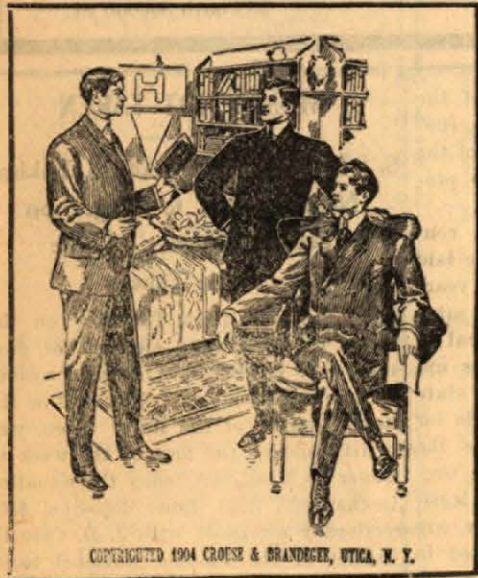


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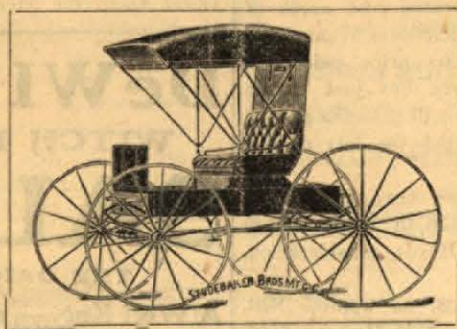
Keep in mind the fact that a tall man cannot wear a suit that a short man should wear. This is the satisfactory feature on both the Newport and Normandie. They are absolutely correct in every and all requirements. But the man who is not over six feet tall is not overlooked; the same careful attention has been given him. The result is our Arvon, which also has much elegance of make and gives the short-man extra inches in appearance. We have these styles in the NEW BROWNS—in beautiful and choice materials, those new patterns of slight over-plaids almost indistinct. These cost what you would expect, \$10.00 to \$35.00.

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THE SUPERIOR JUDGESHIP

A Republican Who Has Weighed the
Claims of Both Candidates Care-
fully Wants to See Preble
Elected.

North Yakima, Nov. 3.—Editor of the Yakima Democrat—Dear Sir: I wish, through your paper, to call attention of the voters to some considerations relative to the office of superior judge and the candidates thereof, which are in danger of being overlooked by some voters in the din of discussion of political questions. Every citizen, and particularly every taxpayer, is deeply interested in having a judge qualified by legal learning and experience to conduct the business of the court expeditiously and correctly. If the judge is not thus qualified, he is sure to drag out the business of the court to unnecessary lengths, and to make mistakes necessitating new trials, thus greatly increasing the expense to the taxpayers of holding the court, as well as inflicting hardships upon the litigants. For these reasons the voters owe it to themselves and the community to vote for the candidate best qualified for superior judge. There is absolutely no political significance in the office of judge. The judge can make no law. He simply applies the law as he finds it. It can make no difference to any one what are the politics of the judge, but it makes a great deal of difference to litigants and to the taxpayers whether or not the judge is an able, experienced and well read lawyer; therefore, not the politics but the qualifications of the two candidates only should be considered by the voters.

It is the duty of every voter to candidly investigate the qualification of each of the two candidates, and vote for the one best qualified, regardless of politics. It is expressly the duty of every citizen who is acquainted with the qualifications of the two candidates to make known to his fellow voters what he knows of their respective merits. By becoming a candidate for superior judge a man implicitly invites the voters to investigate his character and qualifications, and to make known the results of their investigations.

The office of superior judge is too important to be given to any man simply because he has been nominated by any political party. It is too important an office to be bestowed on any man on any other grounds than fitness for the office. I am a republican, but have discarded all party prejudice and candidly investigated and weighed the comparative merits of the two candidates for superior judge.

H. B. Rigg of North Yakima, the republican nominee, is a young man who has maintained a law office in this city for the past eight years. The records of the courts of Yakima county show that in all that time he has had but two jury cases in the superior court. He does not spend his time studying law. Is it not a valid and fair conclusion that a young man who does not study law and whose habits are just the reverse of studious, and who, in eight years, has had only two jury cases, is not a suitable man to select for that exalted office? Mr. Rigg's youth and inexperience, and want of that knowledge that can only be obtained by long and continued study, totally unfit him for judge.

The democratic nominee, E. B. Preble, is 47 years old, and has practiced law for more than 25 years. He is a man of studious and laborious habits. By careful study of his cases, honest dealings with his clients and forensic ability, he has won the confidence of the people of this community in his soundness of judgment and the integrity of his character. It is the concurring testimony of those who are personally acquainted with Mr. Preble, that his judgment, ripened by mature age and 25 years' active practice of law, his judicial temperament, studious habits, lively sense of justice and firm honesty, well qualify him for the office of judge. It is beyond question that the voters of this district owe it to themselves to lift the judiciary above politics by voting for the best qualified man.

A REPUBLICAN.

A "Night Cap" Social.

The ladies of the Degree of Honor, an auxiliary of the A. O. U. W., gave a unique and very enjoyable entertainment in Masonic hall Halloween night. Most everybody who came wore a night cap of some pattern and many were the odd and novel costumes in evidence. Games of all kinds were played and a luncheon consisting of excellent delectables was served. The ladies are deserving of congratulations upon the successful evening.

Around the Court House.

Mrs. Mamie Simpson has petitioned the court for a divorce from her husband, Charley C. Simpson, on the grounds of non-support and other charges.

Hiram R. Dannels is suing his wife, Minnie May Dannels, for a divorce. He alleges that she has deserted him and is now living in the Palouse country.

Hunters' licenses have been issued to the following: Wm. Gibson, Charles Holcomb, James H. Bailey, John Lyle, George W. Meyer, Arthur Taylor, C. N. Campbell, J. F. McCurdy, Thomas Anderson, F. B. Shallow, J. S. Angles, Con Gilzentanner, C. N. Gardner, C. A. Dawson, Vernie Hudson, J. A. Hudson, A. Nelson, A. Guyshard.

Marriage licenses were taken out by George W. Rose and Mrs. Laura J. Carter of Sunnyside; Thomas Thompson and Miss Cora May Purviance of the Ahtanum.

Everything Looks Good.

Sheriff Grant and Senator Jack Splawn returned Monday morning from a several days' tour of the lower part of Yakima county. The gentlemen were out in their own interests electioneering. They came back with radiant smiles for everybody and are as confident of being elected as they are that George Turner will be the next governor. They ran across very few men who are not going to support Senator Turner as against Mr. Mead, the railroad candidate. "Republicans and all," said Senator Splawn, "are as one man for Mr. Turner."

A STATEMENT

Democratic Nominees for
the Legislature Reply
to Charges Made
by Republican
Politicians.

A statement has been bandied about the county by republican politicians to the effect that the undersigned, democratic nominees for the legislature, are opposed to the passage of a railway commission bill, or, at least, are not pledged to the same. We wish to brand such a statement as unqualifiedly false. We are each and all of us pledged to the support of a commission bill not only by our party platform, but by our individual pledges, and if elected we will carry them out.

A. J. SPLAWN,
J. D. MEDILL,
H. W. CREASON.

Boy Breaks His Leg.

Park, the seven year old son of Mr. and Mrs. G. S. Rankin of South Sixth street, had the misfortune to sustain a broken leg and other severe bruises in an accident which occurred about 4:30 o'clock Tuesday afternoon. The accident was caused by a two-wheel scraper which had been left in front of the Rankin house by some Halloweeners. The scraper was being moved from its position by some boys but Park was not on the scene at the time, being in the house. He heard the noise made by the scraper in hauling it away and ran out to join the crowd. In some manner he was knocked down. One of the wheels of the scraper passed over his left leg below the thigh and broke it. Another part of the scraper struck him on the left side of the head and badly lacerated the flesh.

A physician was called who dressed his wounds and the little fellow is resting as easily as could be expected.

North Yakima Is Growing.

North Yakima is growing with a rapidity that surprises its own people. During the past year the town built one four room brick schoolhouse, constructed a four room addition to another building, erected two portable schoolhouses and leased the old Baptist church for school use. And still the cry goes up for more school room for the rapidly growing population. — Spokesman-Review.

A special musical program will be rendered in the Congregational church next Sunday as follows: Morning—Prelude, andante in e flat, Reed; sentence, "Dear Lord, Father of Mankind;" anthem, "Arise, Shine, for Thy Light is Come;" offertory solo, Miss Rossman; sentence, "Come Unto Me," R. Wagner; ladies, trio, "No evil Shall Befall Thee;" Evening—Opening hymn; anthem, "If Ye Love Me;" Mock; anthem, "O Lord, My God;" postlude, improvisations.

W. L. Shearer of Toppenish was in the city Tuesday.

GEORGE DONALD AND BRIDE

Return from a Seven Weeks' Honey-
moon—Have Visited all Points
of Interest in United
States and Mexico.

Mr. and Mrs. George Donald returned from a seven weeks' wedding tour on last night's train. They took a carriage at the depot and were driven to Mr. Donald's home on North Second street.

It will be recalled that Mr. Donald left here about the first of September for Saratoga, New York. He was there united in marriage to Miss Mary Martin Dittmars on the 14th of September. The wedding was prominently spoken of in the New York papers. Mrs. Donald was the recipient of many very costly and beautiful wedding presents. Since the night of their marriage Mr. and Mrs. Donald have been traveling continually and have visited nearly all points of historical and natural interest in the United States. They spent some time at the St. Louis exposition, and returned home by a southern route, going as far south as Old Mexico. Mrs. Donald has many friends in this city whose acquaintance she made while on a visit here four years ago to Mrs. George Vance. It was at this time that she and Mr. Donald first met.

The advent of Mr. and Mrs. Donald will no doubt cause a flurry in social circles.

Held to Superior Court.

Judge Taggard Tuesday afternoon bound over Side Nosse, an Assyrian, to the superior court under a \$500 bond for larceny. Nosse is the man who received goods to the amount of \$31.05 from D. A. Hanna for the purpose of peddling. He sold the goods but never came back for a settlement. He was captured in Seattle and brought back here for trial.

Captures Jim Linder.

Deputy Sheriff John Edwards returned Tuesday from Boise, Idaho. He went there to bring back Jim Linder, an alleged forger. He got his man.

Jim Linder is charged with forging Ed Wilson's name to an \$80 check on the Bank of Prosser last June and securing the money. Mr. Wilson lives at Prosser. He succeeded in getting away at the time but Sheriff Grant has kept in touch with the situation and sent out circulars describing Linder, which has finally brought him to trial. He was going by the name of George Ellis in Boise, but the description of Jim Linder furnished the Boise officials were identical with George Ellis and he was arrested pending the arrival and recognition by Deputy Sheriff Edwards. Linder is now in the county jail awaiting trial.

The Naches Meetings.

The Democrats held two meetings in the Naches valley, both of which were largely attended and enthusiastic. One was held at the Glade school house in the lower and the other at the Kincaid school house in the upper valley. Nearly all the county candidates were present.

The speakers were H. J. Snively, A. J. Splawn, H. W. Creason, J. D. Medill, Geo. F. MacAuley and J. D. Morrissey. Messrs. Snively and Morrissey addressed both meetings.

The Naches precinct although normally republican, will show a decided Democratic majority for both the state and county ticket.

The Moxee Meeting.

The democrats held a well attended and very successful meeting at Artemesia school house in the Moxee Monday night, the principle speaker being Hon. W. H. Burdick of Tacoma who made a splendid presentation of the railway commission issue. The following named candidate were present: and made short addresses: E. B. Preble, A. J. Splawn, H. W. Creason, J. D. Medill, C. C. Case and Sheriff Grant.

Miss Birde Moore and Miss Kate McKinney entertained a few of their friends at an informal party on Halloween night. They assembled at the home of Miss McKinney.

F. O. Lodge of Cle Elum came down Tuesday afternoon to spend a few days.

The X. T. C. Sorority.

Among the happy Halloween parties of Monday night was the entertainment of the X. T. C. Sorority given at the home of Miss Marjorie Moran. Miss Moran had succeeded in having everything arranged in novel manner to receive her guests. The decorations were unique to the extreme. The predominating colors were of blue and gold, the club's chosen colors, and pumpkin heads were hung around to lend their necessary Halloween effect. Halloween games were played, candy was pulled as one of the diversions. Ghost stories were told. Soft cider was imbibed freely and things good to eat were plentiful. The attendance was made up of the full strength of the society, namely, Rowena Case, Marjorie Moran, Laura Burbank, Florence McCoy, Agnes Van der Aarde, Ida Sharkey, Edna Walker and Hazel Williams, and their escorts, David Johnson, John Buwalda, Ernest Pentz, Earl Green Arthur Caseres, Charlie Hauser, Philo Huxtable and Albert Arendt.

Halloween Has Passed.

So far as could be learned at a late hour last night nothing very serious in the way of damages to property or troublesome inconveniences had been perpetrated by the prowlers who usually have their fun on this traditional night. Several gates were taken off, fences pulled down and business signs misplaced, but otherwise the evening was uneventful. The authorities were well reinforced and consequently kept the young men guessing.

DEMOCRATS SATURDAY

Big Rally at the Opera House Saturday Evening—Stanton Warburton, Republican, to Speak

—Snively Will Be There

—The Turner Quartette Will Sing.

One of the biggest meetings of the campaign will be held in this city on next Saturday night, Nov. 5. Senator Stanton Warburton will be the principal speaker of the evening, although Hon. H. J. Snively will make the effort of his life. Mr. Snively is well acquainted with the local conditions as they exist and his speech Saturday night will be devoted to local candidates. Hon. Stanton Warburton is a republican and a warm personal friend of Governor Henry McBride. He will not stand, however, for the Mead-Farrell railroad ticket and will tell the people of this city next Saturday night the reason why. The democratic campaign committee has secured Nagler's band to play on the street an hour before the speaking commences. The Turner quartette under the direction of Warren Erwin, will sing.

The people from the surrounding country are urged to come in next Saturday night to see the largest and most enthusiastic rally of this campaign.

Out After Contracts.

The North Yakima Beet Sugar company have started four men out in the field with the company's form of contract to induce the farmers of the valley to sign up and agree to cultivate each year a certain number of acres of their land with sugar beets. The committee in charge of this work are also contemplating calling a meeting some day next week for the purpose of giving anybody who desires an opportunity to volunteer their land for the growing of sugar beets. The company must have 4000 acres planted next spring in order to start the factory which will be ready for operations some time next fall. The company will pay \$5.00 a ton for beets and take them as they are. They produce very heavily to the acre. The names of the men who are now out soliciting for the proposition are: R. N. Harrison, Orlando Beck, F. E. Deeringhoff and Mr. Purdin of the Wenas. These gentlemen are making a house to house canvass.

L. G. Moore of Kennewick, candidate for county commissioner on the Democratic ticket, was in the city Tuesday. He says the lower part of the county will give some handsome majorities for several Democrats.

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ADDITIONAL LOCAL

Thomas Kennedy is out on the streets again after a recent illness.

James H. Frazer bought the Lee Mitchell ranch on the Moxee Monday.

Frank Horsley left Tuesday morning on a business trip to Tacoma.

Fred Parker returned Tuesday night from a business trip to Seattle.

Postmaster J. A. Beck of the Nile was in the city Tuesday on business.

T. A. Davis has commenced the erection of a large rooming house near his residence on the west side of town.

Fred Shaw of the Yakima Furniture company left Monday afternoon for the lower part of the county on a short visit.

Mrs. A. C. Cowing returned Tuesday from a two weeks' visit on the Sound. She visited in Bellingham, Tacoma and Seattle.

Mrs. Congressman Humphrey returned Tuesday afternoon to her home in Tacoma after a week's visit with Mrs. W. L. Jones.

Belle C. Liggett has brought suit for divorce from her husband, Frank T. Liggett. The answer was filed with the county clerk Tuesday.

Attorney L. H. Roberts returned Monday morning from a business trip to Seattle. He was away three days on legal business.

Sister Mary Juliet of St. Elizabeth's hospital was taken to the Providence hospital in Seattle Tuesday afternoon in a serious condition.

Miss Genevieve Sprague, a popular and attractive young lady of Ellensburg, arrived in the city Friday afternoon to visit for several days with Mrs. C. J. Lynch of South Naches.

Election returns will be received here on Tuesday night from all parts of the United States. Arrangements will be made with the Democratic and Republican campaign committees to receive them.

The Ladies' Aid society of the Congregational church convened at the home of Rev. and Mrs. H. P. James Wednesday afternoon. There were about thirty-five people present. Mrs. Horsley, Miss James and Miss Erwin rendered several musical selections. Refreshments were served.

The Knights of Pythias had a big turnout at their lodge meeting Wednesday night. A musical program was rendered and several speeches were made. George Gandy has been chosen director of the K. of P. club. On November 26th a district meeting will be held in Cle Elum and a large number of the local members will attend.

The Japanese Celebrate.

Thursday, November 3d, was the 52nd birthday anniversary of the Mikado of Japan. The Japanese in this city were very patriotic and adorned their places of business with flags and emblems of their country. In the evening several big feasts were held at various centers and much hilarity was indulged in. Japanese gin was in conspicuous evidence.

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ETIENNE IS DEAD

Antoine Etienne (who was called Antwine), a noted character of the Yakima Indian reservation, died there Friday morning about 11 o'clock from old age. He was 84 years old and was quite conspicuously connected with all the stirring and adventurous times of the early pioneer days.

Antoine was not a full blood Indian. He had French and English blood in his veins and he spoke those two languages fluently. He was also the master of the Spanish language and spoke seven different Indian dialects. Antoine was a scout in the olden days and it is said that for daring he was the peer of the bravest, not even excepting the traditional "Killdeer" of J. Fenimore Cooper's Pathfinder. During the Indian wars of the fifties Antoine was the friend of the white man, and through his ability to cope successfully with the Indian, many, indeed, were the massacres averted and seemingly unsurmountable obstacles to the mind of the pioneer were overcome.

When Grant and Sheridan made their exploits trip to the far west Antoine was one of the interpreters and scouts who befriended the white troops and rendered them invaluable service. The government recognized the merit in their old friend and warrior, and for the past twenty years he has been drawing a pension. He resided three miles below Mabton on his ranch, but at the time of his death was visiting friends on the reservation.

The life and history connected with the career of this old warrior would fill pages of the most fascinating literature. He has made his peace with the keeper of the "Happy hunting grounds." Antoine lives no more, but so long as a single memory of the early days in Washington remain with us, Antoine's name will be linked with every reminiscence tale.

He was buried here Sunday afternoon in Tahoma cemetery from the undertaking parlors of Shaw & Flint.

Thinks Turner Will Win.

Some of the most conservative republicans of the state, while they hate to admit the inevitable, yet, occasionally confess their true sentiments upon the outcome of the Turner-Mead race for governor. "Everything now looks like a sweeping victory for Senator Turner," said Judge Bell of Seattle to a reporter for The Daily Democrat Monday afternoon. "I am really surprised at the number of republicans on the west side who are going to support him. It looks very much like King county would just about break even or at the best give Mr. Mead a very small plurality, and as for Pierce county, I think there is no doubt about Mr. Turner's carrying the county. He is gaining votes every day on the Sound and to be candid I think he will be elected by a surprising majority."

Judge Bell is a good republican and will vote for Mead for governor, but he really believes in spite of the conceded large vote Roosevelt will poll that Mr. Mead will be badly defeated on November 8th.

The New Power Site.

The Northwest Light and Water company has started a force of men at work on the preliminary survey for the proposed improvements to be made and the new power house to be built about eleven miles up the Naches river. The proposed site is situated at a point to give excellent power for the generation of electricity. The Wapatox ditch will furnish the water for the power at that point.

The company will necessarily have to expend a large sum of money and a great deal of work will have to be done before the proposed improvements are completed. As soon as the excavating for the building is finished the survey for the change in the course of the Wapatox ditch will be commenced and prosecuted till completed. The company desires to enlarge this ditch so that it will carry a larger amount of water.

May Prosecute Case.

County Attorney Fred Parker is looking up the law with the view of prosecuting the father of Miss Florence Keagle, who died at their home on the Rattlesnake Tuesday, November 1st from typhoid fever. The father of the girl is a Christian Scientist, and it is said would not permit a physician to see his daughter during her illness. The neighbors urged upon him the necessity of calling in the services of a doctor, but he would not heed the remonstrances. It is thought that a complaint will be filed on the county attorney's recommendation.

A Bankruptcy Case.

A petition in bankruptcy was filed with Referee J. A. Taggard Thursday morning by C. S. Cheshire and George L. Severance of Prosser. They conduct a hardware store and have been forced to go out of business.

Their liabilities are given as \$4,771.50 and their assets as \$4,606.29.

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JUDGE TURNER IN YAKIMA CITY CASE

Full Text of His Decision in that Famous Case—How the Old Town Was Financially Ruined 20 Years Ago.

SEATTLE, Wash., Oct. 31.—Advocates of a railroad commission, or others interested in the subject, may search the history of the state of Washington in vain for a case in which a private shipper has forced justice in the matter of railroad rates or service from a railroad company through the agencies of the state courts. It is inconceivable to suppose that abuses have not been perpetrated, but so far as can be learned there is no instance in which justice has been secured by a patron except from the railroads themselves.

Going back before the state was admitted to the Union there was such a case, a case which became famous, not alone in this state but in the nation as well, a case in which the court brought the powerful and arrogant Northern Pacific railroad to its knees in humble submission. The case was entitled The State of Washington in the relation of H. Dustin versus the Northern Pacific Railway company, and the decision was rendered by Judge George Turner and confirmed by the highest tribunal in the land—the Supreme Court of the United States.

N. P. Killed the Town.

The power of a railroad company to tear down any town along its line was forcibly illustrated in the Yakima City case. Because the road refused to construct a depot there and accept and deliver freight and passengers the town was throttled, its industries languished and its citizens ruined and discouraged moved their homes and business houses to the new town established by the railroad. This too, despite the fact that the court ruled in the case compelling the company to afford the town facilities, the delay in the matter making it possible for the company to carry out its purposes before the remedy could be applied through the courts.

Any railroad in the state could do the same tomorrow with any non-competitive point on its line. The Northern Pacific could do the same thing tomorrow or next week or next year with Kiona, or Ritzville, or Spague, the Great Northern could do it with Casmere or Ephrata or Harrington, the O. R. & N. could do it with Elberton or Albion or Endicott, and this power will continue in the hands of the railroad companies until a state railroad commission is established with power to prevent such abuses.

The railroads are doing practically the same thing in another form every month and every year of their life. Moritz Thomson, president of the Centennial Mill company, delayed the reconstruction of the Centennial mill in Spokane until he had secured assurances from the railroads that the milling in transit rates enjoyed by that city would not be disturbed. The same company last spring announced its willingness to construct a large mill at Bellingham if given assurances that the terminal rates on wheat from eastern Washington given that town for political purposes at the time Mr. Mead was a candidate in the primaries, would be continued indefinitely. Austin Corbin sought assurances of favorable railroad rates as the first preliminary step before he decided to construct the beet sugar factory at Waverly, and in a thousand other ways it could be pointed out that the railroads possess tremendous power for the assistance or injury of communities or industries in their ability to establish discriminating rates unhampered and unquestioned.

People Have the Power.

The broad principle that the people have the power of control in these matters was promulgated by Judge Turner and sustained by the United States Supreme court in the Yakima City case. Although the decision in that case was filed April 26, 1886, or more than eighteen years ago, Judge Turner's findings in it are of pertinent interest in the present political contest for railroad regulation. In it the principle that the people of the state have the power to regulate the railroads in such matters was laid down, and by the highest court in the land confirmed.

In deciding the case Judge Turner said:

"The state takes particular care of the construction, maintenance and freedom of highways. Tolls have never been leviable save by state authority. Intervention of a state is necessary to force a right of way through private property, or to permit to cross a navigable stream or public highway, and every public railroad and its rolling stock and corporate powers are not for the railroad company's own use primarily and principally, but for public use. The public and not the railroad company determines that use. Whatever is for the sound interests of the public that railroads, trains and depots be used for, to that use they ought to be and ultimately will come.

Rates Must Be Reasonable.

"The tolls which defendant has a right to fix under section 13 of its charter are such only as are reasonable. Grant of the right of way on the theory that the proposed road is to be constructed and operated for public use and convenience, and fares therefor cannot be fixed so high as to render the road useless or inconvenient to the public. What ever is reasonable is convenient, and whatever is unreasonable is inconvenient.

"Corporations being under the state for the purpose of governmental protection, must also be under the state for the purpose of governmental control, notwithstanding franchises.

"The courts must decide whether the legislature, which is one organ of the state, or the owner of the franchise, which is another, acts fairly for the public's good in reference to the exercise of the franchise. And in the courts the public have and will find an all sufficient bulwark against corporate oppression, and the corporation will find security against unjust legislation.

"Railroads, whether built, owned and conducted by the state or by private corporations, and whether exacting tolls or fares, are public highways. In consideration of the franchises they receive from the state, railroad corporations agree to perform certain duties towards the public and the power of determining those duties and enforcing their performance is vested in the appropriate tribunals of the state.

Railroads Not the Judges.

"To make railroad directors the sole and ultimate judges of the time and places when and where the corporations will receive and convey articles on the line of its road, would give to the railroad corporations the power to control the markets of the country, to create a surplus or a famine in agricultural, mineral and other products, to raise or reduce the price of labor, and to promote or retard prosperity and welfare of towns, cities and country. A construction that leads to such results

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is inconsistent with the nature of the grant to the defendant corporation, contrary to its spirit, and subversive of the public objects it was intended to promote."

These principles governing the control of railroads by the state were laid down by Judge Turner eighteen years ago and at that time received the sanction of the highest judicial tribunal in the land. They are the principles upon which he acted in urging the state constitutional convention to provide for a railroad commission. They are the principles upon which he acted in urging rate-reduction bills upon the legislatures of 1895 and 1897. They are the principles upon which he acted in urging the commission bill upon the legislature of 1897. They are the principles upon which he is fighting the present campaign against railroad domination in politics—in the state legislature, in the state government. They are no less sound now than they were when first approved by the United States Supreme Court.

JOE SMITH.

Real Estate Sales.

There was considerable speculating in local real estate last week and a good deal of property changed hands. Although prices on city lots are constantly advancing there seems to be plenty of takers at any old price for choice locations. "A. B. Weed purchased last week the ten acre tract owned by A. D. Charlton and located just north of the north end of Kittitas, Wenas and Ranier streets. The price paid was \$4000. The property lies just within the city limits. He will plat the ground in the spring and put the lots on the market.

Following are some other sales: Lots 32, 33, 34, 35 and 36 in Yakima Acres tracts, to W. E. Hurd; consideration, \$1370.

Lot 12, block 333, on Capitol Hill, from B. G. Wolfe to P. H. Hertzog, \$550. Lots 28, 29 and 31, in Yakima Acres tracts, to Joseph McLeod, \$750.

Lot 19, block 10, by A. L. Aikens, to L. D. S. Patton, \$1250.

S. J. Lowe bought lots 21 and 22 in block 10, paying \$3,500. These lots are situated on North First street.

Clara Koreski bought lot 2 in block 249 from Andrew Anderson, paying \$1000.

McCrinmon & Needham were busy real estate agents last week and closed several important deals. Barnes & Sons, Briggs, Grant and Walker and others report great activity in local real estate.

Land Office Report.

Following is the report of the number of transactions at the North Yakima land office during October:

48 homestead entries; acres.....	\$,983.67
7 desert land entries; acres.....	1,280
6 cash sales; acres.....	641.96
6 final homestead entries; acres.....	946.69
Total.....	9,857.32

The fees amounted to \$2,967.80.

The Postoffice Moved.

The North Yakima postoffice is now located in its new home in the Cadwell block. Postmaster Lemon and his entire force were busily engaged Saturday night in removing Uncle Sam's property to the new location and were ready to deliver mail to patrons Sunday morning.

The new office with its handsome oak fixtures looks very neat and inviting and it is thought that the North Yakima office will compare favorably with any in towns of this size in the country.

The old fixtures were left in the former location in the Syndicate block. They are the property of J. H. Lasswell who owns the building. It is not known what disposition he will make of them.

A Record Trip.

Thomas A. Shannon returned Thursday afternoon from Boston, Mass.

Mr. Shannon has been away from home about 90 days. He went back east to attend the G. A. R. encampment at Boston. Mr. Shannon made a record trip in returning from the Bay state. He left Boston at noon on Sunday, Oct. 30, and arrived here Thursday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock, November 3, taking him four days and nights and 2 1/2 hours to complete the distance across the continent. Mr. Shannon says that Massachusetts will give its usual majority for the Republican nominee for President, but will elect a Democratic governor.

MONEY NOT TAKEN

S. J. Lowe Deposits \$500 in Yakima National Bank to Wager on Senator Turner—There Are no Takers.

Betting was quiet Thursday on the result of the coming election for governor. It is almost a foregone conclusion now that George Turner will be the next governor of the state. There was a little money the first of the week to wager on Mead, but today the situation is changed. S. J. Lowe deposited \$500 yesterday afternoon with J. D. Cornett, cashier of the Yakima National bank, to bet on Mr. Turner and it is there now waiting to be covered, provided there are sufficient Mead followers in the city who feel confident enough to take a chance. A great effort is being made to raise the money to call Mr. Lowe. So far the movement has been unsuccessful but a few of the most radical say the "Governor's" money will be covered. Mr. Lowe told the boys that it didn't make any difference to him how they raised the money. They could dig it up in \$5 and \$10 pieces for all he cared. A number of Republicans will work hard from now until election night to raise the money to call "Governor" Lowe. It is doubtful whether they will succeed. There are thousands of dollars in the state of Washington to wager that George Turner will defeat Albert Mead for governor.

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QUALIFICATION OF STATE CANDIDATES

**A Comparison of Fitness Between the Nominees
of the Two Parties Utterly Discredits
the Republican State Ticket.**

SEATTLE, Wash., Nov. 2.—The Republican campaign managers no longer make any appeal for votes for their state candidates on the plea of fitness for the offices to which they aspire. The effort to elect A. E. Mead governor has already degenerated into a scramble on the part of his managers to prevent as many of the dissatisfied Republicans as possible from voting their convictions by casting their ballots for Judge Turner. To this end a special plea is being made in each locality. The reasons now given why a Republican should vote for Mr. Mead are:

- 1—That his election will insure the election of a King county candidate to the United States senate.
- 2—That his election will insure the election of a Pierce county candidate for the United States senate.
- 3—That his election will insure the election of John L. Wilson to the United States senate.
- 4—That his election will encompass the defeat of Judge George Turner.
- 5—That a Republican legislature will not create a railroad commission for Judge Turner to appoint.

Necessarily, of course, these reasons must be used in different localities. The first is being used in King county, the second in Pierce county, the third with Republicans who may be prejudiced against voting for a democratic candidate on partisan grounds, the fourth in the sacred precincts of the headquarters of the Wilson-Palmer-railroad state committee and in the office of the Post-Intelligencer, and the fifth in eastern Washington where it is the only argument the Republicans have with which to approach commission Republicans.

Other State Candidates.

Next in importance to the election of a commission candidate for governor comes the election of a commission candidate for lieutenant governor. The lieutenant governor presides over the state senate, and appoints the committees of that body and in that capacity is an important influence in securing the passage of a commission bill. The Democratic candidate for lieutenant governor, Hon. Stephen Judson, is a sincere commission advocate, a champion of the commission principle of many years standing, and a gentleman of wide experience in legislative bodies. His election will contribute very materially to the passage of an effective commission measure.

Mr. Judson's opponent is comparatively unknown to the politics of Washington, except for the advertisement he has had on account of an unprintable scandal regarding his private life circulated by members of his own party. He is not a railroad commission man and has never publicly expressed himself on the question.

Next in importance to the election of a commission man as lieutenant governor comes the importance of electing a commission advocate as attorney general. The attorney general must prosecute all cases brought by the railroad commission against the railroad companies, and has in his power to nullify the action of the commission, and render its efforts ineffective by neglecting to prosecute vigorously the cases against the companies.

Judge C. H. Neal, the Democratic candidate for attorney general is a lawyer of wide experience and recognized ability, who has served with honor and ability on the superior bench, and is in entire sympathy with the principle of legislative railroad regulation. His republican opponent has never practiced law, was admitted to the bar only last month, and is in close sympathy with the railroads in politics.

The State Treasurer.

The state treasurer has the control of the state funds. It has been the practice of the present Republican incumbent to so manipulate those funds as to give a certain favored bank a profit from the enjoyment of the state deposits. The Republican candidate for the office was nominated because he will continue that practice, the profits arising from the enjoyment of the deposits to go to a certain banker as a reward for service to the railroads.

The Democratic candidate for state treasurer, Hon. George Mudgett, is pledged to put an end to this traffic in the state's funds, and to handle these funds in the interests of the people of the state.

The state auditor is, by virtue of his office, chairman of the state board of equalization. Under the present revenue laws the only way of increasing the assessments on railroad property lies in the action of that board. The last state board, which was Democratic, maintained an assessment on railroad property of \$10,500 per mile. The present board, which is Republican, lowered that valuation to \$6,500 per mile. A Democratic state board, if elected, will

again increase it. A Republican board if elected, will not do so. R. Lee Purdin, the Democratic candidate for state auditor, is in full and complete sympathy with the demand for increased railroad taxation. His opponent has not publicly expressed himself on the subject, but the manner in which he secured his nomination is a sufficient guarantee that he will do the will of the railroad companies.

Two State Boards.

There are two very important state boards which should be in the hands of the Democratic candidates. These are the state board of equalization and the state land commission. The state board of equalization consists of the state auditor, the secretary of state and the state land commissioner. This board has the duty of equalizing assessments. The state land commission has the handling of the state lands and the state permanent school fund. It is composed of the secretary of state, the state treasurer and the state land commissioner. The present state land commission is accused of having manipulated the permanent school fund in such a manner as to enable private brokers to secure a profit from municipalities borrowing from it. A Democratic board would put a stop to this practice.

Alfred Battle, the Democratic candidate for the supreme bench, stands for a non-partisan judiciary, and the convention which nominated him endorsed that principle by nominating but one candidate for that office. His opponent was nominated as a reward for railroad service.

Voters should keep in mind, in expressing at the polls their indignation at the Tacoma convention, that all of the nominees of that convention were

tarred with the same railroad stick, that they all wear the same railroad brand. The stigma which has been cast upon the citizens of Washington, regardless of party, by the action of that convention, will never be removed until the nominees of the convention are buried under an avalanche of popular indignation.

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If you want to see Tanana,
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If you want a jurist-statesman
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If for our ever-growing statehood
Honest government you would see
Mark your ballot for Judge Turner
And our Governor he will be.

—Lue F. Vernon.

Teachers' Examination.

Notice is hereby given that the regular quarterly teacher's examination will be held at the court house in North Yakima on Thursday, Friday and Saturday, November 10, 11 and 12. All sessions open at 9:00 a. m. sharp. Writing materials will be furnished free. All applicants will be charged a fee of \$1.00.

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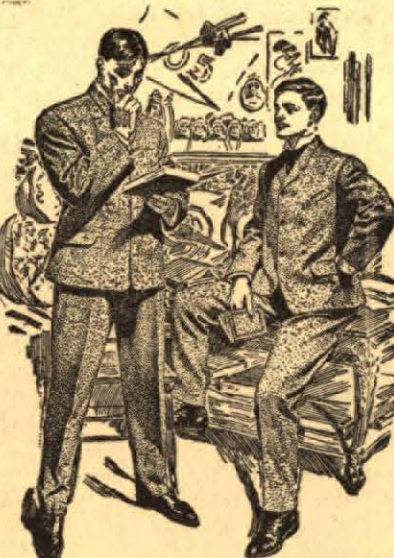
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THE DEMOCRATIC TICKET

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of New York.

For Vice-President,
HENRY G. DAVIS
of West Virginia.

STATE

Governor—
GEORGE TURNER of Spokane

Lieutenant Governor—
STEPHEN JUDSON of Pierce

Secretary of State—
PATRICK HOUGH of Clark

Auditor—
R. LEE PURDIN of Kittitas

Treasurer—
GEORGE MUDGETT of Spokane

Supreme Judge—
ALFRED BATTLE of King

Land Commissioner—
VAN R. PIERSON of King

State Supt. of Public Instruction—
W. D. GERARD of King

Attorney General—
C. H. NEAL of Lincoln

Congressmen—
HOWARD HATHAWAY of Snohomish

J. J. ANDERSON of Pierce

W. T. BECK of Ferry

Presidential Electors—
FRED THIEL of Adams

J. J. CARNEY of Chehalis

S. P. RICHARDSON of Mason

J. J. DARNELL of Cowlitz

JOHN TRUMBULL of Clallam

JUDICIAL AND COUNTY

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Hon. E. B. PREBLE of North Yakima

State Senator—
Hon. A. J. SPLAWN of Cowlitz

Representatives—
H. W. CREASON of Prosser

J. D. MEDILL of North Yakima

Sheriff—
R. A. GRANT of North Yakima

Treasurer—
C. C. CASE of North Yakima

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G. F. McAULAY of North Yakima

Auditor—
JOHN D. MORRISSEY of Naches

School Superintendent—
GEORGE STEPHENSON of Toppenish

Surveyor—
W. J. MARBLE of North Yakima

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GEORGE BIEHN of Selah

Commissioner, Second District—
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For Constable—
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Honest But Misguided.

Edward Remy of Fairview, who was one of the 19 delegates from this county to the Republican state convention, in a communication to the Yakima Herald, attempts to take this paper to task for having asserted in a recent editorial that Yakima county was traded off to the railroad lobby in the Tacoma convention. Mr. Remy very indignantly denies the charge made by this paper.

The editor of this paper has enjoyed the good fortune of knowing Mr. Remy well ever since he has resided in Yakima county. It is needless to say that we entertain a great deal of respect for him both as a man and a citizen. Our friend is a man of strong prejudices but honest in his opinions. When he practically accuses this paper of lying therefore, we know that our fairview friend is intolerant.

Mr. Remy says: "If there was a railroad lobby, large or small, present in Tacoma at the time of the convention its presence was not known to any of the Yakima delegation and I am pretty sure they would have known of it in case it existed."

It is very likely, of course, that Mr. Remy did not himself run up against the lobby in his perambulations about Tacoma at the time of the convention. The Yakima delegation at its first meeting appointed a steering committee, consisting of Messrs. Whitson, Robertson and Boardman. To all intents and purposes this steering committee was the delegation. It made deals with men representing the railroads whereby it agreed to deliver the 19 votes of Yakima county in return for

votes for Jones and Rudkin. In doing this the steering committee, acting for the delegation, agreed to support for nomination some of the most unworthy men who have ever been put up for public office in the state of Washington. Doesn't Mr. Remy think this was trading off the county? If not, what on earth would he call it?

With all due respect to Mr. Remy the Democrat is convinced that he did not know what was really going on at Tacoma, although he, himself, was a delegate to that ill-starred state convention. What is more, we are of the opinion that he does not yet know of the infamy that marked the inside history of that gathering when the leaders of his party bowed their necks to receive the corporation yoke. As we said before, Mr. Remy is an honest man. As such we do not believe that he would approve of the methods employed to nominate Mr. Mead and his associates if he knew all the truth. That the truth was concealed from him by some of his fellow delegates at Tacoma is at least an apparent fact.

About Grant's "Shortage."

The Republic attempts to make political capital out of the fact that Sheriff Grant had failed to turn over to the county treasurer fees earned by his office to the extent of \$282.90, which, of course, goes to the county. When the attention of Deputy Sheriff Cox was called to the matter last Friday a check for the amount was promptly turned over in the settlement of the matter.

Mr. Cox explains the matter on the ground that he, as chief deputy, had not been able to devote the time recently to the full collection of such accounts. In some cases he had been asked by patrons of the office to wait for a few days and wishing to be accommodating refrained from enforcing payment. The sheriff has the right to demand the payment of all fees in advance and that he has not done so is due to the fact that he has been accommodating to the public. Under the law the sheriff and his bondsmen are responsible for the collection of all fees due the county and as a matter of fact he is fully justifiable in insisting that they be paid in advance.

The Republic raises a great hullabaloo about the matter and endeavors to have the public believe that the sheriff is himself a criminal. It speaks of the "shortage" in its accounts and rolls the word under its own slanderous tongue as though it were a very sweet morsel. The sheriff's office here is always particularly busy during the fall months, just as everybody else is busy during the same period. The office, as a result, was a little behind in its collections. It is, perhaps, true in this case that the law was technically violated. Still the county lost nothing and could lose nothing. The Republic would have never wasted the space in its columns by referring to the matter if it were not for the fact that the ring organ is mighty hard up for material to use against Grant and the ring crowd needs the sheriff's office in its business.

The Public is "Next."

Democratic nominees on the county ticket who have been out among the people make some rather interesting reports as to political conditions. Without exception all these reports are to the effect that there is widespread disaffection among the rank and file of the Republican voters towards the local party ticket. This disaffection, they say, does not exist in spots only, but extends to every precinct of Yakima county. We all know that there will be a big sloughing off in the Republican vote of this city on local candidates and that the reasons for such a falling off are most excellent. This is a year for independent voting and don't you forget it.

That Mr. Theodore Roosevelt will receive a heavy vote in Yakima county is admitted. But a number of local statesmen who are frantically endeavoring to hang on to that eminent gentleman's political coat tails are very apt to be sadly disappointed. In the language of the street, the public is "next" to them.

The Issue of the Election.

Next Tuesday, Nov. 8th, the voters of this state will go to the polls to decide the issues of this campaign.

The main issue is not as to whether the Democratic party shall rule or whether the Republican party shall rule. It is a question rather of whether the people will manage their own affairs or whether they want the railroad companies to run their government for them. By casting a ballot for the Democratic state ticket you will VOTE TO REBUKE THE RAILROAD LOBBY.

In county affairs by voting the Democratic ticket you will cast a ballot to rebuke the YAKIMA RAILROAD RING. No matter what your politics may be your patriotism demands this duty of you.

Col. Robertson and Dr. Thoms.

The Yakima Republic publishes, under a scarehead a statement to the effect that "Splawn and Medill are the anti-saloon candidates for the legislature." It publishes a letter purporting to come from J. C. Thoms, "superintendent."

The Democrat does not know Mr. Thoms, except by reputation, therefore

we do not know whether he ever wrote such a letter or not.

This paper is owned and edited by a man by the name of Medill and the statement that we are one of the Democratic candidates for the legislature from this county is true.

If the editor of the Republic, by the publication of the Thoms letter, means to have the public believe that the editor of this paper has pledged himself to any man or set of men as to how he will vote on any question other than those mentioned specifically in his party platform, in the event that he should be elected to the legislature, he is drawing an wholly unwarranted inference.

To be more specific, the editor of this paper has made no pledges to any man or any set of men as to how he would vote on any moral question, if elected to the legislature. Those questions are not mooted in either the Democratic state or county platforms. Whatever we are instructed to do if elected, we will do it if it takes the hide off to do it. As to voting for a local option bill, a bill for the repeal of the anti-gambling law or other bills of that nature, we reserve the right to vote as our judgment dictates. We wish to qualify this statement, however, to this extent: It is our belief that a representative should endeavor at all times by his vote to reflect what he believes the sentiment and will of a majority of his constituents. If he does not do this he is not a true representative of the people.

As for the position of Senator Splawn on these questions the Democrat believes that he likewise has made no pledges of any kind. Senator Splawn is a close personal and political friend of the editor of this journal and we believe that if he had made any pledges of any kind that we would be very apt to know about it. At the present time Senator Splawn is out of the city and can not speak for himself.

The Republic man, as usual, has blundered. He evidently thinks that by one fell swoop he has killed off the Democratic nominees for the legislature through the publication of the Thoms letter. Instead of that he makes votes against the candidates of his own party. We merely refer to this phase of the matter to illustrate the point that we have heretofore frequently made to-wit "That Robertson is a Jonah."

Parker May Win Out.

Late advices from the east do not seem to justify the cocksureness assumed by Republicans regarding the election of Theodore Roosevelt to the presidency of the United States.

As a matter of fact the election is in grave doubt. The claim of the Republican national committee that Mr. Roosevelt will receive not less than 305 and probably 312 electoral votes is merely being laughed at, Montana being the only northern state that Senator Scott of West Virginia is willing to concede to the Democrats.

This has been a most peculiar campaign and no one outside of a lot of unusually smart Republican politicians can even guess as to the result. From this distance it looks as though new energy and a large amount of it had suddenly been injected into the Parker canvass and that the prospect for the statesman from Esopus had suddenly brightened in most of the doubtful states.

That there has been a movement of independent voters from Roosevelt to Parker for several months in the east is a well attested fact. How large that movement is there is, of course, at present no means of knowing. Your independent voter is, as a rule, a quiet voter. He doesn't usually go about proclaiming his intentions with a brass band. He votes his convictions and lets it go at that.

The sports are offering to bet 4 to 1 on Roosevelt. Twenty years ago they were betting 3 to 1 on Blaine and every sucker that did it parted with his money. Betting odds are not always an index of public sentiment.

That Parker will defeat Roosevelt in their own state of New York is now a moral certainty. In Indiana both parties are putting forth tremendous efforts in the closing days of the campaign, the Democrats apparently having a slight advantage. Under the superb generalship of Tom Taggart the Democrats will likely win out in the Hoosier state. With New York and Indiana added to the south, New Jersey, Connecticut, Montana, Colorado and Nevada would give Judge Parker 259 electoral votes, or 20 more than necessary. The last named three states it might be added, are practically conceded to Parker in many Republican estimates.

The Republic in Tears.

The Yakima Republic last night consumed two columns of its valuable editorial space in a tearful appeal to Republicans not to scratch the ticket. Col. Robertson lays aside his biting sarcasm for once and makes what looks like a heart to heart talk to his readers calling on them for the love of Abraham Lincoln and William McKinley to hold fast to the faith and save the old party from defeat.

The Republic is too late in making its appeal. The die is already cast. As election day approaches evidence multiplies that the people intend to rebuke the Republican leaders of this state in

a way that they will remember for awhile. The people will simply rise in their might and smite them. The roar of anger that has swept the state from one side to another and back again since last May will find its expression in the ballot box. The people rightfully feel outraged at open and long continued corporation interference with their affairs and they will not tolerate it longer, besides they will gladly seize the opportunity to punish the men whom they consider betrayed them.

If the Republic and other newspapers that have affiliated with the lobby had been as solicitous about the people's welfare as they assume to be now in regard to the party's welfare they would not now find it necessary to resort to tears in the fruitless effort to hold the voters in line for a job lot of unworthy candidates.

Bryan an Incompetent.

The school teachers of the state, or at least a large proportion of them, are bitterly opposing the re-election of R. B. Bryan as state superintendent of public instruction.

Mr. Bryan has succeeded in holding down this office for a number of years and feels that he ought to have his lease on the place renewed for four years longer. Here are a few reasons why Mr. Bryan ought to be retired by the people. This is not said of Mr. Bryan because of his political affiliations, for the office that he holds ought not to be regarded as a political one, but for the following reasons:

First—He is years past the age limit when teachers are retired from the service.

Second—He is a quarter of a century behind the educational times.

Third—He lacks all the essentials of professional leadership.

Fourth—His attempts at educational lectures are mere twaddle, lacking point, professional spirit and helpfulness.

Fifth—He has refused to have this state represented in educational exhibits at the world's fair and he refuses to make any preparation for such an exhibit at the Portland exposition.

Sixth—He has saved his administration from utter failure by finally consenting to the use of the course of study as prepared by his predecessor.

Seventh—He has never been able to successfully grapple with any phase of the institute work demanded of him by law; county superintendents in recognition of this fact are forced to eliminate him from programs of teachers' institutes.

Eighth—He is a politician instead of an educator.

The above reasons why Mr. Bryan should not again be re-elected were formulated by teachers. We understand that a great majority of the teachers all over the state are opposed to Mr. Bryan not only for the reasons as above stated but because the state superintendent is a personally disagreeable man to meet and transact business with.

The only reason under the sun why Mr. Bryan is again running for office is due to the fact that Mr. Bryan is a smooth politician. He was able to deliver Chehalis county at the state convention last May to the railroad "push" and as his reward secured a renomination at the hands of Mr. Farrell and his associates. He ought to be beaten and good citizens generally who are interested in the welfare of the schools will vote against him. He is simply an incompetent.

Bailey Has the Nerve.

S. S. Bailey of Seattle bears the reputation of being a very shrewd man. Feeling much interested in the election of Judge Turner as governor he set out deliberately to make a tour of the state and sound public sentiment in order to make an intelligent forecast of the result.

When the Mead boosters, therefore, started in to run bluffs in the betting market Steve Bailey was promptly on hand with the coin to call them. His last wager was made with Ex-Governor McGraw at Seattle Saturday and was for the princely sum of \$10,000 a side. The ex-governor does not pretend that the money he wagered is his own and it is believed to be the property of Samuel Hill of the Great Northern road. The fact that Mr. Hill is betting his money on Mead is significant.

The Democratic legislative and county ticket is one that ought to appeal to every honest and conservative voter. It is made up of men who are well known in the community and have all their interests here. They are men of character and standing. What they say that they will do they will do, if elected for they are all that kind of men and are absolutely free from corporation influences.

A minority party can usually be trusted to put forward its best material. The leaders recognize that such a course must be pursued to even have a chance to win. With the majority party the case is entirely different. Many men attach themselves to the majority party often for no other purpose than to have the opportunity to work out their own schemes. Men who are anxious to hold office are almost invariably connected with the majority party. They stick to it like leeches and cannot be got rid of until they are

shaken off. They play politics every day in the year and for that reason are usually in control of the party machine. The honest rank and file wonder why it is that the office brokers and the office seekers run the party. If they were familiar with the dirty, greasy machinery behind the scenes they would no longer have cause to wonder.

Geo. F. McAulay.

George F. McAulay, Democratic nominee for prosecuting attorney, is a young attorney of marked ability and is in every way thoroughly qualified for the duties of that important office. Mr. McAulay was born in Michigan. He was poor but ambitious and by dint of hard labor educated himself by teaching school. He graduated from the University of Michigan with high honors and afterward took the law course at that famous institution. He came west after finishing his legal education and located at Baker City, Oregon, from which place he moved to North Yakima a little over two years ago. Since coming to this city he has, in company with Mr. L. O. Meigs, worked up a most lucrative law practice. Mr. McAulay in addition to being a bright lawyer is a man of good principle and is entirely trustworthy. He ought to be elected to the office of prosecuting attorney and he will be if the people of this county want that office filled in a capable and satisfactory way for the next two years.

L. G. Moore.

L. G. Moore, a prominent and popular resident of Kennewick, is the Democratic nominee for county commissioner in the third district. Mr. Moore is a man who is believed by his neighbors and by all who know him to be well qualified for the position of commissioner, which, from the standpoint of the taxpayer, is the most important office in the county. There is another good reason, too, why Mr. Moore should be elected. The people of the east end rightfully consider that they are entitled to representation on the board of commissioners. They have never had a representation on the board and the taxpayers of that section think, and with reason, that they are entitled to a commissioner this time. With that end in view without regard to politics, they have centered on Mr. Moore as a suitable man for the place and will support him unitedly. The voters of North Yakima and this end of the county generally, should favor the election of Mr. Moore not only on the ground of his fitness but for business reasons. Vote for L. G. Moore.

A. J. Splawn.

Hon. A. J. Splawn, the Democratic nominee for state senator, is well known to the people of this county. He was elected to fill that honorable position two years ago and the fact that he represented this county most acceptably is generally admitted. He is a stalwart advocate of a railway commission and of an irrigation measure, that will place the control of the streams of this state used for irrigation purposes into the hands of the national government, or rather, the heads of such streams. Senator Splawn is unalterably opposed to private or corporate control of such valuable water rights. Had it not been for his strenuous efforts in the last session the Blaine reservoir bill would have become a law. In the last session Senator Splawn bitterly opposed the passage of the present iniquitous road law and will, if he goes back to the state senate, earnestly labor for its repeal. There is every reason to believe that Senator Splawn will be re-elected to the senate.

E. B. Preble.

Hon. E. B. Preble, the Democratic nominee for the exalted office of superior judge of this district, is a clean, able and honest man. He is especially well equipped for the judgeship. He is a highly educated gentleman, learned in the law, of which he has been a close student for nearly thirty years. He is a man possessed of the calm, judicial temperament so necessary to the successful judge. But above and beyond all Mr. Preble is a true lover of justice. If elected, every man or woman who goes into his court may feel assured that they will receive justice, no more and no less. There is little reason to doubt that Mr. Preble will be elected for a great majority of the voters know that he is a capable, experienced man, and that he is the proper man for the place. The bench is presumed to be and ought to be non-partisan, and it makes no difference to the average citizen whether the man who occupies it is a Democrat or a Republican. It does make a great deal of difference, however, whether he is a fairminded man or not.

C. C. Case.

C. C. Case, Democratic nominee for county treasurer, is a solid and substantial business man of North Yakima, having been engaged in the drug business in this city for the past three years. Mr. Case has been a resident of the state since 1885, having resided for 17 years at Bueda, in Thurston county. Mr. Case is conservative in his methods and a man of correct habits. He is a thorough accountant and is in every way well qualified to fill the du-

ties of such an important office as county treasurer. During his long residence in Thurston county he filled numerous positions of trust most satisfactorily. In 1892 he was a Democratic legislative candidate in that county and came within a few votes of being elected. The office of county treasurer is one of the most important in the county and if the people want that position filled for the next two years with ability and faithfulness they cannot do better than to select Mr. Case.

Henry W. Creason.

Henry W. Creason of Prosser, Democratic nominee for representative in the legislature, has been a resident of Yakima county for 22 years. He served the county most acceptably as a commissioner from the third district and made a splendid commissioner. Mr. Creason is a man of ripe experience and good judgment and from his long residence in the county knows the needs of the people as to new legislation. Mr. Creason stands by the railroad commission principle, and can be absolutely relied on to vote for such a measure if he goes to the legislature. Every man that knows Henry W. Creason knows that he can be relied upon to keep his word. He ought to be elected and the chances are very favorable that he will be.

Horatio E. Croson.

H. E. Croson, Democratic nominee for county commissioner in the second, or middle district, is a prosperous farmer and hop grower of the Ahtanum valley. He has made his home in Yakima county since a boy and has grown up, so to speak, with the country, and is conversant with the needs of the people. Mr. Croson is an honest man, endowed with plenty of good hard common sense and is good material out of which to make a county commissioner. Mr. Croson, if elected, will favor a liberal policy of road improvement. The taxpayers will make no mistake in electing Mr. Croson. Vote for Horatio Croson.

George Biehn.

George Biehn, Democratic nominee for county commissioner in the first district, is a popular and well known farmer of the Selah valley. Mr. Biehn is a man of sound business judgment and is fully qualified to make an Al commissioner. He favors a vigorous policy for road improvement and if elected can be depended on to push the movement for good roads. Mr. Biehn was formerly engaged in business in this city and his qualifications for the office of commissioner are generally well recognized. Vote for George Biehn.

George Stephenson.

George Stephenson, Democratic nominee for superintendent of schools, is another young man who has grown up from infancy in the Yakima valley. As most of the older residents know Geo. Stephenson worked hard to secure an education and since leaving school has had several years of experience as a public teacher in the county, having always given the best of satisfaction. Mr. Stephenson holds a first grade certificate, which is the best evidence that can be furnished of his capacity for the position of superintendent. The voters will make no mistake in electing Geo. Stephenson. Vote for him.

John D. Morrissey.

John D. Morrissey, Democratic nominee for county auditor, is a prosperous young farmer of the Naches and has been a resident of Yakima county since infancy. He is an honest and reliable young man who by his industry and perseverance has already accumulated a competence. Mr. Morrissey, although starting in life a poor boy who has been obliged to work hard, has found time to study and educate himself. The people of the Naches who have known Mr. Morrissey since boyhood will support him in this campaign almost to a man. If elected he will administer the office to the entire satisfaction of the people.

Cleanse the Party.

"A vote against Mead deals a blow against corrupt leaders who would sell out to railroads or any one else, regardless of the party that has stood the test of time. It will vindicate and cleanse the party and show to unscrupulous men that the sanctity of the party must not be ruthlessly trodden under foot."

"The Record, taking all these facts into consideration, will support Theodore Roosevelt and Senator Fairbanks for President and Vice President and George Turner and Steve Judson for governor and lieutenant governor of the state of Washington."—Walla Walla Record (Rep.).

A straw vote was taken last Saturday among the inmates of the Onda Inn, Spokane, showed the following result:

Turner, 200.
Mead, 42.
Burgis (socialist), 3.
It looks as though there might be a landslide Nov. 8.

Bre'r Krutz confidently expects to get a number of Democratic votes next Tuesday. Why any Democrat should want to vote for Mr. Krutz is a matter that we do not profess to understand.

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FARRELL AND HIS PRIVATE CAR

Every Day Adds New Weight to the Charge that the Great Northern Man Controlled the Tacoma Convention and Dictated the G. O. P. Ticket.

SEATTLE, Wash., Nov. 1.—Every day of the campaign adds new material to the weight of authority in support of the indictment that the Tacoma convention was dominated by J. D. Farrell in the interests of the transcontinental railroads, and that the entire ticket nominated by that convention met with Mr. Farrell's approval.

The authorities for the Farrell-private car story are prominent Republicans, many of them delegates to the convention, and their number, and the unanimity with which the yagreed upon the main points of the story makes an effective denial impossible.

On account of the multiplicity of authority it is impossible to name all of those who have testified in one form or another that the convention was dominated by the railroads, but the list, in part, is as follows:

1—The story of the private car conference as told by one of the participants and published in the Spokane Spokesman-Review and the Seattle Daily Times Sunday, Sept. 4, and not since denied by any of the purported participants.

2—The official report of the Spokane county steering committee, T. D. Rockwell, Charles P. Lund and J. A. Schiller. This report was issued soon after the convention and has not since been retracted by any one of these three men.

3—The declaration in the editorial columns of the Tacoma Ledger, a Republican paper of unquestioned party regularity, made the day following the convention and never since retracted.

4—The interview of Joseph B. Lindsay of Spokane, a Republican candidate for the legislature, who was present at the convention.

5—The statement of Lew. Wilmut,

one of the delegates to the convention from Ferry county.

6—The statement in the news columns of the Oregonian that Mr. Farrell was summoned to Tacoma to participate in the deliberations and to deliver his orders in person, and following that the editorial statement of the Oregonian that the Hill railroad interests defeated McBride.

7—The editorial declaration of the Lincoln County Times of which L. A. Inkster, the Republican postmaster of Davenport, is the editor.

8—The statement in the Post-Intelligencer's account of the convention that the "individual delegate cuts but mighty little ice in a big and important convention like this."

9—The declarations of the Palmer Mountain Prospector, the editor of which, Frank H. Dallam, is a Republican and was present at the convention.

10—The editorial in the Yakima Republic, a lobby Republican paper, whose editor, Col. W. W. Robertson, was at the convention as a delegate, that Mr. Farrell was sent for in the interests of Gov. McBride.

11—The statement of Congressman Cushman at Wenatchee that he saw a great many railroad men hanging around the convention.

12—The editorial utterances of a score of stanch and now regular Republican papers like the Creston News, the Walla Walla Record, the Vancouver Independent, the Mason County Journal, the La Conner Mail, the Pomeroy East Washingtonian, the Wilbur Register, the Colton News-Letter, the Everett Record and a great many others.

13—The refusal of Henry McBride to say a word in support of the ticket, and with it the refusal of such stanch Mc-

Bride Republicans as John H. Powell, Harold Preston, E. M. Carr, George Dilling, Reuben W. Jones, W. H. White, James Hart, Mose Gottstein and Irving T. Cole of King county; Stanton Warburton, J. A. Snackelford, F. A. Luce, H. P. Burdick, E. E. Cushman and J. M. Ashton of Pierce county; Frank T. Post of Spokane county; W. R. Moultray, Hugh Eldridge and A. L. Black of Whatcom county; N. J. Craigie of Snohomish county; T. F. Mentzer of Thurston county; Henry Dryden of Cowlitz county; Oscar Cain of Walla Walla county and scores of others.

14—The statement of Mr. Mead at Colfax that if Farrell was sent for he was sent for by the King county delegation. The statement of Mr. Mead in Spokane that he did not know anything about the statement of Mr. Mead at North Yakima that Mr. Farrell was sent for but refused to interfere in the matter whatever, making it necessary for the convention to worry along without his advice and counsel. The refusal of Mr. Mead to pledge himself to a railroad commission, or to say one word of criticism of the insolent activities of the railroad lobby.

The denials of the Farrell-Private-car story and the denials that the railroads dominated the convention are also numerous, but they are not of such a character as to carry a great deal of weight. They are as follows:

1—The denial of John L. Wilson.

2—The denial of the Post-Intelligencer, John L. Wilson's newspaper.

3—The denial of E. B. Palmer, chairman of the Wilson-railroad state central committee.

4—The denial of the committee.

5—The denial by the Republican newspapers of the state which draw their inspiration and receive their editorial matter from the Palmer-Wilson-railroad press bureau.

6—The clippings republished in the Post-Intelligencer from the country papers, originally furnished to the country press by the state committee under the direction of the owner of the P.-I.

7—The statements made by the Republican speakers on the authority of the clippings republished in the P.-I. from the country press supplied with editorial matter by the Wilson-Palmer bureau.

8—The denial by Mr. Mead that he is

the railroad candidate.

9—The speeches of Mr. Mead published in the Post-Intelligencer, denying that he is the railroad candidate.

10—The denials by the railroad lobby workers that Mr. Mead is a railroad candidate.

11—The denial by Congressman Jones who knows better.

12—The denial by Congressman Humphrey who ought to know better.

The men who participated in the private-car conference are: J. D. Farrell, B. S. Grosscup, Charles M. Levey, B. D. Crocker, J. T. McChesney, Samuel Hill, and a number of less important railroad henchmen. Not one of these men has ever uttered a single word of denial. JOE SMITH.

FARRELL IN SPOKANE

The Big Tyee of the Great Northern Has Been in Spokane Quietly

Boosting Mr. Mead.

J. D. Farrell, assistant to President James J. Hill of the Great Northern and the Northern Securities company, and the man who dictated to the republican state convention, came to Spokane yesterday and openly went to work for Mead and against Turner. During the day Mr. Farrell met a number of personal friends and urged them, as a favor to him, to vote against Turner.

Among these was Father Van de Van, the well known pastor of the Catholic church at Sprague. Mr. Farrell asked him to give him his support by voting against Turner.

"Why, I am a democrat," said Father Van de Van, and jocularly added that he was surprised that Mr. Farrell, who had always been a Democrat, should be out fighting Turner.

"I am a Republican this year," replied Mr. Farrell.

"Well, I am glad to know that the Republican party is being run by so good a Democrat," said Father Van de Van, laughing.

To a number of acquaintances Mr. Farrell expressed himself with deep bitterness against Judge Turner.

Mr. Farrell, who arrived in the city from the east yesterday morning left for Seattle last night. Mrs. Farrell came here three days ago to visit with her mother, Mrs. H. B. Wadsworth, and joined Mr. Farrell here.

Mr. Farrell said he had no railroad news to give out.

When asked by a reporter if he thought Mead would be elected he said: "I have nothing to say on politics. You are the railroad reporter, are you not? You were not told to ask about politics were you?"

"If I talk you might want to cartoon me again. Those cartoons were funny, and no one was mad except my porter, who is a young mulatto boy, and was cartooned as a burly negro with monstrous lips."

"Is James J. Hill on the finance committee of the national democratic party?"

"Mr. Hill is better able to talk on that than I, but I have never heard of his having such a connection."—Review.

Will Farrell Tap the Barrel?

Mr. Farrell's unexpected and unannounced arrival in Spokane yesterday set the politicians guessing, and there has been much speculation around both headquarters and a desire to know whether the railroad barrel is to be opened or whether Spokane Republicans must struggle under the railroad odium without any assistance from the Farrell funds. Some believe the cash box of the railroads is to be tapped today, while others who ought to know say Mr. Farrell has said that he will not put one dollar into Spokane county.

Mr. Farrell was holding private consultations with republican leaders throughout the day, and the Republican heeled have been after him. Such Democrats as have been for the Republicans in this campaign are said to be especially anxious to see Mr. Farrell.

Democratic managers also are curious to know what the man who manipulated the Tacoma convention intends to do in Spokane county. Some of them admit that if he dumps a quantity of money into Spokane it will have some effect and may reduce Mr. Turner's majority in the county somewhat, but that if he does not Mead will lose the county by 2500 votes.

Whether or not Mr. Farrell will spend the money, he nevertheless showed himself yesterday deeply anxious for the defeat of Judge Turner and personally solicited many friends to vote for Mead. Many of these, like himself, have been Democrats.—Spokesman-Review.

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TURNER'S BUSY DAY

He Will Make Four Speeches in Spokane County on the Day Before Election—Will Address Theater Audiences.

R. W. Nuzum, chairman of the democratic campaign showed himself a Talleyrand of diplomacy yesterday by arranging to have Judge Turner speak the night before election before both theater audiences and at Elks' temple. Besides these he will speak in the afternoon at Cheney. In this way it is expected he will have a final word to 4000 people in his own county.

Frank Daniels' company plays at the Spokane theater Monday night, and at 8 o'clock, before the curtain rises, Judge Turner will address this audience. Florence Roberts is at the Auditorium the same night. After his talk at the Spokane Mr. Turner will go to the Auditorium and between the first and second acts he will speak to that audience. He then will go to Elks' temple, where he will make his chief address. Prior to his coming other speakers of prominence will address the crowd at that place. Early in the evening there will be a street demonstration and parade. —Spokesman-Review.

High-Priced Prosperity.

On July 1, 1897, not quite four months after the Republican party began the lease of power it has held ever since, the average cost of food, clothing and other necessary articles of consumption was \$72.45 per head of our population. On Sept. 1, 1904, after a little over seven years of the blessings of Republican rule, it was \$97.84, an increase of \$25.39 per head, or \$126.95 per family of five.

These are the official figures published by the Department of Commerce and Labor, lately under the control of Mr. Cortelyou. They show an increase in the necessary cost of living of over 35 per cent. That means that it takes \$1.35 now to buy the things a dollar would have bought in 1897. It means that in order to be even just a man who was earning a dollar a day in 1897 ought to be getting \$1.35 now, that one who was earning \$2 ought now to be getting \$2.70 and that one who was earning \$3 ought to draw \$4.05.

Have workmen in general noticed such an increase in their wages?—New York World.

Some Good Advice.

"It is better to be a bolter from a party than a traitor to the state," says William Allen White, the famous republican editor of Kansas, in a letter advising Missouri republicans to vote for Joseph W. Folk, the democratic foe of corruption, for governor.

That remark applies to present political affairs in Washington as well as Missouri. Folk stands for public purity in old Missouri and George Turner stands for the same principle in the young state of Washington. Make your choice, gentlemen.

Relegated to the Woodpile.

"At last the Republican party of this state has had the courage of its convictions, and has frankly and honestly relegated the wholly irrelevant plank on railroad commissions to the woodpile. The fact was plainly stated to the convention yesterday that the great majority of the people who do the voting do not want a 'regulative, appointive railroad commission,' no matter what some attorneys of a populist turn of mind may wish. This statement we believe to be the literal truth, no matter how much the timid, the autocratic or the time servers may wish to change it."—Seattle Post-Intelligencer (John L. Wilson's paper.) (Railroad Lobby Rep.)

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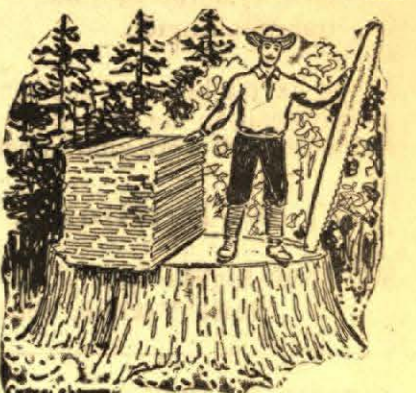
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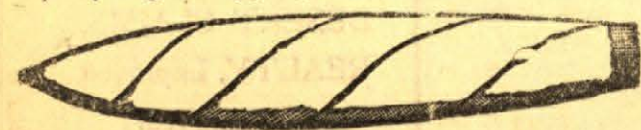
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Judge Parker at Last Convinced of the Necessity of a Vigorous Campaign—The Democratic Candidate Strikes a Popular Chord in His Attacks on the Trusts.

(From Our Regular Correspondent.)

WASHINGTON, D. C., Oct. 27.—A victory for Chairman Taggart is in sight. Mr. Parker will probably go on the stump in his own behalf. From the beginning of the campaign, Mr. Taggart has declared that the Democratic presidential candidate was not sufficiently well known and has urged him to make a number of speeches throughout the country. Mr. Parker's eastern and southern friends have protested against this course as undignified and he has listened to their appeals but it is now learned from an authoritative source that the candidate will probably make several speeches before election, notably in West Virginia, Indiana and Illinois, probably also in Chicago.

There is to be a reorganization of the force which compiles the material from which Mr. Parker writes his speeches. Some serious errors have been made by the clerks who perform this work and the result has been to commit the candidate to statements and especially to figures which can not be verified, although he has personally been in no way to blame. This will occur no more and no further opportunity for Republican quibbling will be afforded.

Mr. Parker's recent speech at Esopus denouncing the trusts seems to have struck a popular chord. The great Hearst newspaper syndicate has long been urging this course and now that it has been adopted all of the Hearst papers will cordially support Parker and Davis. Messrs. McCarren and Cord Meyer have recently brought in some very handsome contributions to the campaign fund and there is reason to believe that with the signals of war at his command, Mr. Taggart can be sure of Indiana which has heretofore been admittedly doubtful. Senator Gorman is throwing the entire weight of his assistance into the West Virginia campaign and Candidate Davis has contributed generously to the fund in that state, despite Republican statements to the contrary. There is every reason to expect the election of Democratic electors from that state, and Mr. John T. McGraw is counting on a legislature which will send him to the senate to succeed Nathan B. Scott.

Reports from Maryland seem to be less reassuring than they were, judging by the news that reaches Washington, although it is appreciated that Washington news comes largely from a single section of the state. The Democratic national committee has issued its official prediction which shows a safe majority of the electoral college for Parker and Davis and every Democrat is working hard to insure that end, irrespective of what faction of the party he may affiliate with. Not for years has there been such evidence of harmony throughout the party.

In his speech at Esopus Mr. Parker pointed to the evil growing out of corporation contributions to the campaign funds of the Republican party, asserting that such contributions were made as a business investment by the corporations and trusts for the purpose of obtaining favorable legislation and that experience had taught them they would not be disappointed. The Republicans attempt to reply to this statement by pointing to the fact that Mr. Patrick McCarren and Mr. Cord Meyer are associated with the Standard Oil company. They dodge the issue, however, for Mr. Parker expressly excepted the contributions of private individuals, whatever might be their connections, and condemned only those contributions of corporations, made by the directors of the corporation out of the money of the stockholders and which could be warranted only by the expectation of a return in the form of special legislation or immunity from violations of the law.

President Roosevelt has been on the eve of making a "break" in the eyes of his campaign managers by denouncing the Standard Oil company as opposing his campaign. It will be remembered that ever since the president caused to be made public the telegrams of John Rockefeller Jr., asking for interviews with various senators for the company's Mr. Archibald, the president has been in the bad graces of this company and as he is a man who lives on adulation, from whatever source it comes, he naturally hates the company. Mr. Roosevelt's campaign managers, however, believe that it would be unwise for him to attack the trust at this time, even if it is antagonistic to him, and they are doing everything in their power to restrain the impetuosity of the Republican presidential candidate. The purpose of Mr. Archibald's desired interviews, by the way, was to prevent the enactment of the law creating the bureau of corporations and authorizing

the commissioner of corporations to make public such information as he might be able to gather regarding trusts and their methods.

Five members of the cabinet are now absent from their desks, engaged in stamping the doubtful states in the interest of the Republican ticket. Naturally there is very little doing in the way of government work in Washington these days.

The Sacredness of a Promise.

In his political addresses President Roosevelt has said: "If promises are violated—if plighted word is not kept, then those who have failed in their duty should be held up to reprobation."

Mr. Mead does not hold the promises of his party to be thus sacred. His argument is that when his party fails to keep its promises, it is the part of policy to not make another promise. In his speeches in Eastern Washington he thus explained the failure of his party to make a declaration on the subject of a railway commission:

"I say, under the circumstances, the Republican party of this state was placed, I regret to say, in the unfortunate position of failing to carry out its pledge and promise sacredly made in convention. I mention this for the reason that in connection with the deliberations which occurred on the 11th day of May in this year (the Tacoma state convention) the Republicans of this state, by a majority vote, have seen fit not to make that mistake the second time. They saw fit to eliminate from the platform and from its declaration of principles any expression with reference to this matter."

Since then Mr. Mead has been constantly vacillating and throwing out lines in the hope that he may catch something to save him. At Walla Walla he committed himself to a resurrection of the Anderson law of 1893 which the railroads framed. At Tacoma the other day he sought to leave the impression that he is in favor of a commission and would gladly sign a bill if the legislature would pass one.

Mr. Mead knows that the legislature will not pass such a measure. If a Republican legislature will not pass a certain bill when it promises to do so—how can any sane man expect the same party to pass a similar bill when it is free from any promise to do so, and when there is a tacit understanding among the controlling elements in the party that such a bill shall not be passed?—Seattle Times.

Mead is for Wilson.

There is no longer any room to doubt but that Mr. Mead, the Farrell-railroad nominee for governor, is fully committed to the support of John L. Wilson's candidacy for United States senator.

If there was no other evidence at hand the fact that Wilson is making herculean efforts to elect Mead would be enough. Wilson is a narrow-minded and selfish politician who thinks of nothing but his own advancement. If Mead were not tied up to him, therefore, in the strongest bonds it would be impossible that Wilson should be making such a frenzied effort to land his man in the governor's chair. If he had reason to think that Mead, if elected, would favor the candidacy of any other man he would knife him unhesitatingly.

If the people of this state could ever get a direct whack at John L. Wilson they would soon put him out of the political arena, for they know him and they detest him. He has shown himself throughout his entire public career to be merely a corporation tool. Through Wilson's connivance, while in congress, the biggest land steal ever perpetrated by the Northern Pacific was jobbed through at Washington.

Walter J. Reed, Republican nominee for state senator for this county is counted and is generally regarded as a Wilson supporter. The people of this county, we are sure, don't wish any of their representatives in the legislature to vote for such a man as John L. Wilson, the perpetual candidate. The Democrat does not desire to misrepresent Mr. Reed. But if he is for Wilson the public has a right to know it. The columns of this paper are free to him to state his position on the senatorship if he so desires.

Mead's Railroad Plank.

"The Republican party of Whatcom county deprecates any agitation or legislation that may tend to retard or embarrass the completion of the (B. B. & B. C.) railroad now in active course of construction, and to that end we are opposed to the passage of either an appointive or an elective railroad commission bill."—From the platform reported to the Whatcom county convention of Aug. 23, 1902, by a committee appointed by A. E. Mead, of which committee C. W. Howard, a railroad attorney, was chairman.

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SEATTLE, Nov. 4.—With the exception of installing the receiving and transmitting machinery, the work of erecting the local station of the Pacific Wireless Telegraph company was completed yesterday. The station is located on the top of Queen Anne hill, in the rear of 1613 Fourth avenue north.

The main feature of the station is a high pole on which the machinery will be placed. This pole is made of two spiced sections and is 182 feet from the ground at the top. The work of splicing and erecting this pole has been under the charge of Mr. Nordyke, and required eight days' labor to complete.

Mr. Nordyke goes today to Tacoma, where he will superintend the erection of a similar station. The other station which will be in communication with Seattle will be located at San Juan island, some sixty miles from here.

Mead Says It is a False Issue.

Mead is telling the voters in western Washington that the railroad commission is a false issue and never should have been raised.

That is the railroad word with the bark on it, and Mead believes it because he has trained for years with the railroad attorneys and politicians and they have taught him to believe it.

James J. Hill says the commission is a false issue. J. D. Farrell says it. B. S. Grosscup, chief counsel for the Northern Pacific, says it. Every railroad manager and politician who took part in the caucus in J. D. Farrell's private car says it.

C. W. Howard, the railroad attorney at Bellingham, who was appointed by Mead as chairman of the platform committee in the Whatcom county convention and framed the plank against a railroad commission, says it; and so does General Manager Donovan of the B. & N. C. Railroad company, whom Mead named to head the Whatcom county delegation to the state convention.

And Mead says it in western Washington, though he was careful not to say it on this side of the mountains.

Mead is wide of the truth when he says the railroad commission question is a false issue. It was the burning issue before the constitutional convention of fifteen years ago. Acting Governor Laughton advised the creation of a commission in 1892; Governor Ferry suggested it in 1893; Governor Rogers urged it in 1897, and reiterated it in 1898 and 1901; and Governor McBride took up the cause when death struck down his Democratic predecessor.

The railroad commission question is a growing issue. To silence it the railroads struck down Governor McBride, tore the commission plank from the Republican platform, and put forward Mead for governor. They counted on President Roosevelt's popularity to sugarcoat the nauseous dose which they prepared for the Republican voters and now are in consternation over the unexpected magnitude of the revolt.—Spokesman-Review.

The Petrified Forest.

This year we took most of our summer vacation in New Mexico and Arizona, the principal places visited being the petrified forest and the grand canyon.

The petrified forests are in eastern Arizona and near the line of the Santa Fe. The two smaller forests are near Adamana; the largest of the three is near Holbrook. We visited the Holbrook forest, sixteen miles southeast of that town, and found it a place of surpassing interest. No one who has formed an opinion of the petrified wood from the few pieces seen at the various exhibitions can realize the immensity of the forest, the size of the logs or the variety of coloring. In some places it looks like a logging camp and many of the trees seem to have been saved into sections, the lengths proportioned somewhat to the diameter of the log. Thousands of pieces can be found showing the entire circumference of the tree, and varying in diameter from eight inches to two feet and in length from a foot to three feet—pieces convenient for shipping. Every institution of learning in the land ought to supply itself with one of these specimens for the benefit of

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The farmers of the eastern half of the state have been struggling in this cause for so many years, but without the assistance of the vast interests on this side of the mountains they have been unsuccessful. This year the lumber interests are aroused as well, have resolved to throw off the railroad yoke and will join the farmers in good faith, seeking an exchange of support and assistance in a cause which should, long ago, have been made a common one.

The western Washington lumbermen have been slow to take the step which they have finally resolved to take: Their business depends no less vitally, but a little more closely upon the policy of the railroads than does that of the agriculturists. The larger lumbermen have from time to time been granted favors by the railroads which their smaller competitors have not received. The ownership of some of the larger mills has a close relation to the ownership of some of the railroads, and these two influences have caused the lumbermen to seek their favors from the roads direct instead of through the medium of legislation.

But this policy has failed them. The railroad companies, after repeated conferences, after repeated arguments, after repeated delays have procrastinated while promises were possible, have promised while promises were acceptable, and have refused favors, or even justice, when promises and procrastination no longer served to satisfy the lumbermen. This policy has been pursued so long that the lumbermen have lost their patience and resolved to reverse their methods and go to the polls for relief, bearing aloft as their battle cry, "the issue of the campaign is the forty cent rate."

The lumbermen are not opposed to a railroad commission. Quite the contrary many of them are enthusiastically in favor of that method of reaching the railroads and winning justice from them as a forced condition rather than a concession granted and meekly

accepted as a favor. The most sincere and loyal friends of the commission cause on this side of the mountains, men who have made personal and political sacrifices in the fight for principle, men like Henry McBride and Harold Preston and Stanton Warburton, A. L. Black, Emerson Hammer, John T. Bibb, and W. H. Lewis, look upon the lumber manufacturers as natural allies in the contest, and the lumbermen themselves have lately come to look at the matter in the same light.

By making concessions to a few of the more prominent lumbermen the railroads have in the past been able to retain the lumbermen as their supporters in the cause they have waged against the agricultural and other industries. But they have been too inconsiderate of those allies, they have been too exacting themselves and too slow to appreciate the favors they have enjoyed, they have held back too long. These pledges do not conflict with the mandated of them as an act of justice, the extension of the forty cent rate, making it necessary for the lumbermen to seek a new and stronger alliance.

In the present campaign the Pacific Coast Lumber Manufacturers' Association has asked pledges of all legislative candidates of both parties, promising assistance in their campaign, commission fight. The lumbermen are ready, even anxious to join in the creation of a commission, asking only that their interests be given equal consideration with other similar interests which the commission would effect.

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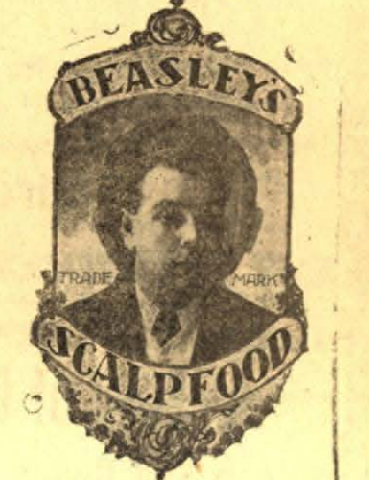
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Plaintiff's Attest: NYDER & PREBLE, s. P. O. address, North Yakima, Ya. oc29 dec6

Not to Creditors.

Notice is hereby given to all persons having claims against the estate of Ida J. M. Strauss, deceased, to present the same, accompanied by the proper vouchers, to the undersigned, administrator of said estate, at the office of McLaughlin & Meigs, attorneys, in North Yakima, Washington, the same being the place for the transaction of business of said estate, within one year from the date of the first publication of this notice, to-wit: within one year from the 29th day of October, 1904, or the same will be forever barred.

Dated this 22nd day of October, 1904.

JACOB STRAUSS, Administrator of the estate of Ida J. M. Strauss, deceased. oc22no12

Notice to Creditors.

In the Superior Court of the State of Washington in and for Yakima County (in probate)—In the matter of the estate of John Pope, deceased.

Notice is hereby given that letters testamentary on the estate of John Pope, deceased, were granted to the undersigned, on the 18th day of October A. D. 1904, by the said Superior Court.

All persons having claims against said estate are required to present them with the necessary vouchers to me at the office of W. J. Welch, in Roslyn, Kittitas county, Washington, within one year from the date of the first publication of this notice, to-wit: within one year from the 29th day of October, 1904, or the same shall be forever barred.

Dated at North Yakima, Wash., this 18th day of October A. D. 1904.

EMILY POPE, Executrix of the estate of John Pope, deceased. oc22no19

Summons.

In the Superior Court of Yakima County State of Washington.

Elmer VanEpps, Plaintiff, vs. Daisy VanEpps, Defendant.—Summons.

The State of Washington to the said Daisy VanEpps, said defendant:

You are hereby summoned to appear within sixty days after the date of the first publication of this summons to-wit: within sixty days after the 15th day of October 1904, and defend the above entitled action in the above entitled court, and answer the complaint of the plaintiff and serve a copy of your answer upon the undersigned attorneys for plaintiff, at their office, below stated; and in case of your failure so to do, judgment will be rendered against you according to the demand of the complaint, which has been filed with the clerk of said court. The object of this action is to procure a decree of the above named court, divorcing the said defendant from the said plaintiff, and vacating, annulling and holding for naught the marriage contract and status now subsisting between said plaintiff and said defendant.

SNYDER & PREBLE, Attorneys for Plaintiff, P. O. Address North Yakima, Yakima county, Washington. oc15-nov26

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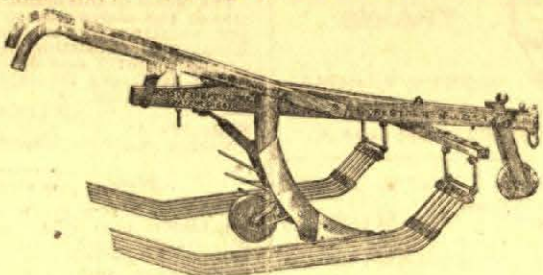
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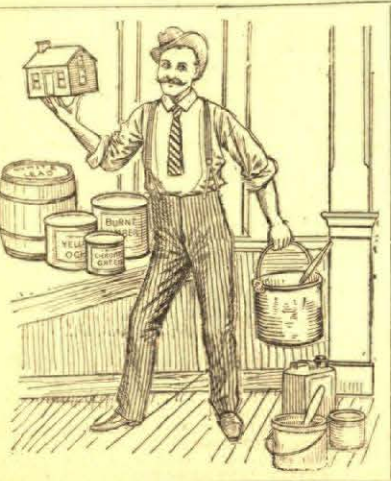
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THE LOCAL MELANGE

Short Items of News of North Yakima and Vicinity Sized Up in Pithy Paragraphs.

Millard Meloy spent Saturday and Sunday with his parents in Zillah.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Voliva returned Saturday afternoon from a trip to Seattle.

The Woodmen of the World gave a dance in Wisconsin hall Saturday night.

The N. Y. A. C. gave one of its dances in Armory hall Wednesday night.

Guy Allen and wife have returned to their recent home on the ranch near Toppish.

Harry Garrett spent Sunday in this city. He returned to Prosser Sunday night.

Mrs. Maude Fielding of this city is visiting relatives in Ellensburg this week.

Orlando Beck went to Prosser Sunday night to inspect the nursery of F. W. Nessley.

Miss N. E. Macklin of Toronto, Ontario, is visiting her sister, Mrs. J. M. Allguire.

Judge Bell of Seattle is in the city today. He is the guest of Judge Frank H. Rudkin.

J. R. McKeand came back Wednesday from a trip to Seattle and other Sound points.

Mrs. G. S. Rankin and children have returned home from an extended visit with relatives in Minnesota.

The Portia club will meet at the home of Mrs. A. B. Weed, 307 North Second street, Saturday, November 5.

Mrs. N. J. Durgan of Ellensburg, arrived here Wednesday afternoon to spend a few days with kinfolks.

The Woman's Club held their regular bi-monthly meeting in the Commercial club rooms Wednesday afternoon.

Claud Morrison, a drug clerk in Ellensburg, came down Wednesday afternoon to see Harvey Young of the Red Cross pharmacy.

Prof. Thompson has organized a football team. It will be called the N. Y. A. C. football eleven. Tuesday afternoon will be their first practice.

The X. T. C. club met at the home of Miss Robie Case on north Naches Saturday afternoon and formulated plans for their entertainment this evening at the home of Miss Marjorie Moran.

G. C. Wallace, formerly of this city, being connected with the hardware firm of Wallace & Coburn, is in the city for a few days. He is now located in Bel-lingham.

Miss Marie Peterson, manager of the telephone long distance exchange of Zillah, visited friends in the city several days this week and returned home Wednesday.

President Roosevelt has issued his Thanksgiving proclamation. Thursday, November 24th has been set aside as a day for general thanksgiving all over the United States of America.

J. C. Lloyd, the sheepman of Kittitas county, was in the city Wednesday. He stopped off here on his way to Ellensburg from Sunnyside where he had been making arrangements to feed his flock of sheep for the winter.

The teachers association of Yakima county held a very successful meeting Saturday afternoon. Questions of vital importance in school work were discussed freely and several interesting papers were read.

The funeral of little Evelyn Johnson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. Johnson, occurred Sunday afternoon. The funeral was held from the residence on south Fourth street. The remains were laid to rest in Tahoma cemetery.

The Gnome's and Sprites who usually make their appearance on Halloween night according to rumors circulated in the police department may get into trouble tonight if they are not very careful.

Mr. and Mrs. D. A. McDonald of Parker left here Saturday night for St. Louis where they will attend the world's fair. They will then leave for a two months visit at Mr. McDonald's old home on Prince Edwards Island, Canada. The Daily Democrat will keep them posted on Yakima news during their absence.

E. M. Smithers of Seattle was in the city Saturday and Sunday on a visit to P. Y. Heckmon.

Prof. S. A. Dickey left Sunday night for Mabton. He will visit the schools in the lower part of the county.

W. H. Patterson left Sunday evening for Prosser. He intends to hunt for a couple of days with Ed Merwin.

The seven months old baby of Mr. and Mrs. Abbey Steenburger died Saturday Oct. 29th, 1904, and was buried Sunday.

A leading social event of the season will be the Halloween ball given this evening by thirteen of Yakima's most estimable young ladies.

Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Smithers and Mr. and Mrs. Edward Atwood of Roslyn returned home Sunday afternoon after having visited the family of P. Y. Heckman.

D. L. Thacker returned Friday night from a ten day's visit on Puget Sound. He went over to recuperate from an attack of malaria and is much improved.

The ladies of the Degree of Honor will give a night cap social this evening in Masonic hall. All are cordially invited and each lady must bring two night caps.

Mrs. A. Schindler will entertain this afternoon at her home on north Naches. The affair promises to be novel. Mrs. Schindler has a reputation for excelling in afternoon parties.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Thompson left here Wednesday morning for Seattle. They will return to their former home in Wisconsin over the Canadian Pacific and after spending some time with Mrs. Thompson's parents will leave for California. They do not expect to come back to Yakima again.

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Oscar James was in the city Tuesday. Mr. James recently moved his family from Cle Elum to Seattle.

Mrs. Wallis Williams gave a party to the little folks Saturday afternoon in honor of the sixth birthday of her little daughter Florence.

Judge and Mrs. Bell of Seattle spent Sunday here as the guests of Judge and Mrs. F. H. Rudkin. They returned to their home Monday afternoon.

The Red Men gave a masquerade ball Monday night in Wisconsin hall. There was a large crowd in attendance and everybody had a good time.

Mrs. N. S. Johnson gave a dinner party Sunday evening in the dining rooms of the Yakima hotel in honor of Mrs. Congressman Humphrey of Seattle, Wash.

J. Arthur Brown, who has been attending the Pullman agricultural college, arrived here Saturday afternoon to take charge of Mrs. L. A. Rowe's farm on the Naches.

H. F. Marble and M. S. Liggett returned Sunday from the Naches valley, after completing the work of surveying townships 15-16. The land is located between the head of the Wenas and the Naches valley.

L. H. Linbarger recovered his wolf hound Saturday which was lost in the coyote chase near Kennewick Wednesday. The hound in following a coyote got far away and was lost for a whole day. He is a pedigreed Russian wolf hound.

Everett Dam, who has been clerking in the store of Owen Jones, left here Monday morning for Seattle to make his home with his parents. He has a position in the wholesale department of Lowman & Hanford. The young man was always a courteous and obliging salesman.

F. L. Smith, representing the Mutual Life Insurance company, with headquarters in Ellensburg, arrived here Tuesday to spend several days.

Hunters' licenses were issued Tuesday to the following parties: James M. Kay, Ira Marcus, William Goodrich, A. J. Grosseup, J. A. Polley and L. W. Roy.

Hon. Stanton Warburton of Tacoma will address the people of this city Saturday night at Larson's theater. His subject will be on the railroad commission.

Mrs. C. W. Grant and little child left here Tuesday afternoon for Toppish to join her husband who is now employed by the Ritchie, Gilbert company as bookkeeper.

D. R. McKee took formal charge of the Bartholet hotel Tuesday morning, November 1. Mr. McKee is a hotel man of wide experience. He comes here from Olympia, where he ran the Carlton house.

The Republican meeting advertised for Toppish Monday night was a rather frosty affair. Lee Tittle was the only orator present and probably being dismayed at the size of the crowd called the meeting off.

In the parlor of the Bartholet hotel at high noon Monday, October 31, Judge Taggard joined in marriage Mr. Thomas Thompson and Miss Cora May Purveance of the Ahtanum. There were present friends and relatives of the contracting parties.

Vera and Marion Cook had a little party at their home on South Naches Halloween night. The evening was spent in playing games, after which dainty refreshments were served. Those present were: Florence Mains, Mabel Hough, Nellie Hauser and Madge Wright.

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