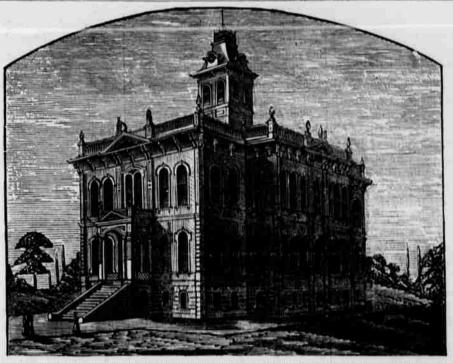
## THE WEST SHORE.



WALLA WALLA CO. COURT HOUSE AT WALLA WALLA, W. T. F. P. Allen, Architect Photo by Brodeck.

## WALLA WALLA.

This, the metropolis of the vast empire east of the Cascades is next to Portland, the most busy looking and most city like place in the Pacific Northwest. It has a permanent and substantial backing, of yet but partialy developed agricultural wealth. The town is beautifully located in the centre of Walla Walla valley, contains some very substantial business houses and residences with poplar trees, which give it a picturesque appearance.

Its \$50,000 court house (see illustra-

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habitants of Walla Walla county. A an ever increasing population. Where very good daily paper, the Statesman, but a few years since we remember and three most excellent weeklies, seeing some very fine wheat growing Statesman, Watchman and Union are on the then well-tilled farm of Jesse published here, their average circula- Day, Esq. There is no place on the tion comparing favorably with Port- Pacific Coast of its size that has so land papers. Walla Walla is connected many fine residences as Dayton, an by rail with the Columbia river at evidence of wealth, culture and refine-Umatilla, and within two months ment. Its citizens are alive to the eduthrough trains will run to The Dalles, cational interest of the place, the neat and in a short time to Dayton.

Thirty miles beyond Walla Walla is

tion) is a credit to the enterprising in-|the picturesque town of Dayton, with school building shown on page 24, (Continued on page 26.)

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