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ONE hundred and thirty-five years, one month and fifteen days ago today the British parliament passed an act for the taxation of the American colonies, the money thus raised to be expended in and upon the colonies themselves. The whole world knows what followed. It glows upon the brightest page of human history. It thrills from every fold of the freest flag that floats. At the bidding of William McKinley a congress of the republic Wednesday drew across the shield of representative government the black bay sinister of tyranny and spat upon the graves of those who died on the battlefields of liberty from Lexington to Yorktown. Shall we wipe out that stain? Shall we reconsecrate those graves? The platform that should be adopted at Kansas City was made at Washington yesterday. There is no room in that platform for minor issues, for past issues, for issues that cannot be affected by this campaign. There is room for just the one great issue—the republic. The republic has been assailed. Its principles have been abrogated. Its institutions have been undermined. And in this Porto Rican bill privilege, militarism and imperialism throw down the gauntlet. There is no longer any possibility of deception or delusion. Rarely has heavier responsibility been placed upon political leadership than that now resting upon the leaders of the democratic party. The platform they adopt will be the test.—N. Y. World.

THE Hon. Geo. Taylor, whose violent death shocked this community during the present week, was one of nature's noblemen. It is hard to imagine a greater tribute than was paid to the deceased on the day of his funeral, when it was frequently said of him by mourning friends, "that he did not have an enemy in the world." Of not many men after living an active life for nearly three score years and ten can this be truly said. Mr. Taylor was a resident of this county for thirty-four years, coming here at a time when the Indians were not only numerous but troublesome, and had to be reckoned with by the sturdy pioneers, who were determined to redeem this fair land from its savage possessors. A newer generation owes much to the class of men of whom "Uncle" George Taylor was a type, a debt that they never can repay. It was the many noble traits of character, however, that was possessed by Mr. Taylor, and the fact that he practiced what he believed that made him so many friends. It was his habit to do good and do it in an unostentatious manner, without the hope of applause. Beneath a rugged exterior

beat a heart that throbbed and bled for his suffering fellows. In politics, where men's natures are often severely tried, Mr. Taylor always exhibited the same unselfishness that characterized him in other walks of life. Any public honors bestowed upon him in this community were unsought by him and were accepted only from a sense of duty and that duty in every case was honestly performed. An ardent believer in the teachings of the great Jefferson, which he consistently upheld and followed, he yet never made an enemy among those who opposed him. Is it any wonder then that the tragic death of such a man comes as a personal bereavement to all who knew him?

THE following article for use as an enrollment for Bryan clubs, was approved by Col. Bryan while on his visit to Seattle: "We, the undersigned citizens of the United States, believing in and having every sentiment expressed in the constitution of our country, and having an abiding faith in and love for our republic and its maintenance, deploring the tendency toward militarism and imperialism as manifested by the leaders of the republican party of today, hereby solemnly pledge ourselves to the principles enunciated by Thomas Jefferson and advocated by William Jennings Bryan for the betterment of mankind and bond ourselves together for the purpose of maintaining inviolate the Declaration of Independence, the financial independence of the nation and the industrial independence of the citizen."—Seattle Review.

THE democratic state central committee met in Spokane last Monday and decided that the state convention of the party to elect delegates to the national convention at Kansas City, be held in the city of Spokane on May 19th. The resignation of "Deep Creek" Jones as chairman was accepted and the vacancy filled by the election of Secretary Maloney. C. H. Goddard, editor of the Dayton Courier-Press, was elected to fill the void left by the promotion of Secretary Maloney. The proceedings of the meeting were marked by the utmost harmony.

THE Sound papers are all agog over the announcement that comes from Olympia that Judge Gordon of the supreme bench has resigned and that his excellency Gov. Rogers has given it out that he intends to appoint Hon. W. H. White of Seattle in his stead. It is to be hoped that the report is without foundation. Gov. Rogers may feel that he is personally under some obligations to the "warhorse" but the masses of the reform forces in this state do not feel that way as they are not blessed with such short memories as to have already forgotten the jibes and insults hurled at them so recklessly but a few months ago by the windy sage of king county, and

there is no evidence that he has since recanted. It cannot be that the governor seriously intends issuing such a commission. To do so would only be to anger or dishearten many of those on whom he, himself must rely for support. We think that his excellency's good sense can safely be relied upon in the emergency.

W. J. BRYAN has been making a trip through the northwest this week and although a few democrats have been advertising his coming for a long time, yet he has aroused no enthusiasm of significance. The people have little need of a shallow office seeker of the Bryan type.—Union, Or., Republican. This is a fair sample of the vituperation and lying that has been indulged in by the average country editor of the McHanna stripe, apropos of Mr. Bryan's late visit to this coast; although we are glad to note that there are some exceptions to the rule among the more respectable element of that class. The man who wrote the above screed in his obscure retreat, evidently belongs to that type of editors who feel and know that their precarious living depends upon their willingness to cater to the prejudices of a benighted constituency. He thus prostitutes and degrades his high calling. It is not only better, but it pays better, to be honest.

THE tobacco trust fears the competition of little Porto Rico. Before long will come the Philippines, and there tobacco is both grown and manufactured into cigars. If the Philippines shall be admitted as part of the integral territory of the United States, every cigar factory in this country might as well shut up shop, while its proprietor can send what is left of his capital over to Manila, there to start a new plant, manned by cigar makers with wages of six cents a day.

IF Admiral Dewey comes off his high horse, endorses the Chicago platform and squarely denounces imperialism, he may stand some show of securing the vice presidential nomination.

THE populist delegation to the Sioux Falls convention is a good one and is representative of the party in this state. They will vote unanimously for the renomination of Mr. Bryan.

THE Seattle Mail and the Seattle Herald have combined under the name of the Mail and Herald. The first issue of the consolidated paper is a very creditable number.

TOM Reed says that McKinley is the emperor of expediency. Could anything be more apt?

LOCAL AND PERSONAL

Dr. Giddings returned last week from a two weeks' visit on Lake Chelan. He feels much improved in health.

Auditor Kelso on Tuesday issued a wedding permit to Donald McAlpin and Mrs. Lavina Bauer, both of Kiona.

T. A. Davis, the marble man has just received a car load of the famous Tenino stone which he proposes to use as monument bases.

Gordon and Harrington, the two hoboes who were arrested on suspicion of having burglarized Stewart's store were discharged from custody on Wednesday on account of a lack of evidence.

M. L. Tittle of Bethany, Ill., is in the city with his family and may conclude to remain here. Mr. Tittle is an old friend of Attorney Guthrie. His son is secretary of the Moxee company.

The rural delivery system over the Selah route was begun on Monday. According to the new regulations the rural carriers are now authorized to sell stamps and money orders and receive registered mail.

Charlie Navarre, while riding a wheel at break neck speed on the avenue Sunday, came into collision with an immovable object, with the result that Dr. Frank's services were needed to set a dislocated arm.

Garrett Bros. have concluded to add to their brick making plant a new automatic brick press with a capacity of 20,000 brick a day. Later in the season they will also put in a repress machine for the manufacture of pressed brick.

The contract for building the new Presbyterian church in the Upper Natches has been let to W. T. Stewart. The new edifice will be a handsome frame structure and will cost when finished about \$1600. The site which consists of two acres was donated by the Selah Valley Irrigation company.

Geo. Hunter, one of Rand's butchers, who recently met with a painful accident while working in the slaughter house, will have occasion to remember his last birthday which occurred on Monday from the fact that his brother Woodmen made him a very useful presence in the shape of a handsome suit of clothes.

Miss Ross assisted by local musical talent will give an entertainment at Mason's opera house on next Friday evening, April 27. The program will consist of readings by Miss Ross interspersed with vocal and instrumental selections and tableau. The proceeds of the affair will go to swell the building fund of the M. E. church.

Lombard & Horsley have placed an order in the east for a new hearse which they estimate will cost about \$1200. They also contemplate other improvements to their undertaking line which will include the erection of a new building during the coming season, to be used solely as a morgue. The new building will be of metropolitan design and will include a chapel where funeral services can be held when desirable.

W. L. Steinweg is agitating the matter of a better system of irrigation for Tahoma cemetery. He has applied to the city council for a franchise granting to a company to be made up of lot owners, the right to water the burial ground.

Mr. Steinweg says that the present system of running water through ditches should not be tolerated longer, as that practice keeps the graves filled with water during the season. His idea is that the water should be pumped into a large tank and then distributed over the grounds by means of hose.

P. J. Flint after making an extended examination of his big Parker orchard this week, states that he believes that he will have a fair crop of early peaches, but only a very light crop of the later varieties. His French prunes he thinks will make a two-third crop while the Italian will not be over ten per cent of a crop. The Hungarians fared better and will make a full crop. The apples also, he thinks will be a very fair crop.

Arthur, better known as Bogus Henderson, while out on the horse round up in the vicinity of Zillah on Monday evening, either rode or was thrown by his horse into a barb wire fence and sustained a very severe as well as painful injury. He was brought to the hospital on the following day and turned over to Dr. Frank for treatment. His left limb especially is reported to be terribly mangled from contact with the cruel barbs.

The local correspondent of the Seattle P.-I., telegraphed his paper this week that the Moxee ditch had broken its banks and considerably damaged the Hubbard ditch which lies immediately below the Moxee ditch. Considering that the two ditches mentioned are about five miles apart on opposite sides of this valley, this can be regarded as a most remarkable occurrence.

The officers of Company C N. G. W. have concluded to drill the company on Monday and Thursday evenings between now and July 4. The boys expect to go to Tacoma on that date and take part in the competitive drill after which they will go into camp at some place on the Sound to enjoy an outing for a week or ten days.

Beulah M. Burgen through her attorneys, Jones & Guthrie, commenced an action for divorce in the superior court on Thursday. Non-support is mentioned in the complaint as the cause of action.

The team of B. H. Winter of Yakima City got scared and ran away on Thursday with the result that Mr. Winter was thrown out of the wagon and had an arm broken.

Z. T. Parker aged 53, a resident of the Cowiche valley, died of consumption on Thursday. The funeral will be held from the late residence of the deceased today.

J. G. Boyle expects to start out on a tour about May 1, to do some special newspaper work, and incidentally to size up the political situation in the state.

E. Denton, of the Natches and son Will, left on Monday overland for their future home near Medford, Or. Miss Denton left the same morning by train.

Dr. Hare and Dell Hiscock visited Elensburg on Thursday.

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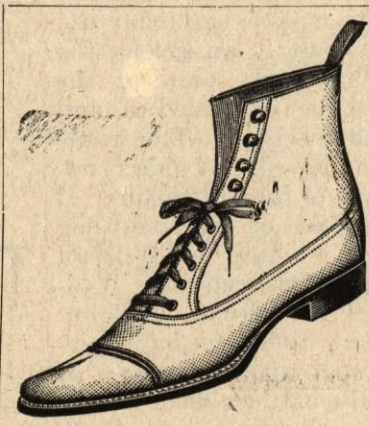
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A Fiendish Deed.

Sheriff Tucker returned on Monday from Prosser, where he went in search of Charles Barnett, the man for whom a warrant was sworn out on Saturday by little Bertha Burns, the adopted daughter of Mrs. M. J. Unger, who resides on the south fork of the Ahtanum, a short distance above Tampico. Barnett was found in Prosser by the officer, and was brought back to this city and lodged in the county bastile.

At his examination, which was held in the sheriff's office on Tuesday afternoon, the little girl told the court the story of her wrongs in a straightforward manner. She stated that on the day of December last, as she was returning home alone from school, she met Barnett, who was on horseback. The man dismounted and approached her with an improper proposal, which she indignantly rejected. Barnett, she says then laid violent hands upon her, threw her down by the roadside, and accomplished his purpose. The girl further stated that she said nothing about the dastardly deed until sometime subsequently when she discovered that she was in a delicate condition. She then told her troubles to her foster mother, who determined to invoke the law on the guilty wretch who had dishonored the child, with the result that a warrant charging Barnett with the crime of rape was sworn out.

The accused had little to say concerning the testimony given by the little girl. He contented himself by entering a general denial to the truth of the allegations, and when asked by the justice if he had anything to say, replied that he 'had no way of proving that the girl's story was not true, and that he supposed he would have to take his medicine.' He was bound over by Justice Taggard

to appear for trial at the June term of the superior court.

Barnett is a large and rather coarse looking individual, apparently about 35 years of age. He had been in the employ of Conrad Bros., near the scene of his alleged crime for several months.

Bertha Burns, the prosecuting witness in the case, is a mere child in appearance, and is ignorant and unsophisticated in the ways of the world. She is small for her age, and does not look as though she was to exceed 12 years old.

Knew What He Was Talking About.

A good deal of comment was caused locally by the appearance of a lengthy communication from this city in the Seattle Times of last Tuesday in which the unknown writer rather vigorously scored the board of county commissioners for having compromised with the Northern Pacific railway company over the payment of its delinquent taxes. As the regular correspondent of that paper here denies the parentage of the article, a good deal of speculation has been indulged in as to who the author of the letter really is. County Attorney Rudkin has been accused of writing the letter, but that extremely modest young man denies the soft impeachment.

Who ever it is that wrote the lengthy epistle the fact remains that he or she exhibits therein remarkably accurate knowledge of the history of the case, which probably accounts naturally enough for the assumption that the brilliant young man who holds the office of public prosecutor, knew something about the origin of the letter.

Robbery at Zillah.

The Store of E. J. Jaeger, of Zillah, was entered by burglars on Tuesday night of this week and goods to the amount of \$100 or more besides some small silver that was in the till taken.

A boy named Bailiff was arrested for the crime and on Wednesday evening was given a hearing before the justice of the peace at Zillah, but was discharged there not being sufficient evidence to hold him on.

Bailiff, who is about 21 years of age, claims to have been "rolled" by two men on the railroad, and his money taken from him.

The goods taken from Jaeger's store consisted of dry goods, clothing, pocket knives, razors, etc.

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The Hop Growers Meet.

An attempt was made on Saturday, April 7, to hold a meeting of the Yakima Hop Growers' Protective association, but owing to the small attendance, the meeting was adjourned until Saturday, April 14th at which time about a dozen members were present. Discussion was had over the bylaws which had been adopted at a previous meeting. The pooling proposition seemed to be the sticking point.

Messrs. Wallace Wiley, Walter Griffith, Capt. Dunn, W. P. Sawyer, Anson White, A. B. Weed and other growers addressed the meeting, for and against the pooling clause. No definite conclusion was arrived at and the meeting adjourned without acting on the bylaws or giving notice when the next meeting of the association would be held.

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Mutton, prime	4c

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Chickens, per doz.	\$3 00@4 00
Turkeys, live	10 1/2c

GRAIN.

Wheat, Blue stem	.47
Wheat, club	.44
Oats, der ton	\$22 00
Barley, per ton	\$17 00
Corn, per bu	.56
Flour, Puritan, per sack	.80
Blue Bell, per sack	.75
Flour, 3x Baker, per sack	.65
Whole wheat flour	.80
Hay, Timothy, baled, per ton	\$14 30
Hay, Alfalfa, baled, per ton	\$8 00
Hay, Clover, baled, per ton	\$9 00

PRODUCE.

Butter, ranch, per roll	.40c
Butter, creamery, per roll	.60c
Cheese, native	.15c
Eggs, per doz	.12 1/2c
Wool, per lb	8@11c
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The City Council.

The mayor and all the councilmen excepting Keck were present at the meeting of the council on Monday evening.

A petition was presented by property owners asking that a sidewalk be constructed along the east side of block 24 on north Third street. The request of the petitioners was granted.

By request the liquor license of J. H. Timm was ordered transferred to the Puget Sound Brewing & Malting Co., as was also the license of A. N. Short ordered transferred to E. W. Dooly.

Building permits were granted to Dan Rosenfeld, H. H. Schott & Co. and H. H. Allen.

The Second street grade, which has been hanging fire in the council for the past month, was accepted, as was also the Third street grade.

The city attorney was empowered to commence suit against delinquents in various local improvement districts.

An ordinance was read the first time granting to W. L. Steinweg a franchise for the maintenance of waterworks in Tahoma cemetery.

The plumbing inspector elected at a previous meeting having failed to qualify, the office was declared vacant, and the council proceeded to elect Charles Gordon to fill that position.

Much discussion was had on the cemetery question. Mr. Sinclair, chairman of the cemetery committee, stated that it was necessary that the cemetery be enlarged, and in this connection he said there were a number of blocks now occupied that had not been paid for and thought that steps should be taken to collect the amounts due. The matter was laid over.

The request to lower a portion of the sidewalk on Third street between B and C streets was again laid over, as was also the bicycle path proposition.

Woman's Missionary Meeting.

Public attention is called to the united missionary meeting to be held April 27 at the Christian church at 2 o'clock. This meeting is designed to give each of the church organizations an opportunity to briefly outline the mission work done in their churches, both in the foreign and home field. Two five-minute papers from each church are to be read by the following ladies: Baptist, Mrs. J. L. Stackhouse, Mrs. Y. Z. Coleman; Congregational, Mrs. Reade, Mrs. J. P. Mattoon; Christian, Mrs. Crocket, Mrs. N. Campbell; Episcopal, Mrs. H. M. Bartlett, Mrs. Geo. Graham; Presbyterian, Mrs. J. W. Young, Mrs. W. T. Stewart; Methodist, Mrs. Helen A. Burrell.

The music will be in charge of Mrs. Slemmons. Appropriate missionary hymns and other special music will be rendered.

Card of Thanks.

We desire to express our heartfelt thanks to our many kind friends for their sympathy and assistance on the occasion of the funeral of our beloved husband and father, the late Geo. S. Taylor. We especially wish to thank the Masonic fraternity and the Choral society for their kindness.

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Mother's Club.

The next regular meeting of the Mothers' club will be held in the high school room at 3 p. m. Saturday, 21st inst. The theme "Moral Instruction in the Schools," will be under consideration. There will be two papers, first: Co-operation in moral instruction from the teacher's view point, by Miss Wright, second: Co-operation from the parent's view point, by Rev. Condit.

The officers and committees extend a most earnest and cordial invitation to all parents of the city to be present. It is an important topic that touches every house. Come and participate. Remember the hour.

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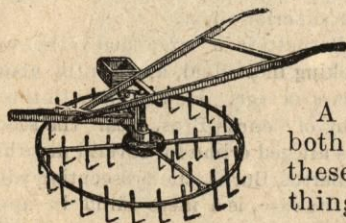
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Dewey Not the Man.

Admiral Dewey has offered himself for the democratic presidential nomination; but up to this writing (Wednesday) he has not declared upon what platform he will stand.

He thus displays the qualities of decision and caution which contributed so largely to his naval success; but he does not show that appreciation of the requirements of a political situation which the veriest tyro in political campaigning should possess, and which is usually essential to political success. The admiral has no doubt drawn reasonable and proper conclusions as to the profound disgust of the people with the weak and shiftless president who now aspires for a second term, while placidly waiting to fix his approval to the congressional denial of plain duty toward Puerto Rico; who bows to England over the Nicaragua canal, and leans to England as against the Boers; who is weak at all points, and the tool of stronger men.

The admiral has chosen an effective moment to step out against this feeble president, but he has not taken the step in an effective way, for he has failed to realize that he cannot now command that overmastering hero-worship which on his return from Manila would have given him, without condition, the nomination of either party, and upon almost any platform. Almost anyone could have told him that to become a candidate now would demand, first of all, a declaration of his political views and proposed policy.

As it is, there is a broad transcontinental smile over the simplicity and innocent audacity with which this gallant old sea-dog steps out and says that he has changed his mind—or, rather, that the madam has changed it for him—since last September, and that he will be a candidate for president on a platform that he will talk about when he gets ready.

Bless his simple soul, he doesn't know the first thing about the distressing and awkward business of politics, and if he should get to be president, it would be strange, indeed, if keen politicians did not bewilder him beyond help of chart or compass. Some suspect that he is even now in the hands of such, and that they are encouraging him to enter the race in order to head off Bryan. Well, if that be true, then his hopes and theirs alike will prove vain; for no political schemes or schemers can ever now prevent the nomination of our noble, inspiring, matchless democratic champion, William J. Bryan.

The democracy, with the momentous issues on hand, upon which it occupies the impregnable kopjes, has no welcome for a candidate supported by naval glory alone, and without a firm foundation of political principles beneath him. Admiral Dewey is a good man and a splendid admiral, but he stands for none of the great issues upon which this political contest is to be waged; and could not possibly be a fit candidate of the party that is thoroughly in earnest in its declaration against the hydra-headed monsters that are assailing our simple democracy.—Sunner Herald.

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Large Cast Iron Pipes Versus Small Wrought Iron Ones.

The question of large cast iron pipes versus small wrought iron ones for hot water in a small greenhouse has been studied at the Rhode Island station and reported upon as follows:

The piping consisted of equal lengths of 4 inch cast iron pipe and of 1½ inch wrought iron pipe. The large pipes had therefore 2 2-3 times as much radiating surface as the small ones. The two kinds of pipe were used on alternate days throughout the test, the change from one to the other being made at noon. At each change the water was drawn from the heater and pipes, they were refilled with cold water, and the fire was started anew. The results show that as regards economy of fuel there was no perceptible difference between the two systems. Had the radiating surface in the two cases been equal the results might have been different.

The large pipes were found to cool off very much more slowly than the small ones. In three hours after the fire was drawn the large pipes had cooled down on an average about 70 degrees F., while the small ones had cooled about 100 degrees F. Probably on account of this difference in rapidity of cooling the large pipes maintained the temperature of the house better toward morning, when no care was given to the heating. When the large pipes were used, the average temperature of the house at 6 p. m. was 1.1 degrees F. higher, at 9 p. m. 1.5 degrees F. higher, at 12 p. m. 2 degrees F. higher and at 6 a. m. 3.5 degrees F. higher than when the small pipes were used. This, though important with small houses, is much less so with large ones, where a man may be profitably employed to attend to the heating at night.

A point in favor of the small pipes was the greater rapidity with which they could be heated up. After starting the fire it took nearly three hours to heat the large pipes to their usual temperature and only 1½ hours to heat the small ones. This difference would doubtless have been somewhat less marked if the total length of the small pipes had been increased until their combined radiating surface was equivalent to that of the large pipes, for there would then have been less difference between the quantities of water to be heated in the two cases.

The cost per square foot of radiating surface is not very different in the two cases. As to ease of manipulation, the wrought iron pipes can be readjusted to suit new conditions very much more readily than the cast iron pipes.

Nitrogen From the Air.

Sir William Crookes, the British scientist, thinks we are within 30 years of the end of our natural possibilities in wheat culture. In order to increase the average yield of wheat per acre and keep up with the increasing demand more nitrogenous fertilizer must be used. Sir William believes that the ordinary sources of nitrogen—guano, nitrate of soda, etc.—will not suffice. As to the legumes, which assimilate nitrogen from the air and convert it into available form for plant food, he predicts a limit to the period of this process, and does not find the remedy for the threatened trouble in them, but there is an unlimited store of nitrogen in the atmosphere, and Sir William's idea is that this shall be manufactured by the quick processes of electricity into artificial nitrates, and should electricity from coal and steam engines prove too costly water power, such as that from Niagara, can be utilized. Therefore, according to Sir William, "the future can take care of itself. The artificial production of nitrate is clearly within view, and by its aid the land devoted to wheat can be brought up to the 30 bushels per acre standard."

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There were men whose habits of mind, sympathies and convictions were distinctly democratic, but who through a lack of information on the subject, or because of a mistaken notion of their self-interest, or because of the subtle influence of their environment, could see in the silver issue only a menacing attack on the financial and commercial interests of the people. These men applauded the Chicago platform for much that it proclaimed, but felt that the money issue overshadowed all else and that on the money issue the democracy was wrong. We may deplore their error, but we must concede to them honesty in holding it. If now they feel—as many of them do—that the money issue is not the chief subject matter of the coming campaign, and that on all other questions they wish to fight side by side with the democracy, it is the part of wisdom and of justice to open the party ranks for their return.

But there is another element among the seceders of 1896 toward whom the duty of the party is not so clear. These men based their desertion upon the money issue alone, but in fact were bitterly hostile to every plank in the platform. They were tax-dodging millionaires offended by the income tax plank; monopolists affrighted by its declaration against monopoly; corporation magnates relying on the United States supreme court for the protection of their "vested rights;" hard masters of labor wedded to government by injunction and the like. It was not silver that made them turn vicious and venomously upon the democratic party—it was that party's frank alignment with the masses in defense of the people's rights.

Now men of this class are manifesting a desire to rejoin the party, but unlike those of the first class they are not returning in a spirit of amity and acceptance of the party creed. They wish to come back in command and have the creed and candidates of the party determined at their bidding—at the behest of men who betrayed the party four years ago. Like the Hon. Perry Belmont, they promise the party their aid and a certain victory—but only on condition of the complete abandonment of the principles and the leaders of 1896. Party perfidy is the price of their support.

Men of this second class have no place in the party councils. The trust magnate, the monopolist, the oppressor of labor, the franchise grabber, the imperialist are out of place in democracy. Their influence in the convention will be all for evil, and the party will suffer in so far as it is guided by them. But few of them are as frank as Mr. Belmont. More are seeking to become delegates, or to select delegates, with specious promises to abide by the will of the party.

The test to apply to such doubtful allies is to demand that they accept instructions to support the Chicago platform and to select only candidates loyal

to it in 1896 and loyal now. Antagonism to this course is in itself suspicious. Loyal democrats will support and applaud such instructions.

From the county to the state, from the state to the national convention, all delegates should be instructed that way only lies safety from the machinations of plutocracy.—Press Bulletin.

"In Paradise."

"In Paradise" a comedy of the Parisian variety, with L. R. Stockwell in the leading role, opened an engagement at the Seattle theatre last night. There is no question but that "In Paradise" is funny. The laughter with which its ridiculous scenes were received by the audience attested the fact better than a detailed description of the play could possibly do. At no place do the lines of the play approach the vulgar, though there are several racy scenes. But the piece is French and American theatre-goers are being rapidly taught what to expect from comedy borrowed from Paris. "In Paradise" deals with a husband who has an overwhelming desire to break away from some of the restraints of matrimony and launch himself on the sea of dissipation. He comes to grief, though by the most colossal lying he succeeds in preventing his wife from learning the true story of his fall. Mr. Stockwell who plays the part of the erring husband, won the generous applause of the audience and fully sustained his reputation. His supporting company is excellent.—Seattle P.-I., March 12, 1900. At Mason's opera house Saturday, April 21.

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WASHINGTON LETTER.

(From Our Regular Correspondent.)

WASHINGTON, April 13, 1900.

Senator Jones, chairman of the democratic national committee, who has just returned from New York, ridicules the story that the anti-Bryan democrats, who are behind Dewey's candidacy, would get a Dewey delegation sent from New York to the Kansas city convention. He says that Dewey's candidacy will cut no figure at all in connection with the democratic nomination for president; that Col Bryan will be nominated by acclamation. And his opinion is shared by practically all the democrats in both branches of congress. It is said, although your correspondent does not vouch for it, that Dewey's backers have a lot of money to use in buying the support of country democratic papers, to try to make it appear that there is a strong democratic sentiment in favor of his nomination. There is one drawback to this scheme that will kill it. The country democratic editors, although mostly poor men, are not for sale. In fact the country editors of this country have a record for incorruptibility that any class of men might well be proud of. They are constantly imposed upon, and give more for nothing than any set of men on earth; but they rarely sell themselves.

Secretary Gage having shown by the figures sent to the house, in answer to a resolution, that the war taxes can be reduced at least \$80,000,000 a year without embarrassing the government, the democratic leaders intend to try to make the republicans tell why they will not agree to make the reduction at this session.

The democrats of the house made a good fight against the Porto Rico bill but as they could not prevent republicans swallowing their publicly announced convictions they lacked a few votes and could not defeat it. The abomination has been signed by Mr. McKinley and the responsibility of the republican party for it is now complete.

The action of the senate committee on elections in deciding by a unanimous vote that Senator Clark, of Montana, was not entitled to the seat he holds, is considered more of a condemnation of Montana political methods than of Mr. Clark personally. Senator Pettus spoke the thoughts of many of his colleagues when he said "I have more respect for Mr. Clark than I have for those who have been hounding him. I do not think the use of \$100,000 or more in electing Mr. Clark was warranted, but at the same time I have no doubt that Mr. Daly will spend at least \$125,000 in prosecuting the case. I want to say, also, that I do not believe Mr. Clark was personally cognizant of the manner in which the money was used." Mr. Clark says he intends to get vindicated, but that is all he will say at this time. There is little or no doubt that the senate will endorse the report of the committee, if Mr. Clark's resignation does not make a vote unnecessary. Had the report been to expel Mr. Clark a two-third vote would have been required to adopt it, but as it simply declares him not entitled to a seat a majority vote will adopt it. There is a possibility that Mr. Clark may forestall action by resigning and seeking a re-election.

Representative Catchings, of Mississippi, is one of the democrats who think that the ticket may be Bryan and Dewey. Speaking of that probability he said: "I feel sure that Dewey would

take the vice presidential nomination, and think that is what he is working for. He certainly must appreciate the fact that he cannot get the nomination for president from Bryan, whose selection is absolutely assured. At present no one is named for second place who would command as many votes as Dewey, and, in fact, no one is suggested whose name is universally accepted. Bryan and Dewey can defeat Mr. McKinley without any question."

Representative Talbert, of South Carolina, has a habit of saying pertinent things which are sometimes irreverent. For instance, when Representative Steele, of Indiana, who had boasted of being a farmer, said, in answer to a question by Representative Richardson, of Tennessee, that he raised "corn and wheat, cattle and hogs;" Mr. Talbert threw the house into laughter by adding: "The gentleman will also raise hell in Indiana."

Senator-elect Blackburn sizes up the political outlook thusly: "In my congressional experience of twenty-five years I have never known a congress in the control of either party that made as many political blunders. If we can't wipe out the republicans in November on the blunders made thus far by the fifty-sixth congress we ought to go out of business. They have made up the issues of imperialism, militarism and trusts exactly to our liking. Indeed, if they had deliberately started in to make a good job of it for us they could not have done better. Having these facts in mind I feel certain that the republican managers will hasten the close of the session, and welcome the day when they can breathe easy again so far as congress is concerned. For this reason I do not believe any effort will be made to force the ship subsidy bill through. The republicans are not looking for more trouble, unless they have gone crazy; and I don't believe they have."

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As Got the Pin.

A good many people still believe in the little superstition about seeing a pin and picking it up. It makes some of them decidedly uncomfortable when they pass a pin by, and even if experience has taught them that there is nothing to be gained by scooping up the pointed bit of wire they still dive for one whenever they see it.

An aged man was toddling across Payne avenue at its junction with Wilson some time ago when between the street car rails at the very center of the curve he noticed a pin. It was a bright pin, and it caught his rather enfeebled gaze at once. Being a superstitious old gentleman, he determined to secure that pin. With considerable effort he managed to bend over, when, just as his trembling fingers closed upon it, with a whoop and a roar a cable car came swinging around the curve at the usual terrifying rate. The old man went one way, his cane and glasses and hat went the other. They rushed to him and picked him up. He was badly bruised, and the ambulance was called. As they were lifting him into it somebody noticed something shining between his clinched fingers.

It was the pin.—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

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STATE PRESS OPINION

Dewey moves to reconsider and his wife having no objections it is so ordered.—Seattle Review.

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Colonel Bryan at Seattle called colonel Lewis a whole fruit orchard with flowers growing between the rows. Now, will you be good!—Whatcom Blade.

§ § §

Spokane gets no national republican delegate, Seattle gets but one. This is turning the icy cataract down the backs of a warm push.—Whatcom Blade.

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Although we have a navy that has licked everything that came in sight, yet we are asked to appropriate \$61,219, 916 for another one. Is this ridiculous or ominous?—Tacoma News.

§ § §

We are asked why the bolters have called another national convention when they have already nominated Barker and Donnelly. Why, they want another chance to bolt.—Ellensburg Dawn.

§ § §

With Dewey, the hero of Manila, Schley, the hero of Santiago, Wheeler, the hero of San Juan, and Miles, the hero of Porto Rico, all on the democratic side, the republicans have no monopoly of patriotism and the flag.—Walla Walla Argus.

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"Bryan's visit to this state has done a world of good," said Hon. Thomas Maloney, secretary of the democratic state central committee. "You cannot estimate the benefits of his tour. He has unified the party. You no longer see democrats and silver republicans on the street corners engaged in a discussion of expansion and imperialism. Bryan's argument settled those questions. His speeches made Bryan men of many who were against him in 1896.—Cheney Free Press.

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Poor, old Dewey! He never faltered when entering Manila Bay. His nerve was all right when it became necessary to call Kaiser William's bluff. The adulation of a grateful nation, upon his return to this country, failed to turn his head. But, like Sampson of old, he has met his Delilah and been shorn. The social ambitions of a very sociable lady and the political aspirations of a handful of anti-Bryan democrats have destroyed one of America's most popular idols. Poor, old Dewey!—Aberdeen Herald.

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The republican press of the state of Washington can easily keep pace with that in other states in efforts to tell lies about Col. Bryan and his tour. The editor of the News was a member of the party that accompanied Mr. Bryan over the state and was present at every speech he made on the train or on platforms. The reports that the meetings were a "frost" and that there was no enthusiasm and a lack of support, are lies so pure that it is folly to deny them. No speaker ever traveled through this state that created one-half the enthusiasm Mr. Bryan did. The crowds were generally half larger than credited by republican papers, the applause and attention as much as could be asked for and a continual ovation was tendered Mr. Bryan. It makes the people very tired to see so many lies told when the truth would be better.—Centralia News.

TOURISTS ABROAD.

The Money They Spend Amounts to \$700,000,000 a Year.

The amount of money expended by tourists in Europe has, if official records abroad are to be accepted as authentic, increased enormously of late years. There has been recently filed with the Swiss minister of finance and customs at Bern a detailed statement of hotel receipts in that country, from which it appears that the gross receipts of Swiss hotels rose from 52,800,000 francs in 1880 to 114,333,000 in 1894. The entire annual expenses of the Swiss republic amount in a year to between 80,000,000 and 90,000,000 francs (the budget for this year is given at the latter figure), and it would seem, therefore, very much as if the hotels of Switzerland take in in a year more than the government itself does.

The Swiss figures are not the only ones furnished in Europe recently on this point. A French record shows that every year there are 270,000 foreigners who pass from a fortnight to a whole winter on the Riviera. Every person is supposed to expend on an average 1,000 francs, or \$200, in the country. In other words, the foreign visitors spend in the country every winter the sum of \$54,000,000. The English are put down as contributing one-third of this amount; the French themselves contribute another third; Germans, Belgians, Dutch, Russians and Americans contribute the remainder. From being a poor country when it was annexed to France in 1860 Nice has become one of the richest departments of the republic.

Some figures recently compiled of the revenues to hotels from tourists in Paris show the average number of foreign visitors to be 60,000. It is customary to estimate at 10 francs, or \$2, a day the hotel bills of strangers in Paris. Estimating at \$3 a day each the hotel bills of 60,000 tourists and at about as much more their other outlays it is to be seen that tourists in Paris can be put down for an expenditure of nearly \$250,000 a day.

The total sum expended by tourists in Europe in a year is probably not very far from \$700,000,000, and a very considerable portion of this comes from the pockets, the purses and the bankers' balances of Americans, who are proverbially the most liberal among travelers. Russians come second, Brazilians third.—Exchange.

Aphids, or Plant Lice.

Aphids are sucking insects, taking their food through a slender tube which is thrust deep into the tissue of the plant. For this reason any arsenical poison that may be deposited on the surface of the plant will do them no harm. They will thrust their beaks clear through the poison into the plant and will suck the sap from beneath the surface. To kill these little robbers it is necessary to use contact poisons, such as kerosene emulsion, whale oil soap, tobacco water, pyrethrum, or some application which kills by closing up the pores or by irritation, or else to use some vapor, smoke or gas, such as tobacco smoke or carbon bisulphide. In exceptional instances, as in the case of lice that live underground, it is necessary to use some special treatment.

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The most significant movement in textile industry is the rapid building of cotton mills in the south. It pays to manufacture the cotton where it is grown, and Orange Judd Farmer asks: "How long before the west and south-west will wake up to the fact that it pays to manufacture woollens where the wool is grown?" At present more than half (56 per cent) of the wool produced in the United States is hauled across the continent to New England mills.

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Editor Robertson spent Sunday at his former home in Chehalis.

Col. Walker, "mayor of Zillah," spent Sunday with friends in this city.

Attorney Englehart left for Spokane Monday night on legal business.

Judge Davidson was in the city on Monday to hold a brief session of court.

County Commissioner Horsley returned Monday night from a visit to Portland.

Mrs. A. Schindeler left on Monday night's train for Loyal, Wis., in a visit to a sister.

G. S. Rankin left on a business trip for Walla Walla on Saturday night returning on Tuesday.

L. B. Rinehart left on Thursday night for his old home at Union, Ore. He will return in about three weeks.

Andy Povovich returned on Saturday from San Francisco, where he has been since January last. He expects to go to Cape Nome next month.

Wm. Hass of Dayton, Wash., has been the guest of his Uncle Wm. Steigler this week. Mr. Hass is favorably impressed with Yakima and will probably return here to make his home.

Messrs. Dixon, Laforge, Kirk and P. T. Gervais expect to form a party that will leave for Cape Nome about May 20. They expect to operate in the Golovin Bay country during the coming season.

M. E. Downs, a prominent merchant of Seattle, came over on Saturday to leave his wife and two children at the Hotel Yakima for a time in the hope that Yakima's delightful climate would prove beneficial to Mrs. Downs' health.

Jas. L. Courtwright left on Wednesday for Republic, going overland with a four horse team. He will probably remain in that vicinity for several months during which time he will engage in freighting and in looking after some mining interests in that locality.

Attorney Vestal Snyder, accompanied by Mrs. Snyder, left for Spokane on Wednesday night. Mr. Snyder's mission to the Falls city was to defend the town of Prosser in a damage suit to be tried this week in the United States court. Mrs. Snyder will visit friends at Cheney.

Mrs. E. S. Yeates returned on Saturday night from a visit of several months in Tuscarora, Nev. She was accompanied home by her daughter Mrs. Mary Parson's and her six children, who will remain here with Mr. and Mrs. Yeates until Mr. Parsons returns from Cape Nome.

F. M. Spain, wife and daughter returned on Monday night from their visit to Seattle, where Mr. Spain was in attendance at the grand lodge A. O. U. W. Mr. Spain lacked one vote of being elected a delegate to the national council, an honor which had been accorded him for three successive years past.

D. J. Wynkoop left for Seattle on Friday morning, where he will begin preparations for his trip to Cape Nome. He will take charge of the field work in that country of a big Iowa company which

owns a number of claims on Snake river. He expects to return in the fall. His daughter, Miss Hattie, left on Thursday night to join her mother at Columbus, Kansas, where they will spend the summer.

John Barry, who disappeared quite unexpectedly some two or three months ago, bobbed up serenely in this city on Saturday last accompanied by a sweet and blushing bride. In answer to the countless questions asked him by friends and acquaintances regarding his absence, John unhesitatingly produced a paper signed by an Irish clergyman setting forth to the world that on Feb. 20 John Barry of North Yakima, Wash., was duly married to Miss Julia Fitzgerald of Castle Island, county of Kerry, Ireland. This was deemed a very satisfactory explanation of John's absence. The happy couple will make their home in this city. THE DEMOCRAT offers the usual congratulations.

Presented to Uproars of Laughter

A volcano of laughter in continual eruption is "In Paradise" presented for the first time in this city last night at Cordray's. The play is a translation from the French, which statement is sufficient to tell the story and its treatment. From start to finish the audience is kept in convulsion of laughter, which the incidents develop so rapidly toward the close of the second act that the compelled merriment becomes painful. "In Paradise" narrates the efforts of an old married man, who has been under the watchful eye of an auburn-haired spouse for thirty years, to associate with chorus girls. To carry out his plan he will have no son-in-law who has not had an entanglement. With this idea the authors have built up an excruciatingly funny farce full of the most comical complications. As a comedy, "In Paradise" is a success.—Portland Telegram. At Mason's opera house Saturday, April 21.

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CHURCH NOTICES.

The Christian Endeavor society of the Presbyterian church will give an ice cream social at the home of Mrs. W. T. Stewart Friday evening, April 27, for the benefit of the church building at the Natches. Everybody come; good program and social time for all.

A "Word Social" will be given by the young men of the Christian church Tuesday evening, April 24, at the church. All are requested to respond with a quotation containing the word "word." A short program will be rendered.

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New Suits Filed.

The following new suits have lately been filed with the clerk of the superior court:

Madie A. Wyman vs. John Cleman—suit to collect promissory note.
State vs. Lee Gleason—Burglary.
Reid & Meade, attorneys, vs. A. E. Laurence et al—foreclosure.
Buell Lamberson vs. L. R. Freeman—abstract of judgment from King county.
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Superior Court News.

A short session of the superior court was held on Monday and a considerable amount of business transacted.

Gid Crull, the young man accused of stealing a team of horses belonging to Fred Leadbetter, plead guilty and was given a year in the pen by Judge Davidson.

Andrew Teal, one of the Sunnyside negroes arrested for burglarizing the warehouse of Postmaster Philips at Mabton, likewise plead guilty and received the same sentence. Teal exonerated his brother-in-law from having anything to do with the commission of the crime, taking the whole responsibility upon himself. After hearing Teal's statement the court discharged the other negro who had been held for complicity in the crime.

Wm. Crofton, the Sunnyside sheep man who was arrested on a warrant sworn out by the sheep commissioner charging him with refusing to comply with the law making it obligatory to dip sheep, plead not guilty and his case went over to the June term.

F. M. Williams charged with cattle stealing, appeared in court and also plead not guilty to the charge preferred against him. This case will likewise come up in June.

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SHEEP ON RESERVE.

Regulations Under Which Grazing is Permitted.

Washington, April 11—The total number of sheep to be allowed on the Mount Rainier forest reserve during the coming season, under the recent order of Secretary Hitchcock, will be 250,000. This number is practically the same as in previous years. Last season 260,000 were allowed on the reserve, but as some of the sheep men placed their flocks on the reserve before the secretary of the interior issued order to that effect, there was much dissatisfaction and friction in official circles here, as it was felt that the sheep men were going beyond their just rights.

Cattle and horses are, also, to be allowed on the reserve, the number of cattle being limited to 5500 and of horses to 1000. These figures are based on the number of cattle and horses that have been estimated as going on the reserve heretofore.

Each man desiring the privilege of the range must make an application which, when approved by the department, will entitle him to a certain part of the reserve. It is expected that the cattle men and sheep men will agree on the tracts that each will have and will divide up the total area satisfactorily. Superintendent Sheller, of the Washington state forest reserve, will take charge of this work and will report to the department.

Each permit to graze will contain a qualifying clause, which provides that those accepting the permit will pay such charges, per head, for their animals as the secretary of the interior may hereinafter decide. According to previous suggestions and recommendations, the secretary is expected to favor a charge of 2 to 4 cents per head for sheep and 10 to 12½ cents per head for cattle and horses. These figures are not definite, but are based upon the expressed views of Secretary Hitchcock.

At present there is no law giving the secretary of the interior specific authority to make any charge whatever for grazing purposes. Some hold that he has this right, but he does not assume to have it, and will, therefore, ask congress to grant him the authority. If this authority is granted, then he will call upon the cattle men and sheep men for a grazing charge as indicated above. Should congress fail, however, to give him the desired authority, it is practically certain no charge will be made at all.

The permits which are to be issued will prohibit Oregon sheep or cattle grazing on the reserves in Washington. There has been much complaint regarding the invasion of Oregon sheep and cattle in Washington, and it is now the purpose of the department to prevent such invasion in the future and to reserve the grazing lands of Washington for the sheep and cattle men of that state.

The forest supervisors, acting under Superintendent Sheller, are expected to see that the rules and regulations of the department are carried out and, also, that the grass is not destroyed by overgrazing.—Washington Cor. Oregonian.

Heavy Steel Rails.

Wide embankments, stone or heavy gravel ballasted tracks await the coming of the North Coast Limited on the Northern Pacific, April 29, with its big engine in front and Observation Car at the rear of the train.

Otis is "Over," Anyhow.

It is, in a way, a relief to the country to learn that Gen. Otis has been relieved.

It is fully a year ago that Mr. McKinley's personal representative in the Philippines began sending bulletins "that the war is over." These official fairy tales have been repeated with unblushing regularity about every two weeks since, and yet the latest reports of the losses of our troops and the killing of the Filipinos show a bigger average for the first three months of this year than for the preceding quarter.

Gen. Otis insisted at the beginning of the trouble that with 30,000 troops he could soon end the "insurrection." When this force proved utterly inadequate he was given more than 60,000—a larger army than the United States ever employed against a foreign foe. Yet the "insurgent bands" swarm everywhere. There is not a town or a district where Americans would be safe without military protection. And even the optimistic Otis admits in a letter that "a large body of troops must be kept in the islands indefinitely."

MacArthur may or may not do better, but the country will be glad that Otis is "over," if the war isn't.—New York World.

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Left to Die in an Alms House.

Thurston county claims the oldest human being now living in the state. His name is Samuel Himmen, he was born at Saratoga, New York, in 1792, and has lived on Puget Sound for over fifty years. It is worthy of comment as indicating pitiful neglect of old age, common to our brand of civilization, that after an honorable life of 108 years, the patriarch of the state of Washington is compelled to await the final summons as an inmate of Thurston county's poorhouse. If there be no worthier philanthropy than this in the law books of our state or nation, nor in the conscience of our overly rich, is it also to be inferred that our noble pioneers, who struggled through the decades of frontierhood shoulder to shoulder with this grayest brother of their storied band, also desert him in his withered age to exist—in wonderful reminiscence born of a century of regret—as a public pauper?—Whatcom Blade.

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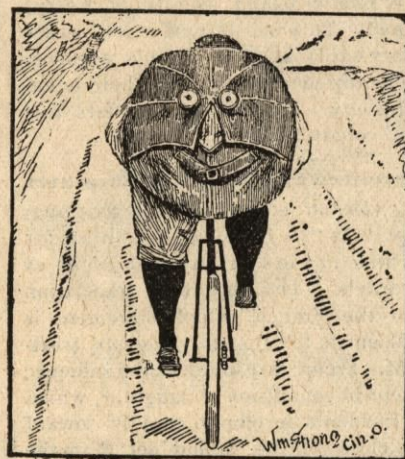
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Boosting Up the Wrong Value.

The poor man who wants a dollar to be worth as much as possible is foolish. He don't have dollars to sell. His interest is in having what he has to sell worth as much as possible. What has he to sell? Why, his labor. He exchanges his labor for dollars, and here you find him boosting up the value of the dollar, instead of boosting up the value of his labor. The men who began this gold standard agitation are the men who have dollars for sale—the bankers and the bondholders. The gold standard makes their property (dollars) twice as valuable. One can understand their anxiety in behalf of the gold standard. But it is hard to comprehend the poor man's, who wants it so "honest" that he has to give a day of his labor for one of those dollars when he only used to give half a day for it. Take a tumble to yourself, you underfed, poorly-clad laborer, and commence trying to enhance the value of what you have to give, instead of what the other fellow gives you. If you were trading jack knives you would have more sense than that. You wouldn't be found arguing that the other fellow's jack knife was the best in the world; good in Europe, and all that.—Register-Democrat.

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Didn't know of an alliance—
You've been sleeping, Macrum, sleeping.
Of an unrevealed alliance—
You've been sleeping, Macrum, sleeping.
Didn't we unite to do
What the gold lords told us to,
When our silver was destroyed?
Baseness low and unalloyed!
Plot of England's money lords,
Aided by the secret hordes
Of the money loaners here!
Sleeping, Macrum, in the year?
There were watchers then that knew
That the act was for the few,
And that for the common folk
Dire and fearful was the stroke.

Haven't seen the combination—
You've been sleeping, Macrum, sleeping.
Of the lords of affluent station—
You've been sleeping, Macrum, sleeping.
Haven't seen the money kings
Of old England manage things
For their own land and for ours,
Aided by the secret powers
Of the gold exchangers here?
Sleeping, Macrum? Queer.
Courts and congress made the tools
Of the infamy that rules!
Slavery of darker hue
Than the black man ever knew,
Fixed and settled on strong men
Struggling to be free again!

Haven't seen the coalition—
You've been sleeping, Macrum, sleeping.
Twixt the hordes of vile ambition,
You've been sleeping, Macrum, sleeping.
Haven't seen the powers that are
Hurling nations into war?
War that brings to par again
Bonds against decaying Spain
By retention of earth's isles?
And another war the while
That some gold fields might be seized?
Haven't seen the unappeased,
Freedom crushing rule of gold?
Of the international, untold,
Cursed, secret leagues, alas!
Bringing these events to pass?

God be praised that you are waking
From your state of sleeping, Macrum.
God be praised that you are shaking
Others from their sleeping, Macrum.
Ever to a chosen few
God entrusts His work, and you
Now may suffer stroke and stress
In the cause of righteousness,
Now may render telling blows
'Gainst your country's secret foes.
Stand the firm, and let the slime,
All unclean, and filthy grime,
Dark as Egypt's ancient night,
Of the plotters come to light.
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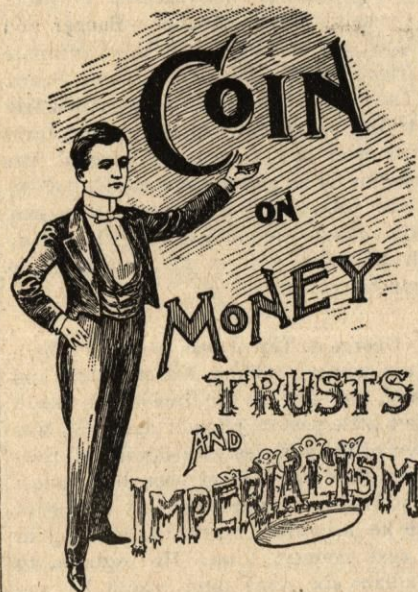
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IN THE SUPERIOR COURT OF THE state of Washington for Yakima county. W. S. Drepperd, Plaintiff vs. Sarah J. Drepperd, Defendant. The State of Washington to the said Sarah J. Drepperd, said Defendant: You are hereby summoned to appear within sixty days after the date of the first publication of this summons, to-wit: Within sixty days after the 14th day of April, 1900, and defend the above entitled action in the above entitled court, and answer the complaint of the Plaintiff and serve a copy of your answer upon the undersigned, attorneys for Plaintiff, at their office below stated, and in case of your failure so to do judgment will be rendered against you according to the demand of the complaint, which has been filed with the clerk of said court. The object of this action is to obtain a decree of said court dissolving the marriage contract and relation between Plaintiff and Defendant and decreeing Plaintiff to be the owner of lot four in block one hundred and thirty-seven in the city of North Yakima, state of Washington, according to the plat of said city of record in the office of the county auditor of said county, as the separate property of Plaintiff, free of all claims of Defendant, and awarding said Defendant the custody of the minor children of said marriage.

SNYDER & PREBLE,

Plaintiff's Attorneys.

P. O. address, North Yakima, Yakima Co., Washington.

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Notice.

CREDITORS OF THE ESTATE OF Thomas Moore, deceased, are required to present their claims to the executor, Charles A. Sherwood, within one year from date, or the same will be barred. Dated April 21, 1900.

DASHED TO DEATH

Hon. George Taylor Loses His Life
In the Cascades.

Fell Over a Precipice Near the
Rattlesnake—Largest Funeral
Procession Ever Known
In Yakima County.

The news reached this city about 11 p. m. on Sunday by a messenger from the Nile that "Uncle" George Taylor, the well known rancher and cattle man of the Selah had suddenly been killed on that day by falling over the precipice of what is known as the "Devil's Table," a mountain situated between the Big and the Little Rattlesnake, a distance of about 40 miles from this city.

The unfortunate man in company with Orville Cherry, an employe had been camping in that neighborhood for some two weeks being engaged in looking after a large herd of cattle, which they had taken to the hills for the season. Mr. Cherry, the only witness to the terrible accident which cost Mr. Taylor his life, informed THE DEMOCRAT on Tuesday of the particulars of the sad occurrence. "As near as I could tell," said Cherry, "the accident occurred soon after four o'clock on Sunday afternoon. Mr. Taylor and myself after having salted the cattle and finished other necessary work after the noon hour, started off for a tramp up the trail that leads over the 'Devil's Table.' The day was a beautiful one and we were enjoying the trip. After walking for some distance up the steep trail we stopped and sat down to rest. I started to amuse myself by rolling rocks over the cliff and watch them as they tore their way far below until they reached the canyon. Mr. Taylor meanwhile had been sitting on a large rock about 15 or 20 feet away watching me roll the rocks down. Finally he spoke and said, 'Orville what is the matter with me rolling this one over?' These were the last words that he ever uttered. As I looked I noticed that the rock he sat on was supported in its place by the one he was attempting to move. All at once and quicker than I can tell it the rocks began to move and started over the precipice bearing Mr. Taylor with them. I was horrified at the sight but the thing was done so quick I had no time to act. The first drop was a sheer fall of about 40 feet. There he lodged for a moment, but the stones having been disturbed by the big rocks falling, begun to move with the result that Mr. Taylor was carried down the incline some 150 farther, where I saw the body lodge at last. Had it not stopped there it would have been carried over another precipice with a sheer drop of over 100 feet.

From where I stood I could see him all the time and the spot where he finally lay. I did not know what to do at first, but I finally realized that I would need help to get the body out, so I put off as fast as I could for the Nile settlement and told the people there what had happened. Will Carmack, Charley Rodman, Pearl Vertner, Al Shuman and Tommie Nooner all volunteered to go back with me and help to bring the body out, while the man who works for Doug Beck was sent to the city with the news. Owing to the roughness of the country we had a hard time in getting the body out to the Nile,

being obliged to strap it on the back of a pack horse."

E. W. R. Taylor and Fred Brooker of this city, the son and son-in-law respectively of the unfortunate man, on getting the sorrowful information, left town soon after midnight for the Nile and after placing the remains in a coffin, brought them to the family home in the Selah valley, where they arrived about 3 p. m. on the following day.

The funeral services which were held at the family residence at 1 p. m. on Tuesday, were the most largely attended of any ever held in this county. The attendance would in all probability been even much larger if the news of Mr. Taylor's death had been generally known throughout the country districts. The services at the house were comparatively brief, Rev. P. B. Jackson of the Congregational church, delivering a short address in which he dwelt upon the splendid and lovable character of the deceased and gave a short sketch of the long and useful life of Mr. Taylor which had ended so violently.

Interment was made in Tahoma cemetery, the services at the grave being conducted by the local lodge of Masons of which society the deceased had long been a member, who during his lifetime had often expressed the wish that when he died he be given a Masonic burial. The pall bearers were Messrs. Whitson, Cornett, Weed, Tucker, Badger and Reed, all of whom had been intimate friends of Mr. Taylor for many years. The scene at the grave was a particularly trying one as many of the people present who had known and revered Mr. Taylor for so many years could not refrain from shedding tears as they saw the mangled remains of him whom they had loved so well in life, consigned to mother earth.

George S. Taylor was born in Fountain county, Indiana, March 9, 1832 and was, therefore, at the time of his death but little past 68 years of age. He was one of the youngest of a family of thirteen children, born of poor but honest and God fearing parents. At the age of 20 he migrated westward, locating in Lucas county, Iowa. He returned to Indiana six years later where he was married to Nancy McGlothlen. He subsequently returned to Iowa with his bride and engaged in farming until the spring of 1862, when he responded to the call of President Lincoln for volunteers, joining the thirty-first Iowa infantry. He saw hard service with his regiment until the spring of 1864 when he received an honorable discharge on account of disability. His rank was that of a first corporal when quitting the service. After recovering his health he became imbued with the idea that he could better his fortune by removing to the Pacific coast and as some of his neighbors were possessed with the same notion they started overland in the fall of 1864 and after a long and eventful trip across the western wilderness they finally reached the Columbia river and stopped for a few months to recruit up in Umatilla county, Oregon. Mr. Taylor and his family subsequently left for Yelm Prairie near Puget Sound, where they had relatives.

Hearing that the Yakima valley offered great inducements for settlers and desirous of finding a permanent home, Mr. Taylor and some of his friends pushed their way over the Cascade mountains and finding this valley all that was claimed for it determined to estab-

lish homes here. This was in 1866 when the Yakima valley was yet occupied largely and claimed by predatory bands of Indians, who often made life burdensome and even extremely dangerous for the few families of whites who then lived here and who as a rule were separated by long distances.

Mr. Taylor took up land in the Selah valley and went to work with a will to establish a home in what was then a sage brush wilderness. He took a prominent part in hunting down and capturing the renegade Indians who made so much trouble for the settlers here in the early days. He was one of the party that captured old Chief Moses in the later seventies and turned him over to the military authorities.

Realizing the advantages that the country offered the stock grower, Mr. Taylor embarked in the cattle business and by strict attention to that industry gradually built up a handsome fortune.

Mr. Taylor while never a practical politician, has nevertheless, been prominent in county and state politics for many years. His interest in politics was confined entirely to the advancement of the principles in which he believed. He never sought an office, but his popularity and his prominence in the community on several occasions in the early days forced public duties upon him, which he never shirked, when he believed it his duty to accept. He was three times elected as county commissioner during the seventies and in 1880 was elected to the territorial legislature serving one term with fidelity and distinction. On more than one occasion he refused the sheriff's office. He unwillingly became the candidate of his party for joint senator in 1894, and, although not elected run several hundred votes ahead of his ticket. While always intensely loyal to his party, he had not since that time taken a very active part in politics. Mr. Taylor was a man of extremely generous impulses. It is said of him by old friends that he frequently denied himself in order to help others. He was scrupulously honest in his dealings with all men and those who knew him best say that he never wronged a fellow man out of a penny.

The deceased leaves a widow, three sons and one daughter to mourn the loss of a kind and loving husband and father. The three sons are E. W. R. Taylor, the well known merchant of this city, and Harley and George jr. who reside at the family home in the Selah. The daughter is Mrs. Fred Brooker of this city.

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We desire to inform the public that we are still doing business at the old stand on Second street, where we carry a large and complete stock of the finest candies on the market as well as nuts and other articles in the confectionery line. We are the local agents for the HAZLEWOOD ICE CREAM. Call and try the Hazlewood cream. THE MIKADO. Co-op building.

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