

DAUGHTERS OF TACOMA.

FAIR AND TALENTED RESIDENTS OF THE "CITY OF DESTINY."

Cultured and Charming Society Leaders Who Excel in Literature, Music and Art—How a Valuable Library was Founded.

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MRS. GRACE R. MOORE.

Culture and intelligence are leading characteristics of the gracious and queenly women who shine in the social circles of Tacoma.

Mrs. Grace R. Moore has marked literary talent, and is favorably known as a contributor to various magazines. She is a native of San Francisco, was educated there and abroad, and afterward married in that city.

Mrs. Moore soon became known as an unusually accomplished woman. She is thoroughly conversant with history, literature, art and music, and on all of those subjects talks entertainingly. Her home is a charming spot, and her children are bright, happy and intelligent.



MISS IDALIA OMINETTE.

That renders her charming. She is domestic, unostentatiously charitable, and a gracious hostess.

Miss Heartie Griggs has resided at Tacoma a short time, her former home being in St. Paul, where she is well known. She has an interesting face, light brown hair, beautiful, soft skin, and large, liquid eyes.

Thus in this new state beauty, genius and culture flourish, and if Draper's prophecy—that in the northwest will be reared the highest types of mankind—prove true there may be a great future for the state of Washington.

It is of the state of Washington that Moses P. Handy recently published the

several years ago, assisted by half a dozen friends, she inaugurated the enterprise with a few volumes, and faithfully worked for the cause until the city was able to take charge of the collected books.

Mrs. Frank Allyn possesses an exquisite charm of manner, a pleasing personality and an interesting face, with large blue eyes, golden hair and a bewitching mouth. Mrs. Allyn is very musical. While abroad she was a pupil of Prince Poniatowski. She is sometimes heard in public when she consents to sing for charitable purposes.

A lady of great executive ability is Mrs. George Browne, who has resided in Tacoma about two years. She was Miss Haskell be-



MRS. GEORGE BROWNE.

fore marriage. She is not tall, but always dresses to advantage. Mrs. Browne is the niece of Thomas F. Oakes, president of the Northern Pacific railroad. Her home is odd in architecture, and the interior is effectively and artistically arranged.

Mrs. Samuel Collyer, daughter-in-law of Rev. Robert Collyer, the celebrated divine, is a most beautiful woman. She has an abundance of prematurely white hair, soft blue eyes and a sympathetic voice. She is greatly interested in art, and does excellent work with crayon and oil.

Mrs. Nelson Bennett is another favored woman upon whom beauty has smiled. Moreover she is kind and lovable, and has a handsome home, over which she reigns as queen, surrounded by her numerous friends and pretty children. She drives a magnificent team of blacks that attract almost as much attention as their owner.

Of the younger ladies in society none is more of a favorite than Miss Idaia Ominette. She is of average height, with rounded figure and a graceful pose of head on shoulders that are as fair and exquisitely modeled as those of a statue. Her eyes



MISS ALICE HALL.

following estimate in Lippincott's Magazine: The most imposing monument yet reared to the memory of George Washington is not the splendid shaft at the national capital; nor is it that capital itself, beautiful now, and destined to be the most beautiful of cities. It is the new state which bears his name, away off at the northwest corner of the Union—a state larger than New York, larger than England and Wales combined, and which in its very infancy bears upon its brow, in characters legible to all beholders, the infallible promise of parity, if not primacy, among all American commonwealths in every attribute of greatness.

It has been said, and not without reason, that if a kindly fate had planted the feet of the Pilgrim Fathers upon the smiling slopes of Puget sound there would have been little difference to-day between New England and Labrador. The same energy that has made Massachusetts rich and populous would in half the time make the state of Washington a Belgium in density of population and an England in wealth.



MISS NORA HALL.

Today Tacoma is as large as Richmond was when it became the Confederate capital. Together they have the two cities of Seattle and Tacoma, nearer together than Baltimore and Washington, have a population greater by 20,000 than New York had at the beginning of the present century.

HOW WE TRAVEL

Some Reflections Regarding Lincoln's Railway Passenger Facilities.

Few people in Lincoln, comparatively speaking, are aware of what excellent facilities we enjoy in railway travel. It is a matter of congratulation that right at our door we have all the benefits, and in some instances even more, than many of the larger cities. In the matter of quick passenger service there is not a city in the union that can surpass the facilities that the Burlington is giving Lincoln. There are so many trains constantly leaving and arriving that one scarcely realizes the immense amount of traffic that is constantly in operation.

On the Lincoln and Chicago line, there are three through fast trains daily each way, the fastest being the famous "flyer," which leaves Lincoln every afternoon at 2:40 arriving in Chicago next morning at eight o'clock. The next fast train leaves at 7:25 p. m. which reaches Chicago at one o'clock next day and makes the run within fifteen minutes of as fast time as the flyer.

Between Lincoln, Denver and the west the service is equally as good. The flyer leaving at 3:25 in the morning makes the run as fast to reach Denver for supper—a daylight ride. The next train leaving at 12:30 p. m. arrives in Denver in time for breakfast at 7 a. m., and the last train at night leaves here at 8:55 and arrives there at one o'clock next day.

Other Burlington folks, it would seem lay awake nights to scheme, and to very usual thing when a season rolls by without their making some improvement. Their latest is the Lincoln and Omaha "limited," a train that discounts anything in the western country, both for speed and luxurious appointments of its service.

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One of the finest musical entertainments ever given in the city will be given Tuesday evening, January 13th at the First Baptist church under the auspices of the Y. M. C. A. by the Swedish Luttman Sextette of Stockholm, Sweden.

The Chicago Herald of Sunday, Oct. 26th, 1890, says: The Luttman Swedish Sextette appeared before a fine audience at Central Music Hall last night, its first American audience. The organization has just arrived in the United States and brings a splendid European reputation, which was fully justified by the excellent programme given last night.

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The Oratorio society has already commenced practicing for the May festival. "Creative" will be given this year.

Getting Even.

One of the senators from Montana is proud of his state, and resents any imputation upon its fame or its greatness. The other evening a lady meeting him for the first time asked where he was from.

"Certainly," she said pompously. "I am from Brooklyn."

"Oh, yes, Brooklyn," echoed the senator beautifully. "Brooklyn is a fine town. Quite near Hoboken in New Jersey, isn't it?"—Washington Star.



Tramp—I say, ma'am, can't ye gimme a bite o' something cold to eat? Mrs. Pancake—Why, yes, poor fellow! Go and take one of those icicles off the fence.—Judge.

The Ruling Passion. They were teaching the swell little New York girl to count.

"Three hundred and ninety seven, three hundred and ninety eight, three hundred and ninety nine, four hundred," said the mother.

"And the child followed correctly. "Four hundred and one," continued the mother.

"Go on," said the mother, "you were doing very nicely."

"No, mamma," she said with dignity, "I cannot go beyond the 400."

Preferred the Small Ones. "I think, madam," said the polite passenger in the street car to the young woman hanging to the strap, "you can crowd in between those two men over there. Besides," he added, "it is said by some scientists that it is dangerous to handle these straps. They are alive with bacilli and bacteria."

Well, Well! White—I was up at Gray's today. There was quite a gathering there. But Gray wasn't a bit like himself. He didn't say a word. So unlike him, you know, so unlike him.

Black—Unlike him? Why, Gray is dead! White—You don't mean it! Well, well! That accounts for it. By the way, that gathering I spoke of must have been his funeral. Dear me, how strange! I thought something must be the matter with Gray. And so he is dead, eh? And that was his funeral? Well, well!—Boston Transcript.

How He Arranged Matters. Jagway—I don't see how a man can get along on only two suits a year.

Travers—Easy enough. For instance, I begin with my winter suit on the 1st of January, and wear it until the middle of March. Then I put on my spring suit and wear it until the 1st of June.

Fatal. "Oh, no!" said the giddy young woman, "I never expect to adopt music as a profession. I merely make it a means of killing time."

Oh, Misery! "I believe Fanny is making me an Afghan, said the youth. "I was calling there last night, and she was working on it, but she wouldn't tell me who or what it was for."

A Lucky Girl. Maud—Clara Highfly is just the luckiest girl.

Edith—She has many lovers? Maud—Ever so many, and she has only one little brother, and he was brought up in Paris and doesn't know a word of English.—New York Weekly.

Not Quite the Same. Mrs. Gobble—I think your new house is a delightful one, Mr. Jones. Only yesterday I was telling my husband that I thought you were a very level headed man.

The Pink of Propriety. He—Now, Miss Evelyn, you wouldn't kiss a young man under any circumstances, would you?

She—Of course not. He—And why? She—Because he should take the initiative.—Puck.

She Was Tired. He—I always pay as I go. She—(awning)—Well, how is it that when you are paying attentions you never get?—New York Herald.

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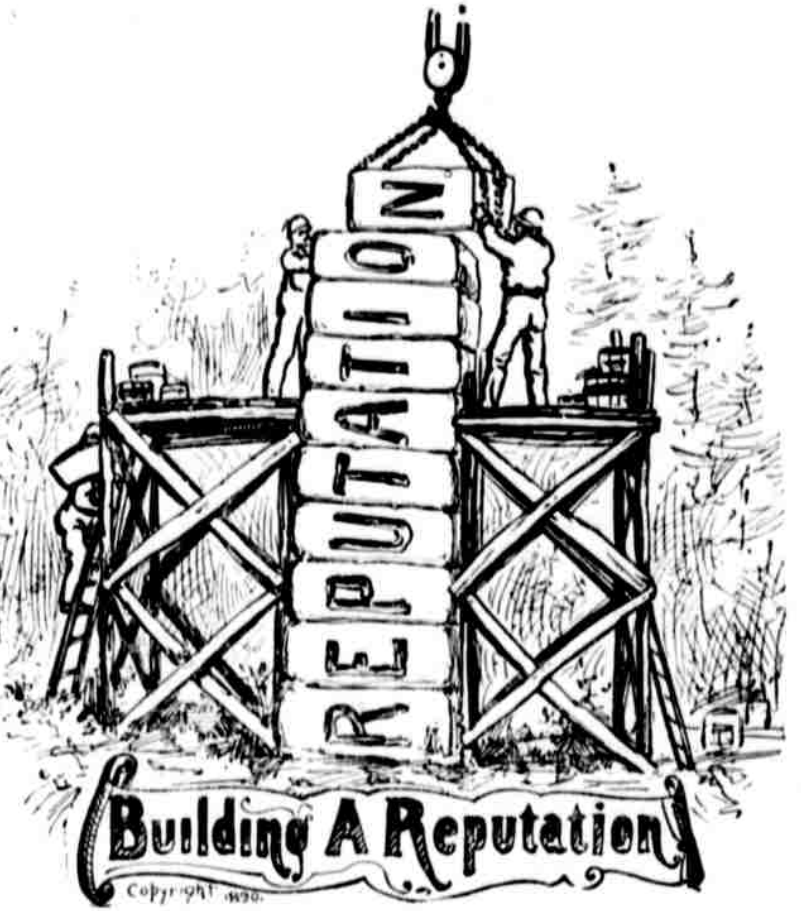
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