

"Hew to the Line, Let the Chips Fall Where They May."

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"GREAT SCOT, THE MORNIN'"

"There Was a Sound of Revelry by Night" and Sam
Cameron Proposed a Toast to
"Bobbie" Burns.

The patriotic sons of Scotland assembled in the spacious dining room of the Yakima hotel on Friday night January 24 and celebrated with unusual brilliancy the anniversary of the birth of the immortal Robert Burns. About 200 of Caledonia's brave sons and fair daughters, who have wandered far from the "Banks an' braes o' Bonnie Doon," were present on this occasion to do honor in no uncertain tone to the memory of the man who wrote the words: "Oh, for the power the gift he gie us, To see ourselves as others see us."

A bounteous, appetizing, and diversified menu was spread upon the banquet board. It certainly looked good to the hungry clansmen who had been saving up all day for the hour of feasting.

Promptly at 8:30, the appointed time for the opening of festivities, the guests took seats around the board, and waited upon the pleasure of Toastmaster Sam Cameron, who soon after proposed the toast "To his immortal memory," when the entire assemblage arose and drank deep.

The commemoration of Burns by Scots of this city and surrounding country has become an institution. It is an annual function looked forward to with pleasure, and no expense is spared in making the event all that it deserves. The one held last night was truly no exception to the rule. It was a jolly go from start to finish, replete with excellent toasts contributed by local luminaries, interpolated with songs rendered by artists of no insignificant ability, and teeming with a spirit of joviality characteristic of Scots. So intense was the excitement of the occasion, so inspiring the words spoken, so beautiful the songs sung, and so delicious the "haggis," that time flew by with such rapidity the "we sma' hours" of morning had come before the festivities were over.

Mr. Cameron presided over the gathering in a manner that always lends a feeling of ease and good nature to every

one. He referred to those good old Scots who have in times past sat round the banquet table here, some of whom have since crossed the river and passed into the realms of the Great Beyond, and others of whom are now far away in other fields, but whose memory undoubtedly turns back to Yakima, if at no other time, always on the 25th of January.

The toasts delivered last night were of an exceptionally interesting and commemorative character. Probably C. E. Forsythe and Clansman Geo. Ker carried off the honors, although the toast by Dr. J. F. Scott certainly won the plaudits of the ladies. Dr. Scott is a bachelor. He is handsome. He is shy. He's a twinkle in his eye. And, of course, he was given the toast, "Pleasant Things Concerning the Ladies." In this role the doctor has no superior. Every year he asks the privilege of responding to this toast, and no one has dared to presume to share the honors with him.

The address of Superintendent Reed on "The Bright Lights of Scottish Literature," showed that he had given his subject scholarly consideration. Others responded, who were not on the program, to impromptu addresses, which were received with spontaneous acclamation.

The singing of the quartet composed of James Ferguson, Donald McInnis, Mrs. Ferguson and Doris Arrowsmith was highly appreciated. Solos by members of the quartet were also well received. A duet by Mr. and Mrs. Ferguson was vociferously encored. George Vance also sang well.

Nothing occurred throughout the long evening's entertainment to mar its pleasure in any way. Every one present had the time of their lives, and when another year rolls around they will do the same things over again probably with reinforced members to the Scottish clans.

fruit being sent to those cities as will give visitors an unjust idea of the produce of Washington; there fore, be it

Resolved, That we hold State supervision of parties soliciting and receiving in trust the crops of the public to be precisely parallel with State supervision of parties soliciting and receiving in trust the public's money, and to be class legislation as far as the banking laws are so, and no farther; and we consider such supervision highly proper, and of much importance to the welfare of the State; and

Resolved, That we call upon our representatives in case the present statute is found to be void, to use their efforts to secure suitable legislation to provide such supervision, and that the secretary be and hereby is directed to arrange for publication of this our action in the North Yakima and Seattle papers, and to send copies thereof to the other associations of fruitgrowers throughout the state.

LUM LOSES SUIT.

Judge Preble Awards the Bridge Company \$300 for Delayed Work.

Judge Preble decided against C. E. Lum, contractor, who brought suit for \$300, which amount was withheld by the Selah-Wenas Toll Bridge company for delayed work on their toll bridge across the Naches river.

The suit was to decide whether or not Mr. Lum, who built the bridge, should pay for the 30 days' delay in completion of the work at the rate of \$10 per day as stipulated in the contract. It was shown by John Cleman and others who testified for the company that the bridge earned from \$10 to \$20 daily from the time it was opened to traffic until the opening recently of the county bridge.

Mr. Lum claimed that the delay in the completion of the bridge was due to causes over which he had no control such as failure on the part of the lumber company to supply him with material and to the hostile condition of the elements. He lost out because he did not give the company the required notice of these conditions at the time they prevailed, and the company saves \$300 accordingly.

COLONISTS SOLICITED FOR THE VALLEY

Publicity Committee of the Yakima Commercial Club will Put in Bid for Eastern Immigrants.

Another novel method of advertising North Yakima and the Yakima valley is being taken up by the publicity committee of the Commercial club, arrangements having been made to place large advertising cards and posters in 2500 railroad stations in the central states. These cards and posters are now being printed and will be distributed by C. W. Mott, general emigration agent of the Northern Pacific railroad.

One of the cards calls attention to the low colonist rates in effect to North Yakima during March and April. The other gives a description of the Tieton canal, being illustrated with six pictures.

Mr. Mott has arranged to have these posters and cards hung in the various offices of the Northern Pacific, Burlington, C. M. & St. P., Chicago & North-western and Chicago Great Western railroads in Minnesota, North Dakota, South Dakota, Nebraska, Kansas, Iowa, Missouri, Illinois and Wisconsin.

PURE JEALOUSY PROMPTS MURDER

Mrs. J. C. Norris, of Ellensburg, Shoots Her Adopted Son While He Sleeps With Companion.

Mrs. J. C. Norris, of Ellensburg, who early Saturday morning shot and killed a young man named Thomas Murray while the latter was asleep with a friend in Mrs. Norris' house, was brought to this city by Sheriff Crowley yesterday and lodged in the county jail where she is under the care of Dr. George Sloan. The accommodations for women here are better than in the Kittitas county jail.

Sheriff Crowley declares that the woman is not insane and that she killed Murray while in a jealous rage because he had been spending the afternoon with a girl friend. The sheriff regards the case as one of murder in the first degree and there is no chance of the woman being released on bonds.

Sheriff Crowley also believes that the woman's jealousy was not of the sort that a mother might feel for a son or an adopted son. It appears that Mrs. Norris' reputation is not of the best. Some time ago a man of the name of Hawkins was arrested here for robbing a sheepman in this city. He was held in the jail for several months and finally released. Hawkins was a young man of good family and education who had come down in the world and had spent a brief time in jail in Ellensburg before he got into trouble here.

In this young man also Mrs. Norris took great interest, coming here and visiting Hawkins several times in his cell. In fact, Mrs. Norris' interest in young men, in view of the fact that she is a married woman of 40 years of age is not considered a point in her favor by either Sheriff Crowley or Sheriff Edwards.

The true story of the killing of Murray is as follows: Murray, with his friend and roommate, Ben Townsend, and with Mrs. Norris returned from the skating rink about 10 o'clock and after sitting in the parlor for a little while Murray and Townsend went upstairs to bed together. Shortly after the boys had retired Mrs. Norris went to the room and kissed Murray. She returned about 3 o'clock in the morning when both the young men were asleep and fired a bullet from a 32 calibre colt's revolver into Murray's brain. The boy died almost instantly.

Ben Townsend, who was asleep by Murray's side, was confused by the report of the gun and a minute or two elapsed before he called to Murray, asking what was the matter. Receiving no response he took hold of Murray and shook him but was unable to arouse him. Townsend then got out of bed and turned on the electric light. Mrs. Norris was standing close to the bed with the smoking revolver in her hand. A boarder in the house by the name of S. A. Matthews, who had heard the report, came into the room at this juncture and took the revolver away from Mrs. Norris.

It is understood that H. J. Snively has been retained for the defense of Mrs. Norris and that he will enter a special plea of mental irresponsibility in behalf of the woman.

WATER USERS WANT DAVIS TO SETTLE IT

Controversy Over the Weisberger Contract Is Causing a Deal of Heated Discussion.

Things are absolutely broiling these days in the headquarters of the local reclamation bureau. It is all about the contract for the concrete forms, and it seems that some high official from the outside must step in to settle the controversy. Apparently it is impossible to come to any definite conclusion with the local heads of the service.

Chief Engineer Davis of the reclamation service and no one but Chief Engineer Davis, to make an examination of the Tieton canal with particular reference to the shapes furnished by Contractor Weisburger, is the cry of the Tieton Water Users' association. A number of telegrams have passed back and forth between the reclamation service headquarters at Washington and the local association of water users, but the matter cannot be settled by telegram. Conferences have been held with reclamation officials at noon Thursday, but no other solution has been arrived at. The matter having come to a point where an inspection from the head engineer is possible the local people who have a vital interest in the best kind of work are insisting upon it as vital to their future interests. Positive efforts were made Thursday, the character of which is not made public, to arrange a settlement without calling Mr. Davis, but this was not considered satisfactory.

JOSEPH JACOBS PROMOTED

Made Consulting Engineer of Entire Reclamation Service.

News reached here this week from Washington City that Engineer Joseph Jacobs, formerly in charge of the reclamation projects throughout the Yakima valley, has been promoted to the high office of Consulting Engineer of all the reclamation projects in the United States.

Mr. Jacobs' headquarters will be in New York City. He is there now established in an elegant suite of offices.

HOPS OF OREGON HAVE BLUE MOLD

Blue mold has attacked the hops held in Oregon. It has appeared in many places and has been reported from time to time as a minor condition. Later reports and those at present coming to hand seem to indicate that it is affecting a large number of the bales and that the situation may become serious. The presence of blue mold is in no way due to the curing of the hops but is a direct result of the wet, murky weather which has prevailed in the Oregon country ever since the winter set in. Improper storing is the main cause assigned and as many growers have given insufficient attention to the storing of their crop some stand to lose heavily.

Last Bad Visit Was Long Ago. A Portland dispatch received here says:

"In some sections an attempt has been made to conceal the fact of the appearance of the mildew, but the trade is now fully awake to the situation. Of nine lots bought by one dealer in the past two weeks parts of seven were rejected because of mold. The trouble first appeared in a few isolated spots a month ago, but is now reported from many of the sections. The last bad visitation of blue mold in this state was in 1889. Hops that year sold by the bale."

North Yakima hop growers, apart from taking different points of view with regard to the statements made here by Paul Horst of New York, are not indulging in much hop talk. Legislation before congress calling for prohibition of liquor shipments to such states as put the ban on the liquor traffic causes some consideration but no definite action. It is understood that a movement has been inaugurated by the brewers looking to support from growers of hops in opposition to such legislation.

EX-CHIEF MILLER OUT OF A JOB

Hands in Resignation Without Asking Advice of His Friends—Has a Fine Record—May be Reinstated.

The resignation of James J. Miller from the police force of this city has been the occasion for considerable comment on the part of many taxpayers. Mr. Miller after having served on the force for one day, reported at the police station the following day and handed in his resignation together with his badge and other paraphernalia. He quit the force without giving due notice of his intended action, but subsequent investigation concerning the affair leads to the belief that Mr. Miller was justified in taking such action, if he had made up his mind to resign eventually.

It seems that some members of the council were opposed to Miller from the first. He could not be elected to succeed himself as chief of police, and that being the case, some of the members of the council concluded that if he was not capable of holding down his old job, then he should not be on the force at all.

This was the position of Councilman Janek, and Mr. Janek said this much to a reporter for one of the daily papers, who published it, and by the publication of this story Mr. Miller was led to believe that he was not wanted on the force, and would probably be let out if he did not resign.

As a matter of fact, there was no just reason, so far as can be ascertained from a majority of the members of the council for a statement of this kind to have been made by Councilman Janek, speaking as he did for a majority of the members of the aldermanic board. A majority of the members of the board wanted Mr. Miller on the police force. They believed that he had made a good chief of police during the past year, and while he had taken a political interest in the last municipal fight, and had favored the election of Mr. Armbruster as mayor as against Mr. Lombard, he, of course, could not have hoped for the appointment to succeed himself.

Councilman Shaw, Smith, Schott and Meigs all favored Miller for a position of patrolman, however, and there is hardly any doubt that if the young man desires he can be reinstated on the force.

Mr. Janek was frank in his statement concerning the position he had taken with reference to Mr. Miller. He admitted that a year ago he was among those who recommended Miller for chief of police. He admitted that in many ways Miller had excelled in his position, that his financial reports had been

large and reflected credit upon his administration. Mr. Janek also criticized Miller for what he termed a lack of strict discipline over the redlight district of the city last summer. He thought that the disreputable characters of the line were allowed too much latitude, and that Miller as chief should have attended to this particular matter. Janek further admitted that he probably made a mistake in stating that the council did not want Miller on the force, and a Democrat reporter later ascertained that Mr. Janek had been in error, for he learned that a majority of the members of the council wanted Miller in the position of first officer, and had any move been made to oust him from office, it would not have been sustained.

Nelse Short, present chief, said to a Democrat reporter Thursday morning that he was surprised at the action of Mr. Miller.

"I wanted him on the force," said Mr. Short. "I recommended him to the mayor, and thought that everything was all right until he handed in his resignation Wednesday morning. Miller took offense at the story published in one of the dailies, and that was all there was to it."

James Miller made a fine record as chief of police. He is the first chief that ever made the police department of North Yakima a paying institution, and it was due to his careful attention of the duties of his office that this fact was made possible. Miller may be reinstated on the force if he will reconsider his hasty action.

Death of Mrs. Hill's Mother.

Mrs. Emma Rohrer, mother of Mrs. G. J. Hill, of this city, whose home was in New Paris, Ind., died at the home of her daughter, Mrs. J. E. Ingram, on Michigan avenue, Chicago, where she was visiting, last Friday, at the age of 67 years, lacking only a few days. Yesterday would have been the 67th anniversary of her birthday, had she lived.

Mrs. Rohrer is most affectionately remembered by many in this city who met her here while visiting with Mrs. Hill. She remained in this city the entire year.

BE SODA WISE

DRINK

YAKIMA (INDIAN HEAD) SODA WATERS

YAKIMA MINERAL SPRINGS CO.

NORTH YAKIMA

Lower Prices AT MACDONALD'S Lower Prices

Great January Clearance Sale Now in Full Blast

THE PRICES ARE CUT ALMOST IN TWO

Ladies' Hats to Close Out at Half Price. All Latest Styles

50c Hats now	25c
1.00 Hats now	50c
1.50 Hats now	75c
2.00 Hats now	1.00
2.50 Hats now	1.25
3.00 Hats now	1.50
3.50 Hats now	1.75
4.00 Hats now	2.00
5.00 Hats now	2.50
6.00 Hats now	3.00



Everything in the Store Greatly Reduced. Save Money By Buying Your Spring Goods at this Great Sale.

J. J. MACDONALD, 8 South Second St.

U. S. Depository

Capital Surplus - - \$250,000.00
Assets - - - - \$1,700,000.00

Banking in all its departments

W. L. STEINWEG, President
CHARLES CARPENTER, Vice-Pres.
A. B. CLINE, Cashier
CHARLES DONOVAN, Asst. Cashier

Established 1885

Steel Safety Deposit Boxes For Rent

MANUFACTURERS

LOOM END SALE

Loom End Sale

The only sale given direct from the mill to the consumer. This GIGANTIC Manufacturers' LOOM END SALE which will open

**Saturday, 25
JANUARY**

at 9 a. m. will be the trade triumph in the history of North Yakima.

The most exceptional sale announcement of the season from every viewpoint of quality, breadth of assortment and price. Investigation will reveal the most surprising values. Every counter piled high with BARGAINS DIRECT FROM THE MILLS.

**Values Way Up
Prices Way Down**

**New Goods
New Styles**

A custom inaugurated by us long ago.

**Painstaking Efforts to Please
and Better**

than usual merchandise are attributes to our success.

For 2 weeks we will sell Loom Ends at cost---Get your share

What Do Loom Ends Mean and Where Do They Come From

LOOM ENDS mean goods that fall short of forty or fifty yard lengths, requisite for export purposes. Identical in style, quality and design with the full piece, still not to be classed with regular goods, because they are wanting in lengths—a thread missing in napkins—a slight discoloration in some fabric—crooked or careless stitching in underwear—a coarse thread in hose. These are "LOOM ENDS" characteristics. None of these slight flaws matter to the customer, but they prevent the mill or factory from selling goods at a profitable price. The mighty block of LOOM ENDS we have purchased for this sale are new goods fresh from the looms, offered to you at loom cost. You will never know what loom cost is if you fail to attend this sale, for the price list on this sheet gives you but an inkling of the money saving opportunities offered. You will pay twice or thrice the money for the same goods at other stores.

Our Buyers Have Succeeded in Securing at a Sacrifice

10 Big Cases Mill Remnant Bargains

And We Propose to Offer Unheard of Buying Chances During this Sale

Sale Begins

Saturday, January 25

Sale Closes

Saturday, February 8

LOOM ENDS

At Loom Cost

Learn Loom Cost with your own eyes. Think of saving four profits. You save the retailer's profit, the jobber's profit, commission merchant's and broker's profit. Everything marked in plain figures.

**Come and See—Look for the
Yellow Tickets**

and you find the Loom Cost. Extra salespeople have been secured; so all may be waited upon promptly. Sale starts at 9 o'clock SATURDAY MORNING.

JANUARY 25

Don't forget the date, the hour or the place.

**Look for Yellow Tickets—They
denote a saving of 1-4 to 1-2 on
your purchase.**

Every Counter a BARGAIN COUNTER—Our Display on the

25th

Of January

Will contain the most remarkable values ever exhibited in North Yakima.

Table Linens

300 yards of Red Damask, fast colors, worth 50c, for.....27 1-2c
300 yards Mercerized Damask, worth 65c, for 42 1-2c
Crash—One Case Crash, 12½c quality, this sale only.....7c
Towels—100 dozen Turkish Towels worth 15c, for.....9c

20,000 Yds. Loom Ends

In Calicoes and Flannelettes

3 3-4c per yd.

Price and material will both suit the consumer and the result will be quick sales and many of them. Satisfied customers make a sale go. Watch us satisfy a multitude.

We want every lady to share in these GREAT BARGAINS
IT WON'T PAY TO MAKE

Muslin Underwear

The most delicate finery ever brought to North Yakima. All crisp and fresh, neat and dainty, refined styles and trimmings.

Marvelous Shoe Selling

Values forgotten to make this sale a record-breaker. All leathers—all styles—a grand assortment of the Best Shoes ever made. If you have feet you may need shoes.

Shoes for Everybody

W

E INAUGURATE the Greatest Sale in our history. The tremendous stock we have gathered and the low prices that prevail are the attractions here. Economy demands that you join the throng that will respond to this announcement. Inspect these bargains. This is the opportunity you have been waiting for. Don't wait, but come. Everything priced at extraordinary savings. The very nature of this sale demands the confidence and respect of the public. The manufacturers have selected this store as their representative, direct from the mills to you. Saturday morning, JANUARY 25, will witness the beginning of the greatest sale North Yakima has ever known. Economy is supreme at DITTER BROS' STORE.

Ladies' Coats

AT MANUFACTURER'S PRICES.

You have never before had the opportunity for buying such beautiful coats at the low prices quoted at this sale.

Furs

UNIQUE EXHIBIT OF FASHIONABLE FURS.

There is an individual style about our furs that appeals to particular people.

Skirts

Tailor-Made Skirts in a variety of Wool Suitings, Solid Black Serges and Panamas in New Models. Special Values in New Skirts.

Silk Petticoats

Every possible size and style is here. If you wish to see the NEW MODELS they are all ready and we are proud to show them. Never before have we assembled such a splendid gathering of bargains.

A Dazzling Array of
Ladies' Waists

Latest Styles at Manufacturers' Prices.

Ladies' Suits

Beautiful costumes at small cost. Elegant assortment of Tailored Suits, Materials and Trimmings of the very latest approved fashionable correctness.

**Blankets and
Quilts**

AT MANUFACTURERS' PRICES

Dress Goods

WE HAVE THE NEW WEAVES, LATEST STYLES IN GREAT VARIETY. A Whirlwind of Vigorous Values.

Men's Wear

WORK SHIRTS, DRESS SHIRTS, UNDERWEAR, GLOVES. At Manufacturers' Prices.

Petticoats

Ladies' MERCERIZED Petticoats, always sold at \$1.25, for
89c

Handkerchiefs

Ladies' 5c Handkerchiefs at.....2c
Ladies' all linen 10c Handkerchiefs.....5c

Pearl Buttons

Loom End Sale Price, per dozen.....2c

Hooks and Eyes

Per paper.....1c
SAFETY PINS
Per card.....2c

Hosiery

1 case Ladies' 15c Hose for.....9c
1 case Misses' 15c Hose, for.....9c

Embroideries and Laces

AT LOOM END PRICES

5000 Yards of Embroidery Strips. "Loom Ends" all 1908 patterns in Swiss, Nainsook and Cambric, embracing Bands, Gallons, Flouncings, Allovers, Edges, Beadings, Etc., Etc.

Ditter Bros.

This is a Cash Sale

North Yakima, Wash.

Ribbons and Loom-End Pieces

Nos. 5, 7, 9, your choice.....4c
Nos. 12, 16, 22 and 40, your choice.....9c
Nos. 60 and 80.....12 1-2c
35c Fancy Ribbons.....15c
ABOVE PRICES FOR THIS SALE ONLY

The Famous Emporium Sale

Is Now On

\$80,000.00 of high grade merchandise, in many cases at factory prices and less. Every article in the store except Spool Cotton, Gossard Corsets, Dent Gloves and Knox Hats.

The Sale Closes Saturday, February 1st at 9 p. m.

An Opportunity Unparalleled in the History of Yakima County

THE EMPORIUM

The Week End Society Event

Mrs. Denny Honored.
Mrs. Murray Bliss Miles was the charming hostess at a bridge luncheon Thursday afternoon at her home on North Naches avenue. The affair was given in honor of Mrs. Charles Latimer Denny, of Seattle. Mrs. E. W. Porter held the highest score and was awarded a handsome souvenir spoon as first prize. The guests included Mrs. Charles L. Denny, Mrs. Oscar A. Fechter, Mrs. Alexander Miller, Mrs. George Donald, Mrs. E. W. Porter, Mrs. Dwyer, Mrs. Aldrich and Miss Dwyer.

Guild Card Party a Success.
The card party given Friday afternoon by the ladies of St. Michael's guild at the home of Mrs. George Donald, on North Second street, proved a decided success. Five handed cinch was the game played at eight tables.

Election of Aid Society Officers.
The Nob Hill division of the Ladies' Aid society of the Methodist church met

Friday afternoon with Mrs. Mary Cannon on Nob Hill. The first part of the afternoon was taken up with some necessary business and the election of officers. Mrs. P. D. Babcock was elected president and Mrs. W. M. Nelson secretary and treasurer.

Out of Town Guests Complimented.
Mrs. E. W. Porter, of New York, and Mrs. Charles Latimer Denny, of Seattle, were the guests of honor at a charming card party given Monday afternoon by Mrs. Daniel E. Lesh. Five handed cinch was the game played at eight tables. The score cards were dainty sachets handpainted in a design of violets. The guest of honor favors were dainty guest books, also bearing a design of violets. Mrs. Frederic C. Hall, Mrs. George Donald, Mrs. U. F. Dittman, Mrs. John J. Rudkin and Miss Dwyer assisted the hostess in serving dainty refreshments.

Masons Banquet and Install Officers.
Royal Arch Masons installed officers and entertained at a banquet Tuesday evening. The banquet took place in the Pacific hotel. E. J. Wyman acted as toastmaster and the following men spoke: Prof. B. F. Barge, Rev. A. H. Henry, Rev. Luckenbach, J. D. Cornett, E. J. Banks, Norman Compton, E. J. Hughes, E. M. Nesley, J. M. Brown, C. R. Heath, W. P. Sawyer and A. B. Weed.

Silver Wedding Anniversary Celebrated.
About 50 guests were present at the celebration of the silver wedding anniversary of Mr. and Mrs. Edward Remy Thursday evening at their home in Fairview. A thoroughly enjoyable evening was spent with music and games. At 6 o'clock an elaborate six course dinner was served and light refreshments were served later in the evening. Mr. and Mrs. Remy wore the wedding garments in which they were married 25 years ago, and the bride's cake which has weathered the ravages of time was passed around for inspection. Mr. and Mrs. Remy were the recipients of many handsome presents.

A number of the young friends of Miss Mabel Brouette tendered her a delightful surprise party Friday evening at her home, 216 North Second avenue.

Naches Avenue Whist Club.
The Naches Avenue Whist Club met Tuesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Vestal Snyder, Mrs. Snyder and Mrs. Marquis W. Phillips being hostesses.

The Ladies' Musical club met Thursday afternoon with Mrs. A. B. Cline. The Wagner program was given.

The German Whist Club Meets.
The German Whist club met at the home of John Mechtel, corner of Eleventh and Yakima avenues, Wednesday evening, January 15. Mrs. Matt Mechtel was awarded the ladies' first prize, a set of silver nut picks. The gentleman's first prize was won by Alex. Carlson and consisted of a silver baggage check. The consolation prizes, a pair of booties and a deck of small cards, were won by Mrs. Joe Metzger and Anthony Kloeber. The feature of the evening was a cherry contest. The first prize was won by Mr. John Hartmann, the consolation prize by Mrs. Wm. Mechtel. Mr. Frank Shardlow was initiated into the mysteries of the club to the enjoyment of all those present. Dainty refreshments were served by the host and hostess and a number of musical selections were rendered during the course of the evening.

Mrs. Englehart Entertains.
Mrs. M. M. Englehart entertained a party of young people Monday evening in a delightful manner at her home on South Fourth street. Red carnations decorated the rooms in an effective manner. Cards, music and dancing afforded

the amusement for the evening. Delicious refreshments were served at the close of the evening.

Noted Pianist Coming.
The Ladies' Musical club has secured an engagement with Vaughn Lauder, a noted pianist and lecturer of Chicago, for the 10th and 11th of February. It is the purpose of the ladies to have Mr. Lauder give two afternoon lectures, for which a small admission fee will be charged, and an evening lecture recital for the benefit of all music lovers.

Minnesota Society Banquet.
The banquet given Tuesday evening by the Minnesota Society of this valley was largely attended by about 450 "Gophers." Jackson orchestra was in attendance. As the guests arrived the names of their native Minnesota towns were pinned on them and thus each one was enabled to find his own townspeople. At 8:15 the grand march began led by Miss Katherine Van Slyke and Albert Hoffman; at its close all united in singing "The Jolly Miller."

Mr. Nichols, Mr. Bivens and Miss McMurry were appointed a nominating committee to suggest names for the officers for the year. The male quartette composed of W. F. F. Selleck, Harold Selleck, Milo Whitney and Rev. Whitney, sang several original Minnesota songs which received much applause. Mr. Bivens and Mr. Nichols chose up sides for an old-fashioned country spelling match. In the county roll call every county in the state had sent several delegates to this valley.

In a short business meeting following the program, Bert Bivens was elected president for the year, Miss Van Slyke vice president, Miss Maud Colton secretary, and Charles Druse treasurer. Delicious refreshments were served by the ladies at the close of the evening.

Co. E Will Give Dance.
A dance will be given Feb. 21 in Tieton hall by Co. E. The affair will be one of the most largely attended affairs of the season. The decorations will be elaborate and the shooting trophies will be on exhibition.

Yakima Men Defendants.
From a Tacoma News of last week we learn that L. K. Cogswell of Chehalis has been served with a summons to appear and defend himself against charges of John Dick, a Yakima Indian, who says Cogswell, F. P. Stump and George Stephenson defrauded him out of \$240 rental on land owned by the Indian. Cogswell is well known all over Lewis county and the state, having attended the various fairs in Washington and Oregon with his Red Polled cattle.—Chehalis Bee-Nugget.

Local Stockmen United.
Yakima valley auxiliaries to the State Livestock association, of which A. J. Splawn, of North Yakima, is president, will be inaugurated during the first and second weeks of February. The North Yakima association will be formed February 6 at which time, in addition to the local members of the state association, there will be here President Bryan, of the Washington State college, Dr. S. B. Nelson, the state veterinarian, Paul Clagstone, of Clagstone, Idaho, the noted stockman, and F. M. Rothrock of Spokane. It is proposed to gather 1000 members into the state organization before the end of the year and the auxiliaries, such as that to be formed here, are for the purpose of stimulating local interest and to call local meetings for discussion of matters officially before the state organization for action.

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JURORS DRAWN

Jury Commissioners T. G. Redfield and G. S. Rankin, together with Clerk of the Court R. K. Nichols, have drawn the names of 60 jurors who will serve for the February term of the superior court. The jurors will be summoned to attend February 3 at 10 o'clock. Following is the list of the jurors drawn: Vernon Marsh, city; J. P. Evans, Selah; Thomas Fear, Cowiche; L. Snipes, Second ward, city; A. W. Burns, Second ward, city; C. A. Russell, Moxee; J. H. Armstrong, Hopdale; Paul Patnode, Third ward, city; L. Garretson, Nob Hill; J. M. Wesley, Fairview; W. A. Burchfield, Moxee; Frank Herke; F. A. Mondor, Tampico; T. S. Phillips, Mabton; Lee Wilson, Mabton; S. M. Tyrell, Toppenish; H. H. Cummings, Nob Hill; C. B. Clark, Fourth ward, city; F. B. Shardlow, Second ward, city; J. G. Priest, Hopdale; Harry Dike, Ahtanum; Thos. Wilkinson, Granger; John Kelley, Nob Hill; A. P. Conrad, Tampico; T. J. Thompson, Third ward, city; Jay Elliott, Cowiche; C. L. Locke, Outlook; Al. Whitson, Fruitvale; L. H. Roberts, Second ward, city; D. L. Westcott, West Sunnyside; A. Elliott, Fifth ward, city; Fred Janeck, Second ward, city; J. L. Courtwright, Yakima City; Homer Gray, Upper Naches; F. W. Brown, First ward, city; L. A. Marsh, Glade; J. A. Hills, Parker; Norman Woodin, West Sunnyside; C. J. Auers, Lower Naches; A. V. Strate, Moxee; Will H. Aiken, Glade; M. C. Hill, Moxee; G. W. Fowler, Toppenish; J. Sauve, Moxee; J. S. Fuller, Cowiche; D. V. Hecox, Granger; Edward Slavin, Tampico; C. P. Langford, Hopdale; John D. Gammons, Lower Naches; Ole Christenson, Mabton; G. H. Ziff, Mabton; Charles Hensel, Divide; S. Trueblood, Hopdale; C. S. Barnett, Second ward, city; H. M. Cook, Sixth ward, city; J. W. Webber, Lower Naches; A. M. Cale, Fruitvale; Fred W. Schott, Third ward, city; L. R. Case, Granger; W. H. Gilmore, Fairview.

John Lindsey Is Injured.

John Lindsey, of the old town, is suffering from a painful injury to one of his shoulders caused by a fall from his wagon Wednesday night. It is thought that the shoulder blade is broken. Mr. Lindsey was driving past a culvert when a wheel of the wagon dropped and at the same time the wagon tongue loosened. He was pulled from his seat, a high one, and pitched headlong into the

New Free Delivery Routes.

Two new free delivery routes have been established from North Yakima according to telegraphic information from Washington. One of these will give a mail service to the Tampico district, which has been without mail facilities since early in the fall. Application to have it established as a rural route was made some time ago. The service will begin February 1. A Selah rural free delivery route will also be inaugurated on the same date.

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"I don't know much about this wholesale discharging of employees of the Northern Pacific railroad and their re-engagement, as announced," said Northern Pacific Agent John R. Ryerson this morning, "but I do know that the railroad is doing a bigger business in and out of North Yakima for January of this year than it did a year ago. The quantity of incoming merchandise for North Yakima and nearby points is in excess of what was carried in January 1907. It is true also that the quantity of freight originating here for outside points is greater than was shown by the corresponding month a year ago. In other words so far as the railroad is concerned the business is more active than it was at the beginning of last year."

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TAFT OR HUGHES?

At last Governor Hughes, of New York, has intimated that he would have something to say in a short time, and that that something would be in the nature of his formal announcement as a candidate for the nomination of president on the republican ticket. It will be recalled that one Alton B. Parker, of New York state, adopted a similar course to the one so far chosen by the astute Hughes. He maintained a stolid silence for several weeks and finally when everything was considered just appropos for a cyclonic announcement, one that would startle the civilized world, the bars were let down and Parker was a full-fledged candidate. Parker was just a candidate, and that is all. He was practically an unknown quantity, and the American people didn't want that kind of a man for president, not to refer to the fact that he was up against an unbeatable opponent. Hughes is very much of the type of man that Alton B. Parker represents. He was never heard of until two years ago when good fortune chanced to throw him an opportunity by placing him on the committee which successfully revealed the illegal machinations of the old time insurance companies. Any lawyer of moderate legal ability could have brought about the same result as did Mr. Hughes. His success in this connection gave him the opportunity to run against and defeat "Billy" Hearst for governor of New York. Any republican in the state of New York could have beaten Hearst, but at that, Hughes' majority was noticeably insignificant. Now that he is governor of New York he has been spoken of as a possible candidate for the presidency, because New York has the largest electoral vote, cuts a good deal of ice in the national convention, and is nearly always considered the pivotal state. Any governor of New York would at least command temporary attention as a possible candidate, and many of them have walked off with the plum.

What do the American people think of Roosevelt? He is held up as the popular idol, the one man for whom the people would be willing to forget the traditions of their fathers, the precedents established in the early days of our country's history, set them all aside, and make him a third term candidate and a third time president. And he is a republican. But Roosevelt will not under any condition accept this proffered honor. Instead he would name a man to succeed him. A man who will carry out the policies of his present administration. A man who will give the people a Roosevelt reign. In so many words Roosevelt has said to the republican party: "If you believe in me, then give my protégé, Taft, the nomination."

Will the republican party be guided by the advice and dictation of the once all-powerful Roosevelt? If so then Hughes, the silent governor, will never get the nomination. As a matter of fact there are only two candidates for the republican nomination who stand a ghost of a chance. The nomination lies between Taft and Hughes. The indications at this time point strongly to the former. But in the event of Hughes winning the republican national convention, there is another serious question the republicans will have to deal with.

When Roosevelt's candidate has been relegated to the dump pile, it will mean that an insurrection of serious import has occurred in the ranks of the republican party. Many republicans now believe that their party has been in power long enough for the good of the republic. It is not in keeping with the history of this country that one party should stay in power through too many consecutive administrations. Corruption will take root and thrive, if such is the case, even with a man at the helm of Roosevelt's type. The American people will not stand for an all powerful, domineering party to continually operate the reins of government. It is not in keeping with a democratic form of government. Granted that these conclusions are founded on fact, then what chance would Mr. Hughes stand to be elected, should he succeed in dethroning Roosevelt and placing himself at the head of another republican party?

Some of the strongest thinkers in the country among the ranks of the republicans concede that Taft can not be elected, even though he is a Roosevelt reformer. Many republicans of the Roosevelt camp, the rule or ruin class, will have no one but Taft to succeed Teddy.

These statements are true, indisputably true, and in carefully reviewing the situation we admit that the democratic party was never more hopeful of success at any previous time, than the present. Taft or Hughes, it makes no difference, William Jennings Bryan and Governor Johnson, of Minnesota, will be the next president and vice president of these United States.

Thomas W. Lawson, of Frenzied Finance fame, in a letter to his publisher says that he is tired of fighting the people's battles because of a lack of appreciation on the part of the people. He says in effect that hereafter the people can do their own fighting and that he will look out for Tom Lawson. The trouble with reformers of the Lawson type is that they work for glory and applause instead of from a sense of public duty. Unless the maddening crowd keeps running after them shouting hosannas and filling their ears with sweet praise they get cold feet and quit the game. The real reformer hews to the line and sticks to his job even though his best friends denounce him. Lawson, though a brilliant man is also vain and selfish. His Standard Oil enemies claimed that his purpose was to get himself well advertised in order to run for the presidency. If so, his hopes have perished miserably. Lawson is in his most familiar role as a surething stock gambler.

The managers of the Taft boom have reached that stage of the game where they are willing to take the public into their confidence by publishing the figures by which they claim that the big Ohioan will have 502 votes sure in the convention, 491 being necessary to a choice. In their classification by states Washington and Oregon are placed in the doubtful column, in which matter the Taft boomers appear to be reckoning too conservatively. There is no good reason to doubt but that the delegates from both states will be found clamoring for seats in the Taft band wagon and the Taft managers may as well count them for the votes are theirs. The big secretary has said himself that he would be nominated on the first ballot and that ought to settle the matter. The band wagon patriots out with their lanterns in search of the man who will win should take his word for it.

Certain well known anti-Bryan democrats held a meeting in New York this week in order to see what could be done towards inducing the coming national convention to write a conservative platform and repudiate Bryan. But these high toned gentlemen who get their inspiration from Wall street might as well save their powder for the next national convention will merely listen to them politely and will turn them down. Bryan is the accepted leader and the old Cleveland gang will accept him or get out.

Senator Foraker, of Ohio, is apparently making a game fight though a losing one as against Roosevelt and Taft. The primary fight in the Buckeye state though seemingly very much one sided, is nevertheless being watched with keen interest throughout the entire country in the expectation that Foraker's real strength will be shown. Even though he be the under dog Foraker may be able to pick up a few delegates with which to harass Taft and that is very probably the game he is now playing.

The Seattle Times, leading Ankeny organ just at present, quotes John B. Catron, Walla Walla democrat, and ex-warden of the penitentiary, as being enthusiastically for the re-election of Senator Ankeny. Perhaps so, and no doubt the genial Mr. Catron has his own good reasons. He probably wishes to continue to live at Walla Walla and do business at the Ankeny counter. But Mr. Catron and Mr. Turner will not carry the entire democratic party over into the Ankeny camp—no, not quite.

Seattle is now in the throes of a municipal election, a fact that helps the newspapers over there to kill space through a dull season. A lot of hopeful candidates have determined to test their running qualities by going up against the direct primary game. When the votes will have been counted the most of them will feel that the public don't know a good thing when it sees it and they will have that tired feeling that leads men to eschew politics for a time.

The prospect of four years more of Mr. Mead in the governor's chair is an appalling one for the taxpayers of this state. The policy of the present governor, if indeed he has a policy, has been to spend public money with a lavish hand, and as a natural result the state is now broke and forced to borrow money from the school fund with which to pay its monthly bills. Ye Gods, what a humiliating spectacle!

John R. Walsh, recently convicted of despoiling the Chicago National bank, is

said to have smiled when he heard the jury's verdict and to have remarked that the fight had just begun. Walsh is nothing if not a fighter, although his enemies claim that he will not fight fair. Chicago knows Walsh's fighting record ever since he arrived there a green Irish lad and began business as a newsboy.

The Ankeny press bureau in attempting to show what a really useful statesman Mr. Ankeny is over plays its hand and incidentally causes to be wasted much good white paper. If the old man is really as busy at Washington as his paid newspaper writers would have the people of this state believe he is very likely to break down from overwork. Poor old man! His clamorous constituents ought to let up on him for a while.

A certain judge of this state would like to make the race for governor and another is casting a wistful eye on Jones' seat in congress. Yet, unhappily, both appear to be barred by a provision in the state constitution which forbids either a supreme or superior judge from accepting another official job during his term of judicial office. Hard lines indeed!

The public is again assured through reports from San Francisco that Abe Ruef is to be prosecuted. And the public has been waiting a good while to see just that very thing done. Ruef in consideration of receiving immunity has been willing to swear all of his tools into the penitentiary. He is entitled to receive a strong dose of judicial medicine himself.

The republican committee of New York county under the guidance of Mr. Hearst's political ally, Congressman Parsons, has twice turned down a resolution to endorse Governor Hughes for the presidency. And it is said that Parsons got his orders direct from the White House. At any rate the committee's action seems to have put a well defined kink in the Hughes boom.

Another candidate for "Yakima" Jones' cast off congressional shoes has bobbed up in Spokane in the person of State Senator Harry Rosenhaupt. And there are yet others in the town by the falls to be heard from. Spokane appears to feel that she has a dead mortal cinch on that congressional seat no matter which way the political wind blows.

The commander of the Japanese fleet has frankly stated to the world the location of the mikado's big warships and has thus stopped a lot of useless newspaper guessing. But that will not stop the gingeos from borrowing trouble nor the yellow newspapers from printing war scare heads in two foot type on their front pages.

The "Second elective term" boom appears to be quite as dead just now as that honored Roman, Julius Caesar. And this is as it should be. Mr. Roosevelt had given his solemn word on that subject and the idolatrous horde who insisted upon his breaking faith were really paying the rough rider president a very poor compliment.

The reception of the American fleet at Rio Janeiro should be gratifying to every good citizen of this great country. Probably the best results to come from the long cruise of the big battleships will be the moral effect such a great showing of naval strength will have on the people and different governments of South America.

Edmund Clarence Stedman, banker and poet, died at New York recently at the ripe old age of 75. Passing strange that a man should be both banker and poet, yet the late Mr. Stedman acquired fame in each calling.

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Senator Aldrich, who has been fending off the passage of the Culberson resolution calling on the secretary of the treasury for information relative to the sale of the Panama bonds, from day to day, promising that a comprehensive statement from the secretary would reach the senate on Wednesday, was finally obliged to permit the resolution to pass, as Wednesday came and there was no statement from Mr. Cortelyou. It is expected to reach the senate this week, but it is entirely probable that the secretary will be reticent on the subject

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concerning which Mr. Culberson's resolution inquires. Mr. Culberson is convinced that when a report on his resolution is made it will show that Secretary Cortelyou has been guilty of a violation of the law.

Senator Tillman of South Carolina, at a mass meeting this week, called for the purpose of bringing together all associations in the District of Columbia in favor of prohibition, enthused his audience by declaring it his opinion that the people of Washington can have prohibition if a majority of citizens appeal to congress for it. "You know what you want," he said, "but the trouble with you is that you don't know how to get it." The senator proceeded to give his hearers one of his practical, common sense talks, which excited the greatest interest, and no little enthusiasm.

The recently appointed ambassador from Japan to the United States, Baron Kogoro Takahira, at present Japanese minister to Italy, was minister to this country during the Russo-Japanese war and previous to this duty he served as consul general at New York. He was one of the plenipotentiaries of Japan at the Portsmouth peace conference in 1905. He has been in the service of his government since his graduation from the Imperial college at Tokio and he speaks English, French and German fluently.

President Roosevelt has been assured, very recently, by several southern politicians that Secretary Taft would receive most of the strength south of Mason and Dixon's line which had been preparing to swing into line for Mr. Roosevelt when his no third term declaration knocked their plans sky high.

Senator Tillman this week offered a resolution which has been adopted by the senate, directing the interstate commerce commission to inform the senate whether any corporations engaged in interstate commerce are the owners of any stock of other corporations which are transporting freight and passengers. If so, the commission is further directed to transmit a statement showing the extent and details of such ownership, so far as the facts now appear in the office of the commission, and to state in what cases the corporations whose stock is so owned have been competitors for the traffic with the corporations owning their stock. When Senator Tillman introduced this resolution, Senator Aldrich offered an objection to its consideration, but this he withdrew, and it was adopted by the senate.

The differences existing between Minority Leader John Sharp Williams and his political colleague on the committee on rules, Mr. De Armond of Missouri, which caused a personal encounter just before the holidays, were further emphasized this week in the course of the consideration of the criminal laws. It was thought that these two representatives had patched up their seemingly temporary differences, but evidently their viewpoints are totally different and there may be wordy contests between them many times during the session.

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republican politics in this state and tell the truth.

What the country needs is an immediate revision of the tariff so that "protection" now given to the manufacturing trusts shall be extended so as to include protection to the laborer and consumer.

Most every country editor feels some hesitancy in giving credit to a subscriber who talks of his business in an amen voice.

Most every mother is satisfied with results of her daughter's course at the college, if she marries one of the professors.

The annual number of the White River Journal, is a splendid compliment to its editor and publisher, T. D. Dean. It will do a heap of good in attracting homeseekers to Kent, and the beautiful White River valley.

Candidates for the mayorship of Seattle, at the next municipal election, have the old saying, "thick as a swarm of bees" beaten a mile, so to speak, and then some.

Marriage never seems so much a failure to a man as when something goes wrong at home that he can't possibly blame his wife for.

The owner of a new spring wagon who was upset the other way, said that he could not agree with the spectators who complimented him on his splendid turnout.

It would be a relief to the public if Anna Gould's ex-husband, Count Boni de Castellane, would fall into a Paris sewer with no rescuers in sight.

Wouldn't some republican politicians in the Evergreen state throw six different styles of fits should James Hamilton Lewis land in the governor's chair of the "Sucker" state—Illinois?

The law should be that a doctor who has passed a satisfactory examination in one state should be allowed to practice in any other state without again taking an examination.

The negroes of Kansas have pledged themselves to support J. B. Foraker's "aspirations" whatever they may be. Maybe the colored gentlemen, sah, are, handing Foraker the watermelon rind, sah.

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the Seattle Times vs. the Yakima Republic as to the halo caused by what Senator Ankeny has or has not done for his state, against what Jones has or has not, accomplished, impresses the man in the street with awe, filling his mind with admiration, wonder and extreme amusement, causing him to deem himself as unimportant, as insignificant as a grain of sand upon the seashore, or to create some such feeling as moves one upon viewing some towering cliff, the rushing, breaking waves of a stormy sea, that in the far-off horizon blend with the murky sky. Ugh!

The 10-cent popular magazines will have the Pacific fleet, "Fighting" Bob Evans in command, on the way to fight Japan, if it requires all the special correspondents and paid artists in the United States.

A little Yakima boy, writing a composition on the zebra, was requested to describe the animal and to mention what it was useful for. After deep reflection he wrote: "The zebra is like the horse, only striped. It is chiefly used to illustrate the letter 'Z'."

When a young man, a civil engineer, surveyed the route of a proposed railroad through eastern Washington, some years ago, an old rancher with whom he stopped for a time, admitted one day, when he saw him figuring in the field, that mathematics always seemed a wonderful thing to him. Being young and enthusiastic, the engineer began to enlarge upon its wonders, telling him how the distances to different planets could be measured, and even weighed.

how accurately could be foretold the coming of a comet or an eclipse, years in advance of its actual occurrence; determine the velocity of the fiercest projectile, ascertain the heights of mountains without scaling them, and many other things meant to astonish him.

"Yes sir, them things does seem kind'er cur'us," the old rancher replied, "but what allus bothered me was to understand why you have ter carry one for ev'ry ten. But if you don't," he concluded, with conviction, "the gosh-durn, measly thing won't come out right."

Ahtanum.

One of the most enjoyable social events of the season was the annual business meeting of the Ladies' Aid society at the residence of Mrs. Sherman, Friday. The ladies had with them many good things to eat and at noon sat down to a bountiful dinner consisting of creamed potatoes, macaroni, roast chicken, cold meats, salad, bread, pickles, pie, cake, fruit and coffee. At the business meeting Mrs. Norman Woodhouse was re-elected president, Mrs. Bert Gillette, vice president; Mrs. Umstead, secretary; Mrs. John Wiley, treasurer. Those present were Mesdames F. B. Woodcock, E. S. Woodcock, Palmer, Thrall, Bert Gillette, Irving Gillette, Carson, Woodhouse, Lehmann, Hibler, Umstead, Sherman, Ryan, Moyer, J. J. Wiley, John Wiley, Draper, W. J. Hackett, Ed. Hackett, Mary Wiley, Reynolds, Braithwait, Mansfield and Jacobs. Misses Alice Brooks and Hilda Sherman. Messrs. Owen Umstead and John Wiley.

Artie Moyer is attending the Yakima Business college.

Mrs. Draper has gone to Naches for a brief visit with her son Rollin.

Any policeman can tell you the address of Goldberg's, Cigars. 9tf

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Cost of three miles of track, with poles and overhead work....	\$37,168.43
Engineering Expenses—Yakima Inter-Valley Traction Co....	3,824.12
Yakima Valley Transportation Co.....	2,869.65
Cost of real estate and rights-of-way.....	15,725.90
Cost of power plant complete.....	5,013.59
Cost of office equipment, fixtures, etc.....	563.81
Total.....	\$65,165.10

—[Extract from Annual Report.

Just as soon as we can raise the necessary money, we will begin work on the line to the State Fair Grounds, and as rapidly thereafter as possible extend our lines.

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M. B. MILES, Secretary

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80 Head Horses

I will offer 80 head of horses at public auction at

10 O'clock A. M.
Saturday, Feb. 8th

At the N. P. Stock Yards North Yakima, 80 head horses as follows:

- About 40 head horses coming 3 years old.
- About 20 head horses coming 4 years old.
- About 20 head horses coming 5 and 6 yrs. old.

This stock is from imported Percheron, Clyde and Shire Stallions and good mares, pasture raised and most all halter broke, ranging in weight from twelve to fifteen hundred pounds.

Many fine matched teams can be chosen from this bunch.

A credit of 8 months will be given with a proof security, without interest. But interest at the rate of 10 per cent will be charged if notes are not paid when due. 5 per cent discount for cash.

E. W. DOOLEY

WEEKLY MARKET REVIEW

North Yakima, the past week, has experienced a dullness in the demand for potatoes and a positive slackness in the situation as regards hay. In grains there is nothing doing. Such activity as exists at the present is on the part of producers who desire to sell to the wholesaler or the buyer and shipper. Demand for consumption, so far as the experience of this market is concerned, cannot be said to have been at all keen for the past seven days. Dealers here, as elsewhere throughout this state, feel that there cannot be any prolonged period of dullness, that a demand for local produce is bound to become more active, that prices will be maintained, if not increased, and that there is every reason to hope for a good future. That is their attitude and they are waiting for circumstances to fulfill their predictions.

Sound Supplied With Hay.

Sound markets appear to be carrying a sufficiency of hay for present needs. At any rate dealers are not coming to this section for their supplies just at present. One of the largest local dealers, however, today expressed himself

as of the belief that all local hay will be cleaned up when the season's dealing is under way. He had an application Tuesday from a representative of Alaska interests who wanted to know about timothy in very heavy lots for Alaska shipment. There is no question that when the shipments north begin the better hay will be taken for consumption there which will leave open the field for alfalfa sales. In the meantime the necessary consumption in western Washington will keep a considerable quantity moving. Resumption of constructive operations on the Milwaukee railroad and at different points along the Columbia river will improve the markets in those respects.

Potatoes Are Not Wanted.

Potatoes apparently were oversupplied to the Sound in the last week and shipment and demand has fallen off the past few days. Ranchers are holding supplies they are anxious to sell but local dealers have been turning them down. The \$14 potato, just at this time, is a pretty good quality of spud.

Apples are finding an increasingly welcome market all along the Pacific coast and as the offerings are of a generally

better grade, the demand for high grade stock has increased and better prices are prevailing. Tacoma quotes a small lot of winter apples at \$4 to \$5 a box and the better grades of other varieties selling at \$2 and \$2.50. The Democrat pointed out a few days ago that the Horticultural Union has some 30 cars of apples which it will at once seek to market and to that end E. E. Samson, manager of the Union business, is to leave, probably today, for California and the southern states to seek a market.

Many oranges are coming in to North Yakima. The fruit is of a constantly improving character and not too expensive. Sweet potatoes, which are not exactly fruit but which come in under the general description of luxuries, have advanced another 25 cents a hundred on the Sound within the last two days because of shortening of supplies. They are now 4 1/2 cents a pound, wholesale, here and are retailing at 6 cents with every prospect of a further advance.

Eggs Drop a Point.

Eggs have dropped another five cents within the week and the retail grocers now, in no instances, are asking for more than 35 cents a dozen for the strictly fresh article. Competition from the small ranchers, who are retailing many eggs, has had the effect of reducing the figures greatly since the first of the year.

Among meats there is no material change. Dressed veal is somewhat scarce. Pork has been fairly plentiful. In a general way butchers, at least so far as this district is concerned, find more people ready to sell meat than the proportion ready to buy makes proper. Poultry is not in heavy supply but the demand is not great so prices are maintained at former quotations.

General quotations remain about as formerly and are as follows:

The Quotations.	
Winter apples	\$.75@1.25
Pears	\$1.00@1.50
Hay.	
Alfalfa, per ton	\$9.00@10.00
Timothy, per ton	16.00@18.00
Wheat hay, per ton	10.00@12.00
Barley	25.00
Oats	\$26.00@27.00
Grain-New.	
Wheat, per bushel, club	.74
Wheat, per bushel, bluestem	.76
Produce	
Potatoes, new, local, ton.	\$12.00@14.00
RETAIL MARKETS	
Flour.	
Yakima Best, per sack	\$1.45
Presser Best	1.45
Puritan	1.40
Blue Bell	1.35
Barnes' Best Special	1.35
Whole Wheat Flour	1.55
Yakima Kite	1.25
Graham Flour	1.30
Salt Meats.	
Sacked ham	.20c
Skinned ham	.18c
Dry salt sides	.14c
Bacon	.22c
Breakfast bacon	.30c
Produce	
Butter, ranch, per roll (2 lbs)	.65c
Butter, creamery, per roll (2 lbs)	.80c

Cheese, native	25c
Eggs, per dozen	35c
Meat.	
Cows, No. 1, per 100 lbs.	\$2.00@2.50
Steers	3.00@3.25
Fat hogs, best	5.50
Hogs, dressed	7 1/2
Ewes, dressed	8 1/2
Wethers, dressed, per lb	9 1/2
Lambs, dressed, per lb	11 1/2
Poultry	
Chickens, per lb.	10
Turkeys	13@15
Ducks	.08
Geese	.59

BELMA.

Mrs. Wm. McCallum has been on the sick list for the past ten days.

James Day was in Seattle on business last week.

Mrs. Wallace Wells was critically ill last week but is very much improved at the present time.

Mrs. N. B. Long and little daughter of Leland, Ida, is here visiting her parents, E. L. Killian and wife.

Isaac Sanders recently sold five acres of his ranch to C. Murphy of Pittsburgh, Pa. for \$150 per acre. Mr. Murphy has erected a house and is now living on the place.

C. M. Dunn was in North Yakima on business last week.

Wm. Lemay has sold his 40 acres of school land to Charles Connell of North Yakima. This land lies one-half mile east of the Euclid school house.

Joseph Poulain and wife of North Yakima was here last week visiting his uncle, Henry Lachance. He returned home Monday.

Quite a large number of Belma citizens attended the meetings at the Presbyterian church in Mabton last week.

Our genial mail carrier, E. J. Lundy, has an assistant mail carrier at his house, in the person of a fine baby boy, who came to make his home with him and his wife on the 15th inst. Ed. is wearing a smile that won't come off.

Harvey McCaughy of North Yakima is spending a few days with his sister-in-law, Mrs. Wm. Lemay.

John Toulouse and wife entertained at dinner Sunday the following guests: Arthur Lemay and wife, Joe Beaudry and wife of Mabton, Harry McCaughy of North Yakima, Wm. Lemay and family, Henry Lachance and family, and Joseph Lachance and wife of Belma.

ORCHARDVALE.

The Home and Foreign Mission Society will meet at Mrs. Howard Thompson's Friday afternoon.

Miss Zillah Brand returned from the Sound Saturday.

Rev. George Coafriider and family, and Mr. and Mrs. Roberts were calling on Mrs. Thomas of Zillah Sunday afternoon. Quite a number of the farmers from here attended the electric road meeting held at Zillah Saturday.

Farmers are busy pruning and plowing their orchards, which is earlier in the season than usual.

I. W. Saunders has sold another ten acres of his dry land to a Mr. Smith of Seattle.

The Hollanders held a business meeting in their church Monday.

Rev. Charles Bennett of Columbus, Ore., is expected here Thursday to hold meetings for a few days.

Miss Eva McLain and Miss Linda Roberts went to Grandview Friday, returning Sunday.

Mrs. I. W. Saunders was among the passengers to the county seat Friday, returning Sunday.

Mr. Egels is putting up a new house. Charles Monroe is doing the carpenter work.

ALFALFA.

Windy Frasher has been quite busy of late piloting the game sports to the hunting grounds.

Mr. Baker resigned his position as teacher in the public school at Alfalfa Monday.

Miss Ethel Ide has been visiting friends in Outlook the past week.

Wilbur Durham, who has been enjoying a vacation on the Sound for the past week, returned to this place Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Kielsmeier and son, and Mr. and Mrs. Ed Kielsmeier were entertained at the Mathis home Sunday.

Johnnie Ide, our night operator at this place has been transferred to Connell, Wash.

Mrs. Vesta Gurley and brother, from Oregon, were in Alfalfa Monday.

MOXEE.

A. Plant is building a residence on his ranch, just purchased from the Moxee company.

Mrs. C. Champoux and Mrs. J. J. Woods left for Nevada last Thursday to join their husbands, where they will make their future home.

Miss Malvina Labrie returned home last Saturday from Seattle, where she had been attending school at the Academy of the Holy Names.

Married, last Sunday at the Catholic church, Miss Anna Quesnelle and Xavier Regimbal. It was a very quiet affair.

Mrs. A. J. Beauchene returned last Sunday from a two months' visit to relatives in Minnesota.

Arthur St. Mars left Monday for a visit to his old home in Minnesota.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. T. Champoux, a boy. Mother and child are doing fine.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Sauve, a girl, which only lived three days.

Also a child was born to Mr. and Mrs. A. Plant.

A 3-year-old child of Ben Menard died last Sunday from croup—the only case heard of in the Moxee.

Help! Send for Boardman!!

The good ship Prosser is drifting without a rudder; mayor and council are without a legal adviser; the selling of the water bonds is without legal support, the "administration is in the air;" the city is without a clerk or attorney. And all because Mr. Lon Boyle, nominated by Mayor Smith for attorney and clerk, is a partner of Mr. Linn, who, at times, attends to legal business for E. F. Benson, probably the most important business man in Prosser.—Prosser Republican-Bulletin.

Dr. N. H. Goodenow, eye, ear, nose and throat, and the fitting of glasses... Removed from the Mullins Building to 304-305 Miller Building.. Office phone, 4286; residence phone, 2266.

The Fulton Market at the corner of Chestnut and South First street carries a full line of everything in fish, oysters and clams.

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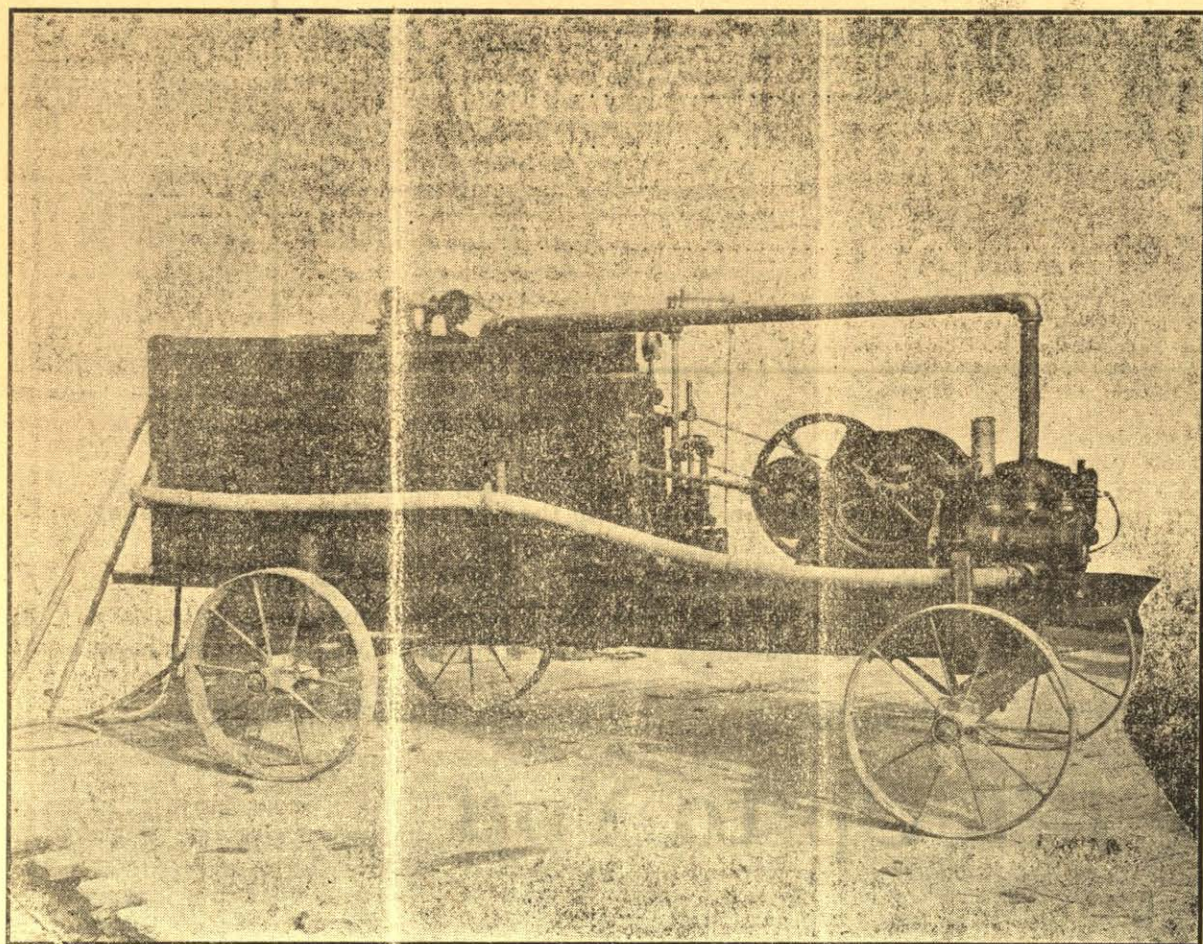
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Notice of Order Appointing Time for Hearing Final Account and Petition for Distribution.

In the Superior Court of the State of Washington, in and for Yakima county, In Probate.

In the matter of the estate of Levi Smith, deceased.

Hannah Smith executrix of the estate of Levi Smith, deceased, having filed her final account in said estate and therewith per petition asking for distribution of said estate to the parties entitled thereto.

It is ordered that Monday, the 31st day of February, 1908, at 10 o'clock a. m. of said day, in the court room in North Yakima, Yakima county, Washington, be and the same is, hereby appointed as the time and place for the hearing and settlement of said account and petition for distribution.

And the clerk of said court and said executrix are herewith directed to give notice of such hearing by causing notices to be posted in at least three (3) public places in Yakima county, Washington, and by causing said notices to be published for four (4) consecutive weeks in the Yakima Democrat, a newspaper printed and published in North Yakima, Yakima county, Washington, and of general circulation in said county of Yakima.

Dated the 3rd day of January, 1908.

E. B. PREBLE, Judge.

Notice is hereby given pursuant to the above entitled order of said court that the final account of Hannah Smith, executrix of the estate of Levi Smith, deceased, has been rendered and filed in the above entitled court and settlement and her petition for final distribution of said estate has been filed with said account and Monday, the 3rd day of February, 1908, at 10 o'clock a. m. in the court room of said court in North Yakima, Yakima county, Washington, has been duly appointed by the above court as the time and place for the settlement of the said account for hearing of said petition, at which time any person interested in said estate may appear and file objections and exceptions in writing to said account and petition, and contest the same.

In witness whereof each of the undersigned does hereby set his hand and seal this 3rd day of January, 1908.

R. K. NICHOLS,
Clerk of Superior Court.
HANNAH SMITH,
Executrix.

(Seal.)

Notice of Sheriff's Sale.

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

State of Washington, County of Yakima—ss.

C. F. Bishop and Estella May Bishop, his wife, plaintiffs, vs. Henry E. Irving, defendant.

Under and by virtue of a special execution, decree of foreclosure and order of sale, issued out of the above entitled court in the above entitled action on the 20th day of January, 1908, upon a judgment recovered in said court on the 7th day of November, 1908, in favor of C. F. Bishop and Estella May Bishop, his wife, plaintiffs herein, for the sum of Fifteen Hundred dollars (\$1500) with interest thereon at the rate of 6 per cent. per annum from the 3rd day of May, 1907, until paid, and costs of suit taxed at Thirty Six and 90-100 dollars (\$36.90), said judgment is a foreclosure of lien for purchase price, whereby I am commanded to sell certain real estate situate in Yakima County, State of Washington, which real estate is more particularly described as follows, to-wit:

Lots two (2) and three (3), and the southeast quarter of the northwest quarter of section two (2), township fifteen (15), north range seventeen (17) E. W. M., containing 118.84 acres more or less.

Notice is hereby given that on Saturday, the 29th day of February, 1908, at the hour of 2 o'clock in the afternoon of said day, at the front door of the court house, in the city of North Yakima, Yakima county, state of Washington, I will, in obedience to the command in said execution, decree of foreclosure and order of sale contained, sell, at public auction the above described property, or so much thereof as may be necessary to satisfy said judgment, interest, costs and increased costs, to the highest and best bidder for cash in hand lawful money of the United States of America.

Dated this 20th day of January, 1908.

J. M. EDWARDS,

Sheriff of Yakima County, State of Washington.

By W. A. COX, Deputy.

Fred Parker, Attorney for Plaintiff, North Yakima, Washington.

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In the Superior Court of the State of Washington, in and For Yakima County, In Probate.

In the matter of the Estate of John C. Reed, Deceased.

Notice of Order Appointing Time for Hearing Final Account and Petition for Distribution.

Mary J. Reed, administratrix of the estate of John C. Reed, deceased having filed her final account in said estate and therewith her petition asking for distribution of said estate to the parties entitled thereto.

It is ordered that Monday, the 24th day of February, 1908, at 10 o'clock a. m. of said day, in the court room in North Yakima, Yakima county, Washington, be, and the same is hereby appointed as the time and place for the hearing and settlement of said account and petition for distribution.

And the clerk of the court and said administratrix are herewith directed to give notice of such hearing by causing notices to be posted in at least three (3) public places in Yakima county, Washington, and by causing said notices to be published for four (4) consecutive weeks in the Yakima Democrat, a newspaper printed and published in North Yakima, Yakima County, Washington, and of general circulation in said county of Yakima.

Dated, the 18th day of January, 1908.

RALPH KAUFFMAN, Judge.

Notice is hereby given pursuant to the above entitled order of said court, that the final account of Mary J. Reed, administratrix of the estate of John C. Reed, deceased, has been rendered and filed in the above entitled court and settlement and her petition for final distribution of said estate has been filed with said account; and Monday, the 4th day of February, 1908, at 10 o'clock a. m. in the court room of said court in North Yakima, Yakima county, Washington, has been duly appointed by the above named court as the time and place for the settlement of the said account for hearing of said petition, at which time any person interested in said estate may appear and file objections and exceptions in writing to said account and petition, and contest the same.

In witness whereof each of the undersigned does hereby set his hand and seal this 18th day of January, 1908.

R. K. NICHOLS,

Clerk of the Superior Court.

MARY J. REED,

Administratrix of the Estate of John C. Reed, Deceased.

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SCHOOL STATISTICS

Tardiness still characterizes the daily attendance of the pupils of the high school of North Yakima according to the monthly report of City Superintendent D. C. Reed for the month ending January 17. Out of a total of tardiness for the month of 259, made up from an enrollment of over 2000 pupils, the high school gets 130. This was all credited to the pupils. Teachers tardy were a total of two, both of the Central school. Two rooms of the Central, four of the Barge, two of the Fairview, two of the Summit View, one of the Modern Addition and one of Capitol Hill, making 12 rooms in all, show a clean record, not a tardy mark having been scored against them for the school month.

Truancy appears to have been somewhat on the increase, there being 17 cases reported, making a gain of 11 in this respect. The truancy cases are being pretty closely watched but it is a difficult feature of school work to handle.

Enrollment Statistics.

Enrollment at the schools, according to the report of Mr. Reed, is 1054 boys and 1016 girls. On the west side there are 426 boys and 380 girls; on the east side 525 boys and 470 girls; in the high school 103 boys and 166 girls. This makes a total monthly enrollment of 2070, which is a gain of 144. The total yearly enrollment was 2417, a gain of 166. The average daily attendance was 1957, a gain of 256.

The number of pupils neither absent nor tardy was 1202, a gain of 188. In the visiting department the report shows visits of parents 47, of superintendent, 53; of directors, 10; a total of 110. Visits to parents numbered 18. There was one case of corporal punishment and five cases of suspension.

Other statistics are: Rhetorical exercises, 274; science lessons, 60; tuition of pupils, 45, and special promotions 3.

HUGHES IS PARDONED

The pardon for Edward J. Hughes, the young man convicted of attempting to steal a buggy and team, has been granted by the governor in accordance with the recommendation of the judge and jury and Hughes will be released from the county jail on receipt of proper notification. Hughes is one of several of the prisoners convicted during November and December and whom the jury for one reason or another recommended should be pardoned rather than sent to the penitentiary. All of them already had been in prison for several months. In the case of Hughes, the judge in promising to support the recommendation of the jury, stated that he was not satisfied with the sufficiency of the testimony. The recommendations in the case of Berry and others were not subscribed to by the judge.

Prior to the statute of last session creating the board of control and the indeterminate sentence the judge could exercise more discretion and the new procedure of granting a pardon through the board of control is substituted for the former practice in such cases of releasing a convict on suspended sentence.

CITY CLERK BROOKER SUBMITS HIS REPORT

Annual Statement Shows Total Bonded Indebtedness of North Yakima to be \$138,000.

City Clerk Brooker submitted to the council Monday eve the following statement of business transacted during the year 1907 in which the municipal finances were involved in both the debit and credit columns:

Warrants have been issued on the current expense fund as follows:

January	\$ 3,885.31
February	4,051.89
March	5,509.23
April	6,245.56
May	6,955.01
June	7,455.05
July	7,397.90
August	6,564.71
September	7,564.40
October	9,710.36
November	7,860.78
December	4,796.56

Total \$78,102.66

This amount has been issued to pay the following expenses:

Streets, ditches and parks	\$26,137.42
Police	9,594.18
Light and water, including hydrants installed	8,827.76
Fire Department	10,570.89
Advertising and printing	1,550.14
Main trunk sewers	1,019.28
Scavenger, three months	972.46
Sanitary department	6,392.75
City attorney	1,571.90
Stenographer	600.00
City treasurer	618.00
City Clerk	1,028.45
Engineering	3,841.54
Miscellaneous	4,777.89

Total \$78,102.66

Cemetery expenses \$6,652.42

In which amount is included final payment with interest of \$3,550.00.

Receipts from street and ditch department:

Sale of dirt, etc. \$ 349.00

Police department:

Fines, sale of impounded stock, etc. \$10,262.05

Fire department:

Sale of team \$ 475.00

Scavenger, collections 125.00

Sanitary dept collections 332.75

Cemetery—Sale of lots, etc. 1,733.50

Received from licenses, etc.:

Saloons \$23,000.00

Theatre 200.00

Miscellaneous 769.50

Dog 418.00

Dogs redeemed from pound 23.00

Saloon transfers 100.00

Poll tax 1,896.00

Total \$26,406.50

Current expense warrants:

Outstanding Jan. 1, 1907 \$ 37,674.43

Issued during 1907 78,102.66

\$115,777.09

Warrants redeemed 63,714.23

Current expense warrants outstanding Jan. 1, 1908 \$ 52,062.86

The city's bonded indebtedness is as follows:

6 % sewer bonds due Nov. 2, 1911 \$ 60,000.00

6 % funding bonds due Dec. 1, 1915 30,000.00

4 % main trunk sewer bonds due March 1, 1926 48,000.00

Total bonded indebtedness \$138,000.00

Total indebtedness \$190,062.86

Less cash on hand 1,274.22

Total net indebtedness \$188,788.64

The expenses of the street and ditch department include the grading of street intersections and sidewalk extensions, payable out of the current expense fund, as well as such items as the dike on the river bottom, \$985.75; the purchase of part of lot 1, block 329, \$500; and the construction of the conduit for the Schanno ditch on West Yakima avenue, of \$840.76.

There has been nearly 1 1/2 miles of street grading completed at a cost of \$10,039.33

More than 2 miles of cement sidewalks at a cost of \$3,157.94

And over four miles of wooden sidewalks at 10,859.07

A total cost for grading and sidewalks of \$54,056.34

ORCHARDS WON'T SUFFER SAYS HUNTLEY

F. A. Huntley, state horticultural commissioner, who is in the city for a few days, believes that the recent flurry over the defect in the state law which obstructed the channel through which pay of deputy and special state and district inspectors was sent regularly will result in no serious degree of harm to any of the fruit counties of the state. Generally the counties have provided a means of overcoming the embarrassment and continuing the work of the county inspectors, thus affording the orchards the protection intended by the law, originally.

The inspectors so continued in the service are only county inspectors, of course, special authority conferred by the state in the appointment of deputy or special inspectors having thus been cut off.

Orchards are in fairly good condition and the work of caring for them during

Wanted—To rent a ranch for general farming purposes. One that grows hay, potatoes or any old thing. 40, 60 or 80 acres preferred. Inquire at Democrat office.

RANKIN CHOSEN GENERAL MANAGER

Yakima Valley Transportation Company Adopts Policy of Progressive Nature.

George S. Rankin was chosen general manager of the Yakima Valley Transportation company at a meeting held in the company's offices Wednesday afternoon. The position was literally thrust upon Mr. Rankin and he was wholly unable to extricate himself from the honor and responsibility that the office carries. Murray B. Miles was elected to succeed himself as secretary. Mr. Miles prefers not to be burdened with the duties of the secretaryship now, because these duties are becoming laborious and require much valuable time, owing to the progressive scope assumed by the company recently, but he has yielded to the wishes of those who have the best interests of the company at heart.

Data is needed at once with regard to the probable passenger business, the probable freight and the general conditions of the many sections to which the present line must be extended. The districts most likely to give passenger and freight business in paying quantities will need to be studied out and other information procured with reference to right-of-way, etc.

No action was taken by the association with regard to the offer of the promoters of the Yakima-Granger line, through Zillah, Yakima City and other points of the valley. An arrangement has been made whereby the Granger meeting of a few days ago will present its views to the North Yakima association at a meeting to be held here Saturday at 1 o'clock. At that time the whole situation will be considered, both with reference to what the lower valley people have to offer and what they want and also with reference to what the local people believe they will be able to undertake.

TELEPHONES FOR FOREST RESERVES

The federal government has instituted an innovation in this state, carrying out a general plan which has been adopted in installing telephone service throughout the forest reserves in the country.

Lewis McClellan is in Spokane and reports that he has just completed the installing of 45 miles of telephone line in the Colville forest reserve radiating in all directions from Republic.

The purpose of the service is to give better protection for the forests and also to accommodate the settlers living on the reserves who have free use of the system. The only charge made is for the switching at points where connection is made with private systems. At Republic the service connects with the Bell system and a nominal switching fee is charged.

"It is the purpose of the government to install this telephone service in all of the forest reserves," said Mr. McClellan, "and as soon as winter breaks much more line will be put up on the Colville forest reserve. The present lines have cost about \$4000 and were installed this fall. The work has been under the direction of W. W. Cryder, the supervisor of the Colville reserve. We have connection with Republic, Waucondam, Anglin and Anas Valley, and next summer will connect with Chesaw and Orient.

"I have learned that about 50 miles of telephone service is being put in on the Lake Chelan reserve and that the plan is to have the telephones scattered generously through the reserves of the country. Besides erecting the telephone lines we have been busy on the Colville reserve building roads and trails through the district and have accomplished a great deal along this line."

Jerry Wheeler, the enterprising grocer at Rowe's Hill, Naches valley, is negotiating for a business at Naches City, where he desires to establish himself in business. Should the deal to buy or lease in that town fail he will build a store there at an early date and move his business into it. Mr. Wheeler has been delivering by wagon for a long time in the valley, but the growth of his trade necessitates enlargement of his place of business.

Notice of Dissolution of Partnership.

Public Notice is hereby given that the partnership heretofore existing under the name of the Eastern Furniture Company, composed of E. B. Jones and B. F. Outright, has this day dissolved, the said E. B. Outright retiring.

All obligations of said copartnership now existing to be paid by the said E. B. Jones and all debts due said copartnership to be paid to the said E. B. Jones.

Dated this 22nd day of January, 1908.

E. B. JONES

B. F. OUTRIGHT

WANTED—Hogs and pigs for pork and sausage. Bring 'em in to the Fulton market, corner of Chestnut and South First.

1300 FEET AND NO WATER IN SIGHT

The well being bored for a flow of artesian water on the west side, in this city, by Rose Land company, is now down over 1300 feet and work is progressing reasonably well. The company is confident that the flow will be found in a short distance below their present depth. It has taken great care to preserve the size of the bore with which it began and, although very hard basalt strata have been encountered two or three times the size of the drill has never been reduced since the start. This is cause for congratulation, for the wall of the bore is excellent and seldom needs artificial support.

The strata through which the drill has passed since the start have been those encountered throughout the artesian districts in the Yakima country, wherever artesian water has been struck.

Caused by Same Flow.

The material of the different strata through which the drill has passed in this well is the same as that found in all the artesian wells. They were buried a little deeper to start with and in some instances are somewhat thicker, but the system of rotation is exactly similar to that of others. They were all produced by the same flow in ages past and, so far as experiment has disclosed the situation, they all cross the entire valley. It appears, therefore, to be only a question of depth before the flow shall be found.

Purer water, it is said, cannot be

found than that which has been obtained in this district in the artesian flow. Analysis has shown that. Hence, the feeling of general interest in the success of the Rose well, as noted in the community, is not surprising.

PLANT AT CANNERY UNDERGOING REPAIRS

J. B. Moran, manager of the North Yakima plant of the Weber-Bussell cannery company, is in North Yakima from Seattle with an expert canneryman, and is himself an expert in that department. Together they are making a thorough renovation of the machinery of the cannery here. Mr. Moran says that he hopes to carry out a great many improvements before another operating season begins. After canning operations begin at the first of the crop season there is no let up for the machinery until the end of the year. It must of necessity be crowded to its capacity at times and there is offered no opportunity to overhaul it unless in the case of a break which stops manufacture. While the machinery of the plant here worked well enough this past season there were found some imperfections, or shortcomings, which are now being remedied. This is particularly true in the case of the cooker. That portion of the apparatus, which is an immense, cumbersome affair, is being taken to pieces and practically reconstructed along lines thought out by Mr. Moran and his assistant.

Wanted

Chickens, ducks, geese, turkeys, fat calves, jack rabbits at the Fulton Market, corner Chestnut and South First streets.

W. J. Roaf wishes to announce to his old friends and patrons that he has resumed the management of the Pioneer Drug Store where he would be pleased to see them at any time.

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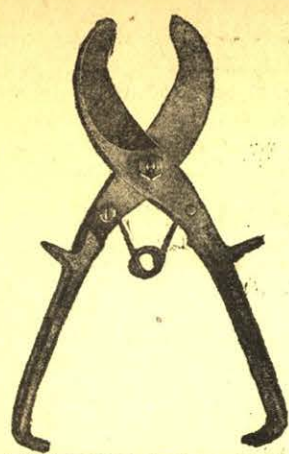
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CITY AND COUNTY NEWS

Brief Record of Local Happenings
for the Week in North Yakima
and Vicinity.

N. P. Hull has returned from a visit of a month in Illinois.

County Clerk Nichols, who has been seriously ill at his home for some time, is reported at this writing to be improving.

Miss Anna Koontz, principal of the Columbia school, sprained her ankle this week and is forced to get around on crutches.

While L. R. Freeman of the Farm & Home is holding down his homestead Hopwood Gilson of Tacoma, a newspaper man, is running the plant.

Lester Coffin of Coffin Bros. firm spent several days in the city this week on business with his brothers. He returned the latter part of the week to Lewiston, Ida.

It is understood on pretty good authority that John N. Mull, former marshal of this city, will be appointed deputy United States marshal, succeeding A. N. Short, who resigned to accept the position of chief of police of this city.

J. L. Slade arrived this week from Eagle Grove, Ia., and expects to spend some time here. Mr. Slade visited this city last fall and at that time purchased a couple of tracts of land. He will probably locate permanently in the valley.

W. B. Dudley and N. F. Turner returned this week from Seattle, where they attended the Y. M. C. A. convention. Both report that the convention was attended by 250 enthusiastic Y. M. C. A. workers from all parts of the state.

Pat Lynch and J. D. Nichols have formed a partnership and with offices in the Miller building are in the market to buy and sell real estate. Both men are well known in the vicinity and will no doubt be successful in their new enterprise.

Prof. F. H. Plumb, formerly county superintendent, and later a member of the high school faculty of this city, was over this week from Georgetown, where he still has charge of the public schools. Mr. Plumb is well liked by the patrons of the Georgetown schools.

S. J. Cameron has received word from Col. Howlett, who is in Alaska, that his condition after a recent operation for an abscess in the head is very good. The colonel's friends here will be pleased to learn that he is on the rapid road to recovery after a serious illness.

L. L. Thorp returned from a trip to Seattle the first of the week. Thorp says North Yakima is not the only place on the map with muddy streets and street crossings. He was particularly impressed with the unattractive and disgraceful condition of some of the streets of the Queen City of the Sound.

Jack Cahalan of the well known firm of Cahalan & Co. will leave on February 7 for a three weeks trip to points in California. Mr. Callahan is going on the excursion proposed by the Spokane Chamber of Commerce. He will represent the Yakima valley. "I can easily represent North Yakima and the entire valley alone," said Mr. Callahan to a Democrat reporter, "but if any one besides myself would like to make the trip, I won't mind sharing the honors with him."

Fruitvale.

William Shea is having pipe laid for city water into his house.

Archie Harmon and wife have moved into John Cornett's house across from the Gibson ranch.

F. H. Russell came up from his Parker Bottom work to spend Sunday with his family.

Our primary teacher, Miss Frances Christence, is on the sick list.

Bert Orr, who has been at home a few days, left Monday for Spokane.

Last week several of our taxpayers hauled old hay and berry prunings to fill up large water ponds in the Power House road, which, being on the side hill, could have been drained by the county by ditch draining in a few hours.

Mrs. F. G. Orr and daughter Helen, left Monday for Prince Albert, Canada, to spend the winter with her mother, whom she has not seen for several years.

Henry Radburn is under the doctor's care again.

The Sunday school gave Mrs. F. G. Orr a farewell party social at the school house last Friday evening before her leaving on a winter's visit to Canada.

Charles Wixen, from Tacoma, stopped over Monday with Robert Johnson and family, of Rockland fruit farm.

Mrs. Cubberly is on the sick list.

New Real Estate Firm.

Highland Real Estate company is the name of a new organization whose members are J. B. (Jack) Maher and Geo. A. Kohls. The firm will make its office one of the best equipped institutions of the kind in the country. It will be unique in some of its features.

A cold-storage plant will be installed in the rear of the office in which will be kept samples in abundance of the choicest productions of fruits and vegetables of the Yakima country. This

SILAS GILSON TO HAVE PROTECTION

Cascade Lumber Co. Puts Up \$10,000
Bond to Satisfy Selah Rancher—
Superior Court Notes.

The suit of Silas A. Gilson vs. the Cascade Lumber company for an injunction and damages has been settled by the court. The suit arose through the alleged defective character of the dam operated by the company and which is said to have resulted in the overflowing of land belonging to the plaintiff. Mr. Gilson asked for an injunction restraining the company from making certain alterations in the dam and which he alleged would result in further damage to him. The court has ordered that the temporary injunction issued pending the hearing of the cause shall be dissolved upon the company executing an approved bond for \$10,000 to ensure payment to Gilson of the amount of any damages that may accrue by reason of any acts of the company in the premises.

Location Uncertain.

Judgment for the defendant in the suit of H. L. Bergeron and wife vs. O. B. Stevenson has been handed down by Judge Preble, who finds that it is not proved that the defendant dug postholes on the land belonging to the plaintiffs. The suit was for \$250 damages and an injunction, it being alleged that the defendant in November last entered upon the plaintiffs property and dug postholes, in pursuance of an intention to put up a fence on a disputed line. The plaintiffs were unable to show in evidence that the postholes were dug within the limits of their holding. A suit to determine upon the disputed boundary probably will result.

Contract Suit.

Judgment for the defendant for \$50 has been given by the court in the case of James Skirving vs. T. S. Phillips, a suit arising from an agreement by the plaintiff to purchase 2000 or more sacks of oats on the cars at Sata station at the price of \$25 per ton. Earnest money to the amount of \$500 was paid on the execution of the contract. When the date of delivery arrived defendant tendered plaintiff 2350 sacks or 110.45 tons of oats and plaintiff refused to take them. As a result the defendant had to sell at a lower rate, namely \$20.

Transcript of judgment in the justice court for \$87.50 against the defendants in the suit of the Yakima Hardware company vs. John Shaw and wife has been filed in the superior court.

A writ of garnishment has been issued by the superior court against Mose Regamboul and Morris Poirier, who are alleged to be indebted to the firm of Murphy & Fortier in order to settle a claim of Elzard Rabie against the latter firm for \$977.36 for hay sold and delivered.

Probate Matters.

The petition of Mary J. Reed, administratrix of the estate of John C. Reed, for the distribution of the estate will be heard on Monday next.

In the suit of William Lee, Jr., against Paul Pugsley, a minor, and others the court has appointed F. A. Hatfield as guardian ad litem to watch the interests of Pugsley.

CHANGES MADE IN RURAL DELIVERY

Three Important Districts Affected
By Route Revision—Boxes Must
Be Provided by Feb. 1st.

Major W. L. Lemon, postmaster for the city, has received instructions from the post office department at Washington concerning the revision of rural free delivery routes, the revised service becoming effective on February 1. The following districts are affected:

People west of the Ahtanum academy, now served by carrier at the postoffice and by a star route up to the forks of the road known as Tampico or Roberts' store, will be served by carrier of R. F. D. No. 5. The star route and the postoffice service will be discontinued on February 1.

Must Provide a Box.

Inasmuch as the rules of the department prohibit serving mail to patrons of rural routes unless each has erected an approved box by the side of the road so the carrier may place the mail in it without leaving his vehicle, persons desiring rural free delivery of mail must provide such boxes by February 1.

Persons in the Selah and Naches valleys have heretofore been served with mail by rural free delivery from the North Yakima postoffice are notified that this service will be discontinued February 1. Those living north of the Naches river should arrange with the postmaster at Selah for the delivery of their mail by rural route, as an additional route will be established for the people who have been receiving their mail on route No. 3.

Modern Addition Service.

Under the re-arrangement, the people of Modern addition are provided with direct service to almost every residence.

People north of the city and south of the Naches river will receive their mail on route No. 3, as that carrier has been directed to cover that territory.

Persons who desire rural free delivery service are requested to notify their correspondents of the number of their route, in order that their mail may be delivered without unnecessary delay.

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