-Yukon-Pacific Exposition at Seattle. Thousands will go to see the bell. This sacred totem of American freedom was first rung to celebrate the adoption of the Declaration of Independence, July 4, 1776. It was sent to Philadelphia from England in 1752, and was recast in April and again in July, 1753, when the words "Proclaim liberty throughout all the land, unto all the inhabitants thereof" (Lev. xxv:10) were inscribed on it. For many years it was rung annually on the Fourth of July, but on July 8, 1835, while being tolled in memory of Chief Justice Marshall, it was broken and its voice has been mute ever since. It now hangs in the hallway of the old State House in Philadelphia.

From a homographic chart of the state senate of the forthcoming legislature we find that the oldest member of that body is John L. Blair of Friday Harbor, who is 74 years of age. The youngest member is Pliny L. Allen of Seattle, 32 years old. Four were born in Canada, two in England, one in Scotland, one in Nova Scotia, one in Wales, one in Sweden, one in Norway, one in Ireland, the rest being native sons. All occupations are represented, many farmers and orchardists being members of that body. There are only seven lawyers, however, something quite unusual, as they usually monopolize a large share of membership in most legislative bodies. Peter McGregor of Whitman county is put down as a native of Canada, 46 years of age and a farmer. Joseph Aarasmith of this county as 43 years old, a native of Indiana and a farmer by occupation.

True and False Freedom.

When Mr. Gompers protests to the world that the sacred right of free speech and free press is violated, in that he and his coadjutors are restrained from uttering matter to injure and destroy a business with which they are at variance because it does not yield to their demands, he and they are pushing the claim for free speech and free press to a limit which it is impossible to allow.

And when injunction is issued to prevent them from doing this, and nevertheless they disregard the injunction and persist in speech and publication, with intent to destroy a business that refuses to submit to their terms, they are to be taught and they must learn that the principle of free speech and of free press, sacred as it is, must be used under the same limitations as any other right; so used, that is to say, as not to injure others.

The right to do a lawful business is a natural right and a personal right and a property right; and it is a proper business of society or government to see that the right shall be protected and not destroyed.

The right of free speech and of free press are indeed sacred rights; and so is the right to carry a shotgun. But you are not to injure or destroy your neighbor with the one or with the other.—Oregonian.

Arrest of the Labor Leaders.

The sentence of Gompers, Mitchell and Morrison to jail will, of course, be received by a storm of wrath by the Federation of Labor, but it reads like pretty good law. The boycott is a foreign invention and never should receive countenance in America, and every organization in this country should understand that whatever it may do, it must keep within the laws.

Further, that until the laws are changed, the injunction of a court must be respected and obeyed. Labor organizations have a perfect right to refuse to work for any man or company, but their right to combine and ruin the business of men will never be accepted in this country, and the country would not be fit to live in were it accepted.—Goodwin's Weekly.

How to Use Turpentine.

When threatened with pneumonia rub the lungs with turpentine and apply hot flannels.

Turpentine and soap will remove ink stains from muslin.

A few drops of turpentine added to the water in which clothes are boiled will whiten them.

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A few drops on a woolen cloth will clean tan shoes nicely.

Moisten sponge with turpentine to clean gilt frames.

How to Transplant Small Trees.

A small tree or any shrub may be successfully transplanted at any season or at any stage of growth in the following way: Dig a trench entirely around the tree, a foot or more in width and a little deeper, leaving the roots imbedded in a ball of earth. Fill the trench with wet cement and leave undisturbed till it hardens. The tree may then be lifted and removed at pleasure. After placing it where it is to stand, break and remove the cement and immediately fill the space with earth.

How to Preserve Clothes Wringers.

When the rollers of your clothes wringer begin to break buy 5 cents' worth of bicycle tape and wind it around the rollers. Wind the tape carefully and snugly and then wind a piece of white cloth around the roller to cover the tape. A wringer which is treated in this manner will last twice as long as if treated in the usual way.

How to Thread Needles.

Persons with defective sight when threading the needle with white thread should hold it over something black and when threading with black thread hold it over something white. It also applies to threading the machine needle.

The Pure Food Law.

Secretary Wilson says: "One of the objects of the law is to inform the consumer of the presence of certain harmful drugs in medicines." The law requires that the amount of chloroform, opium, morphine, and other habit-forming drugs be stated on the label of each bottle. The manufacturers of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy have always claimed that their remedy did not contain any of these drugs, and the truth of this claim is now fully proven, as no mention of them is made on the label. This remedy is not only one of the safest, but one of the best in use for coughs and colds. Its value has been proven beyond question during the many years it has been in general use. For sale by W. J. Hamilton.

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How to Trim Babies' Garments.

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Another pretty way is to make a number of small circles, leaving a distance between them equal to the diameter of the circles. Now featherstitch the circles, and you will have a dainty finish to the garment. In the same way one could mark squares and diamonds as well as a long wavy line. One can never put too much work on baby garments of any kind, and of all trimmings featherstitching can be used to the greatest advantage.

How to Clean Wall Paper.

The spots sometimes found on wall paper can be quickly and easily removed by making a stiff dough of Graham flour and boiling water. Knead the dough thoroughly and break into small pieces. As each piece is used it should be doubled in on itself so there is a clean surface at each rub. When one piece is soiled throw it away and take a fresh one. Always rub the paper in one direction, and do not go over the same surface twice.

How to Care For Clothes.

When an unwashable garment has just been taken off never put it into the wardrobe until it has been aired for an hour or so. Clothing which has been worn a long time, if not aired properly, contracts most disagreeable odors.

Air and sunshine have disinfecting qualities which are purifying, and we should know how to avail ourselves of them.

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AT CLOSE OF BUSINESS NOVEMBER 27, 1908

RESOURCES	
Loans, first mortgage	\$167,026 72
Loans on other property	48,472 32
School and city warrants	60,128 46
Bonds, stocks, etc.	21,862 22
Bank building and furniture	13,000 00
Cash and sight exchange	101,891 90
	\$412,381 62
LIABILITIES	
Capital stock paid up	\$ 50,000 00
Surplus	5,000 00
Undivided profits, net	17,978 95
Deposits subject to check	71,615 06
Deposits, demand certificate	4,626 19
Deposits, time certificates	17,656 23
Savings Deposits	245,505 19
	\$412,381 62

November 27, 1905, Deposits \$239,847 17
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