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ROBBERY AT MABTON.

Two Masked Highwaymen Hold Up N. J. Beckner in His Store at Mabton and Secure \$200---Crude Work of Robbers.

Noah J. Beckner, proprietor of "The Spot" store at Mabton, had an experience with robbers last Monday night about 8:30 o'clock, that he will doubtless never forget.

At the hour named, while Mr. Beckner was alone in the store closing up the day's business, two rough appearing men opened the door and walked in. Mr. Beckner scented trouble at once, as he noticed that the men were masked in a crude way, by having pieces of gunny sacks tied about their heads. The proprietor had scarcely time to think, however, before the head ruffian had him covered with a revolver, at the same time ordering him to throw up his hands, which the merchant promptly proceeded to do.

The robber then ordered him to proceed to the rear end of the store, where the safe was located and open it, which Mr. Beckner, of course, did. He was then told to dump the contents of the money drawer into a sack which the robber produced. About \$100, mostly in silver, was dumped into the sack. The robber then expressed his disgust at the small amount received and said: "You have more money than that in there," after which the robber lowered his pistol and began to rummage the safe. He pulled out another drawer which contained about \$100 in bills, dumping it in the sack with an expression of satisfaction.

While this work was transpiring, the landlady of the local hotel entered the store by the rear door, with the object of making a purchase, whereupon, the second robber pointed his pistol at the woman and warned her to keep quiet. This, as she told Sheriff Grant the next day, she could not help doing, as she was so badly frightened that she was unable to speak. Gathering up their ill gotten wealth, the two men then backed their way out through the rear door and evidently made for the sage brush, where it is presumed they had tied their horses, and then made off.

Mr. Beckner, after the robbers left, lost no time in communicating by wire with the sheriff's office in this city. Sheriff Grant and Deputy Edwards caught the 11:35 train, and arriving at Mabton, proceeded to investigate. Ed Mudd of Zillah and another man who was there, were deputized by the sheriff and the search for the robbers began. Mr. Beckner was sure that the robbers had left the town on horses and was strongly of the opinion that they had made their way into the Horse Heaven hills. This seemed plausible, and finding fresh tracks leading that way out of the sage brush, the party took up the chase in that direction. It led to nothing, however, and after a few hours spent in a vain hunt, the party returned to Mabton Tuesday at noon. They were then informed that three men had been arrested at Prosser as suspects. The sheriff left immediately, and on questioning the men became satisfied that two of them knew nothing of the matter and released them. The third, who gave the name of Wilson, acted suspiciously and on being sharply questioned admitted that he had stood on the front porch of Beckner's store while the robbery was in progress. Wilson was brought to this city and placed in jail.

Sheriff Grant and Deputy Edwards left for Mabton again Wednesday afternoon to take up the trail of the robbers.

An Insane Traveler.

Paul E. Wendling is the name given by a man who was committed to the Medical Lake asylum by Judge Rudkin on Monday.

Wendling, who is a pale, delicate looking man, alighted from the Burlington west bound train here Sunday morning, apparently as crazy as a bedbug. The conductor said that Wendling had a ticket for Portland and that he had tried to pacify him and get him through safely to his destination. The man, however, insisted in getting off at Yakima and did so. He succeeded in raising quite a commotion among the bystanders around the depot, who, on realizing that the fellow was crazy, felt it cined to give him plenty of room. He started off up the avenue to inspect the town, but was soon intercepted by a couple of city officers. Wendling objected to being taken in charge and while filing his objections in an excited manner, managed to break a pane of glass out of the window of M. Grobschmidt's barber shop. He was finally landed in the city jail and subsequently was taken to the county jail and placed in one of the steel cells.

Wendling seems to be one of that unfortunate class who are insane by spells. During his rational moments he told his keepers that he had lived at West Superior, Wis., that his parents reside at Benson, Minn., and that he has a brother in Seattle. He also said that he was subject to epileptic fits and that he had once been in a Minnesota asylum. His age was given as 33.

Proposed Tietan Canal.

L. A. Noble of the U. S. geological survey with headquarters at Seattle, arrived here Saturday under instructions from his chief to examine into the feasibility of constructing the proposed Tietan high line canal. H. B. Scudder put the new man in touch with A. J. Spilaw, Geo. Weikel and other citizens familiar with the lay of the land in the Tietan country. Mr. Noble went up to the Spilaw ranch in the Cowiche the first of the week and has made his headquarters there pending the investigation which he is making of the project.

G. S. Rankin and others have called the engineer's attention to the desirability of utilizing the great Tietan basin or a portion of it as a reservoir site. The feasibility of this scheme Mr. Noble promised to look into.

Old newspapers for sale at this office. 25c per hundred.

Another Bogus Check Man.

A sleek and prosperous looking chap giving his name as C. W. Duff, accompanied by a woman, arrived here March 16 and put up at the Varker house.

The man gave out the information that he hailed from Denver, was a capitalist on a small scale and had come to Yakima to look for investments. Being smooth of speech and of easy manners, the fellow soon wormed himself into the confidence of a number of local business men.

He frequented the real estate office of Vinton & Reese a good deal and expressed a wish to buy property. On this assurance, Mr. Vinton invested several dollars in livery hire to "show him." Last Monday evening Duff stated to Mr. Vinton that he had made up his mind to purchase a couple of lots that he had looked at and would close the deal in the morning. "By the way," said the man from Denver, "I am a little short of ready cash, let me have \$5 and I will draw you a check for the amount." Mr. Vinton produced the cash and accepted the stranger's check for the same amount, drawn on the Yakima Valley Bank. That evening Duff worked the same game on W. A. Patterson, the cigar man, for \$10 and on M. Schorn for \$13.50, of whom he also made a small purchase. The next morning he worked Mr. Patterson's partner for \$5. The last seen of the "Denver capitalist" was about 10 o'clock Tuesday morning, and as a search for him proved futile, it is believed that he slipped out of town on the 10:30 Burlington train. Deputy Sheriff Cox wired a description of the fellow to Auburn and other points west, but the fugitive has not yet been apprehended.

The woman, however, besides a trunk and other personal effects of the couple are still at the Varker house. Landlord Turnell thought that he was out and injured to the extent of a week's board bill, but the woman, who denies any knowledge of her husband's present whereabouts, offered to discharge the debt by doing housework, which offer was accepted by the landlord.

Escaped from Jail.

Deputy Sheriff N. H. Yeates, on awakening Sunday morning and going downstairs to look after his prisoners in the county jail, was horrified to discover that two of them had made their escape during the night. The two men who had taken French leave are Gust Lind and Robert Wagon, who were arrested and bound over to the superior court in January on the charge of having broken open and stolen goods from N. P. freight cars.

How the two men managed to unlock the door of the steel cell in which they had been locked the night before is a mystery that is puzzling Sheriff Grant and his deputies. Jailer Nat Yeates is satisfied that he locked the men in their cell Saturday night, as was his custom, and some of the other prisoners bear out the jailer's statement with the assertion that they saw him lock the door of that particular cell. Mr. Yeates, in the discharge of his official duties, has always had the reputation of being not only reliable, but most methodical, so that Sheriff Grant is satisfied that it was through no dereliction on his deputy's part that the two prisoners made their escape.

After getting out of the massive steel cage, the two men, with apparently no other implement than a common fire shovel, and perhaps a jack knife, managed to make a hole in the west wall of the jail by first punching out a brick or two, after which the work of enlarging the hole was comparatively easy. The two cunning rascals made their final exit as the town clock was striking the hour of 4 o'clock Sunday morning. At least, so say the other occupants of the jail, all of whom were confined in the other cells and doubtless watched the stealthy operations of the two jail breakers with a great deal of interest.

Sheriff Grant promptly notified by wire the officers at all surrounding points to be on the lookout, at the same time furnishing descriptions of the two fugitives. Every effort seems to have been made to apprehend the men, but thus far without result.

A \$50,000 Contract.

Geo. L. Allen, ex-county clerk, returned Sunday from southern Idaho. Mr. Allen, who is now associated with Mr. Mathieson, of Sunnyside, in the contracting business, made the trip to Idaho for the special purpose of examining the work to be done on the big irrigating canal which is to be constructed there to irrigate what is known as the Idaho desert. Mr. Allen is well satisfied with the result of his visit, as he secured a \$50,000 sub-contract from Nelson Bennett, who has the contract for the entire work. The firm of Allen & Mathieson expect to begin work there in about two weeks.

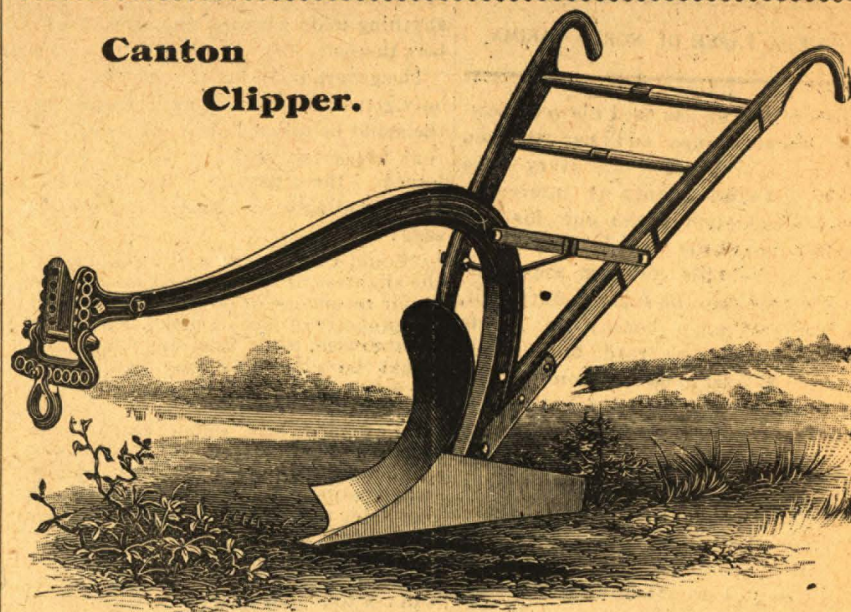
This great canal is to be built by a Salt Lake syndicate for the state of Idaho under the provisions of the Carey act. The length of the main canal is to be 65 miles and the system is designed to cover 265,000 acres of land, the most of which is said to be of excellent quality. The water to cover this desert is to be taken from the Snake river, the intake being located at Twin Falls, where a great dam is to be constructed across Snake river, 45 feet in height. It is said that the total cost of this great improvement will be about \$4,000,000, and that when completed, it will be the most extensive irrigation system located within the United States.

To Entertain "Teddy."

The Yakima Horticultural union has appointed the following committee to confer with other committees on arrangements for the entertainment of the president: W. L. Wright, L. B. Kinyon, O. Beck, T. W. Clark and A. F. Snelling. The committee has instructions to prepare some of Yakima's finest fruits and present to him as a memento of the generosity of the Yakima people. There will be a big display put on exhibition at the station on the day he arrives here and the special train will be handsomely supplied with the best fruit of the valley for the president and his guests.

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OFFICIAL PAPER OF NORTH YAKIMA.

Gov. McBride has used his veto power with a vengeance and has stricken from the appropriation bills every item in which Yakima county is interested, with the exception of the one for the maintenance of the State Fair.

Among the bills carrying appropriations, vetoed, are the sugar bounty bill, the bill providing a bounty on coyote scalps, the omnibus road bill, which provided \$13,500 to be spent on the Yakima-Buckley road, the bill for the relief of several counties, including Yakima, for taxes overpaid during past years and several other items and bills which affected other portions of the state, aggregating in all about \$400,000. Even with this large amount cut off the appropriations that still stand foot up to the enormous total of \$2,407,350.

The governor is being censured severely here and elsewhere in the state for the extent to which he has used the veto power. Perhaps this censure in some respects is just, as it certainly does look as though he had pruned out a number of the most meritorious appropriations and allowed a number of others to stand, which, from the standpoint of the public good, could better have been dispensed with. However, this is a matter upon which men may honestly differ and there is no reason to believe that the governor was not influenced by honest motives in the matter, although many of his own party associates charge him with a desire for vengeance in the use of his veto power, while others, who have heretofore been in factional sympathy with the executive, charge him with ingratitude.

The facts in the case are that the governor was forced to pare down the appropriations. If he had not done so, the state, undoubtedly, two years hence, would be compelled to meet a very heavy deficit, which in turn would mean increased taxation. As a matter of fact the only reason that a number of these appropriations passed the legislature was the feeling that existed in the minds of many men that the governor would veto them. They thus paid off their obligations to fellow members and at the same time contrived to put the governor in a hole, knowing that for every item vetoed by him he would make a number of new political enemies.

The great mistake, we believe, that the governor has made in this matter, has been in the fact that he failed to wield the knife as vigorously as he should have done. If he had gone ahead and lopped off the extravagant appropriations for the maintenance of a few of the numerous educational institutions now supported by the state, he would have at least earned the gratitude of the taxpayers of the state, for the people are simply becoming weary unto death in being grafted yearly to support a number of educational institutions in this state that they do not really need.

So, after all, it is not strange that the governor receives so little credit for his vigorous use of the pruning knife. He has perhaps saved a little of the people's money at the spigot, but he has allowed a great deal more to go to waste at the bung hole.

SECRETARY SHAW is watching the financial situation with deep concern, but talks hopefully. This much is learned from the Washington news reports. When the money market gets tight Mr. Shaw can take a few millions wrung from the people, loan them to the banks and the people can borrow from the banks. This relieves the stringency and provides the people with the money to pay more taxes into the treasury in order that the government may loan more money to the banks to lend to the people to pay more taxes to the government in order that the government may have more money to lend to the banks to— but this sort of thing is calculated to make dizzy a man who has to borrow from a bank in order to pay taxes into the treasury that a surplus may be created for the purpose of lending to the banks in a time of financial stringency when the people have to borrow money to pay more taxes into the treasury for the purpose of creating a surplus that may be borrowed by the banks to lend to the people— Speaking of "endless chains," was there ever one to beat that?—The Commoner.

AGENTS are abroad here on the mission of trying to convince people that they would be more prosperous in the desert fields of Southern California than they now are in the fertile valley of the Yakima. To some people the fields already look green afar off, but this can hardly be true of the parched desert of almost pure sand in the extreme southern end of California, where the land is under sea level and the climate as hot as Hades for about two-thirds of the year.

Gov. McBride has vetoed the so called tax commission bill which was passed by the legislature on the night of final adjournment. The bill appropriated the sum of \$15,000 to pay the expenses of the commission which was really given no power to adjust taxes any more than to make recommendations to the next legislature. It was, in fact, such a harmless measure that its most enthusiastic supporters were found among the members of the lobby. The real motive that the legislative gang had in passing the bill was to insult the executive by refusing to allow the governor to be an ex-officio member of the body or to have anything to do with naming the members thereof.

The governor, in his veto message, not only gives most convincing reasons for the stand he takes, but he shows up the rank hypocrisy of the "push" which forced the passage of the bill. In concluding his message the governor says:

"Could I see how this bill would be of the slightest benefit—how it would add to our revenues—or how it would subject the property of tax dodgers, corporate or otherwise, to a fair assessment, it would be cheerfully approved. The forces consenting to the passage of this bill defeated every measure that would have afforded any relief, and offered this as a soothing syrup to the public. The purpose of its passage was not to cure existing evils, but to postpone the inevitable day when a legislature will be elected that will prove true to the people and to party pledges; that will not be subservient to private interests; that will see to it that everyone, corporation and individual alike, who enjoys the protection of our law, shall bear a fair share of the public burden in the matter of taxation. The expenditure of fifteen thousand dollars under the provisions of this bill would be little short of a criminal waste of public funds. House Bill No. 89 is disapproved."

THE DEMOCRAT has been free in its criticism of the late republican legislature, but we have never said such mean things about that defunct body as have some of the organs of the g. o. p. in this state. The following editorial comment is taken from the Tacoma Ledger:

"There have been bad legislatures before, doubtless. In the matter of corruption there has never been one in Washington approaching in shamelessness and open defiance of decency this sixty days' riot of iniquity. The session was marked by betrayals of faith, by exhibitions of bargain and sale; it was a series of broken pledges, orgies of spite, a spouting of vituperation. Men in their eagerness for revenge forgot the purposes for which they had been elected, forgot the interests of the people they represented, forgot everything save that they had a little temporary power. The only sign of modesty appeared when there was played the evident fear that the truth would be told. In this particular the intelligence shown was similar to that of the ostrich, the fool among birds, who hides its head in the sand under the evident impression that this operation conceals its ungainly body. The legislative ostrich might as well get his head out of the sand and the sand out of his eyes."

THERE is nothing strange in the fact that the Yakima Washingtonian and other papers of the same kidney should be abusing and villifying the governor of this state for doing what he regards as his plain duty to the people. The local organ having allied itself with the "push" that is after the governor's political scalp merely seeks to make capital against him by taking advantage of the present temporary soreness caused by the executive vetoes.

The DEMOCRAT differs with the governor as to the righteousness of some of his vetoes. But as long as we can convince ourselves that his excellency acted from honest motives in the matter, there is no sense in abusing him in the vile language of a fishwife.

LEVI ANKENY's private secretary has sent word to the Ankeny paper at Walla Walla that the new senator has created quite a furore down at Washington. Senator Ank, he says, has already secured an extension of one of the rural routes out of Walla Walla and is working like a beaver to get an additional mail clerk for his home town.

Good for Senator Ank! What a power for good the old man is proving himself to be and not yet a senator for 30 days either. It will be hard to estimate what the people of this state have lost by not having had the Walla Walla banker at Washington ever since his senatorial ambition first sprouted.

The legislature that has just adjourned was a disappointment to the people of the state. That it was not all bad is conceded, but that it could and should have done much better is very freely asserted. Certainly there was ample evidence of corruption. Some good laws were passed but not enough. There were good men in the body, but the bad outnumbered them. The graft was too often in evidence and it was too frequently satisfied, it seems. The session will not be remembered with pride by all the people of our state.—Ellensburg Capital, (rep.)

The Tacoma News says that Foster, Ankeny and Jones have formed an offensive and defensive alliance against Cushman. No doubt but this is true, says the Olympia Capital, but if so the tall sycamore of the tide flats will give the members of the dreibund a run for their money.

The taxpayers of this county are not going to ratify the proposition to build a new court house at this time. Instead of piling up more debt and more taxes they want to see both reduced.

Isn't it about time for the people of North Yakima to quit looking to the state for favors and get in and drill on their own account? The veto message of Gov. McBride ought to set thinking men to thinking.

This thing of sending men over to the legislature every two years with emphatic instructions to secure appropriations for this and that project doesn't seem to pay in the light of past experiences and it is high time to call a halt on that system. The three men from this county in the late legislature were obliged to expend the most of their combined energy in log rolling in order to get their appropriations passed. They were almost compelled to sweat blood in their efforts to do this and were held up and compelled to support a host of unworthy measures and vote for a lot of the other fellows' grafts in order to get their own measures through. Then when these measures are passed up to Gov. McBride, that mighty dignitary, with a few sweeps of his pen, puts the kybosh on the whole business. Thus, to put it mildly, love's labor is lost.

The moral to be drawn from this lesson is obvious. Let us go to work and do for ourselves what the state refuses to do for us and we will not only succeed in maintaining our own self respect but we will be more prosperous in the long run.

THE Seattle preacher who married a Chinaman to a woman of the under-world might have been in better business, especially in view of the fact that he understood the woman's motive in contracting a marriage destined to end in the divorce court six weeks later.

Pithy Commoner Paragraphs.
Thorough organization, not reorganization, is what the democratic party needs.

The doctors of Europe seem unable to make the "Sick Man" take his medicine.

Mr. Knox thought the original anti-trust bill too drastic. The people think that Mr. Knox is too plastic.

A democratic platform cannot be framed by men who think more of personal profit than they do of principle.

While Mr. Rockefeller is advertising for a new stomach he should insert a paragraph concerning a new conscience.

Mr. J. S. Clarkson might revive the old "forty acres and a mule" proposition as an offset to the Hanna pension bill.

If New Mexicans, Oklahomans and Arizonians are disappointed it is because they were so foolish as to put their confidence in the sincerity of republican platforms.

Young Mr. Rockefeller appears to be one of those philanthropists who believe in giving two shirtless men collars rather than to give one hungry man a square meal.

Mr. Littlefield has exhibited all of the Englishman's alleged inability to see a joke. Mr. Littlefield thought the president really in earnest when he talked about "shackling cunning." The gentleman from Maine should secure a copy of Joe Miller's Jest Book and study up.

First Street Improvements.

The busiest place in town just now is South First street, where extensive building operations are going on.

The two story stone building of Chas. McEwen, on the east side of the street, is now in course of erection with the walls about half up. It will be a very neat appearing and substantial building when completed.

Across the alley work has commenced on the foundation of the rear part of the new Yakima National Bank block, the rear part of which must be finished first for the use of the Yakima Hard ware people.

Across the street on the west side, the work of excavating was begun this week for the new hotel building of Kellogg & Ford, which C. H. Bruenn has received the contract to erect. This will be a handsome two story brick structure 75x90 feet, fitted with all the modern improvements.

Dr. Sloan has decided to add another story to the rear of his handsome stone block, which, when done, will add very much to the appearance of the property. The rear space to which the second story is to be added is 50x50 feet.

Water Tight Basements.

The undersigned is prepared to take contracts to construct water tight walls and floors in basements. The method has been perfected by him and patent applied for. It has been successfully used in buildings built in land full of springs, on marshy land, in cities troubled in summer by sub-irrigation and in sea coast cities where the tide rises several feet daily.

28-1t ERNEST McCULLOUGH, C. E.

STATE OF OHIO, CITY OF TOLEDO, ss.

Lucas County.

Frank J. Cheney makes oath that he is senior partner of the firm of F. J. Cheney & Co., doing business in the City of Toledo, county and state aforesaid, and that said firm will pay the sum of ONE HUNDRED DOLLARS for each and every case of Catarrh that cannot be cured by the use of Hall's Catarrh Cure.

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Lodge Entertainments.
Both the Odd Fellows' and Woodman halls were scenes of gaiety and hilarity Wednesday night. The Woodmen of the World entertained on an extensive scale with a social and dance, delicious refreshments were served. Over 200 people were present and everybody seemed to enjoy the occasion.
At the hall of the Modern Woodmen, over the post office, the Fraternal Brotherhood the same evening entertained a large party, that taxed the capacity of the lodge room. The program rendered consisted of stereopticon views, music and dancing. Refreshments were served by a committee of ladies.

High School Entertainment.
A very interesting, instructive and mirth provoking entertainment, "An Evening with Shakespeare," will be given Friday evening, April 3, by the senior class, assisted by the best talent of under classmen, at 8:30 o'clock, in High school assembly hall. The following is the program:
Piano Solo Vanita Vinton
SHAKESPEARE'S WOMEN:
1. Cleopatra Ora Forbes
2. Katherine, wife of Henry VIII. Katherine Jewell
3. Juliet Alice Stephenson;
SENIOR MALE QUARTET:
1st Tenor Alvin Truitt
2nd Tenor Herbert Shaw
1st Bass Leslie Rosser
2nd Bass Burton Lum.
4. Cordelia Dora Bradford
5. Beatrice Lottie Shelley;
Vocal Solo Prof. Thomas Toll
6. Desdemona Ruby Bull
7. Portia (Brutus) Anna Cornwell;
Violin Solo Suzanne Erwin.
8. Rosalind Gertrude Owen
9. Katherine the Shrew, Alice Heckman
Burial scene of Julius Caesar,
10. Portia Aleda Norton
DRAMATIS PERSONAE:
Julius Caesar Leslie Rosser
Marcus Antonius Burton Lum
Brutus Donald Calkins
Cassius Herbert Shaw
Attendants on Caesar's corpse Fred Sharkey and Alvin Truitt.
Piano Duo, Gretchen Crawford and Avery Flint.
"The most lamentable comedy, and cruel death of Pyramus and Thisby."
"A very good piece of work, I assure you."

Comparing Notes.
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Mrs. Rounder—My husband's different. He scarcely goes to bed in time to get up.—Chicago News.

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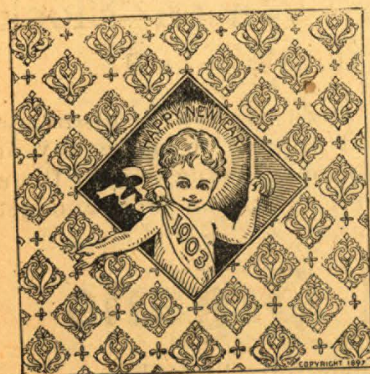
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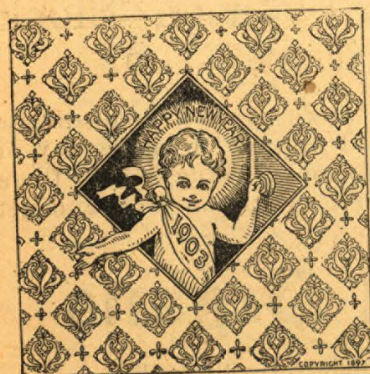
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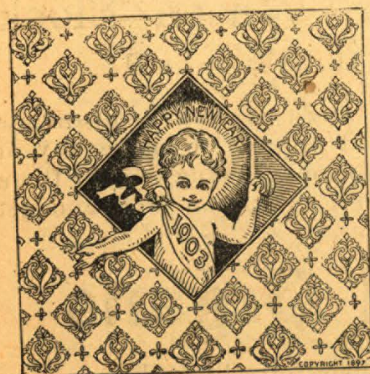
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Summons.

In the Superior Court of the State of Washington, for Yakima County.

Mahalah A. Shearer, Plaintiff.

vs.
Louisa Stewart, William Thornton, Ellen Longmire, Dunford Thornton, Mary Thornton, George Thornton, Dora Dimond, Chester Thornton, Milton Thornton, E. C. Thornton, and all other persons unknown, having or claiming to have an interest or estate in and to the west half of the north west quarter and the west half of the south west quarter of section twenty-four township ten north of range twenty-one, east of the Willamette Meridian, in Yakima County, Washington.

Defendants.
The State of Washington, to William Thornton, Dunford Thornton, George Thornton, Mary Thornton, and all other persons unknown, having or claiming to have an interest or estate in and to the west half of the north west quarter and the west half of the south west quarter of section twenty-four township ten north of range twenty-one, east of the Willamette Meridian, in Yakima County, Washington, as heirs at law of the said John S. Thornton, deceased, or otherwise:

You and each of you are hereby notified that Mahalah A. Shearer, the above named plaintiff, has filed in the above entitled Court her amended complaint alleging that the plaintiff is the owner in common of the following described tract of land situated in Yakima County, State of Washington, to-wit: The west half of the north west quarter (1/2) and the west half (1/2) of the south west quarter (1/2) of section twenty-four (24) township ten north of range twenty-one, east of the Willamette Meridian, containing one hundred sixty (160) acres, according to the Government survey thereof; said plaintiff and defendant being tenants in common of said lands as heirs at law of John S. Thornton, late of Yakima County, Washington, deceased, and alleging that each of the above named defendants, William Thornton, Mary Thornton, John Thornton, and Dunford Thornton, is the late of John S. Thornton, deceased, and is an undivided one-twenty-fourth (1/24) part owner of said premises, and further alleging that said lands cannot be sold, partitioned, or otherwise disposed of by the owners, and praying that said land be sold, and the funds thereof partitioned among the several parties thereto according to their respective rights, after deducting from the proceeds of said sale the sum of \$425.50 heretofore paid by the plaintiff in and to the costs of this suit, including one hundred dollars attorneys fees in this action.

You and each of you are hereby notified that you are summoned and required to appear within sixty days after the first publication of this notice, to-wit: Within sixty days after the first publication of this notice, to answer the amended complaint of the plaintiff herein and to serve a copy of your answer on the person whose name is in the list of defendants, and defend the above entitled action in the Court aforesaid; and in case of your failure to do so, proof of your neglect or refusal to do so, and the sale of said land, and a decree of said Court for the sale of said property entered according to the terms of the amended complaint of the plaintiff, in said action, which has been filed with the Clerk of said Court.

Witness my hand and the seal of said Court, this 28th day of April, 1903.
Attorneys for Mahalah A. Shearer, Postoffice address, North Yakima, Washington.

Feb-28-April-11

Resolution of Intention.

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE CITY COUNCIL of the City of North Yakima, Yakima County, State of Washington, that said city intends and hereby declares its intention to improve SIXTH street in said city by the construction of a sidewalk along the east side of said street between the south line of Spruce street and the north line of Beech street, in said city, a long and in front of blocks 54, 55, 56 and 57.

All of said blocks and lands being in accordance with the plat of said city now on file and of record in the office of the County Auditor of Yakima County, Washington; said sidewalk to be eight feet wide and to be laid in planks two inches thick, eight inches wide and eight feet long, surfaced on one side; to be laid surface side up and resting on three stringers, four inches by six inches, spaced at four foot centers, to be laid on the grade marked out and established in front of the lots and lands herein described, to be laid with planks two inches thick, placed by, and the notes filed with the City Clerk by the City Engineer. The material used, to be number one, good, fir lumber, that the estimated cost of said improvement is \$1200 dollars. That the cost of the same is to be assessed against the property abutting on said sidewalk, and included within the following assessment, to-wit:

Lots 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15 and 16 in block 54.
Lots 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15 and 16 in block 55.
Lots 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15 and 16 in block 56.
Lots 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15 and 16 in block 57.

If all of said lots and lands being in accordance with the said plat of the City of North Yakima; that protests against said proposed improvement may be filed in the office of the City Clerk of the City of North Yakima, at any time before the 6th day of April, 1903. That the City Clerk give due and legal notice of said proposed improvement, as assessed, to the City Council March 16, 1903.

Approved March 16, 1903.
Attest: A. J. SHAW, Mayor.
H. B. DOUST, City Clerk.
March 21

Contest Notice.

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR, United States Land Office.
North Yakima, Washington, March 16, 1903. A sufficient contest affidavit having been filed in this office by Walter A. Chambers, contestant, against John M. Lowery, timber culture entry No. 912, made March 10, 1888, for S1/2 Sec. 24, S1/2 Sec. 25, and lot 4, section 20, Township 13 N., range 17 E., by John M. Lowery, contestant, in which it is alleged that John M. Lowery, contestant, supposed to have broken, two acres of said land about the time said entry was made, but there is no evidence of said land so broken, or any part thereof, ever being planted to trees, tree seeds or cuttings; and therefore alleges that said entryman failed and neglected to plant or cultivate said land or pa trees, tree seeds or cuttings, in 1888, 1889, 1890, 1891, 1892, 1893, 1894, 1895, 1896, 1897, 1898, 1899, 1900 or 1901. That there are no trees growing upon said land; that the land is not inclosed by any fence, and that the land is covered with a dense growth of sage brush, and is in its original wild state, and has been for the past ten years wholly abandoned by said entryman.

Said parties are hereby notified to appear, respond and offer evidence touching said allegation at 10 o'clock a. m. on May 5, before the Register and Receiver at the United States Land Office in North Yakima, Washington.

The said contestant having, in proper affidavit, filed March 16, 1903, set forth facts which show that after due diligence personal service of this notice can not be given, it is hereby ordered and directed that such notice be given by due and proper publication.

Witness my hand and the seal of said Court, this 28th day of April, 1903.
Attest: A. J. SHAW, Mayor.
H. B. DOUST, City Clerk.
March 21, 1903.

Notice to Contractors.

Notice is hereby given that the city of North Yakima will let a contract to improve SIXTH street in the City of North Yakima, between the north-east corner of lot number 6, block 210, and the south east corner of lot number 22, in said city, by the construction of a sidewalk on the west side of said Sixth street, said sidewalk to be 8 feet wide and to be laid with planks two inches thick, eight inches wide and eight feet long, surfaced on one side, resting on three stringers four inches by six inches, spaced at four foot centers, to be laid on the grade marked out and established in accordance with the plans, specifications, detail, drawings and notes of the City Engineer relating thereto, which are now on file and of record in the office of the City Clerk, subject to the inspection of all persons interested.

Plans and specifications can be seen at the office of the City Clerk of said city.

All bidders will be required to deposit with their bids a certified check for 10 dollars on some bank in the City of North Yakima, payable to the order of the City Treasurer, as security that said bidder will enter into a contract with said city in case such contract is awarded to him. The contractor will be required to enter into a contract and give a bond with approved sureties, as required by laws of 1897, page 57, within three days after notice from the City Clerk that the contract has been awarded to him.

The City Council reserves the right to reject any and all bids.

Witness my hand and the seal of said Court, this 28th day of April, 1903.
Attest: A. J. SHAW, Mayor.
H. B. DOUST, City Clerk.
March 21

Call for City Warrants.

NOTICE is hereby given that warrants on the current expense fund from warrant No. 7669, dated July 23rd, 1902, to and including warrant No. 7720, dated Sept. 1st, 1902, will be paid upon presentation to the undersigned.

Interest on same will cease March 25th, 1903.

C. R. DONOVAN, City Treasurer.
Dated at North Yakima, Wash., March 18, 1903.

Ordinance No. 348.

An ordinance establishing a local improvement district for the constructing of a sidewalk in the city of North Yakima, and providing for the construction of such sidewalk and for the assessment of the cost thereof on the property benefited by such improvement, and for the collection of such assessment.

Whereas, The City Council, has heretofore by resolution duly passed, declared its intention to improve a certain street in the City of North Yakima, in accordance with a resolution particularly described by the construction of a sidewalk thereon, which resolution was duly published as by law required; and

Whereas, the City Council, by resolution duly passed, voted to proceed with said work and improvement;

Now, therefore, the City Council of the City of North Yakima do hereby enact as follows:

Section 1. That for the purpose of making said improvement and assessing the cost thereof on the property benefited, a local improvement district be known as "Local Improvement District No. 48" is hereby created and established, including within the limits thereof the following described lots and parcels of land to-wit:

Lot 6 in block 210.

Lots 6, 7, 8, 9, 10 and 11 in block 211.

Lots 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7 and 8 in block 212.

Sec. 2. That the west side of Selah a enue in said city be improved by the construction of a sidewalk in front of said lots and lands between the north-east corner of lot No. 6, block 210, and the south-east corner of lot No. 8, block No. 212 according to said plat, and that said sidewalk be constructed in the following manner: Said sidewalk to be eight feet wide and be laid with planks two inches thick and eight inches wide and eight feet long, resting on three stringers four inches by six inches, spaced at four foot centers, to be laid on the grade marked out and established in accordance with the plans, specifications, detail, drawings and notes of the City Engineer relating thereto, which are now on file and of record in the office of the City Clerk, subject to the inspection of all persons interested.

Sec. 3. That the cost and expense of the construction of said sidewalk shall be assessed and assessed upon all property in the local improvement district created and established by section 1 of this ordinance, which cost shall be assessed in proportion to the number of feet of said lots and lands included in said sidewalk and included in said improvement district, and in proportion to the benefits derived by the construction of said sidewalk, by the number of feet of said lots and lands included in said sidewalk and included in said improvement district, and in proportion to the space formed by the junction of two or more streets, or where one street terminates in another, and the street crossings, shall be assessed by the City of North Yakima.

Sec. 4. That the Committee on Streets and Ditches of the City Council of the City of North Yakima are hereby constituted, and shall be the duty of the committee to assess the cost and expense of the construction of said sidewalk on the several lots and parcels of land included in the improvement district hereby established.

Sec. 5. That immediately upon the completion and acceptance of said sidewalk, when constructed, by the City Council, the committee shall be the duty of the committee to assess the cost and expense of the construction of said sidewalk on the several lots and parcels of land included in the improvement district, and in proportion to the benefits derived by the construction of said sidewalk, by the number of feet of said lots and lands included in said sidewalk and included in said improvement district, and in proportion to the space formed by the junction of two or more streets, or where one street terminates in another, and the street crossings, shall be assessed by the City of North Yakima.

Sec. 6. It shall be the duty of the committee on streets and ditches to prepare an assessment roll which shall contain a description of each lot or parcel of land included in said improvement district, together with the name of the owner, if known, if not to be so stated, and the amount of the assessment against each lot or parcel set opposite the description and in making such assessment a decision of the majority of said committee shall be deemed the decision of the City Council.

Sec. 7. On the completion of said assessment roll said committee shall forthwith file the same with the City Clerk, and thereupon the City Clerk shall cause the same to be published for two weeks in the newspaper doing the city advertising, together with a notice that said assessment roll is on file in his office subject to the inspection of all persons interested and that at the first regular meeting of the City Council after such last publication to be held on a day and hour named in said notice, any person who by reason of such assessment may appear before the City Council with a view to the amendment of the same. The City Council at that time and place desired may amend or modify the same, and may add or subtract therefrom, and may adjourn from time to time until the work of amendment and revision is completed.

Sec. 8. The City Clerk shall note on said assessment roll opposite each description any changes or amendment made by the City Council in such assessment and thereupon deliver to the City Treasurer a certified copy of said assessment roll as revised or amended by the City Council.

Sec. 9. Upon the receipt of the assessment roll it shall be the duty of the City Treasurer to publish notice in the newspaper doing the city advertising, for 2 consecutive weeks, that a certified copy of such assessment roll is in his custody, and that such assessments are paid to said city treasurer within 30 days from the first publication of such notice, the same will be delinquent and subject to the provisions of law.

Sec. 10. It shall be the duty of the City Treasurer to report at the first meeting of the City Council held after the completion of said assessment roll, to the City Council, what portion of said assessments has been paid, by whom paid, what portion is delinquent, together with a description of the property upon which said assessments are delinquent included in the said improvement district together with the name of the owners, if known, and thereupon it shall be the duty of the City Attorney under the direction of the City Council to enforce by proper proceedings the lien of such assessments on the lots and lands included in the improvement district against which the assessments have not been paid.

Sec. 11. When assessments are collected by the City Treasurer the same shall constitute a special fund to be known as "Local Improvement District No. 48 Fund" and the same shall be applied in payment of the cost of the improvement herein provided for and to no other purpose and on presentation of said fund the treasurer shall take up said warrant or warrants drawn against the same, and pay the same out of said fund in the order of the issuance of such warrants, or endorse on the back thereof the date and amount of any payment made, if not paid in full.

Sec. 12. As soon as said sidewalk is completed and accepted by said city it shall be the duty of the mayor and city clerk to draw a warrant or warrants in favor of the City Treasurer payable out of the special fund created by Section 11 of this ordinance for all assessments against the lots and lands included in said local improvement district, which said warrants shall bear interest at the legal rate from the time when such assessments herein provided for become delinquent, and the City of North Yakima shall be in no manner liable for the payment of such warrants until the time when such assessments are paid, and the City of North Yakima shall also issue a warrant, payable out of the current expense fund, for the amount of the cost of such improvement chargeable to the city under the provisions of this ordinance.

Sec. 13. All assessments levied under the provisions of this ordinance shall become delinquent at the same rate as general municipal taxes.

Passed the council March 16, 1903.
Approved March 16, 1903.

Attest: A. J. SHAW, Mayor.
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Ends in Divorce Court.

In the superior court of this county last Monday was played the final act in the matrimonial comedy of Jung Toy, the Wide Hollow Chinaman, and Edith Barnett, his whilom wife of English parentage.

On the petition of the woman, who was represented in court by Attorney Snively, Judge Rudkin issued a decree divorcing the unhappy and ill-matched couple and setting them both free again. The terms upon which the divorce was agreed upon is said to have been the payment of the sum of \$225 to the plaintiff by the husband, who was represented in the case by Attorney Fred Parker. Much of the testimony in the case was of decidedly racy character and provoked smiles of amusement on the faces of everyone in the court room.

When the woman left here about a month ago, after converting Jung Toy's \$400 note into cash, the Chinaman congratulated himself on being finally quit of her, as he thought. But much to the poor fellow's discomfort, the wife of his bosom reappeared suddenly two weeks later and insisted upon her right to live with him at his home on the Bosket ranch west of town. For two or three days, according to report, all went as merry as a marriage bell, until the woman began to show a marked disposition to want to wear the family pants. This, the good natured Chinaman stood for a time and then openly rebelled. He complained to those who sympathized with him that his white wife was too much of a luxury for him and that nothing seemed to please her. She would insist upon him leaving his work and packing off to town every day, he said, in order to buy beer and other things necessary for her comfort. Quite naturally, the Chinaman soon grew weary of the riotous ways of his bride from the under world and on the advice of his friends was happy to assent to his wife's motion for a legal separation.

Jung Toy has now satisfied his ambition to possess a white wife, which experience, it is said, cost him in the neighborhood of \$1300. The woman is probably well satisfied, too. She took the west bound train Tuesday and probably won't show up again in Yakima very soon.

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Notice to Contractors.

Notice is hereby given that the city of North Yakima will let a contract to improve North FOURTH street in the City of North Yakima, between the north line of Yakima avenue and the south line of H street, by grading said North FOURTH street, said grading to be laid on the grade marked out and in all respects in accordance with the plans, specifications, details, drawings and grade notes of the City Engineer relating thereto, which are now on file and of record in the office of the City Clerk, subject to the inspection of all persons interested.

Plans and specifications can be seen at the office of the City Clerk of said city.

Sealed proposals for the contract for the above proposed improvement will be received by the City Clerk up to the time the bids are opened, to-wit: on April 6, 1903, at 7:30 o'clock p. m. or parcel set opposite the description and in making such assessment a decision of the majority of said committee shall be deemed the decision of the City Council.

Sec. 7. On the completion of said assessment roll said committee shall forthwith file the same with the City Clerk, and thereupon the City Clerk shall cause the same to be published for two weeks in the newspaper doing the city advertising, together with a notice that said assessment roll is on file in his office subject to the inspection of all persons interested and that at the first regular meeting of the City Council after such last publication to be held on a day and hour named in said notice, any person who by reason of such assessment may appear before the City Council with a view to the amendment of the same. The City Council at that time and place desired may amend or modify the same, and may add or subtract therefrom, and may adjourn from time to time until the work of amendment and revision is completed.

Sec. 8. The City Clerk shall note on said assessment roll opposite each description any changes or amendment made by the City Council in such assessment and thereupon deliver to the City Treasurer a certified copy of said assessment roll as revised or amended by the City Council.

Sec. 9. Upon the receipt of the assessment roll it shall be the duty of the City Treasurer to publish notice in the newspaper doing the city advertising, for 2 consecutive weeks, that a certified copy of such assessment roll is in his custody, and that such assessments are paid to said city treasurer within 30 days from the first publication of such notice, the same will be delinquent and subject to the provisions of law.

Sec. 10. It shall be the duty of the City Treasurer to report at the first meeting of the City Council held after the completion of said assessment roll, to the City Council, what portion of said assessments has been paid, by whom paid, what portion is delinquent, together with a description of the property upon which said assessments are delinquent included in the said improvement district together with the name of the owners, if known, and thereupon it shall be the duty of the City Attorney under the direction of the City Council to enforce by proper proceedings the lien of such assessments on the lots and lands included in the improvement district against which the assessments have not been paid.

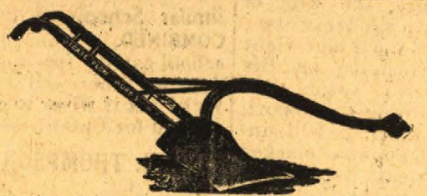
Sec. 11. When assessments are collected by the City Treasurer the same shall constitute a special fund to be known as "Local Improvement District No. 48 Fund" and the same shall be applied in payment of the cost of the improvement herein provided for and to no other purpose and on presentation of said fund the treasurer shall take up said warrant or warrants drawn against the same, and pay the same out of said fund in the order of the issuance of such warrants, or endorse on the back thereof the date and amount of any payment made, if not paid in full.

Sec. 12. As soon as said sidewalk is completed and accepted by said city it shall be the duty of the mayor and city clerk to draw a warrant or warrants in favor of the City Treasurer payable out of the special fund created by Section 11 of this ordinance for all assessments against the lots and lands

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The Local Round-Up.

Government garden seeds at this office.

"The Game Keeper" Wednesday night was a good show but drew a very poor house.

J. A. Leach is now doing the night police stunt in place of Officer Villanue, resigned.

A daughter was born to Mr. and Mrs. John Fisher at their home on Eighth street, last Sunday.

The Wide Hollow Investment company, of which R. Strobach is manager, is planting a new hop yard this spring of 20 acres.

The second of a series of socials given by the ladies of the Home Finding association was held at the Episcopal rectory Thursday afternoon.

A commercial club was organized last week at Sunnyside. Dr. Chamberlain was elected president, Rev. L. A. Johnson, secretary; J. E. Sanger, treasurer.

By special request Mr. C. E. Jones will repeat Burnett's sacred solo, "Abide With Me," at the evening service, St. Michael's church, Sunday, March 29.

The land office record for March up to the 25th, is 79 homestead filings and 14 desert claim entries. Three final proofs were made and 18 commutation filings. This is a record breaker.

The remains of Mr. Immick, who died in the Medical Lake asylum, were received here Tuesday and conveyed to the Moxee cemetery by relatives for burial.

C. H. and Ernest Wyman, two brothers of Councilman Wyman, arrived here Tuesday from their home in Maine. They are highly pleased with the Yakima country and will probably remain.

The Daisy Boyle benefit show to be given by the Jubilee Minstrels, will occupy the boards at Larson's theater April 16 and 17. Two rehearsals are being held weekly and a swell entertainment is promised.

Permits to wed during the past week issued by the county auditor are as follows: William Horsley and Mrs. Eunice Sheldon, Louis V. Edgett and Miss Johanna Walther, Lewis H. Roberts and Miss Myrtle Draggoo.

A. R. Jolley and D. N. Keene of this city, and P. E. Harris of Presser, were given the Royal Arch degree of Chapter Masonry Tuesday evening. After the ceremony a banquet was held in the lodge room.

The concert and dance given by the "Mexican Musical Monarchs" at the Armory Tuesday night proved to be one of the social events of the season. Hearts were made light and another sweet page added to the memory of those present that night.

Work on the new Presbyterian church is being rushed in order to have the structure ready for the dedicatory services which will be held Sunday, April 19. Dr. E. P. Hill, pastor of the First Presbyterian church of Portland, will preach the dedicatory sermon.

Mrs. Mary E. Patton, wife of L. D. S. Patton, died on the 20th, of Bright's disease complicated with other troubles. Deceased leaves besides her husband, one daughter to mourn her loss. The family moved here about 18 months ago from Somerset, Ky.

At the home of the bride, on South Seventh street at 4 o'clock Sunday afternoon, Rev. F. L. Hayden officiating, Mr. William Horsley and Mrs. Eunice A. Sheldon were married in the presence of a small party of relatives and a few intimate friends.

A letter received from Prof. C. V. Piper of the State Agricultural College, by the Horticultural Union, states that he will be here next Monday to meet the fruit growers relative to making an investigation of the codling moth and the best method of getting rid of the pest.

Fire Wednesday afternoon destroyed a bunk house, the property of D. G. Goodman, the sheepman. The house was located near the sheep corral south of town and was used as sleeping quarters by the employees of Mr. Goodman. The fire originated from a defective flue. The contents were saved. Loss about \$250.

Secretary Heg, of the State Board of Health, has sent to County Auditor Newcomb a copy of an order issued by the board regarding the control of the bubonic plague. As to the death and burial of persons of Asiatic origin the order recites that no physician shall sign a death certificate, no undertaker shall prepare for burial and no sexton or other person shall inter the remains of any Asiatic person without first obtaining a certificate of inspection from the local health officer.

A Horrible Death.

Cora, the 15-year-old daughter of J. W. Bates of Mabton met a horrible death Thursday of last week. The girl was helping her father and brother burn sage brush. While standing near the fire a sudden gust of wind blew the girl's apron on the fire. Before she realized it her entire clothing was ablaze. Before her father could reach her she was so badly burned that medical aid could do nothing for her and the unfortunate girl died in great agony some 10 hours later.

Fisher the New Champion.

Councilman Fisher last Sunday, in the match shoot between him and George Stacy, wrested the silver medal from the latter, who for some time has been the crack shot of the Gun club. W. A. Bell also contested for the prize. The result of the first shoot was Fisher 22, Bell 22, Stacy 20, Barnes 21, Sitton 12, Walker 12, Stacy being handicapped. In shooting off the tie between the two former gentlemen, Fisher won by one bird. Stacy was given a shot at 25 birds, Fisher 32, Bell 33, Barnes 34, Walker 41 and Sitton 42.

FOR SALE.

Forty acres of land 1 1/2 miles south of town, can be easily subdivided. Ten acre tract north of town, 3/4 mile from city limits. One and one-half story new house and other improvements. Good land. Two lots on North Front street, 23 and 24 in block 8. Inquire of E. R. Leaming, Leamingsburg, R. D. No. 2. 28tf

Personal.

Dr. White was a Seattle visitor this week.

Geo. Gandy was a Seattle passenger on Wednesday's train.

Mrs. Arthur Rinehart of Seattle is visiting Mrs. L. B. Rinehart.

E. G. Tennant visited Seattle this week, returning Thursday.

Mrs. James Crane joined her husband here from Tacoma Thursday.

C. M. Bartlett has been in Ellensburg this week purchasing timothy hay.

John Lynch was down this week from the Lynch mines in the Cle Elum district.

P. A. Ditter and wife entertained S. P. Fogarty and Jas. Bennett of Ellensburg last Sunday.

Attorney L. O. Meigs returned Tuesday from a visit to his former home, Oakesdale.

Mrs. E. R. Leaming returned Thursday from a visit to her former home in Portland.

Dell Hisecock and Will Cameron left on a business trip to Gray's Harbor Saturday evening.

Z. Y. Coleman of the Moore Clothing Co., returned Tuesday night from a business visit to Seattle.

J. W. Gilbaugh of Sessions' undertaking parlors made a trip to Portland this week, leaving Thursday.

John Batt of Three Forks, B. C., who has been visiting Nick Hartung and Ed Patton, has returned home.

J. D., the young son of E. O. Keck, has accepted a position in the office of H. M. Gilbert at Toppenish.

F. E. Pessen, E. Pessen and O. L. Baker, all of St. Paul, arrived here Sunday with the view of locating.

J. C. MacCrimmon is able to be out this week after being laid up for some time with an attack of erysipelas.

Captain Marshal Scudder and wife made a trip to Portland this week, leaving Sunday and returning Thursday.

Dr. Gunn and Dr. Dulin visited Cle Elum the first of the week, near which place they located timber claims.

Manager Hover, of the D. S. Johnston Piano Co., made a business trip to Kennewick and the "east end" Tuesday.

P. L. Emery, a recent arrival from Chicago, has associated himself in the real estate business with his brother here.

J. A. Thornton, who removed here last fall with his family from Oregon, has purchased the Fraker 10 acre tract in Fruitvale for a home.

W. D. McLean of Butte, Mont., who for the past month has been visiting his mother, Mrs. Wm. Thornton, left for his home Tuesday. The young man, who is a mining engineer by profession, expects soon to make his home in the Black Hills.

C. A. Childers, who with his family came here nearly a year ago from Crawford Scotland county, Mo., and has since been residing in the Wide Hollow, left for his former home on Monday. Mrs. Childers who is teaching the Wide Hollow school, will follow him at the expiration of her school term.

Hub Pratt, one of the proprietors of the Prosser Electric company, was a North Yakima visitor this week. Mr. Pratt says that Prosser is growing so fast that his company is forced to largely increase its facilities. A new dynamo and other equipment ordered in the east is soon expected to arrive and when installed will increase the efficiency of the plant four fold.

Representative Hare returned home Sunday from Olympia, where he was obliged to remain for several days after the adjournment of the legislature. Do's many friends, on greeting him, were wont to inquire as to the time of day, in order to catch a glimpse of the beautiful gold watch with which the members of the house presented the speaker the night of adjournment.

She Was the Ghost.

"A certain lady and her family," says Sir Mountstuart Grant-Duff in his "Diary," "shared a place in Scotland which was haunted by the ghost of a woman who was to be seen constantly at night wandering through the rooms and passages. When the family arrived, the lady was much struck with the place and said, 'I must have been here before, for I know this place so well, only there ought to be two rooms here, and there is only one.'"

"The agent replied that within a few weeks the owner had caused a partition to be taken down and made the two rooms into one. Still the lady was puzzled at her knowledge of the place, till she remembered that it was a house she used to go to in her dreams."

"Well, some time passed, and the agent was up at the house again, when the lady complained that one part of the contract had not been fulfilled. They had hired a house and a ghost for the summer, and no ghost had she seen. The agent replied: 'Of course not, because you are the ghost. We recognized you the moment we saw you.'"

A Drop of Water.

A gallon of distilled water weighs 8.333 pounds, and there being four quarts to the gallon and two pints to the quart, and 16 fluid ounces to the pint, and two tablespoonfuls to the fluid ounce, and four teaspoonfuls to the tablespoon, and 45 drops to the teaspoon, a drop of water weighs 0.00018057 pound, slightly more.

A Pathetic Bereavement.

Miss Singer—I saw in the paper that there is to be an entertainment for a "musical orphanage?" Pray, what may a musical orphanage be? Mr. Kentall—I can't say positively, you know, but I imagine it must be a child deprived of its native air.—Harper's Bazar.

The Burlingame

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The U. S. Government has an engineer here examining the Tietan and Cowychee Ditches. Now is the time to buy a 10 acre tract 5 miles west of North Yakima, beautifully situated under the proposed Government Ditch, which will have the

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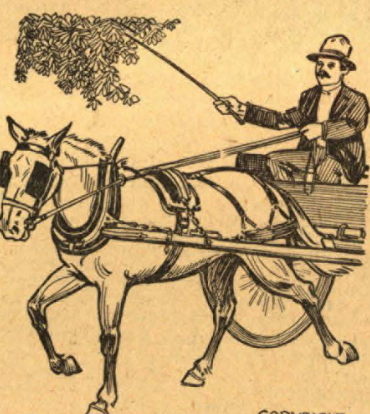
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