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## BURLINGTON LIBRARY CORNERSTONE IS LAID

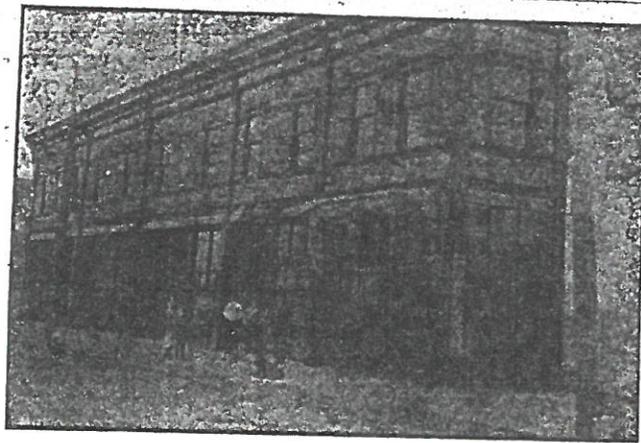
The cornerstone of Burlington's Carnegie public library was laid last Saturday at one o'clock under Masonic auspices, the imposing ceremonies being carried out by Mt. Baker Lodge No. 36, of Mt. Vernon. The auspicious event brought out a large crowd of citizens and out of town visitors from Sedro-Woolley, LaConner, Mt. Vernon, Edison Belleville and other near-by points.

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third degree was conferred upon E. C. Douglass, of Sedro-Woolley, by a specially picked team chosen from the various lodges of Skagit county, with Warden Briggs, of Everett, as worthy master. Again at midnight were the visitors feasted, after which they said good-bye with many kind expressions of thanks for LaConner's hospitality.

### Washington Delegation Left Yesterday for Chicago

Washington's delegates to the National Republican Convention left by special train for Chicago on June 1.



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 Skagit County Savings Bank & Trust Co.

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 Attorneys for Administrator,  
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 Final publication, June 30, 1916.

**Ladies Rest Room at Reading Rooms Grange Week**  
 The management of the Burlington Reading Rooms have kindly placed the rooms at the disposal of the visitors during Grange Week for a ladies rest room. In consequence the reading room will be closed from Monday, June 5, till Friday evening June 9. During this period the book cases will not be opened till Saturday morning. All books due for return Wednesday, June 7, will not be assessed extra fines during the period the library is closed. This is by order of the library board.

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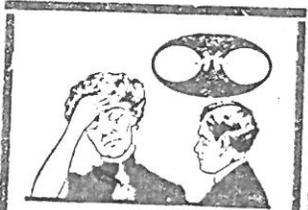
The interior fittings will be of native wood. Whipple & Hedrick, of Bellingham, are in charge of the work of construction and they state that the building will be completed by August first.

The library board, appointed last July by Mayor Kirkpatrick, of Burlington, is composed of A. W. Bush, president; E. L. Wilson, secretary; Harvey Beal, Mrs. J. M. Garlick and Mrs. Chas. Callahan.

As is usual with the Carnegie libraries, the city of Burlington will pay \$500 per year towards the upkeep of the library and engage a librarian, who will be appointed by the library board.

**LaConner Entertains Masons.**  
 After witnessing the cornerstone ceremonies at Burlington, the crown of Masons journeyed to LaConner, where the Master's and Warden's club of Skagit county met in regular session. The afternoon session consisted of a school of instruction on how to properly conduct a lodge, with Mr. Briggs, of Everett, as instructor. At 6 o'clock, dinner, which had been prepared by the ladies of the LaConner chapter of the Eastern Star, was served to the visiting Masons, who did ample justice to the many good dishes set before them.

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