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DEATH ON THE RAIL.

Fred Ramelow Loses His Life While Stealing a Ride Eastward.

Coroner Heliker was called to Prosser Thursday of last week to inquire into the cause of death of a young man at that place on the day preceding.

The coroner says that he found that the unfortunate boy who met with such an untimely death went by the name of Fred Ramelow. He was but 17 years old, came to this county from Springfield, Ill., a few months ago and for a time had been employed on the section at Chandler, the first station east of Prosser.

The facts leading to his death, the coroner states, are as follows: The young man boarded the blind baggage of the east bound north coast limited train leaving here at 2:40 o'clock on the morning of March 25. The train men noticed him get on, for at Toppenish, the first stopping place, they made an effort to put him off, but without success, as the train started to pull out too quick for them. The young man evidently realized that they would be sure to get him at Prosser, the next stop, and so probably prepared to anticipate them by jumping off. In the darkness he no doubt miscalculated the speed at which the train was moving and jumped too quick, a mistake that cost the boy his life. At the depot the conductor informed the operator that a wounded man would be found somewhere above the water tank. The night policeman being informed went to the place indicated and found young Ramelow lying unconscious with several bad bruises about the head. He was taken to the German hotel and medical aid summoned, but died a few hours later without having regained consciousness.

An examination after death revealed the sum of \$17, which the lad had stowed away in the heel of his stocking. The body was buried at Prosser on Friday. After ascertaining the facts as well as he could, Coroner Heliker deemed an official inquest unnecessary.

Sheriff Gets His Runaways.

Sheriff Grant and Deputy John Edwards returned Saturday afternoon with the two prisoners, Gustave A. Lind, alias Slim Anderson, and Robert Wagon, who made their escape from the county jail here the Saturday night before.

The two runaways were captured on the road near Centerville, a village about 10 miles beyond Goldendale, by the two officers, who were accompanied and very ably assisted by Deputy Sheriff Wm. McGuire, of Klickitat county. The arrest was made Friday morning, which was the third day out for the two officers from here. The prisoners seemed considerably chagrined at being overhauled after getting such a distance from "home." However, they were footsore and weary, being tired of dodging. On the way back they told the officers how they had managed to make their escape from the steel cell. Lind said it was all simple enough, as he had managed to pick the lock by using the bail of a lard can, which he had picked up in the jail.

Sheriff Grant and Deputy Edwards have received numerous compliments from citizens for the dextrous manner in which they tracked the runaways and effected the capture. Without doubt they would have secured their men much earlier had they not been obliged to occupy so much of their time the first part of last week in pursuit of the Mabton masked robbers.

Asphyxiated and Burned.

The Ellensburg papers state that on the night of March 20th two tramps climbed into an empty refrigerator car that was standing on a sidetrack at that place and prepared to spend the night. In order to make themselves comfortable they procured coal and built a fire in a tin can, lying down on either side of the can to sleep. The car being air tight, the fumes from the coal evidently suffocated them.

In stirring about one of the tramps probably upset the can with the result that the car took fire and so did the two men, as when found later an arm of one and a thigh of the other were almost burned through. The fire was not discovered by the men in the yards until about 24 hours later when the hot coals had burned through the floor of the car. By papers found in the pockets of the two dead men their names were discovered to be Michael Hunt and Frank McCluskey, both waiters, from Tacoma and Baker City, Or., respectively. The bodies of the unfortunate men were buried at Ellensburg at the expense of Kittitas county.

The Jubilee Minstrels.

Lovers of amusement in this city are looking forward to the first appearance of the Jubilee Minstrels at the local theatre April 16 and 17. The best amateur talent in town has been impressed into service and a good exhibition is confidently looked for. As previously announced, the entertainment will be given under the direction of Mr. Harry Baylor, who has exercised a good deal of care and discrimination in the selection and training of his company which will contain besides the leading characters a chorus of 40 voices. The net receipts will go into a fund being raised for the benefit of Miss Daisy Boyle.

St. Louis Fair Commission.

Gov. McBride on Monday appointed the following named gentlemen as a board of commissioners to have charge of the preparation of the exhibit to be made at the St. Louis Fair which will open in the spring of 1904:

Hon. A. L. Black of Whatcom; Hon. E. P. Thomas, Skagit; Edward C. Cheasty, King; Thomas Harrington, Pierce; Geo. W. Lindsay, Clark; Col. W. W. Robertson, Yakima; Hon. M. E. Hay, Lincoln; Hon. W. W. Tolman, Spokane, Asotin.

The newly appointed commission met at Tacoma Saturday for the purpose of organizing.

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THE CANNERY SITUATION.

Golden Northwest Canning Co. Will Operate its Yakima Factory this Season at Full Capacity—List of Officers.

Geo. E. Gandy, general manager of the Golden Northwest Canning Co.'s plant at this place, returned Saturday from a consultation with his business associates at Seattle.

Mr. Gandy reports that his company, which owns a plant at Seattle as well as the one here, has made a contract with the wholesale commission house of Charles W. Pike & Co., of San Francisco to handle and sell the entire product of both of their factories this season, which according to the plans decided on by the Canning company will be quite considerable.

The articles that will be canned in the local factory this season will be cherries, peaches, apples, pears and small fruits, besides such vegetables as tomatoes, pumpkins and squash. The Seattle factory will run mostly on vegetables and small fruits. Mr. Gandy states that he will be ready in a short time to enter into contracts with the growers to furnish the desired raw material and thinks that he can convince the farmers that they can make a reasonable profit in growing the stuff needed by the cannery. Tomatoes, he says, are an especially profitable crop.

The officers of the Golden Northwest Canning company are as follows: President, Dr. Wm. Chapman; vice president, V. Gandy; secretary, S. M. Dow; treasurer, Dr. J. B. Chapman; general manager, Geo. E. Gandy. All of the above are residents of Seattle with the exception of the Gandy brothers, who reside here.

Lind Country is Prosperous.

Abby Jordan, of the real estate firm of Kingsbury & Jordan, at Lind, was a Yakima visitor the first of the week and made the Democrat a pleasant call. Mr. Jordan reports that the new town of Lind and the vast stretch of country tributary thereto is in a very prosperous condition and increasing in population at a most satisfactory rate. The town of Lind is now a thriving burg of over 700 people and the country for miles in every direction settled by a thrifty class of grain growing farmers where but a few short years ago the jackrabbit and the sage hen were in almost entire possession.

Last year many of the farmers of that section were rewarded with a yield of wheat running from 30 to 50 bushels to the acre and this season the present outlook is for a crop equally as good.

It may be said therefore that farming has passed the experimental stage in that vicinity and has now attained a legitimate basis.

The firm of Kingsbury & Jordan, although but newly established are building up a good business there. They make a specialty of locating people on government land which is yet to be had in that portion of Adams county.

Another Chapter in Beeks Case.

Wesley Beeks and wife were again before Justice Taggard Tuesday, the former having been arrested on the charge of having kicked up a disturbance at the residence of the woman on the west side the Thursday evening preceding. Beeks was bound over to keep the peace in the sum of \$500.

Mr. and Mrs. Beeks have not been living together for over a year, but the husband, it seems, aims to keep a strict surveillance over the conduct of the wife of his bosom. On the occasion mentioned the woman was entertaining a caller, one, Garrison, which was the cause of the row. The injured husband appeared on the scene, attempting to make entrance through the kitchen window. Mrs. Beeks remonstrated, asking him to leave the premises, which he refused to do. An altercation then ensued between the two men, with the result that revolvers were drawn and a few shots fired, probably as a bluff, as nobody got hurt. The evidence was rather conflicting as to who fired the first shot, Beeks strenuously denying that he did. The woman testified that Beeks fired point blank at her.

Fair Commissioners Appointed.

Gov. Rogers on Monday appointed the following named gentlemen as members of the State Fair Commission, all are appointed for four years: J. E. Shannon, to succeed himself, Dr. G. J. Hill to succeed Dr. Gunn, E. J. Wyman to succeed E. F. Benson. The hold over members are A. J. Splawn and A. B. Weed. Messrs Gunn and Benson were not candidates for re appointment. The new board will meet in this city next Monday to organize and open the campaign for the fall Fair. Under the provisions of the new law a secretary will be selected by the commission who may or may not be a member of the board and who will be under a salary of \$1200 per year. The only candidates that the DEMOCRAT has heard mentioned for the place are ex-Secretary Gunn, Representative W. H. Hare and Fred Chandler.

DEATHS.

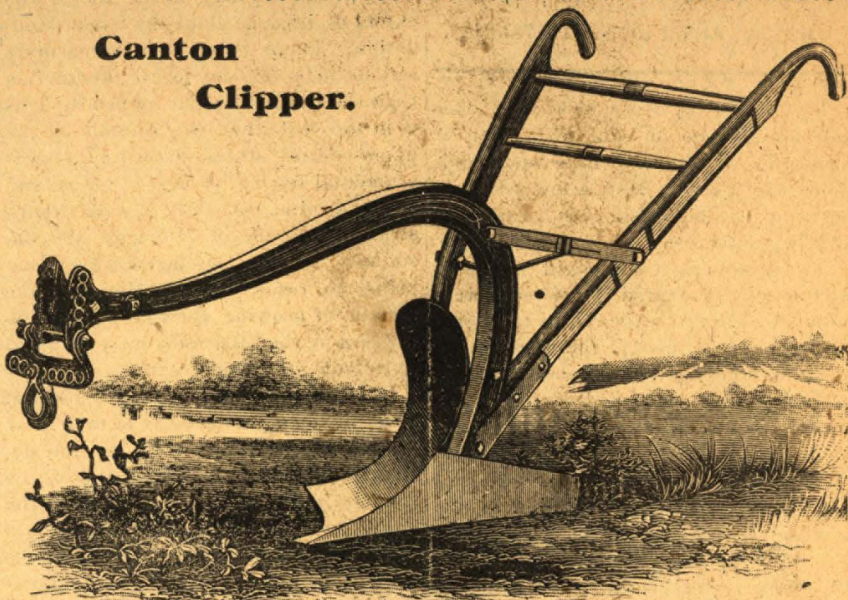
MORSE:—Richard Morse, colored, died at his home on N. Second street last Saturday, aged 53 years, death being caused by a combination of diseases. The deceased had lived in the Sunny-side country, but moved to this city last fall. He leaves a wife but no children. The funeral was held Sunday.

LAYFIELD:—Stella, wife of Robert Layfield, aged 32 years, died at the family residence on the west side, after a prolonged illness, Saturday. The funeral was held from the undertaking parlors of E. L. Sessions Monday afternoon, interment being made in Tacoma cemetery. The deceased leaves a husband but no children.

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The Democrat is not, or at least, does not aim to be an alarmist. Yet, it seems to us that the time and conditions are ripe to drop a few words of warning in the public ear relative to the local situation.

To begin with, there ought not to be any doubt in the mind of any reasonable man who has taken the pains to inform himself, that property values generally in this vicinity are being held to high at the present time; a fact that is beginning to work injury to the material interests of the whole community. Newcomers arriving here, after making an investigation become satisfied of this and the inclination of the majority of them; then is to go elsewhere in search of cheaper irrigable lands on which to make a home and they usually succeed in finding what they are looking for.

Every good business man, whether he be a farmer or not, knows that the real value of agricultural land depends entirely on what the soil will produce. In order to know accurately the value of the land's production the returns for a series of years must be calculated, the lean years when prices are low as well as the fat ones when prices rule high. Thus a fair average may be struck which gives a reasonable basis on which to base permanent values. By calculating otherwise a man will deceive nobody but himself for the inflexible law of supply and demand regulates these things and arbitrary prices will not stand the test of time.

Hops, for instance, are worth say 25 cents per pound at this time at which price there is an enormous profit to the grower, reaching perhaps 200 per cent on the cost of production. However, every hop grower knows that it would be rank idiocy to estimate the value of his hop yard on the results of one season for he knows that the past year has been for him the most prosperous in a series of ten. Within the period named he remembered that there were one or two seasons when he failed to get his money back that he expended for labor.

Our people will do well to keep their heads cool and not get inflated ideas as to what their property is worth. It is not safe to discount the future too much for no man knows what it will bring forth. The investor is proverbially timid and if every man he meets asks him a higher price than he believes the property is worth he is certain to skip out for other fields and give the country he leaves a bad reputation.

If you don't feel like selling your property at a reasonable valuation the best way to do is not to put a price upon it. When a stranger comes along making inquiries tell him that you have got such a good thing that you do not want to part with it. Don't drive the newcomer away by assuming that he is a "sucker" by asking him double the price that you would be willing to pay yourself were conditions reversed. Already the cry has gone forth and is being heralded all over the northwest that the price of land in the Yakima valley has "gone out of sight" and these reports are doing us an inestimable amount of harm. To be sure, these reports are exaggerated but there is enough of truth in them to give many people here at home a tired feeling.

The Yakima valley is one of the best and most fertile spots of earth under the canopy. But our people should remember that the prosperity and future greatness of this favored section rests entirely on but one industry which of course, is agriculture, the foundation of all other industries. Since our horizon is bounded by agriculture then why should we not give the agriculturist a chance? He is the man who has to dig a living out of mother earth for all the rest of us. It is therefore only the part of wisdom to give the man who wants to till the soil a show. Don't be a hog and try to steal the profit of his labors for five years or more in advance but give the man a chance who wishes to come in and become a producer.

The Portland Oregonian, otherwise known as the "Thunderer" keeps up its campaign of abuse and vilification of Gov. McBride. The animus of Editor Scott toward the governor is due mainly of course to the executive veto of the \$50,000 appropriation for the Portland exposition in 1905.

The "Thunderer" would do well to attend to its own business and allow the governor of this state to attend to his. The people of Washington don't relish the constant interference of the Portland paper in their affairs anyway. Editor Scott's chronic mania of always wanting to boss everybody has kept him in hot water the most of his life and pretty thoroughly discredited him in his own state.

The people of the lower Mississippi valley in many localities have been driven from their homes by the flood of water which has swooped down upon them this spring, resulting in some loss of life and heavy losses in property destroyed. The chief reason for these annual floods lies in the fact of the wholesale destruction of timber in the valleys of the upper river and its tributaries. The first warm breath of spring thus melts the heavy snowfall of that region, liberates a tremendous amount of water which often means death and devastation to the people below.

Nor is this by any means the whole extent of damage done by forest denudation. There is yet perhaps a more serious side to the forest destruction than the havoc wrought by floods. This is in the fact that the rainfall of the upper central states, according to governmental reports, shows a gradual and steady decline. Already in some drouth stricken sections of Michigan, Wisconsin and Illinois the farmers are compelled to resort to irrigation to make certain of growing their crops successfully—a method that they were disposed to ridicule only a few years ago.

It is to be hoped that the general government will soon begin to take some positive steps to repair the terrible destruction of the forest wealth of the country that has been going on for the past 25 or 30 years. Not only should some method be devised to protect the present timber supply, but efforts should be made in different sections to establish a new supply. Other nations have been compelled to do this and every government of Europe today is engaged in the effort to promote forestry since they realize how essential it is to the welfare of their people.

President Roosevelt seems to have a better conception of the needs of the country in this direction than any of his predecessors and it is to be hoped that the present administration will take steps towards sensible forestry legislation which will at least have the effect of neutralizing the evil that is being done.

COL. HENRY WATTERSON, the distinguished editor of the Louisville Courier-Journal, is always interesting, though often wrong. Editor Watterson, it will be remembered, jumped the party traces in 1896 when he refused to support Bryan for the presidency. He recanted somewhat in 1900, however, and got back into line bringing the state of Kentucky back with him. While never a devout believer in the revised democratic creed and always at heart a gold standard democrat, the picturesque Kentucky colonel nevertheless has but little use for Grover Cleveland and bitterly resents the assumption of leadership on the part of the sage of Princeton. Quite recently Col. Watterson delivered himself of the following through the columns of the Courier-Journal:

"To the great body of the democrats of the west and south Mr. Cleveland is an eyesore, an offense, a red flag, but to those democrats who like ourselves would bridge the chasm of 1896-1900, he is merely an obstruction. He stands right across the middle of the bridge, blocking the way. Except for him there would be no serious trouble.

"If we were his friend, and assuredly we are not his enemy we would say to him:

"Mr. Cleveland, the democratic shipwreck came to pass while you were on the bridge; many of the crew and some of the passengers hold you responsible and guilty of incompetency, if not of treachery. Even according to your own rating of yourself you have done enough for your party and your country. You are an old man. Why complicate the situation, embarrassing your friends and cheating your age of its repose by once more undertaking to seize the helm and steer the ship.

The return of the British exploring ship Discovery from the Antarctic ocean seems to have added a good deal of fresh knowledge regarding that least known portion of the globe.

Captain Scott, the commander of the Discovery, which was fitted out for Antarctic exploration by the Royal Geographical society, states that this ship reached latitude 83 deg. 20 min., which is over 100 miles farther south than hitherto reached by any previous explorer. He discovered what he thinks to be an extensive continent, which he believes extends to the pole in a series of high mountains. The Discovery wintered a year ago at a point 400 miles farther south than any previous exploring ship had ever wintered.

It seems to be the general opinion of scientific men who take a deep interest in polar exploration that if Capt. Scott's conclusions are correct a comparatively easy way of reaching the south pole has been found and that it will be only a matter of a few years when the southern apex of our terrestrial sphere will be discovered and the secrets of that unknown portion of the globe given to mankind.

A VERY polite way of telling some one we don't like, to go to Hades, has been pointed out by Secretary Shaw, who is accredited with throwing off the following delightful, j'en d'esprite:

"Go ask papa," the maiden said. The young man knew her father was dead;

He also knew the life he had led, And he understood her when she said, "Go ask papa."

—Olympia Standard.

It need not surprise anyone if President Roosevelt should conclude to cut the state of Washington out of his itinerary on his coming visit. There can be no doubt but that the president is sore and disgusted with the unseemly quarrel that is now on as to how he shall divide his time while in this state. Senator Foster, it would seem, is chiefly responsible for all this fuss and feathers by reason of having so arranged the Roosevelt program that the president would see Seattle only by night. The Seattle people naturally rebelled at such treatment and sent Congressman Humphrey to Washington to have the schedule changed. The firing and cross-firing that has resulted, has doubtless made "Teddy" wish that he had never agreed to come.

If one-half of what the Seattle papers say about Senator Foster in this connection, is true, it would seem as though the "business" Senator was engaged in pretty small business in thus discriminating between his constituents.

THE DEMOCRAT is pleased to extend congratulations to the editor of our esteemed contemporary, the Republic, over his appointment by Gov. McBride as a St. Louis Fair Commissioner. Mr. Robertson, we believe, will make an efficient commissioner and will doubtless see to it that his home county is suitably represented in the matter of collecting the exhibit.

We are inclined to concur in the opinion, however, that the acting governor has shown rather to much partisan zeal in the selection of his commission. Seven out of the nine appointees are republicans of the McBride faction while only two are democrats. We also note that the State Fair Commission as re-organized now includes four republicans to one democrat. In making this class of appointments, presumed to be largely honorary, the acting governor might well have profited by the more liberal example set by the lamented Gov. Rogers.

And now Mr. Grover Cleveland of Princeton, New Jersey, is going to make a junketing trip around the country, presumably for the purpose of testing his popularity among the people. It is rumored that he may even extend his trip through Bryan's bailiwick of Nebraska. The sage of Princeton would better stay at home and save his money. When he goes out on exhibition people will doubtless turn out to see him but they will be prompted more by curiosity than by admiration. A great many no doubt, would be glad to have a good look at him in order to satisfy themselves as to whether in his abdominal proportions he is really as big as he has been pictured for years by republican papers.

The most caustic comment that we have yet seen on the record made by the late republican legislature is from the trenchant pen of Editor Robert Montgomery of the Summer Herald. The article appeared in the Seattle Times of the date of March 25. We quote briefly from the opening paragraph: "Betrayal of trust, breaking of promises, perfidy, dishonesty, open corruption and bribe taking are the characteristics, the earmarks of identification of the putrid legislature that has just closed its infamous career—a career so notoriously vile and scandalous that the recollection will be for years to come to cause a stench in the nostrils of all decent and respectable people."

New Mexico's aspirations to statehood are as old as the hills. In an interview with the correspondent for the Washington Post, Former Governor Prince of New Mexico said: "Fifty-two years ago the people New Mexico elected a full state ticket and two United States senators and got as far as where Kansas City now stands ere they learned of the compromise where statehood was given to California and New Mexico was kept a territory. Every since then the New Mexicans have been bending all their efforts to get into the union and several times they have but narrowly missed success.—The Commoner.

It is said that some of the more prominent gamblers of the state are preparing to test the constitutionality of the new anti-gambling law. A straw man will be found who is willing to take chances on going to the "pen," who will be instructed to violate the law in order to see how the supreme court will rule on the new statute. The proceedings will doubtless be watched with much interest by all classes.

EX-SENATOR CORBETT of Oregon, died suddenly Tuesday from heart disease at his Portland home. He was 76 years of age and is said to have left a fortune aggregating \$5,000,000. He was U. S. senator for the term ending March 4, 1873. He was a banker and was believed to have been the wealthiest man in Oregon. He was president of the Lewis and Clark exposition company.

THE strike of the Seattle and Tacoma street car men fizzled out this week and the men have been scrambling to get their jobs back. When public sentiment is against the strikers, as in this case, they have no chance to win. The fact that everybody had to walk for a week in the Sound towns, is what changed public sentiment.

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"Commoner" Paragraphs.
Mr. Oxnard is building a handsome mansion near Washington, his beet fields and factories at the upper end of Pennsylvania avenue requiring his almost constant attention.

Ex-Governor Taylor is suing a former partner for an accounting, but not in the Kentucky courts. Taylor has no such confidence in the Kentucky courts as he has in Indiana's republican governor.

Before the Wisconsin legislature undertakes to solve the race question in the south it would do well to solve the question of corporation control in Wisconsin.

The railroads that have found that the Elkins law compels them to cut off all concessions to the public also have discovered they can increase their rates.

Mr. Littlefield's anti-trust experiences have not been in vain. He has learned the foolishness of believing that a party that benefits from trust contributions is likely to cut off the source of its supplies.

Another Vanderbilt has sworn off the larger portion of his personal taxes. Dodging taxes is another vested right that must be respected, it seems, provided the dodger is not a small property-holder without either great wealth or political influence.

When the reorganizers begin to mention as possible candidates the men who were loyal to the party and its principles the rank and file will begin to believe that the reorganizers really want harmony.

The United States "are" a nation, and the first section of the Thirteenth amendment to the constitution speaks of "their" jurisdiction. And the grammarians may put that in "his" pipes and smoke it.

The head of the new corporation bureau hastened to assure the public that there will be no wholesale assault on the industries of the country. Why not not assure the people that something will be done?

Before Mr. J. Pierpont Morgan's seven million art collection is admitted free of duty it might be well to admit free of duty a few things that the poor need and cannot buy on account of trust boosted prices.

Perhaps Mr. Hanna, who introduced the ex-slave pension bill "by request" would consent to introducing a few bills in the interests of the people. We say "perhaps" with a full knowledge of what the word means.

Poor Watterson! He is appealing to Cleveland not to run again and yet he is more than half afraid that Cleveland will refuse to listen to his entreaties. Why does he not announce himself as a candidate against Cleveland? He ought to be willing to make the sacrifice for the rescue of the country. The Commoner could wish each success as against the other.

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YAKIMA HORTICULTURAL UNION.

Constitution and By-Laws of the Society.

CONSTITUTION.

Name.

ARTICLE I.

SECTION 1. This organization shall be known as the Yakima County Horticultural Union.

Object.

SEC. 2. The object of this Union is the growing and shipping for sale any and all kinds of fruit and garden vegetables.

Place of Business.

SEC. 3. The headquarters of this Union shall be at North Yakima, Wash.

Membership.

SEC. 4. Any person may become a member of this Union who is of good moral character and a producer of fruits and vegetables; signing Constitution and By Laws, and payment of a membership fee of one dollar, and one dollar annual dues. Such dues will be due and payable on the first Saturday of March of each year, and failure to pay such dues after due notice of such delinquency has been given by the secretary, will suspend such member until all arrearages have been paid.

Officers.

SEC. 5. The officers of this Union shall be a president, vice president, secretary and treasurer, and three trustees, all of whom shall be members of this Union.

DUTIES OF OFFICERS.

President.

SEC. 6. The duties of the president shall be to preside at all meetings of the Union; sign all vouchers and call special meetings, and he shall be the executive officer of this Union.

Vice President.

SEC. 7. The vice president shall preside in the absence of the president and perform all duties depending upon the president.

Secretary.

SEC. 8. The secretary shall keep a

correct record of the proceedings of each meeting of the Union, also of the board of trustees, when called upon to do so, in a book provided for that purpose.

SEC. 9. He shall copy the constitution and By-Laws in a book provided for that purpose, and see that each member properly signs the same, and shall certify to the Union when any membership is called in question whether such member is in good standing.

SEC. 10. He shall keep a true and correct account of all moneys coming to him through the Union and immediately pay the same to the treasurer, taking his receipt therefor.

SEC. 11. He shall make monthly reports to the Union, or as often as called upon to do so, of all moneys passing through his hands, of all vouchers and orders issued upon the treasurer by him, of the names and number of members and all reports and correspondence, and all matters pertaining to his office.

Treasurer.

SEC. 12. The treasurer shall receive and safely keep all moneys coming to him through the Union and pay the same only on orders signed by the president and secretary, and report the condition of his office once each month.

Duties of Trustees.

SEC. 13. The trustees shall have charge of the business affairs of the Union, they shall appoint the business manager and shall have the oversight of his office, inspect and check up his accounts with the members once each month, or as often as they deem necessary, and on complaint of any member, require the manager to render itemized account to such member, and in case of neglect of the manager to do so, they shall proceed at once to examine the account of such member or members. They shall make monthly reports during shipping season of the condition of the markets and the affairs of the business manager, or as often as called upon to do so. They shall advise with him in any and all matters pertaining to the sale or shipment or the withholding from sale or shipment of any fruit or vegetables on account of the condition of such fruit or produce or condition of market, and such action shall be deemed proper and final by this Union.

BY-LAWS.

ARTICLE I.

SEC. 1. The business manager shall be appointed by the trustees by and with consent of a majority vote of this Union; and he shall have charge of the buying, selling and shipping for sale all fruits and vegetables brought to him by the Union.

SEC. 2. He shall collect all moneys due the members of the Union arising from the sale of all fruits or vegetables sold by him for the members, and pay the same to such members as soon as returns are received and the accounts properly entered upon his books.

SEC. 3. He shall inspect, receipt for, grade and stamp with trade mark all fruits and vegetables coming to him through the Union, and ship same to the best market possible, but he may refuse for sale or shipment any fruit or vegetables that he may deem unfit for market, either for bad condition, poor packing or inferior quality.

Compensation of Manager.

SEC. 4. The business manager shall receive for his compensation such salary or commission as the trustees may determine upon, provided the same shall be approved by this Union. The manager shall deduct pro-rata from the moneys received from the sale of fruits or vegetables for each member such per cent as may be determined upon by the trustees, for his pay.

SEC. 5. The trustees may remove the business manager at any time they deem it necessary.

Subordinate Unions.

SEC. 6. There may be subordinate Unions formed at each shipping point, each member of which shall be a member of the general organization.

SEC. 7. There may be an assistant manager appointed by the members of each subordinate Union, who shall act in harmony with the general manager. The compensation of such subordinate manager may be whatever such subordinate organization may determine upon.

Annual Elections.

SEC. 8. The annual elections of this

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Our position will ever be to cheapen the cost to you by the first method only. We cannot afford to build up a practice that will not recommend itself to every patient we work for. If we did work for you that was not satisfactory (no matter how cheap it was) you would not recommend your friends here, neither would you return for any further services, should you ever need them.

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It is our purpose to build up a substantial practice along honorable lines and to do it without misrepresentations of any kind. On this basis we solicit your patronage. Very respectfully,
Dr. A. F. CAMPBELL, Mgr.

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North Yakima, Wash.

The Coming Event! What?

April 16th and 17th Jubilee Minstrels.

Larson's Theatre.

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Union shall be held on the first Saturday of March of each year in the City of North Yakima, Washington, notice of which shall be given by the secretary by publishing notice of the time and place of such meeting ten days previous to such meeting, but failure to publish such notice shall not invalidate any business which may be legally transacted at such meeting, provided ten or more members shall be present and voting. Notice of such meeting may be published in the newspapers of the county, or by postal card to each member.

Special Meetings.

SEC. 9. Special meetings may be called by the president at any time he may think proper, and he shall be required to call such meetings on the written request of five members; and in case of his neglect or refusal to do so, any member may call such meeting at the written request of five members.

Amendment of Constitution or By-Laws.

SEC. 10. No part of the Constitution or By-Laws shall be changed except by a vote of two-thirds of all the members of the Union who shall be represented at such meeting either personally or by proxy.

SEC. 11. The Constitution and By-Laws may be changed at the annual meeting, or at a special meeting called for that purpose by the secretary, who shall give thirty days notice of such meeting by sending each member a written notice of the time, place and object of such meeting.

MISCELLANEOUS.

Authority of Union.

SEC. 12. All power and authority is vested in the body of this Union, and shall have oversight of any and all acts performed by any member or members for this Union.

Powers of Trustees.

SEC. 13. The trustees shall have power to transact any business for the Union, and such acts shall be legal and binding upon all members alike; provided that any member may appeal from the acts of the trustees to the Union, which shall have the right to investigate such acts of the trustees and approve or disapprove as a majority of the members may elect by vote.

Compensation of Trustees.

SEC. 14. The board of trustees shall receive three dollars per day for every day spent in checking up the accounts of the manager.

Inspection of Fruits.

SEC. 15. The trustees may appoint some competent person to inspect the manner of packing, quality of fruit or other products that may be offered to the Union for sale or shipment, and grade and mark the same, or refuse to receive for shipment any and all fruit or products that may be of poor or inferior quality.

SEC. 16. Each package of fruit or vegetables shall be branded with the owners number, a record of which shall be kept by the manager accrediting to such number the number of packages received from such member for sale or shipment receipting to such number therefor.

Duties of Members.

SEC. 17. It shall be unconstitutional for any member after signing the Constitution and By-Laws, to purchase any boxes or crates for the purpose of shipping any fruit or vegetables except through the Union; provided any member living near the mills where boxes and crates are made, shall be allowed to purchase boxes and supplies at such point, and in no wise shall they be allowed to ship their fruits or vegetables on commission except through the Union; but members may ship fruit or vegetables to parties having paid cash for the same at

the shipping point; such shipments shall not be deemed as shipping on commission.

SEC. 18. The secretary may be secretary of the meetings of the trustees when called upon to act in such capacity, and shall receive such compensation as the trustees may deem proper.

Bonds.

SEC. 19. The board of trustees may require the business manager and treasurer to give bonds in such sums and with such sureties as they may deem necessary.

Business Manager.

SEC. 20. The business manager shall not be allowed to sell or ship fruit or of vegetables for any one not a member of this Union.

SEC. 21. All fruits or vegetables packed in an unsalable manner may be repacked at the expense of owner, as the manager may deem advisable.

Dues.

SEC. 22. The membership fee shall not be more than one dollar payable on such person becoming a member, and shall thereafter pay one dollar annual dues on the first Saturday of March each year, and failure to pay such dues within 30 days thereafter, shall deprive such member of all privileges and benefits coming to him through the Union, as provided in section 4 of the Constitution.

SEC. 23. All moneys arising from membership and dues shall be used to defray the expenses of the Union; but if the moneys received from dues shall not be sufficient for the expenses of the Union, then the trustees are empowered to levy an assessment of one dollar upon each member per quarter.

W. L. WRIGHT, President.

R. O. BACON, Vice President.

J. M. BROWN, Secretary.

EDWARD REMY, Treasurer.

They Have Dangerous Powers.

In its attitude toward offending towns in the Big Bend district the Great Northern has given a pointed object lesson on the need of public control of the common carriers. Because the company could not have additional land for sidetracks on terms of its own dictation, the town of Mohler has been marked for destruction. The company has torn up existing sidetracks, and no more freight can be unloaded there. According to the statement of Mr. Yarwood, owner of the land desired by the company, the Great Northern's action has been highly arbitrary and unreasonable. He asserts that he asks the company nothing for the desired land, but did insist that he be given \$1000 for the removal of buildings sitting on the tract, or else the company bear the expense of their removal.

But the question of who was right or who was wrong has no bearing on the issue here presented. The fact remains that under existing conditions the Great Northern company has the dangerous power to destroy towns whenever in its judgment they give offense.

Odessa has also been put on the anxious seat. It is an incorporated town. The railroad company demands disincorporation and the penalty of refusal is said to be the town's destruction.

This is dangerous power to yield to a common carrier. In all such matters the state should be the arbiter, and it can perform that duty only through the agency of a state railroad commission.—Spokesman Review.

New Suits Fitted.

The following new suits have been fitted this week with Clerk Day of the Superior court:

Selah Valley Ditch Co. vs Richard Crampton and — Crampton—condemnation of property;

John Kennedy vs Flora Prosser and Wm F. Prosser—on contract;

Thomas C. Hansen vs Thomas J. Hansen and Ira A. Hansen—to quiet title;

Ontario Land Co. vs Francis E. Dunning and City of North Yakima—foreclosure of mortgage;

Gertrude Long vs Frank Long—divorce.

The Ellensburg Localizer Sold.

The Ellensburg Localizer was sold this week by F. D. Schnebly, its owner, to the Randall Bros., publishers of the Cascade Miner at Roslyn. The Localizer was founded a good many years ago by David R. Schnebly, the veteran journalist, who died some two years ago at the ripe old age of 83. From its inception the Localizer has been regarded as the democratic party organ of Kittitas county. It has not been announced, as yet, whether or not the politics of the paper will remain unchanged under the new management.

'Twas A FINE GAME.

Opening Ball Game of the Season Results in a Victory for the Spokane Professionals—Score 4 to 1.

Captain Bert Dunn and his aggregation of '03 Hop Pickers made their bow last Sunday, with the Spokane Northwest Leaguers as opponents. A large crowd filed out to the new grounds and had a happy time in sizing things up. They were satisfied with the new grandstand and other accommodations. They were satisfied with the players, and especially those of whom they knew nothing. In Wilkins the local fans feel that they lost nothing when "Stub" Nichols moved away from North Yakima.

In Gibson, formerly with the strong amateur team ever seen in Spokane, they found a first baseman second to none ever seen here. When Col. "Slats" Taylor straightened out his form and started for the pitcher's slab, someone said something about the shape of a lath; but when Taylor let loose that arm of his and began fooling the leaguers with his speed and shoots he instantly became a favorite. The rest of the team are well known here each having been a favorite last year. "Spec" Hurlburt, the Seattle leaguer, who played at third, made an error and one hit; but he does not count in the make-up of the team. If Capt.-Manager Dunn makes as good selection in the case of a regular third baseman as he has done with the new members of the Hop-pickers thus far, he can be city councilman at the next election on an independent ticket.

As to the game it was good and fast, especially so when it is considered that the players had hardly got their spring eyes open for the ball. In a moment of bewilderment Harry Speidel lost the points of the compass and threw the ball 18 feet to the starboard of Gibson, Hurlburt got buck fever in the very first inning and became responsible for a run. Batting was not very fierce, Roy Shaw leading both teams with three hits, one of which was the scratch order. Carney and Klopff each scored two hits, the former getting two two-baggers.

The Hop Pickers made two errors, five hits and one run. Judging from the showing made in the first game in the season, and that as early as March, North Yakimas may expect good sharp playing as summer rolls on and the men get rounded to. Only once was there any show of unfairness and that was when Klopff ran into Speidel at second and spoiled the only chance for a double play that came up in the game.

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Radium a Wonderful Metal.

Recent articles have touched upon the wonderful properties and extreme value of radium. A short time ago the price of this metal was quoted on the London market at \$900,000 per pound, being a reduction from its former price of \$1,000,000 per pound. The following regarding the substance is taken from the New York Herald:

Radium is the latest sensation in the scientific world. It is said to be the most important in the last generation and epochal in the history of science. Briefly described, it is a powder, or combination of metals which gives off a light almost as strong as the light of the sun. It is almost as far ahead of Roentgen rays, the scientific sensation of six years ago, as those of twilight.

When the so-called X-rays scientists actually photographed the bones of living persons, laymen were awed. This accomplishment would be the merest child's play for radium. With it a photograph can be taken through three feet of iron or a foot of lead. Its value to surgery, to medical science and physical science cannot even be approximated. To modern scientific research it is what the discovery of the telescope was to astronomy.

With its rays, which escape through many thick wrappers, a New York man took a photograph in a closed and almost hermetically sealed trunk. In a dark room it glows like phosphorus. Carried in one's pocket, it causes a blister on the body exactly like sunburn.

The strength of the pure metal is almost beyond belief. Prof. Curie of Paris, the discoverer, says he would not dare not trust himself in a room with a kilo of pure radium, as it would without doubt destroy his eyes, burn all the skin off his body and perhaps cause instant death. From carrying a small metallic case containing a small bit of the metal under his arm he sustained a burn which was 50 days in healing.

Mme Sklowska Curie was associated with her husband in the experiments which led to the discovery of the metal. They had found that a metal known as uranium possessed great radio activity, and later discovered a still greater radiant substance, which, in honor of Mme. Curie, a Polish woman, was named polonium. This led them to believe that there was a metal of even greater radio activity, and they hit upon radium. It will never be plentiful, because of the great quantity of substances, scarce in themselves, which are required to produce it. To obtain one kilo (two and three-tenths pounds) 5,000 tons of uranium residues must be treated.

It is a white crystalline powder, which in the light looks inoffensive and harmless, but when in the dark glows like steel melted to its highest pitch. And whether it be in the daylight or dark it is constantly sending out the rays which can pierce through three feet of iron, take photographs in closed trunks and burn through metallic cases. Its rays travel almost as fast as sunlight. Its ultimate uses will be as an aid to surgeons, physicians and medical practitioners, and to each of them it is said it will be an invaluable assistant.

Iron Ore Strike.

Arch Fuller, of Pateros, has made quite a valuable discovery about two miles above the mouth of the Methow, in a 40 foot ledge of iron. This ledge can be traced for 5000 feet up the mountain side and widens a little in that distance.

Assays from surface croppings run 60 per cent pure metallic iron. This property has been visited by some of the best known mining men in the state, who pronounce it a bonanza.—Brewster Herald.

The Ladies Aid Society of the M. E. church will hold an Easter sale Saturday afternoon and evening of April 11. Watch for it.

City of North Yakima, } ss.
State of Washington.

Notice of Sale.

Notice is hereby given that in pursuance of an order given by the Officers and Members of the Protective Association of New York, and with the consent of the New York Apparel Co. of Seattle, we the undersigned Trustees of the said New York Apparel Co., will sell at private sale without reserve or limit this Entire Stock of Men's and Boys' Fine Clothing, Hats and Furnishing Goods, which we have caused to be placed in the CADWELL BLOCK, on SOUTH SECOND STREET, between Chestnut and Walnut streets, in the City of North Yakima, said stock was shipped here on account of said parties losing their building, their storeroom having been leased over their heads, and not being able to get a room suitable for this immense stock were forced to move where they could sell their goods quickly to save them from BANKRUPTCY and on account of this misfortune and having to meet certain indebtedness to the amount of \$9,450.00, which must be paid on or before Tuesday, April 21, or lose the Entire Stock, in accordance with said agreement as set forth an order has been given to us to sell as much stock as will cover said amount together with cost of advertising and other expenses. SALE COMMENCES APRIL 3, 8:30 A. M. SHARP, continuing for 18 days. Positively no goods sold until date of sale. Following we quote a few Trustees' prices:

Boys' 75c knee Pants.....19c
Men's 15c Black and Tan Maco Hose.....7c
Men's 25c Suspenders.....8c
Men's white linen Handkerchiefs.....2c
Men's 75c Madras Working Shirts.....35c
Men's 50c lisle finish, open-work Hose.....12½c
Men's Derby Ribbed Underwear.....25c
Ladies' 75c and \$1 Fancy Lisle Hose.....19c
Boys' "Mothers' Friend" Short Waist.....17c
Men's Fancy Lisle Hose.....5c
4-ply Linen Collars.....2c
Boys' \$1 Working Gloves.....34c
Children's \$1.50 all-wool Sweaters.....40c
Men's \$10 Wool Suits, form-fitting, sewed with silk throughout.....\$3 95
Men's \$12 all-wool, black and blue chevrot Suits, fine tailor-fitted, sewed with silk throughout.....4 95
Men's \$15 fine worsted Suits in the new white and black effects.....6 95
Men's \$17.50 fancy worsted pincheek effect Sack Suits.....8 45
Men's fine black clay worsted Suits, fine serge lining, hand-made collar, concave shoulders.....9 95
Men's \$20 fancy worsted Scotch chev. Suits.....10 95
Men's \$25 silk weave worsted and French clay worsted Suits.....12 45

Men's \$10 black raglan chevrot Overcoats.....4 95
Men's \$12 melton Overcoats.....6 95
Men's \$15 brown and blue Kersey Overcoats.....7 95
Men's \$20 raglan ulster Overcoats in all the newest creations and styles.....10 95
Men's \$25 English melton and kersey Overcoats.....12 95
Boys' knee pants Suits.....2 95
Boys' \$5 knee pants Suits.....3 45
Boys' \$7 all-wool long pants Suits.....4 75
Boys' \$9 all-wool dress Suits.....2 95
Boys' \$5 Overcoats.....4 65
Men's \$1 white laundered Dress Shirts.....45c
Men's 90c wool mixed Underwear.....49c
Men's \$1 wool mixed Underwear.....98c
Men's \$1.50 twisted worsted Pants.....90c
Men's \$2.50 Dress Pants in latest fall patterns.....1 24
Men's \$3 Dress Pants in latest fall patterns.....1 50
Men's \$5 fancy worsted Dress Pants hand-shaped, trimmed in the best style.....2 45
Men's \$8 imported worsted and cashmere Pants, with French waistband and Burger clasp.....3 45
Men's \$2 Fedora Hats.....1 00
Men's \$2.50 Military shape Hats.....1 45
Men's \$3 French fur Fedora Hats in the latest shades and styles.....1 75

Remember that time is a factor of the prices. We must raise the money. This is an opportunity to buy your merchandise for less than the local merchants have to pay wholesale for the same. This sale positively starts at 8:30 A. M., APRIL 3, and will be continued from day to day for 18 days, and a total settlement will be made on April 21, at 6:30 p. m., and the parties concerned will then take possession of the stock upon payment of said indebtedness.

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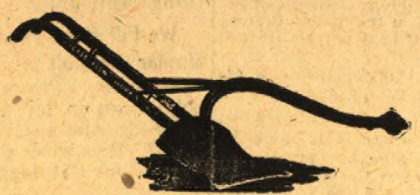
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Mrs. Gertrude Long of Prosser, has brought suit for divorce in the superior court against her husband, Frank Long, alleging desertion. The plaintiff also asks that her child, a girl of 10, be awarded to her.

Hon. Carroll B. Graves of Ellensburg has accepted the invitation of Meade Post No. 9 to deliver the Decoration day address in this city. Judge Graves is a most eloquent speaker and a better selection probably could not have been made.

Furniture—Much cheaper than the regular furniture stores. Coffin Bros. 29tf

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The Local Round-Up.

The Spokane ball players were the guests of the Hotel Yakima while in this city.

The Prosser Record is authority for the statement that Mabton is soon to have a newspaper.

Street commissioner Lemon has served notice on property owners to clean up their premises.

Shipments of fruit trees are arriving here daily, a fact that keeps Inspector Beck on the jump to inspect the stock.

The Hoppickers are to play the Walla Walla ball tossers on the home grounds this afternoon and tomorrow afternoon. Spokane plays here again on Tuesday.

The ladies of St. Joseph's Catholic church at a meeting held last Sunday resolved to hold a big fair some next fall for the benefit of the building fund.

The Commercial club will hold a special meeting next Tuesday evening to consider plans for the entertainment of President Roosevelt and party May 25.

The Masonic fraternity is expecting a visit from Grand Lecturer J. M. Taylor of Seattle on the 11th. A banquet will be held that evening in Masonic hall in honor of the visitor.

The John Backer ranch of 67 1/2 acres in the Selah was sold last week to a new arrival from Minnesota. The consideration was \$100 per acre. Fechter & Janek made the sale.

The N. P. company on Wednesday stationed a flagman to warn the traveling public at the dangerous avenue crossing. There was another very narrow escape on Tuesday.

W. D. Walker won the championship medal of the Yakima Gun club, having wrested it from Alderman Tom Fisher at the regular weekly shooting match last Sunday.

Dr. Wm. L. Shawk, the agency physician at Fort Simcoe, was in the city Thursday to meet Mrs. Shawk and their two sons who arrived that day from Fort Hall, Idaho.

The Horticultural Union has made arrangements with the firm of Newton & Ryan of Spokane to handle the produce of its members this season. The firm will keep a representative here.

The new hardware firm of Cowing & Wilcox is putting out a very neat key ring which is quite a novelty. Each particular ring bears a number which when returned to the store is presumed to identify the owner.

Albert French, a halfbreed living on the reservation, was arrested at Toppenish Tuesday by Deputy U. S. Marshall Short on the charge of beating his wife. The prisoner was brought to this city and lodged in the county jail.

Work is being rushed on the new Cascade saw mill in order to be ready to begin sawing by the 15th, which the company will be ready to do providing that that they get a sufficient number of logs down the river by that time.

The Lutheran church of this city has incorporated and will build a new church on the west side. The incorporators are Rev. J. Gihring, Fred Steindorf, Carl Schroeder, Valentine Rettig, Carl Schlein, Charles Marten and Emil Meertel.

Mrs. Hughes, who for the past three years has been matron at the Fort Simcoe Indian school, left Thursday to accept a position as field matron in the school on the Navajo reservation in Arizona. The new position carries an annual salary of \$150 over the one relinquished.

Joe Wilkins, the Hoppickers' new catcher, will shortly open at Cook's 2. Second St. resort, a bowling alley and billiard and pool room. His partner is named Watkins and came here with Wilkins. They will put in two Brunswick-Balke alleys of regulation size and promise the best alleys in the northwest.

L. A. Noble, the government engineer who has been making an investigation of the proposed Tietan canal came in the first of the week and later left for Seattle. He was uncommunicative on the subject, but intimated that he thought favorably of the project which means that he will make a favorable report.

As the DEMOCRAT was going to press Friday evening a telegram was received from Col. Robertson at Seattle stating that the permanent headquarters of the St. Louis Fair Commission had been secured for North Yakima. The colonel is certainly to be congratulated for the success he has scored in behalf of North Yakima.

W. H. Minner, the well known rancher of the Ahtanum, went to Seattle Tuesday in company with a very beautiful lady, who, dame rumor says, is to become his wife. The lady has been a resident of Seattle and the friends of the bridegroom say that the ceremony was to have been performed at the lady's residence in that city Thursday.

Mrs. Agnes McWain, the young wife of Roy McWain, one of the city mail carriers, died Thursday night of throat disease after a lingering illness. The funeral services will be held Sunday at 2:30 p. m. from the M. E. church. The deceased was formerly Miss Agnes Pollock and had a host of friends in this community who mourn her untimely end.

Henry Oldenstadt, the horseman, was in town early in the week and stated that he expected that Col. Hathaway of the United States Army quartermaster's department, will be in town in about two weeks to hold inspection of horses submitted for sale to the army. Mr. Oldenstadt's trip to Oregon resulted in his finding too many animals unbroken. The army wants well broken horses.

The New York Apparel Co. of Seattle, this week opened up its new store in the large Cadwell building on South Second street. This firm conduct a large store in the Times block, Seattle and concluded to establish a branch here, after carefully looking over the field. Their line is clothing and gent's furnishings. Mr. Sommers, the local manager, is a pleasant gentleman to meet and is a thorough business man. Read the new firms opening announcement in this issue.

Personal.

Mrs. Geo. Hough left for California Tuesday on a visit to relatives.

City Attorney Snyder visited Ellensburg Wednesday on legal business.

Manager Granger of the Washington Irrigation Co. was in the city Saturday.

Mrs. C. H. Crane will leave next week for Hailey, Idaho, to visit her daughter.

Attorney Herman W. Craven of Seattle was here on legal business Wednesday.

Will Blunker, who has been in the Mt. Baker section of the state is back in town.

Geo. Anderson, manager of the "Hub" store at Mabton was the guest of Henry Taylor Sunday.

C. L. Dingle, of the jewelry firm of Dingle & Pusch, visited Seattle the middle of the week.

John Bartholet, now of Ellensburg, spent Saturday and Sunday with his family in this city.

Judge Rudkin returned from Ellensburg Thursday where he had been holding court this week.

Secretary Sinclair of the Cascade Lumber company returned Tuesday from his visit to St. Paul.

Marcus Graves of the North Yakima drug store returned Wednesday from a business visit to the Sound.

Judge Williamson came over from Tacoma Tuesday to breathe the pure ozone of Yakima for a few days.

James Leslie the popular representative of the Richmond Paper company was a Yakima visitor this week.

Walter Hess of the Ahtanum, left Tuesday for Coldwell, Ida. to join his parents who reside near that place.

Charles E. Forsyth, formerly of Buffalo, N. Y., has opened an office in the new Sloan building for the practice of law.

I. W. Ferris, who has been with the North Yakima Milling company for the past three years, leaves today for Imperial, Cal.

John Michels returned from Nelson Siding Tuesday where he went to inspect the development work in the Blue Jacket mine.

Wm. Meister and wife of Seattle who have been the guests of the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. Johnson, returned home Monday.

J. W. Carey, who for a number of years has been the efficient agent of the N. P. at Prosser, now has charge of Coffin Bros. new store at that place.

Volney Taft who has been seriously ill for five months is now considerably improved and is able to sit up a good part of each day and partake of solid food.

Senator Splawn was in town Saturday from his Cowychee ranch. Since returning from Olympia Mr. Splawn has been the victim of a prolonged attack of the grip.

Mr. Abner Crawford, who now resides on the Nile, came down Tuesday to visit for a few days with friends in this city. He reports that but little snow is now left in that valley.

S. W. Emerson came over from Seattle last week for a short visit prior to his departure for Juneau, Alaska, where he goes to superintend the construction of a large stamp mill.

C. H. McCoy of Spokane stopped off for a visit with his old friend, H. J. Rand, Thursday. It was Mr. McCoy's first visit to North Yakima, and like most strangers, he was very favorably impressed with the town.

Cashier Streitz of the Yakima Valley Bank, returned home Tuesday from his hurried trip to Omaha where he went to visit his sick mother. On his arrival there he received the sorrowful information that his mother had died the day preceding.

Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Poole will leave here Monday on an extended visit to Southern California. Mr. Poole emphatically denies that he intends to pull up stakes in Yakima. Instead of selling out his big Natchez hop ranch, as reported, Mr. Poole merely sold an interest in the property to his business associates, Fechter & Janek.

E. W. R. Taylor, the good natured if not good looking mayor of Prosser, was a business visitor to the county seat Tuesday. Mayor Taylor asserts that Prosser is just now a little bit the best town in the state of its size and that it has more than doubled its population during the past year. The mayor is now engaged in introducing a new brand of flour from his mill known as "Prosser's Best."

The ladies of the W. R. C. will give a New England dinner in the banquet room of Odd Fellows hall today. Come out and get a good dinner which will be served for 25 cents.

The contract for the construction of the new block for the Yakima National Bank was let this week to Robert Scott. Work is to be started on the new building at once.

W. F. Powell is laying a cement walk this week along the east side of Second street between B and D which when completed will certainly be a credit to that handsome thoroughfare.

The Springvale Dairy company of this city has been incorporated recently with Ernest Fear, J. G. Hillyer and J. B. Braden as trustees. The capital stock of the new corporation is \$15,000 and its object to carry on a general dairy and creamery business.

The DEMOCRAT beginning with this issue will be a six instead of a four-page paper, the demands made upon us for advertising space necessitating the change which we hope to make permanent. This paper desires a number of good county correspondents from different sections of the county.

A valuable addition to the stock interest of this county is the herd of Red Polled Durhams brought to Yakima by J. T. Hedges, late of Indianapolis, Ind., consisting of six heifers and a bull. They were raised by J. H. Miller of Peru, Ind. and will undoubtedly carry off the blue ribbon at the fair this fall.

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Fruit Inspector Beck visited Toppenish the first of the week where he inspected a large shipment of fruit trees from Missouri. A few out of the lot were found to be badly infested with wooly aphids and were condemned and burned.

Garrett Bros., of North Yakima, will not use the land they recently bought near the Jeff Nelson place, for a brickyard. Last week they purchased 20 acres of ground of Mrs. Condon, on the hill north of town, and will use that for a brickyard, finding the ground there much better for this purpose. They paid \$1000 for this land. Goldendale Sentinel.

This enterprising firm last week started up their yard in this city, giving employment to about 25 hands.

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Mrs. Mary A. Vilet, Newcastle, Colo., writes: "I believe Ballard's Horehound Syrup is superior to any other cough medicine, and will do all that is claimed for it, and it is so pleasant to take. My little girl wants to take it when she has no need for it." Ballard's Horehound Syrup is the great cure for all pulmonary ailments.

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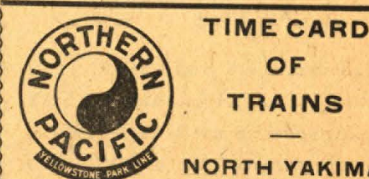
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No. 4—St. Paul and east... *3:00 p m | *3:00 p m
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