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RECENT conventions of the democratic party held in the states of Iowa, Nebraska and Ohio, all unerringly indicate what we have pointed out before in these columns was the prevailing sentiment within the ranks of the new democracy i. e., advocacy of free silver and opposition to trusts and imperialism. The platforms adopted by each of these conventions, as well as that of Kentucky, which was held some weeks ago, endorses in the most unqualified terms, the national platform of 1896 and re-affirms the faith of democracy in the peerless leader of that year and demand his renomination in 1900, These platform utterances go far beyond this point, however, as was to be expected. They announce in the most unmistakable language, the purpose of the democracy to take up the people's fight in the great battle of next year against not only the rapidly growing trust evil, which is menacing the institutions of this country, but the greater monster of imperialism, which has raised its slimy head so recently through the mal-administration of the present national government, that many people are still unaware of the fact that it is already engaged in a death struggle with the republic. It augurs well for the success of the party in the nation that its leaders have already gotten their bearings on the great issues to be passed upon by the people.

RICHARD CROKER, the cunning old political fox, who dominates Tammany Hall, has recently seen a light. He went to Europe three months ago an anti-Bryan man and an "expansionist," but on his return home he has executed a complete somersault and landed squarely on the Bryan anti-imperialist "band wagon." It is probably true, as the imperialists are now saying, that Croker is a man who is actuated entirely by policy and not by principle; but the fact remains, however. signed a statement declaring it to be false that his sudden change of front is of vast in every particular—which statement is significance in the political world. It published in full this week by our contemspect and good will of his opponents. He mans, for one thing, that the backbone of porary, the Herald, as its first installment lived the life of an honest, christian genthe Eastern insurrection within the demo- of crow. cratic party is broken, and that Tammany will recognize the leadership of Bryan and aid in his nomination and election. It furthermore means that anti-imperialism will in all likelihood become the leading issue and that Croker regards it as a winning issue. Tammany Hall will now become a hot-bed of anti-imperialism, since who have recently been mustered out of the

doubt push the good work along until the whole East becomes permeated with the idea that the only way in which a republican form of government can be maintained in this country is by the overthrow of Mc-Kinleyism and all that it stands for.

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HE traveling peddlers who annually infest the Yakima valley, in their efforts to sell their wares direct to farmers, are not entitled to any consideration at the hands of our people. When close comparisons are made, the goods sold by these "fakirs" are generally found to be inferior in manufacture to articles purchased from the home merchant at the same or a less price. Besides, these parasites are not identified with the interests of the county; they pay no taxes and lessen materially the money in circulation here by carrying all they get away with them. The farmer has nothing to gain and everything to lose by dealing with such people. Besides, when he gets cramped financially, it is not from such people that he expects to get credit, but from his reliable home merchant, who has carried him through the hard times. Nor is this the only reason why he should purchase his goods at home. Every farmer is presumed to have more to sell than to buy, and he naturally looks to his home town to find a customer. Thus, each class is dependent on the other, and as long as society is organized on the present basis, this condition of things will continue, and the traveling "fakir" has no place in the sys-

AS AN illustration of the injury done the Yakima valley by the exaggerated and misleading report sent out from here concerning the management of the Sunnyside canal, it is only necessary to mention the fact that Spokane real estate dealers have have had the same printed in poster form and are using it for the purpose of keeping intending settlers away from this county. A gentleman from the East, who is engaged in the sale of N. P. lands, while in our office on Wednesday, stated that this report had reached his state and had already had the effect of deterring people from coming out here to investigate the country. If the report had any basis in fact, the people of Yakima would not complain; but that it is false and misleading is proven by the fact that 190 settlers under the canal have

THE Oregonian, which never wearies of blowing about the good times that we are now having, has lately been carrying an advertisement in its local news columns of employment wanted by 80 young men Croker has got his bearings, and will no Second Oregon regiment. Unfortunately ty, the people say.

these boys have lost their positions by going to war and are now willing to accept any kind of employment that is honorable and that will give them a decent livelihood. It is to be hoped that they will find work, and that speedily; but the fact that they are forced to advertise for it is not complimentary to the people of a great city like Portland and besides seems to give the lie to the windy editorials in the Oregonian, to the effect that prosperity is so rampant throughout the land.

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POOR unfortunate Tacoma deserves the sympathy of all mankind. For the past ten years the "City of Destiny" has been robbed and plundered by her public officials until virtually nothing is left to her but her honor, if indeed, she still possesses that. Each successive crop of thieving officials seems to have been more daring and ingenious in theft than the last. To cap the climax, her present republican mayor is under indictment by the grand jury for soliciting a bribe. Nor is this all, for her republican paper, one of the leading organs of the state, is openly charged with having accepted one. Poor Tacoma. She is patient and long-suffering. Will she ever rid herself of the pestiferous vermin that are eating out her very heart and life?

THE offer of Mr. Levi Ankeny, of Walla Walla, to pay the expenses of transporting the Washington regiment from San Francisco to Seattle, when they return home, has elicited much praise from the press and people of the state, and deservedly so. The insinuation thrown out by certain newspapers that the generous offer was inspired by the political ambition of the donor, is an unworthy one and reflects no credit on those who make it. Nor does the offer seem to us an ostentatious display of wealth. Mr. Ankeny, although a millionaire, is evidently well supplied with the milk of human kindness and probably merely desires to show his appreciation of the state's brave soldier boys, among whom

is his own beloved son.

THE late Captain Holton, of this city, was what might be termed a pioneer of Washington journalism. For many years he wielded a vigorous pen for the up-building of Yakima and the surrounding country. Although a strong partisan tleman, and it is a matter of deep regret to all who knew him that the closing years of such an honorable and well spent life should have been clouded with troubles of a financial nature.

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Political Gossip.

It seems early for the making of slates for the next year's campaign, but there can be no doubt that the politicians are already laying their plans and stretching their wires in preparation for the hot political contest in 1900. The republican factions are most active and no chance for gaining a point is being

All over the state it appears to be a fight between the Allen-Wilson-Foster combine and the Ankeny-Humes aggregation. For several months it had been rumored that Allen and Ankeny would be rival candidates for governor and a hot time was expected in Walla Walla county where both men have their home castles, But Mr. Ankeny has put an end to speculations on the outcome of this expected contest by positively disavowing any purpose to enter the race for governor.

It is plain that Mr. Ankeny still clings to his ambition to be senator, and that he aspires to succeed Geo. Turner in 1903. There will be a lively contest 1n 1902 between money bags for the control of the legislature and the professional workers and grafters will reap a

The Walla Walla banker has just made a master stroke for popularity throughout the state. That was his offer made a few days ago to charter at his own expense three steamers for bringing the Washington regiment from San Francisco to Seattle. The cost will be from \$7000 to \$10,000. No doubt Mr. Ankeny's motive is purely unselfish and patrotic, but for all that it was a great political move, and one that no rival politician in his own party is able to match. It ought to bind Seattle and King county still more strongly to Ankeny, and will give the generous Walla-Walla prestige in every county in the state the volunteers who accept this bounty would be base ingrates if they did not go home shouting the praises of their benefactor.

But the Allen-Wilson men are not idle. They are still sawing wood and cutting persimmon poles. If there is auything in current political gossip the slate is John B. Allen for governor and John L. Wilson for national committeeman, with the hope of succeeding Turner when the time comes.

The Allen men secretly hope that after getting their man in the governor's chair, his popularity will be so great that Wilson will be over-shadowed, and that Allen may go to the senate instead.

The refusal of Ankeny to enter the race the race for governor gives the Allen men in this county greater hope of controlling the delegation to the state convention. It is said that C. C Gose, who studied law under Allen, is on the slate for attorney general, and that F. C. Dement has been selected as the choice of the Allen men in this county for delegate to the national convention. The Ankeny men are still inclined to blame Gose for the defeat of their candidate in last winter's senatorial contest, and they threaten to get even at the first opportunity.

The prospects for an old-time factional fight between the republican factions in this county seem bright just now, and the non-combatants on the other side are expecting rare fun in watching the contest.-Walla Walla Ar-

Our assortment of cakes and crackers is fresh. Kinsey & Co.

Rough on the Oregon Boys.

It will ye remembered that a good deal of feeling was manifested a few weeks ago by the press and people of the neighboring state of Oregon, over the continued refusals of the Second Oregonian regiment to be mustered out at Portland. It seems, however, according to the testimony of one of the members of that regiment now in this city, that they had good reasons for preferring to be mustered out at San Francisco, aside from the extra travel pay secured. Every individual member of the regiment it seems had a just grievance against the state authorities for the shabby treatment received from them. In the first place a rank imposition was practiced on the soldiers by the state in the matter of uniforms, the boys in recruiting, being charged \$18 by the state for old uniforms that had been in use by the militia for the period of 12 years. On being mustered in to the U.S. service at Camp McKinley the old uniforms were promptly condemned by army officers and had to be thrown away. The soldiers were also provoked at the malicious and continued attacks of the Portland Oregonian upon their popular commander Col. Somers, an attack believed to have been insti gated by political considerations. Even after their arrival at San Francisco, the boys acceeded to the request of Gov. Geer to be mustered out at Portland. Providing the citizens of that city would furnish the necessary transportation, costing in the neighborhood of \$10,000. This amount it seems could not be raised in the "webfoot" metropolis and the brave boys of the second Oregon were left to the mercy of the Southern Pacific which corporation charged them all the regular fare to reach their homes. This version of the affair it seems has not before been published in the Oregon papers, for the good and sufficient reason no doubt, that it reflects no credit on the people of that state.

A large shipment of the Nazareth waists for girls and boys, 1 to 12 years 25c. This is a waist that thousands of mothers have bought for their boys and girls and found it to be more desirable than the usual kind. The fabric is seamless and elastic with tapes for strength and buttons that won't break easily. Garments are supported from the shoulders and there is less mending to do, to be had at J. J. Macdonald's, First treet, south.

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	Cow Beef 2 75@3 00
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١	Mutton, prime3c
١	DOTTEDY
	Senter Chickons per doz \$2 00@2 75
	Turkeys, live10c
	GRAIN.
	Wheat, blue stem50
	Wheat, club
	Wheat, club
	Oats, per ton, new \$20 00 Barley, per ton \$13 00
	Barley, per ton 55
	Corn, per bu
	Flour, Puritan, per sack
	Blue Bell, per sack
	Blue Bell, per sack 80 Flour, 3x Baker, per sack 75
	Hay, Timothy, baled, per ton \$9 00@10 00
	Hay, Alfalfa, per ton\$5 50@6 00
	Hay, Clover, per ton\$7 00
	PRODUCE.
	Butter, ranch, per roll 35@40c Butter, creamery, per roll 50c
	Butter greamery per roll 500
	Face per doz
	Wool north
	Cabbaga
	Hops 12@12\frac{12}{12}
	New Apples, per 10
	New Potatoes, per ton 50@\$
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	Pears 40@75c
	Watermelons

GRADE DAIRY COWS.

What May Be Done With Good Bulls and Native Cows.

In an article in The Farmer M. B. Wood favors grade dairy cows and says: Do not expect that a Guernsey or any other bull can do himself credit or do you the good of which he is capable unless you give him a fair class of cows to serve. As to the kind of cows to select, take your native cows, and, as I have said, select them for performance, is, I am sorry to say, few farmers are expert enough to select cows in any other way, and, after all, performance is a sure thing. I suggest native cows for the reason that you will be able to build up a more uniform herd from native dams than you will from a miscellaneous lot of mixtures of several breeds, because the impressibility of your sire will be much more apparent when none of it is needed to counteract characteristics of other breeds. Keep the cows that test rich in butter fat, that give an even flow for a long time, instead of a large flow for a short time; those which milk up close to calving time and which have good, well quartered udders, with fair sized teats set well apart both from front to back and side to side. Keep them when they have roomy abdomens, as the more feed a cow can consume with profit the bet-

When you start to build up a herd of Guernsey grades, stick to them, as your



GRADE GUERNSEY COW

second and third crosses will show the wisdom of your choice much better than the first cross. Don't buy a Guernsey and then a Holstein and then a Jersey and then something else, because you will not have anything when you get through. This disposition to shift around, together with another prevalent disposition, accounts for the mongrel character and appearance of the cattle in a great many sections of the coun-

We will say, now that you have bought your bull and have your first crop of heifer calves, give them good care. I do not mean to fatten them as for yeal, but feed them enough bran, oats, barley, to keep them growing throughout the first year. When they are about 15 months old, look them over, and all that have not good constitutions should disposed of; the others should be served by their own sire. This is inbreeding, but it will intensify your blood and your inbred three-quarter bloods will be as strong in the breed characteristics as ordinary seven-eighths bloods. They will also be richer in butter fats than if not inbred.

Transplanting Berry Bushes, Etc.

In answer to a correspondent Vick tells that currants, blackberries and raspberries can all be planted in October or November or in the spring. A currant bush can be divided into as many parts as will have some root attached, and each will make a plant. This can be done in fall or spring. In the case of fall planting of any of the plants mentioned it will be well to draw some soil up around each of them after setting out and to throw some leaves or litter over them to prevent action of frost.

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State News Items.

Ezra Meeker the ex hop king of Puyallup, returned last week from the Klondyke country.

John B. Cromwell on the 26th, received notice of his appointment as postmaster at Tacoma.

Fifty thousand dollars is being raised by subscription in Tacoma to secure the location of Whitworth college.

Frank S. Colburn, of Gardner, Maine, arrived in Tacoma on the 26th, having walked across the continent on his way around the world.

The prosecuting attorney of Whatcom county has served notice that he will hereafter prosecute all violations of the Sunday law against merchants, tradesmen and saloon keepers.

Judge Kean of Tacoma, has refused the demand of Mayor Johnson Nickeus for a special jury to try the case against him of soliciting a bribe, for which he was recently indicted by the grand jury.

J. Hannum Jones, the venerable editor of the Nooksack Reporter and expresident of the State Press Association, fell dead from heart disease in New Whatcom on Wednesday of last week.

British ship MacDuff, which had been given up in some quarters for lost, sailed into the Columbia river on the 25th. She was 192 days out from Calcutta and brings in her cargo over 4,000,000 grain

The city of Walla Walla last week sold to a New York firm 350,000 dollars worth of municipal bonds. The money will be used to purchase the water works now owned by a private company and to construct an entirely new sewer system.

Discovered by a Woman.

Another great discovery has been made, and that, too, by a lady in this country. "Disease fastened its clutches upon her and for seven years she withstood its severest tests, but her vital organs were undermined and death seemed imminent. For three months she coughed incessantly, and could not sleep. She finally discovered a way to recovery, by purchasing of us a bottle of Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption, and was so much relieved on taking first dose, that she slept all night; and with two bottles, has been absolutely cured. Her name is Mrs. Luther Lutz." Thus writes W. C. Hamnick & Co., of Shelby, N. C. Trial bottles free at Louis O. Janeck's drug store. Regular size 50c and \$1.00. Every bottle guaranteed.

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STATE PRESS OPINION.

It will really be too bad if Mr. Ankeny's present disbursement is productive of no more personal political benefit than his past investments .-Seattle Herald.

Roosevelt is so busy making speeches at county fairs and nursing the buzzing of his presidential bee that the common people are wondering when he finds time to be governor.-Tacoma News. 666

General Funston, the hero, says that 'Capitalists will be the only ones benefitted by the retention of the Philippines on account of the cheapness of labor." Funston is anti-expansion and has the nerve to say so.—Exchange,

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W. H. Doolittle, who made such a heroic attempt in '96 to convince the people that the issue of the campaign was the tariff and not free silver, is said to be practicing law in New York and trying to figure out with ex-Senator Squire as to whether or no they are political has-beens.—Goldendale Sentinel.

6.00 Since John L. Wilson and Levi Ankeny have both declined to become candidates for governer next year the republicans are beginning to get worried. This thing of a republican refusing to run for any office is so unusual that it naturally causes apprehension Still. they have John B. Allen and Charley Sullivan left.—Tacoma News.

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The country papers are in receipt of a proposition to furnish them with Republican editorial matter for 25 cents. These two-bit brains are a vast improvement over the editorial filling usually ladled out by the Republican weakly editors and we have no doubt the syndicate could be jewed down to 15 cents with a Hanna chromo thrown in. - Vancouver Register.

The fury of the proprietors of the 'Van Wyck boom' over its untimely collapse is highly comic. It was essentially a boom of a nobody by nobodies. As a "logical" candidate for the presidency, or any other kind, the man who left the bench at Croker's behest to run for governor, and who has since lived on the legal crumbs that fall from the Tammany table, was a simple absurdity. -Tacama News.

The bondholders and money changers are becoming alarmed over the chance of McKinley's re-nomination. They are of the opinion that his war scandals and expansion ideas will hurt his chances of succeeding himself, so they are hard at work to down Bryan and get the democrats to put up a candidate who will be acceptable to them. They would thus be safe, no matter which side wins .-Tacoma Sun.

And now it is Editor Shultz, of the Tacoma Ledger. who is accused of being 'out with the big mit." qualmie Falls Power Company refused to pony up and the poor old Ledger finds itself in a very unpleasant predicament. Shultz had better confine himself in the future to writing prosperity editorials and trust to getting a slice of the republican corruption fund in 1900.-Local-

Ankeny should pay all the expenses of side is obnoxious to the delicacy of the returning volunteers, whether he one's taste. - Massachusetts Ploughman.

is doing it from pure and lofty patriotic motives or from a desire to further his political ends. So long as the wealthy men of the country devote their money to a good cause, they are entitled to all the glory they can get out of it, and their motives should not be questioned. -Everett News.

999 Expansion is a trick word invented to swindle the intelligence of the American people. The expansion that finds favor with Americans is the acquisition of contiguous territory to be settled by American citizens and ultimately added to the sisterhood of states. It is not expansion to conquer and subjugate by force, distant countries with dense populations of alien people whose civilization has little or nothing in common with our own.-Walla Walla Argus.

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The time has come for the democratic party of the state of Washington and in particular of King county to take active steps toward an organization of forces for the coming campaign. The weakness of our party locally has always been its comparatively disorganized conditiou. While the republican party has always been equipped with material, and prepared to meet the conditions of a coming fight, our forces have waited until the last moment to get to-gether and begin the battle.—Seattle

arge crop of nay under catch crop conditions. In many part of the west, where dry midsummer weather is apprehended, Kaffir corn makes a good catch crop. It will grow under moisture conditions where Indian corn would prove an utter failure, and it makes very satisfactory feed. Sorghum is also coming into use as a catch crop to a considerable extent, and those who have employed it in this way speak in high terms of it. Many find that rape makes a good catch crop also, the Dwarf Essex variety, of course, being planted.

Where conditions will permit turnips are proving quite a favorite, and corn, and especially sweet corn where dairy feed is wanted, is proving quite popular as a catch crop. Of course such crops as buckwheat will also be planted in localities where buckwheat growing is understood. Not much buckwheat is grown in the west, but the quantity is increasing. It makes an excellent catch crop because the season for planting it is by preference late. In the east, where it is grown pretty largely, the 2d of July is the traditional buckwheat planting day, but it may be sown considerably later than this. Those who attempt growing it for the first time will need to be cautioned with regard to harvesting. The connection of the grain with the stem is very delicate, and it shatters out easily, so that it must be handled carefully, and old buckwheat growers usually make it a point to cut buckwheat only when the dew is on. blossoms continuously through the season, but the largest grain crop is, as a rule, secured upon the maturity of the first blossoms. One common objection to buckwheat is that it is hard to rid the land of it owing to the fact that it shatters so readily, thus reseeding the soil. One of its advantages is that it is an excellent bee food.

Nice clean eggs always find ready sale. If they are dirty, they should be washed with warm water. A southern exchange says that if this does not take off all the stains cider vinegar will. It will pay to try this if you have a nice lot of fresh eggs that by accident or otherwise have become stained, for a dirty egg is distasteful, even if the egg The news is perfectly willing that Levi is all right inside. The sight of it out-

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NORTH FIRST STREET

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Local News

Auditor Kelso on the 26th issued a marriage license to John Barry and Miss Margaret Wall.

Attorney Englehart returned from the Sound Saturday night, his family, how ever, remained over until Monday.

M. W. Brewer of Centralia has purchased the Vance ranch of 50 acres on Parker Bottom. Consideration, \$2,500.

The three week's old son of S. Washburne, who lives on the Lewis ranch, died Thursday evening and was buried on Friday.

A sheepman named Buckholtz this week purchased through Doust & Dam the D. W. Simmons residence property in this city.

The school board will hold a meeting to-night, it is understood, to select out of a large list of candidates a new superintendent.

State Senator Andrew Hemrich of Seattle, who is president of the Seattle Brewing Co. was in the city on Friday, the guest of Thos, Lund.

B. N. Coe & Co. moved their news and stationary store across First street on Friday, being now located in the Heckman building vacated by them.

Charles Scott and Miss Lula Evans of Parker, were successfully launched on the sea of matrimony by Judge Taggard at the Hotel Bartholeton Saturday after-

J. H. Timm's new refreshment parlor on the avenue, will open up for business to day. Lot Durgan, the well known mixologist, will officiate behind the bar.

The "Saints of the Living God" will hold a campmeeting in North Yakima, beginning Sept. 8th p. m. The location of the camp will be two blocks west of the St. Paul Mill yard.

Bills were printed in this office this week announcing to the public the fact that the union blacksmiths here and at Yakima City, had voluntarily reduced the price of shoeing to \$1.50 per horse.

"Cholley" boy Donovan of the Treasurer's office, is the latest favorite of the fickle goddess of tortune, having rung uy a "royal flush" at Maloy's cigar store on Thursday. The prize won is

The handsome two-story stone building of Thomas Lund, opposite the depot, is now being finished up. A new sidewalk is also being constructed this week on the Front street side of the new block.

Deputy Sheriff Lum and his men returned on Wednesday from repairing the county road up the Satus canyon on the reservation. Mr. Lum reports that the road is now in good condition for travel,

Cashier Hunter at the depot, reports that the company's freight business is now more than double what it was this time last year. There is at the present time a shortage of 5000 cars on the Pacific division.

The Rosenfeld building is being remodeled this week for the occupancy of J. Schwartz, the incoming clothier. W. M. Metcalf, who vacated the house this week, has moved his paint store to North First street.

W. J. Hackett the veteran grain thresher of the Ahtanum, shipped his machine and traction engine to Toppenish on Thursday to engage in the season's threshing in that locality, which is a heavy one this year.

Kelso & Foster on Thursday purchased the books and entire property of the Yakima Abstract Co. and of O. A. Fechter, lessee, of the same. The latter gentleman's reason for selling was lack of time to devote to the business.

It is rumored that a deal was made on Friday, whereby the management of the hotel Yakima is soon to change bunds, Messers E. W. Dooley and John Ryan, being the incoming proprietors. Mr. Griffith it is understood will return to Whatcom. The barn of W. H. Peatross, who resides near Tampico, was burned very mysteriously one night last week. The owner estimates his loss at \$1,400. and carried no insurauce. Several head of fine hogs perished in the flames.

Read the new advertisements in this issue of the old and reliable firms of Fawcett Bros., Read's Steam Laundry and McAllister & Erickson of the O. K. shoe shop. The latter gentleman, who has the soul of a poet, addresses the public this week in verse.

A couple of sneak thieves, who were "rubbernecking" around the engine room of the creamery on Monday, "swiped" the engineer's watch which was left hanging on the wall while that trustful young man was receiving a load of milk on the floor above. They have not been seen since.

The Oddtellow and Woodmen lodges of the town of Sunnyside, gave a grand picnic in that lively burg on Thursday at which a most enjoyable time was had, A large and tastefully decorated platform was constructed for the occasion, on which the young people of that locality tripped the "light fantastic" until a late hour. The affair was a howling success.

A pleasant surprise was given Miss Myra Howlett, on Wednesday evening, when a party of about 20 of her young friends from town suddenly appeared at her home on Nob Hill to spend a few hours. The program consisted of music, whist and dancing, with an interval for partaking of some delicious refreshments. All present report it a most enjoyable affair.

The long delayed machinery for Read's New Steam Laundry has arrived and is being placed in position this week; so that this new enterprise will throw open its doors for business next Monday. It is an up-to-date establishment and will no doubt be a credit to the city and besides will give permanent employment to a number of hands. Read Mr. Read's announcement in our advertising columns.

O. A. Fechter, while on the Sound recently, made arrangements with the N. P. officials for the usual rate of \$6.50 for lhe round trip, return tickets to be good until Oct. 15th. It is believed that at least 3,000 Sound people will avail them selves of the low rates and come over here to aid in harvesting the hop crop. The first trainload is expected to arrive about the 8th or 9th. Picking generally throughout the county will begin Mouday, the 11th.

F. H. Spon, the well known rancher of the Upper Ahtanum, informs The Democrat, that his hop yard never looked better or more promising for a large crop of good quality, than it does at the present time. He attributes his fine prospects mainly to extra care and precaution in irrigating, having turned the water on just as the vines were beginning to bloom, The late rains, he says, have greatly improved, instead of injuring the crop, which opinion is corrobborated by many other growers.

It seems a trifle odd to see a Walla Walla commission merchant in Yakima to purchase fruit, but such is the case. Mr. E. L. Cline of the fiirm of Cline & Offner, arrived here this week with that object in view, being forced to do so by scarcity of fruit in the Walla Walla and Snake river valleys. Mr. Cline states that the fruit crop in his locality is an almost entire failure, except prunes, which are about one half of a crop. Among his purchases here were several boxes of fine peaches, which he shipped to Walla Walla for the use of his own family.

The body of Mark Boyle, the unfortunste young man who lost his life in the Yakima river last week' was found on Tuesday, lodged in some bushes about two miles below the scene of the accident. The body when found had been in the water for eight days, the discovery being made by the brother of the deceased. The burial took place on Tuesday without an inquest being held as the coronor was not notified. The minister who conducted the funeral services, states that the unfortunate man's neck had been broken, which of course must have occured when he was suddenly precipitated into the water.

LOOK HERE!

Extra Fancy Crown Hams, Bacon

We pay 20c. Cash, or 22 1-2 in Trade for Eggs.
Bring all you have.

10 bars good Laundry Soap...... 25c.

We pay highest prices, Cash or Trade, for Fruits and Vegetables.

Free delivery to any part of the city.

Give us a call.

CILT EDGE STORE,

L. G. ZENOVITCH & CO., Proprs.

Vakima Ave., between Front and First,

FOR SALE. 2 SECOND HAND CAMERAS IN GOOD CONDITION. MOORE & WENNER, THE STATIONERS.

THE NEW YORK CASH STORE.

Two doors east of old location, in our new store.

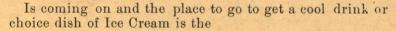
	10 bars Laundry Soap
-	Toilet Soap, Dime Leader, 3 cakes in box, per box05c
	Sewing Machine Oil05c
	8 spools best Cotton25c
	Ladies' white hemstitched Handkerchiefs
	Ladies' colored border Handkerchiefs
	21-in. white Linen Napkins, each
	17-in. white Linen Napkins, each
	22-in. white fine Linen Napkins, each
	Large # fine white Linen Napkins, each
	Crash Toweling
	Extra heavy fancy stripe Bed Ticking, per yard
	Dress Lining, per yard4½
	Sateen Dress Lining, per yard07c
	Selicia, any color, good Lining, per yard
	Black Sateen, plain, per yard

Try Us on Shoes,

We will save you some money.

J. A. ADAMS.

Warm Weather



Yakima * * * Bakery and Restaurant,

Where we serve an elegant Turkey or Chicken Dinner with Ice Cream every Sunday for 25 cents. We make a specialty of furnishing Ice Cream to Picnic Parties, Socials, etc. We also sell the best Cigars and keep the choicest stock of Candies in town. Meals served at all hours.

DITTER & MECHTEL, Proprietors.

An Emphatic Statement from the Apportionment of School Funds People of Sunnyside.

We, the undersigned, residents of the Sunnyside and using water from the Sunnyside canal, having seen the following dispatch, to-wit:

WATER RIGHTS.

THE DUNKARD COLONY AT NORTH YAKIMA IS DISSATISFIED.

Special Dispatch. NORTH YAKIMA, Aug., 3.—The Dunk-ard colonists under the Sunnyside canal are much exercised over their water rights under the receivership as superin-tended by Walter N. Granger.

A delegation has just returned from a visit to Judge Hanford at Seattle. The committee of Dunkards was represented by Elders Eby and Lichty. They claim that another prominent Dunkard, S. J. Harrison, had lost eighty acres of alfalfa by reason of the scant supply of and that the colony has expended from \$70,000 to \$80,000 in improving lands bought from the company, but that they will improve no more unless granted

their full water rights.

A colony of one hundred families which was to come soon from the East has been warned not to come until this matter is settled. The delegation is pleased with Judge Hanford's reception and promised to order an investigation.

Being advised that the same has been widely copied by the press throughout the state, we hereby express our utter condemnation of the same, as being unfounded in fact and a malicious slander upon the country.

We desire hereby to express in the most positive manner,

1st:-That the water supply afforded by the Sunnyside canal is ample for all the needs of the country.

2nd:-That the water service has been of an exceptionably good character. This is true within our own personal knowledge, and is amply attested by the crops now to be seen growing throughout the country.

3rd; - That the people of the country generally are prosperous, and as great a degree of harmony of purpose and feeling exists among them as will be found in any community in the world.

4th:-That the management of the canal by the receiver and general manager is satisfactory.

5th:-That we can conscienciously invite settlers to our country, feeling that it offers to the home-seeker greater inducements and advantages than will be found elsewhere in the Unite I States.

The above statement is signed by 190 land owners under the canal, all of whom are using water. From lack of space in this issue, we are unable to publish the names of those who signed it.

Alexander.

There was a youth who kept a store.

And though some might be grander, He kept a store all through the war And his name was Alexander.

He mixed his goods with a cunning hand, And was a skillful brander; While oft his sugar half was sand— Some called him Alex-sander.

One day his loved one to him came. Then lovingly he scanned her; He asked her would she change her name, And a ring did Alex hand-her.

"Oh, ves," she said, with smiling lip "If I can be commander," They both then formed a partnership And called it Alex-and-Her.

Baltimore Sun.

Try the Silver Star ice cream parlor for a delicious dish of cream or a refreshing glass of lemonade. Remember the place, the Silver Star, formerly known as the Vienna, Conolly building, First

Try our 40cts tea. Kinsey & Co.

NORTH YAKIMA, Wash., Aug. 23. To W. B. Dudley, Treasurer Yakima county. DEAR SIR:-I hereby certify that I have this day apportiond the School Funds belonging to the several school Districts of Yakima County, Washington, now in your hands and subject to apportionment as shown by certificates now on file in my office, and that the several School Districts are entitled to the amounts set opposite their respective numbers, as follows

respective numbers, as follows:										
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Our Brother' the Sultan of Sulu.

This government has made a treaty with the Sultun of Sulu by which he receives as a salary the same sum that he received from Spain as subsidy-said to be \$10,000 a year. This is a new business for the United States-to make a "treaty" with one of its own subjects. But the fact of the treaty is not as startling as its contents. It proposes to leave a Mohammedan despot in absolute control of territory belonging to the United States. Not even moral or religious interference is to be allowed, as one article of the treaty specifically bars out missionaries, Slave-holding is to be continued, though the Sultan agrees, as a concession to silly American prejudices to allow slaves, when able, to buy their

The Sultan of Sulu wanted to fly his own flag, but General Bates, it seems, has persuaded him to fly the stars and stripes.

The sultan maintains a large harem, and frequently beheads his subjects, who are, of course, our fellow citizens. -Tacoma News.

The Gilt Edge store has the largest stock of tobacco in town and best five

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Monday, Sept. 4.

With all new machinery and up-to-date Appliances.

> Only white help employed. Special rates made to Hotels, Restaurants and Barber Shops. No package too small for our wagon to call for and deliver. Our work is guaranteed. Give us a trial. Laundry located

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WHO INTEND PURCHASING

Wagons or Buggies

This fall should be on the lookout for our

Car of New Vehicles,

Which will arrive between September 5 and 10. We can give you the best value for the least money in these goods. Call and examine.

FAWCETT BROS-

Follow the Crowd to the

Where you will find a large and complete stock of



Pure Drugs. Chemicals, Perfumes, Stationery.

We make a specialty of

Prescriptions,

and our prices are reasonable.

We also carry a large and complete stock of the best

Patent Medicines

on the market. Don't forget the place.....

THE CORNER DRUG STORE

W. J. ROAF, Propr.

NEWLY OPENED!

Second Street Confectionery

We keep constantly on hand all kinds of Soft Drinks,

Gigars and Gandies.

We sell the Choice American Biscuit. All kinds of Fruit and Melons in Season. Give us a call.

MRS. ANNIE ELMER, Propr

Opposite Coffin Bros. Store.

A. H. STRUBEN.

O. K. Jonsorial Parlors.

STRUBIN & CLEMMER, Propr's.

Hot or Cold Baths, Only 25c.

The finest and most comfortable bath room in the city. Give us a call and see for yourself.

Basement Janeck Building.

WASHINGTON LETTER.

(From Our Regular Correspondent.)

WASHINGTON CITY, Aug. 25, 1899. Indications point to a new and daring act on the part of the administration in the near future. The army of sixtyodd thousand men, which is being so hurriedly prepared for the Philippines may be intended for use elsewhere. There is talk-only in whispers as yetinside administration circles about arrangements to buy off Aguinaldo and his principal officers, and thus bring about an early peace in the Philippines; and members of the diplomatic corps have rumors that one foreign government hints of an understanding between Great Britain and the United States, by which the American army in the Philippines and the strong British navay in Asiatic waters may be used to back up a joint demand made by the .U. S. concerning the future government of China. This matter has not gone far enough to be publicly discussed, and it may not do so at all, but there are numerous indications, not the least of which is the sudden confidence in administration circles that the Philippine war is almost over, pointing to its probable correctness. Such a move would be imperialism, indeed.

The republicans are evidently weakening on their attempt to make it appear that Col. Bryan is losing strength and prestige in the west. The evidence the other way is to overwhelming for them. Hon. Marcus A. Smith, long a delegate in Congress from Arizona, and who may return to public life as a Senator, after Arizona becomes a state says of the political outlook: "Col. Bryan's name will be the only one before the national convention. He is even stronger in the west than he was in '96. The Chicago platform will be reaffirmed with additional planks dealing with present issues. There has been a revival of faith in the ability of the democrats to win in 1900, and men who thought two months ago that the party had no chance are now declaring that Bryan can carry the country next year. My own opinion is that he will be our next president."

Although there has been no doubt on the subject for some time, members of the administration felt greatly relieved when they knew that Ex-Czar Reed's resignation as a member of the house had been received and accepted by the Governer of Maine. The administration is expecting some hard sledding in Congress this winter, and upon several important matters Mr. Reed is known to oppose Mr. McKinley's policy; hence the relief to know that it is beyond Mr. Reed's power to head a republican revolt in the House. His retirement makes it certain that the House will do whatever Mr. McKinlky wishes it to do. but there will be trouble and a heap of it in the Senate, notwithstanding the efforts which have been made to placate certain republican senators with commissions in the volunteer service and Natches, July 5th. other patronage.

Secretary Wilson of the department of agriculture, must be credited with having the courage of his convictions, since he says in a typewritten interview prepared in his own office: "I believe world. For sale only by F. Oneil, Gen'l. that the legal enactment of the single gold standard will be of practical and permanent advantage to the agricultural interests of the United States." Later in the same interview he puts his weight about 1000 lbs. Branded T. L. foot into it by admitting that it is the on left thigh. Small star in forhead. A creditor class which is most anxious liberal reward will be paid for her refor the legal enactment of the single turn to Jim Baker, N. Yakima. 2t

gold standard. Wonder how many farmers Mr. Wilson knows who belong to the creditor class.

Secretary Root says, and he ought to know, that Gen. Otis will not be removed from command of the Philippine

Mark has Retired.

Mark Hanna has retired from business. It is is positively known that he has as much wealth as \$7,000,000, netting him an income of fully \$350,000 annually. When he went into politics he was worth not to exceed \$2,000,000. He has made politics pay by making it "practical." Mark Hanna has no sentiments, ideals or theories to hamper him in his chase after wealth, earned by the sweat and toil of others. and he connected himself with the party that he knew would give him the best returns financially as well as politically. Mr. Hanna is the moving spirit of the republican organization, and because of his connection with it, and the connection of men like him. the party is falling from its high estate and fast becoming the implement of men who are in politics for what there is in it. Its failures of the past twelve months are due to this selfishness and greed, more than to other causes. Where profits and spoils are the desideratum, efficiency and performance are impossible .-- East

Read what People Say about the Great Labor Saving Waldron Washer.

I think that the WALDRON WASH ER does fine work and am well pleased with my bargain. Selah, Aug. 29th. MRS. M. E. MONROE.

I have washed with the WALDRON WASHER and found it the greatest machine that I ever saw. It washed everything perfectly clean. I have bought one and would not be without for three times the cost. Fruitvale, Aug. 26th.

MRS. MARY KORESKY. I have bought a WALDRON WASH-ER and am well pleased with it. It washes very fast, perfectly clean and works easy. North Yakima, July 7th.

MRS. ELIZA LASSWELL.

I have used the WALDRON WASH-ER and find it all right and can recommend it to all my friends and neighbors as a first class machine. Natches June MRS. L. CHAMBERLAIN.

I have bought one of the WALDRON WASHERS and find it the best machine I have ever used. It does all that is claimed for it and can cheerfully recommend it. Natches, June 28th.

DAN NELSON.

I have bought a WALDRON WASH-ER and am very well pleased with it. Every family should have one for the machine is certainly a great labor saver.

MRS. WALTER WHITE.

Don't allow your wife to wear her life away with washing in the old fashioned way, but buy her a WALDRON WASH-ER, the most perfect of its kind in the Manager for the Waldron Manufacturing Co. Address North Yakima, Wash,

LOST. A four year old bay mare,

THE MONOGRAM Cigar Store and Billiard Hal

Is the place to go for a good choice Cigar, the best Tobacco, a cool refreshing glass of Lemonade or a delicious Milk Shake.

Club Room in Connection.

Don't forget the place. THE MONOGRAM. JEWELL & JACKSON, PROPRS. Stone Building, Yakima Ave., between Front and First sts.

To Parents.



There is no more injurious practice than that of holding toys close to a baby's face to attract his attention. More cases of cross eyes are caused in this way than from all other causes combined. The strain necessary to focus the eye for so close an object injures the muscles and throws them out of harmony. The more a child can be out of doors, looking at distance when the cheekly he appropriated to hold his

tant objects, the better for his eyes. He should be encouraged to hold his books and playthings at least 15 inches away. If he cannot see so well at that distance do not punish him, but have his eyes carefully examined. He needs glasses, and the sooner they are worn the better it will be for him. If your child shows the slightest tendency to cross his eyes, do not put the matter off a moment. Glasses will cure him at first, but if you wait too long nothing but an operation will do him any good. Glasses ground to fit the eye. Consultation and examination free.

T. G. REDFIELD, Graduate Optician.

We have lately opened for business our new mill on the South Fork of the Cowiche and are prepared to fill all orders for

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At Reasonable Prices.

We are now also taking

Fruit Boxes

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Address all mail to Cowiche P. O.

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High Grade Liquors a Specialty.

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Lodging House, owe

ROBT. ROUTLEDGE, Prop.

A first-class house, complete in every department.

Rooms 25 to 50 Cents. Special Rates by Week

Brick block near depot,

"The Man With The Hoe."

(Written after seeing Millet's world famous painting.)

"God made man in His own image, in the image of God made He him." —Genes

Bowed by the weight of centuries he leans Upon his hoe and gazes on the ground, The emptiness of ages in his face. And on his back the burden of the world. Who made him dead to rapture and despair, A thing that grieves not and that never

shopes, should and stunned, a brother to the ox? Who loosened and let down this brutal jaw? Whose was the hand that slanted back this Whose breath blew out the light within this brain?

Is this the thing the Lord God made and

gave
To have dominion over sea and land;
To trace the stars and search the heavens
for power;
To feel the passion of Eternity?
Is this the Dream He dreamed, who shaped

the suns
And pillared the blue firmament with light?
Down all the stretch of Hell to its last gulf
There is no shape more terrible than this—
More tongued with censure of the world's

blind greed— More filled with signs and portents for the More fraught with menace to the universe.

What gulfs between him and the scraphim! Slave of the wheel of labor, what to him Are Plato and the swing of Pleiades? What the long reaches of the peaks of song? The rift of the dawn, the reddening of the

Through this dread shape the suffering ages

Time's tragedy is in that aching stoop; Through this dread shape humanity be

trayed, Plundered, profaned and disinherited, Cries protest to the Judges of the World, A protest that is also prophecy.

O masters, lords and rulers in all lands,
Is this the handiwork you give to God,
This monstrous thing distorted and soulquenched?
How will you ever straighten up this shape;
Touch it again with immortality;
Give back the upward looking and the light;
Rebuild in it the music and the dream;
Make right the immemoria! infamies,
Perfidious wrongs, immedicable woes?

O masters, lords and rulers in all lands, How will the Future reckon with this Man? ow answer his brute question in that hour hen whirlwinds of rebellion shake the

world? w will it be with kingdoms and with kings— With those who shaped him to the thing he

When this dumb Terror shall reply to God After the silence of the centuries?

EDWIN MARKHAM.

Oakland, Cal.

A farmer stepped into a printing office and said to the editor: "I'd like to take your paper but I am too poor." "Go home," said the editor, "pick out a hen, home, 'said the editor,' pick out a hen, call her mine, sell or save the eggs from her for me, and if she wants to set let her, and next fall bring me all the produce from that hen. I'll send the paper.'' When fall came he found, he was paying the price of two papers. After that he found he was payer too, poor to take he found he was never too poor to take a paper. Besides, when he wanted to borrow his neighbor's paper, he was al. ways reading it, so he had to wait until the news was old or take it secondhanded. There is nothing like taking one of your own and getting the news from first hands, says an exchange.

Glorious News

Comes from Dr. D. B. Cargile, of Washita, I. T. He writes: "Four bottles of Electric Bitters has cured Mrs. Brewer of scrofula, which had caused her great suffering for years. Terrible sores would break out on her head and face, and the best doctors could give no help; but her cure is complete and her health is excellent," This shows what thousands have proved,-that Electric Bitters is the best blood purifier known. It's the supreme remedy for eczema, tetter, salt eum ulcers boils and running sores It stimulates liver, kidneys and bowels, expels poisons, helps digestion, builds up the strength. Only 50 cents. Sold by Louis O. Janeck, druggist. Guaranteed.

For sale—Two business lots in block 32; also a few residence lots 50x180. Inquire of J. H. Needham at store of J. A. Kleis or E. M. Harris. 46-5t

PURITAN PATENT FLOUR is first class. Ask your grocer for it.

Yakima Crops are all Right.

Mr. Samuel Chappell who has traveled over most of this county during the past three weeks, being engaged in the sale of machinery, informs The Democrat that with scarcely any exception the crops in this county are equal to if not better than those of preceeding years The exception alluded to are confined to certain kinds of fruit, which of course are due in the main to the unfavorable weather of last spring. The shortage of the fruit crop, however, only applies to certain sections. The hop and hay crops in particular Mr. Chappell thinks are all that could be desired and the present prospect for good prices has the effect of making Yakima county farmers feel well satisfied with the situation.

A True Democrat.

Mayor Carter Harrison, of Chicago planned and carried out a programme relative to the reception by him of his numerous visitors, whose object it was to tender advice and make complaints. He informed his attendant to bring them to him in the order of their arrival. One day there were many waiting to see him and among them a millionaire banker, who sent in his card with the statement that his business with the executive was urgent and he desired to see the mayor without delay. Harrison sent word back that he would have to wait his turn. He then gave audience to a poor woman with a sick baby who wished to intercede with the mayor in behalf of her unfortunate husband. The millionaire banker and influential politician had to wait. Carter Harrison was re-elected mayor of Chicago against great odds. It is easy for an embryo office-holder to formulate a plan of future procedure, but it takes nerve to promulgate it when the office comes into his possession. Few mayors would make a millionaire banker wait until a poverty stricken woman was given attention, yet by such acts as this Carter Harrison was re-elected to an office to which he had by other means been a disgrace.—Exchange.

Resolution of Respect.

WHEREAS, The Great Commander has transferred Comrade C. M. Holton from our ranks to the great army above, be it Resolved, that in his death this Post has met with an inestimable loss. Faithful in the discharge of Christian duty, with a loyalty to his country proven by years of service in the time of greatest need, serving the community in which he lived in such a way as to merit the respect of all. And with a home life complete in love and kindliness, he exhibited the highest type of Christian citizenship. Resolved, That these resolutions be spread upon the minutes of this Post, a copy be sent to the family of deceased and that they be published in the city papers.

J. M. HENDERSON, P. McCafferty,

B. B. COOMBS. Committee.

New bureau scarfs at 45c, 60c, \$1 and \$1.50. New pillow shams at 95c and \$1.35 a pair, at J. J. Macdonald's, First street, south.

"Rex Hams" are the best. Try them. Kinsey & Co.

B. N. Coe & Co. are agents for the Seattle Times, Tacoma Ledger, Tacoma News and Spokane Review. Store on First Street.

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\$15,000 IN PURSES AND PREMIUMS

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Of Stockmen, Dairymen, Fruit Growers, Farmers, Poultrymen and Business Men.

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INDIAN AND SQUAW RACES EACH DAY; WAR DANCES, BARBECUES, ETC.; BALLOON ASCENSIONS AND PARACHUTE JUMPS; TRAPEZE AND TIGHT ROPE PERFORMANCES; ACQUATIC EXHIBITIONS BY CAPT. BEACH, THE WONDERFUL "MAN-FISH."

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DR. T. B. GUNN,

President.

Secretary

North Yakima, Wash.

A Bad Wreck

The east bound overland passenger train which is due here at 11:30 p.m. run down a special freight as it was pulling into Ellensburg on Sunday night, with frightful results so far as the loss of property is concerned, although for- in receipt of a letter from O. A. Fechter, tunately no one was killed. The wreck which occured about 10 o'clock, was occasioned it seems by the passenger arriving at Ellensburg slightly ahead of time and at a tremendous rate of speed, thus catching a special freight just as it was pulling onto the siding.

When engineer Burke of the passenger saw what was ahead he immediately reversed his engine and he and his fireman jumped for their lives. The latter escaped with a few bruises, but the engineer was not so fortunate in swinging off, as he had the ill-luck to strike violently in the darkness against a new cross tie lying near the track, resulting in a broken arm and internal injuries which it is believed will not prove mortal.

Meantime the great "Mogul" engine rushed on with terrible force into the rear of the freight train, demolishing into flinders the caboose and several loaded cars ahead and scattering the contents broadcast. The great impact threw the engine into the ditch, where it lay steaming and puffing like the dying agonies of a mortally injured animal. The mail and baggage cars although they did not leave the track were pretty well used up.

The train as usual was crowded with passengers who as may be imagined were panic stricken by the terrible jolting received, many being thrown clear out of their seats, but fortunately none received any serious injury. It required about nine hours in order to get the track cleared of the debris and accordingly the passenger did not reach here until 9 a. m. Monday. A number of Yakima people were on the ill fated train.

At Chillicothe, Mo., Dr. Carl Louis Perin, the palm reader, has been cleverly trapped by a lot of practical jokers. The impression of the palm of the town idiot was taken and sent to the doctor with a dollar and ten questions about the idiot's character and future. In the palmistry department of a Kansas City newspaper appeared the following reading of Jones'

"Chillicothe, Mo .- Live to be 74. Little or no sickness of a serious nature. Success as a politican. Marry in three years successfully. Two marriages; raise three children in comparative happiness. Die fairly well off. Lucky day Friday. Travel extensively and go abroad once. Make no change at the present."

This "reading" has knocked out al faith in palmistry in Chillicothe. The man has been a helpless idiot from his birth.-Ex.

He Fooled the Surgeons.

All doctors told Renick Hamilton, of die unless a costly operation was performed; but he cured himself with five surest pile cure on earth, and the best salve in the world. 25 cents a box. Sold by Louis O. Janeck, druggist.

Go to Benson's Fish Market, Second street, for fresh Olympia oysters.

If you are hard to suit in the matter of a vehicle Schorn's is the place to go

For a good and cheap family flour use the BLUE BELL.

A Free ',Ad" Just the Same.

Secretary Fechter of the hop growers association is being joshed a good deal about the following complimentary notice given him free of charge by the Chehalis Advocate :- "The Advocate is secretary of the Yakima Hop Grower's Association, asking us to publish a gratis "ad" of consideable length, calling for hop pickers for the growers of the Yakima country. The "ad" goes on to state that the hoppicking will commence about Sept. 10th, and that one dollar will be paid, It sets fourth at considerable detail the advantages of hoppicking about North Yakima and closes by saying that further information may be obtained from modest Mr. Fechter. If we publish this lengthy "ad" free and send Mr. Fechter a half dozen copies of the Advocate for nothing he will be greatly obliged. It is needless to say that this man Fechter is a modest man and doesn't want a thing.

The Advocate is of the opinion, in the first place, that the hop pickers of Lewis county can all find profitable jobs at home this year. In the second place we are not in the business of free advertising, just at present."

Expansion is not Popular.

It is odd that the expansionists who have been whooping about manifest destiny and benevolent assimilation, are clinging tightly to Columbia,s shoes and refusing to enlist.

After a month of hard work the recruiting officers have succeeded in mustering less than one-third of a regiment at Fort Vancouver out of the four states or Washington, Oregon, California, and Idaho, containing a population of over two and a half millions of people.

These four states are supposed to be extra favorable to expansion, because of the alleged beuefit they would receive in increased trade with the Philippines, yet with an estimated fighting strength of 300,000 soldiers less than 300 have enlisted. What does this mean? The imperalistic organs say that the times are so prosperous men will not serve of Depot, North Yakima. are so prosperous men will not serve their government for \$16 per month. They are wrong. They slander the patriotism of the American people by A New Line of such a statement. In a just cause-in time of need-dozens and dozens of regiments could be raised in the states named. The martial spirit of the people is not dead, but it cannot be awakened in a cause they know to be unjust and oppressive of the liberty of others. The administration can depart from American traditions as much as it likes, but the great mass of the common people, the reflecting, intelligent producing class, will not follow it in its career of madness.

It also teaches that expansion is not as popular on this coast as we had been led to believe. We have material re-West Jefferson, O., after suffering eigh- sources in our own commonweath that teen month from rectal fistula, he would will use up all our surplus energy for and we do not care to fritter away good open in our new location on the east side Meet all Competition. boxes of Bucklen's Arnica Salve, the American lives for the empty honor of of South First street. possessing a sun baked, siroco scorched. fever blasted group like the Philippines. -Tacoma News.

Baths for Ladies

Hot, cold, "spray" and variously medicated. VIAVI HYGIENE DEP'T. Over Ditter & Mechtel's Bakery.

I have for sale 300 barrels for hop-pickers. A. B. Pearson.

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A Carload of the **UDEBAKER**

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As well as Staple and Fancy Stationery. Newspapers and Periodicals, and a large assortment of

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Flour Mills.

W. D. Walker returned from the Sound on Monday night.

Frank Clemmer is enjoying his va-cation with friends in the Natches.

Miss Sarah Linse of Nob Hill is reported to be very ill with malarial fever.

Rev. A. H. Lyons and wife returned from the Sound country Monday night.

Alex Miller returned Thursday from a business visit to Walla Walla and vicin-

Jack McNeff, the well known hop buyer, arrived in town the first of the

Mrs. H. J. Snively returned Tuesday night from a visit with friends on the

County Assessor Scott returned Tuesday from a business visit to the Sound

Mrs. John Rodman of the Moxee, arrived home on Tuesday from a visit to Portland.

E. F. Benson the popular land agent of the Northern Pacific was in the city on Tuesday.

Clifford Wright returned home Monday night after spending his vacation on Puget Sound.

W. F. Barnhart of Port Angeles arrived here on Friday and is a guest of the Bartholet.

Mrs. Griffith of the hotel Yakima, is now convalescent from an attack of malerial fever.

Miss May Somerfield of Sumner, is the guest of Mrs. Dr. Frank, having ar-rived on Monday.

Mrs. Sam McCaw and children of Fort Simcoe have been guests this week of the Bartholet.

T. Teager and family arrived here from Everett Wednesday to look for a home in this locality.

J. J. Macdonald the First St. mer-chant returned Wednesday morning from his visit to Portland.

Miss Lillie Michels returned on Monday from a two week's visit with friends in Ellensburg and Cleelum.

G. H. Moulton, who has been ill for several weeks with typhoid fever, is now rapidly improving in health.

Mrs. Edward Whitson and children returned home the first of the week from their outing at the seashore.

E. W. Dooley returned from Seattle on Tuesday, where he successfully marketed another car load of horses.

Mrs. J. P. McCafferty returned home from the sound Thursday night, as did also Mrs. W. L. Wright of Fruitvale.

Miss May Sentel of Pasco, who has been visiting friends in this city for a week, returned home on Monday night

Receiver Allen of the Yakima Investment Co., left Tuesday night for a short visit with his family in Spokane.

Joe Ditter returned from his vacation trip to the sound on Tuesday night. He reports having had a most enjoyable

R. I. Watson returned home Tuesday from Teanaway where the Yakima Dray Co. are having a large amount of fuel wood cut.

Mike Shorn no longer feels lonesome. as his wife and family returned on Thursday night from a five week's visit to the sound.

"Mine host" Michels of the Hotel Bartholet, left for Nelson Siding on Thursday to look after his mining inter

Sam Nutting, who is now employed in a large hardware house in the Dalles, came up Thursday for a brief visit with his old "tillicums."

J. W. Thomas accompanied by Lee Chamberlain and W. S. McPhee of the Natches, left Monday on a short prospecting tour in the Swauk.

Mrs. W. C. Hoyt, wife of the Indian commissioner, arrived on Tuesday from the east, accompanied by her children. Mr. Hoyt will follow later.

Rev. H. M. Bartlett and wife and Mrs. O. A. Fechter, arrived home on Saturday night from their outing at Crescent Lake on the West side.

Surveyor Sydney Arnold has returned from Buckley and vicinnity, where he spent several days in measuring the streams for the U.S. geological surveyor.

Secretary Gunn of the state fair commission returned home Saturday night from Salem, where he went to confer with the management of the Oregon

M. X. Stahl of Seattle has purchased the S. L. Walton residence on the west side. Mr. Walton and family this week returned to their former home at London Ontario.

Chris Miller and wife, who for the past year have been living at Elgin Ill., returned to this city on Wednesday morning satisfied that there is no place like Yakima.

Mrs. C. M. Holton received a telegram on Tuesday, from Dr. Holton at Battle Creek Mich., announcing the safe arrival of the remains of his late brother Captain Holton in that city.

Mrs. Vestal Snyder and two children returned home from Portland Monday morning. They were on the train wrecked at Ellensburg, but escaped fortunately without injury.

G. S. Vance and wife arrived home on Tuesday night from a two month's visit in New Jersey. Mr. Vance will assume the position of head salesman in the new store of Moore & Schott.

Mrs. Thos. F. Maher, who formally resided in this city is said to have died suddenly at Tacoma on Monday from heart disease. We have been unable as yet to get any particulars. Mrs. Maher was a daughter of A. F. Snelling.

A. E. Larson returned from the sound Friday morning, where he has been tor several days looking at different theaters. Mrs. Larson, who accompanied him to the sound, stopped off at Ellensburg on the way home to visit friends. the way home to visit friends.

Ed F. White, the well known tailor formerly of this city, but now a resident of Spokane, was in the city on Monday shaking hands with old friends. He is now a traveling salesman and finds the change beneficial to his health.

Mrs. J. F. Briggs and daughter, Miss L. C. Briggs of Wahpeton South Dakota, the mother and sister of Mr. Ciaude Briggs, who have been visiting that gentleman for the past month, left for their home on Tuesday night's overland.

C. H. Furman, a prominent citizen of Pine county Minn, has removed his family to this county and located temporarily in Yakima City. Mr. Furman thinks that the Yakima valley has the most promising future of any locality he has yet visited.

Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Robertson returned home on the belated train Monday from attendance at the funeral of Mr. Robertson's sister who was buried at Olympia on Saturday. We are in-debted to Mr. Robertson for a very graphic account of the passenger wreck at Ellensburg on Sunday night.

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Walton and little son departed on Thursday night's train for London, Ontario, their old home where they intend to reside in the future. They were accompanied to the depot by a large number of personal decouples who are added to the depot by a large number of personal decouples. friends, who one and all deeply regretted the necessity of the final parting. The Democrat will visit them weekly and keep them posted on Yakima happen-

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Late General News.

Col. W. J. Bryan and family are spending a month in the Yosemite Valley of

The California regiment landed at San Francisco from off the transport "Sherman" on the 26th.

Gen. Otis on the 25th cabled to the war department the terms of Gen. Bates agreement with the Sulu Sultan.

Fire at Sparkhill, N. Y., on the 28th destroyed the St. Agnes Orphanage with the result that six lives were lost.

Admiral Watson, who relieved Admiral Dewey in command at Manila, is said to be seriously ill with heart trouble.

President McKinley and wife, were the guests of Vice-President Hobart at the latter's New Jersey home on the

Premier Laurier has accepted the invitation of the Canadian Veterans Association of Chicago to visit that city in

At the builder's trial trip of the battleship "Alabama" in Delaware Bay on the 29th the vessel developed a speed of 1714 knots an hour.

Admiral Dewey has notified the New York committee on reception that the cruiser "Olympia" will arrive in New York harbor Sept. 29th.

By the fall of some heavy steel arches of the new Coliseum building in course of construction at Chicago on the 28th, nine men lost their lives.

The United States cruiser 'Newark' reached San Francisco on the 29th from the Atlantic coast after a long and perious trip around the Horn.

Diplomacy is said to be practically exhausted between the English and the Boers of the Transvaal and war is expected to break out now any day.

Governor General Wood, of Cuba, has announced his intention of carrying on large experiments in that island by the way of planting eucalyptus trees to prevent Yellow fever.

Negotiations are said to be in progress between the governments of China and Japan looking to a defensive alliance between the two nations to preserve the integrity of the former.

The news was received in Washington on the 26th of the success of the revolutionary party of Santo Domingo in a battle with government troops in which the latter were badly routed.

Representatives of all the British Mining companies operating in the Klondyke, have petitioned the Ottawa government for a reduction of the tax on their gold production from 10 to five per cent.

Five deaths occured on board the transport "Grant," which arrived at San Francisco on the 29th, from Manila. The vessel brought over portions of the N. Dakota, Idaho and Wyoming regi-

At the special election held in the eighth congressional district of Missouri on the 29th to select a successor to the late congressman Bland, Judge D. W. Shackelford the democratic candidate was elected over his republican opponent by a pluralty of of over 3000,

John R. McLean proprietor of the Cin-tending.

cinatti Enquire was nominated for governor. The platform adopted re-affirms the Chicago platform and declares against imperialism and the trusts.

The state department at Washinaton, has acted favorably on the application of Col. James Hamilton Lewis counsel for American miners deprived of their rights by reason of the enforcement of the anti-alien law at Lake Atlin. Col. Lewis left for London on the 28th to lay the matter before the U.S. minister, who will it is understood make a formal demand on the British government for redress.

State Fair Notes.

The printer in making up the State Fair premium list, overlooked the special offers of the Yakima Hardware Company, of the Planet Jr. "Universal," Orchard and Hop Cultivator, \$50.00, which is to be given to the farmer making the best display of Yakima county products; and the cash offer of \$5.00 made by Jewell & Jackson, cigar dealers, premium 391, first \$3.00 second \$2.00 for the best case of creamery butter, in bricks, to two pounds each, farmers and butter makers should note these additional prizes and compete for them at the Fair, Sept., 25 to 30.

Every family nees an outing in the month of September, and the State Fair offers most extraordinary inducements to those seeking health and comfort and combining business with pleasure. There is not a farmer in the state but has something he can place on exhibition and possibly win a prize sufficient to pay all expenses of a week at the Fair for his family. The premium list is filled with offers of cash for 500 different exhibits. As many articles have second and and third prizes offered, there are over one thousand chances to get full value and the attendance cost nothing. Premiums are given away for every product of farm, orchard, garden, dairy, poultry yard and sewing circle. Get a book from Dr. T. B. Gunn, North Yakima, and see how many induce-

ments are made to exhibitors. The expense of a family in attending the Fair will not be very great. Meals can be obtained in North Yakima and on the grounds at reasonable prices. The admission fee is 50 cents for adults and 25 cents for children, but a season family ticket, admitting an entire family, including children under 21 years of age, is only \$3.00 for six days. Teams are admitted under this ticket free, and camping privileges are free also. Tents can be rented in North Yakima for \$1.00 for the week. All kinds of provisions may be obtained at the grounds, by delivery wagons, for usual prices. One premium on sheep, hogs, stock or farm products pay all the expenses. In addition there are premiums worth \$25.00, to \$125.00 which farmers will win.

There will be present the Tacoma Military Band which will play every day on the grounds: great stables of the finest horses, cattle, sheep and hogs in the northwest. coops of valuable fowls nd pets; a large pavillion filled with beautiful productions of handiwork; large hall for displaying improved machinery; scores of the best race horses in the west; hundreds of Indians painted and giving war dances, sun dances and other sports.; the great "man fish" who smokes, eats and sleeps beneath The Ohio state democratic convention assembled at Zanesville on the 29th.

John R. McLean proprietors of the Circ.

The Trust Puzzle.

The twisting, squirming, and maneuvering of politicans to avoid the odium of trusts and take advantage of the unpopularity of the enormous combinations recently formed, furnish a subject for serious thought, says the National Watchman. There is no doubt that all parties in the next national campaign will adopt platforms violently against trusts. The republican party will be so vindictive in its language against those institutions that no other party can exceed its violent abuse. The question to be solved is: Will the people ever find out who is responsible for trusts? The gold standard is the father of all trusts becouse gold standard contraction creates falling prices which makes it necessary for business men to combine to save themselves from bankruptcy. Who is responsible for the gold standard, the party led by McKinley or the party led by Bryan? Every trust organization in the United States will contribute its money and its influence to elect the republican candidate. Will this fact satisfy the people that the republican party is the party responsible for trusts. Why should every trust in the United States be republican, from the gold combination down to the manufacturers of matches. If the American people are not stark mad they will have no difficulty in finding out which party is responsible for the trusts, and if they are really opposed to trusts they will vote for the other side. Unless the majority of the American people vote as the trusts vote, the republican candidate will stand no no show whatever of winning in 1900.—Aberdeen Herald.

Where the Bacteria Come From.

We might ask where they do not come from and have a very small list of places for an answer. They come from everywhere where there is dust. Nothing escapes them, everything is infected with them. Fortunately by far the greater per cent of them are harmless, and we forget that they are always pres ent with us. It is only when the dairy. man finds his milk off that he begins to inquire as to their birthplace and habitat. Perhaps the most prolific place around the farm is the cowhouse and its surroundings. The decomposing manure and urine form a nest in which bacteria multiply by millions. The silo adds its portion. The holes and corners, in which damp food is left to sour, hold other legions, and in fact every place where organic matter and water come together is a source of germs that come forth to give the dairyman trouble. There are many places where bacteria are useful and in their proper place, but be sure that the milk pail is not among the number. No germs belong there. The corners should not hold bacteria nor the cracks bacilli. See that the sides are not contaminated with micrococci, nor the bottom with diplococci. Keep them in the manure and the silo, where they belong. There they are at home, but in the milk pail they can only cause more kinds of trouble than is necessary and the life of a dairyman is not so full of gayety that he can afford to decrease it in the least by want of attention to those small bodies which are at once his

The Appetite of a Goat

Is envied by all poor dyspeptics whose stomach and liver are out of order. All such should know that Dr. King's New Life Pills, the wonderful stomach and liver remedy, gives a splendid appetite, sound digestion and a regular bodily habit that insures perfect health and great energy. Only 25 cents. Sold by Louis O. Janeck.

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And brand new rigs, I would respectfully solicit a fair share of the public patronage.

M. B. MURCHIE.

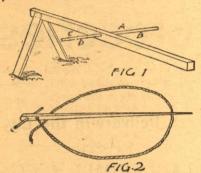
Wanted--Station Men,

Subcontractors, laborers, teams, for work on Palmer cut-off railroad, near Seattle. Wages: Teams, \$4 a day; men, \$2; station work, 17 to 22 cents a yard. H. C. HENRY & CO, Seattle, Wash.

HARVESTING CORN.

Simple Devices For Facilitating Shocking and Husking.

Not every man knows how to stand ap a shock of corn which will not twist or lean into an unrecognizable mass after it has had time to season, says a writer in the Iowa Homestead, from which the cuts are reproduced. When I put up corn by hand, I always use a jack like that seen in Fig. 1. Pull the

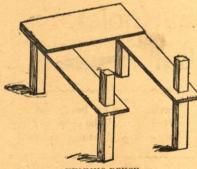


FOR SHOCKING AND TYING.

jack along to the place where the shock to stand, so that the round pin through the 2 by 4 piece is directly over the place for the shock. Set up four armloads in the four recesses of the jack made by the pin running through at a, b, c and d. When the shock is half or two-thirds made, remove the jack by withdrawing the pin and finish it with-

Tie the shock when done by means of a contrivance shown in Fig. 2, composed of a pole five or six feet long with a rope put through an auger hole in the pole. This is thrust through the shock two-thirds of the way up, and the rope drawn around the shock as tight as it can be drawn and made fast to the pole while the shock is being tied. A shock made in this manner and properly tied will stand a long time and will stand well. If the corn is to be husked out before it is fed to stock, a husking bench, shown in the second cut, will be convenient. This is carried up alongside of a shock which is tipped over on the bench. The husker seats himself on the seat and begins working the stover toward him, and when he gets a bundle of convenient size it is bound and laid aside, and so on until all is husked. This prevents missing any, and it is far more convenient to sit than to kneel down in the mud or

In hauling in the bundles I have found it very convenient to load from the rear part of the wagon by walking up a running board, which hangs on the rear of the rack and is dragged along to the next shock all the time. The rear post of the hayrack should be



HUSKING BENCH.

removed, and two short, stout corner pieces nailed on just high enough to not interfere with loading, will prevent the corner bunches of fodder slipping off. I have never shredded any fodder and know nothing of its value from a practical standpoint, having fed all my fodder in the old fashioned manner. I have seen the corn harvester at work, which seems to me to be a very good thing for those who make a business of using much fodder annually in the feeding ration.

Sunnyside Flashes

Mr. and Mrs. Morrison are rejoicing over the arrival of a daughter.

Mr. Fields, an uncle of Mrs. Dooolittle died recently at that lady's house. He was an old gentleman, who had come here hoping that a change would be a benefit to him, but grim death had marked him for its own. His two sons took the remains to Spokane for burial.

Our annual picnic of the Odd Fellows and Woodmen, will be held on the 31st. All are cordially invited to attend.

Newcomers are beginning to come in now every day in quest of land.

Thanks largely to the untiring care of Receiver Allen and Manager Granger, things are in a fairly prosperous condition under the canal this year.

Joe Brown, the North Yakina "piano fiend" has been here recently selling instruments. Mr. Brown has the faculty of being able to talk a man blind, which is probably the reason why he does so much business.

Simcoe Cullings.

U.S. Marshall Crosby of Tacoma is spending a few days hunting hereabouts. He is the guest of Agent Lynch.

Miss Bessie Ball of Salt Lake, one of our teachers, returned Wednesday. She reports a delightful visit at home. Miss Kishbaugh, principal teacher, is expected Friday. She has been teaching in Snohomish for the past year.

Mr. Nutley of Puyallup made us a flying visit Wednesday.

Most of the Indians will be away for the next six weeks attending the fair, heaving lighting atternations.

hop-picking, etc.

Mrs. McCaw went to North Yakima

Tuesday.

Our new blacksmith, Mr. Carson, came Friday last. He hails from Siletz. Mrs. Gilman and Miss McKay will

spend their vacation on the Sound. Beal Gaither is teaching his St. Bernard dog to drive in shafts. He has a

Elegant in design, superior in quality, low in price are the Studebaker manufactures. Schorn has them.

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Notice to Contractors.

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Notice is hereby given that the city of North Yakima will let a contract for grading the east side of Natches avenue between Spruce and Streets, and the west side of said avenue between D street and Yakima avenue, all of said streets and avenues being in accordance with the plat of said city now on file and of record in the office of the county auditor of Yakima county, Washington, said avenue to be graded to a uniform grade by using the dirt material to be found on the said Natches avenue with the additional borrow of 140 feet at the intersection with Chestnut street and 200 feet joining on Spruce street.

Chestnut street and 200 feet joining on Spruce street.

Said contract to be let on the basis that the cuts on said grade, in addition to said borrows, will make all fills.

Sealed proposals for the contract for the above proposed improvement will be received by the city clerk up to the time the bids are opened, on the 4th day of September, 1899, at 7:30 o'clock p. m., of said day.

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

The city convenir reserves the right to reject

to him.
The city council reserves the right to reject any and all bids.
Dated at North Yakima, Wash., this 22d day of August, 1899.
H. B. DOUST,
City Clerk.

Notice to Contractors.

Notice is hereby given that the board of school directors of district no. 7, will receive bids for the erection and constru tion of a one-story frame school building situated opposite south-west corner of the state fair grounds, in ac-cordance with the plans and specificaions on file in the clerk's office.

All bids to be accompanied by a certified check for five per cent of the amount to be forfeited to the school district in case the successful bidder fails to enter into a contract.

The right is reserved to reject any and all bids

All bids must be in the hands of the clerk on or before the 5th, of September.
By order of the board.

LUCY NICHOLS,

NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS.

Notice is hereby given that the city council will let a contract for the construction of a sidewalk along the west side of Sixth street in said city between the southeast corner of lot No. 8. in and of block No. 112, all of said lots and blocks being according to the plat of said city on file in the office of the county auditor of Yakima county. Washington

Said sidewalk to be eight feet wide and to be laid with planks two inches thick, eight inches wide and eight feet long and surfaced on one side, resting on three stringers, four inches by six inches; said sidewalk to be firmly braced and supported and laid in a good workmanlike manner, on the grade marked out and established in front of said lots and blocks as the same appears from the grade stakes and the data of the survey thereof on file in the office of the city clerk; all material used shall be good common fil labor and furnish all material.

Sealed proposals for the contract for the above improvement will be received by the city clerk up to the time the bids are opened on the 4th day of September, 1899, at 7:30 o'clock p, m.

All bidders will be required to deposit

on the 4th day of September, 1899, at 7:30 o'clock p. m.

All bidders will be required to deposit with their bids a certified check for ten dolars on some bank in the city of North Yakima, payable to the order of the city treasurer as security that such bidder will enter into a contract with said city in the manner provided by law and the ordinances of said city in case such contract is awarded to him.

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The contractor will be required to enter
into a contract and give a bond with approved surety as required by laws of 1897,
page 57, within three days after notice from
the city clerk that the contract has been
awarded to him.

The city council reserves the right to reject any and all bids.
Dated at North Yakima, Wash., August 22,
1899.

H. B. DOUST.

City Clerk.

RESOLUTION.

RESOLUTION.

Be it resolved by the city council of the city of North Yakima, that said city intends and hereby declares its intention to improve Ahtanum avenue in said city by grading the said avenue between West D street and West Spruce street in said city in front of blocks 207, 208, 209, 210, 211, 212, 213, 233, 233, 231, 230, 229, 228 and 227 All of said streets and blocks being in accordance with the plat of said city now on file and of record in the office of the county auditor of Yakima county, Washington.

Said avenue to be graded to the grade marked out and established in front of the lots and lands hereinafter described as the same appears from the grade stakes of the city engineer.

That the estimated cost of said improvement is \$1,000; that the cost of the same is to be assessed against the property abutting on said avenue, and included within the following assessment district, to-wit: Lots 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15 and 16 in block No. 209; lots 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15 and 16 in block No. 209; lots 12, 13, 14, 15, 16 and 1 in block No. 209; lots 12, 13, 14, 15, 16 and 1 in block No. 211; lots 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15 and 16 in block No. 212; lots 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15 and 16 in block No. 212; lots 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15 and 16 in block No. 212; lots 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15 and 16 in block No. 212; lots 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15 and 16 in block No. 212; lots 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15 and 16 in block No. 213; lots 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7 and 8 in block No. 223; lots 6, 7, 8, 9, 10 and 11 in block No. 232; lots 6, 7, 8, 9, 10 and 11 in block No. 232; lots 6, 7, 8, 9, 10 and 11 in block No. 232; lots 6, 7, 8, 9, 10 and 11 in block No. 232; lots 6, 7, 8, 9, 10 and 11 in block No. 232; lots 6, 7, 8, 9, 10 and 11 in block No. 232; lots 6, 7, 8, 9, 10 and 11 in block No. 232; lots 6, 7, 8, 9, 10 and 11 in block No. 232; lots 6, 7, 8, 9, 10 and 11 in block No. 232; lots 6, 7, 8, 9, 10 and 11 in block No. 232; lots 6, 7, 8, 9, 10 and 11 in block No. 232; lots 6, 7, 8, 9, 10 and 11 in block No. 232; lo

1899.
That the city clerk give due and legal notice of said proposed improvement.
Passed the council August 9, 1899.
Approved August 9, 1899.
O. A. FECHTER,
Mayor.

Attest:H. B. Doust,
[SEAL.] City Clerk.

RESOLUTION.

RESOLUTION.

Be it resolved by the city council of the city of North Yakima, that the city intends and hereby declares its intention to improve Yakima avenue in said city by grading said avenue from the west side of the Northern Pacific Railway Company's railroad, where said railway crosses said avenue to Kittitas avenue, in said city, in front of blocks No. 210, 230, 250, 251, 231 and 211. All of said lots and lands being in accordance with the plat of said city now on file and of record in the office of the county auditor of Yakima county, Washington.

Stid avenue to be graded to the grade marked out and established in front of the lots and lands hereinafter described, as the same appears from the stakes of the city engineer.

The estimated cost of said proposed improvement is \$600; that the cost of the same is to be assessed against the property abutting on said avenue and included in the following assessment district. to-wit: Lots 1, 2, 3, 4, 5 and 6 in block 250; lots 1, 2, 3, 4, 5 and 6 in block 250; lots 1, 2, 3, 4, 5 and 6 in block 250; lots 1, 2, 3, 4, 5 and 6 in block 211.

All of said lots and lands being in accordance with the plat of said city of North Yakima.

That protests against said proposed improvement may be filed in the office of the city clerk of said city of North Yakima, at any time before the 4th day of September, 1899.

Passed the council August 9, 1899.

Approved August 9, 1899.

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Attest:—OA. FECHTER,
H. B. DOUST,
[SEAL.] City Clerk. 49-2t

Congressman Jones talks about Alaska.

Congressman W. L. Jones returned home last Friday night after a six weeks absence in the Sound country and Alaska. In a conversation with a representative of THE DEMOCRAT on the following day, Mr. Jones stated that he had enjoyed his trip remarkably well. That his main purpose in going was to inform himself as to conditions and the class of legislation most needed there. He had visited Skaguway, Juneau and Sitka and on investigation had found that the people of that mis-governed country have many just grievances, which it was the duty of the general government to correct.

The greatest need of reform was in the court and school systems of the territory, both of which were antiquated and totally inadequate for the present needs of the growing communities there. The whole territory had but one judge and from him there was no appeal, except only in very important cases, which could be taken to the U.S. supreme court. They really needed three judges in as many districts, the three to sit annually as a court of appeals. The school system—if such it may be called, was simply a travesty, there having been but little attention given to this important matter heretofore by the government.

White and Indian children were obliged to attend the same schools, but against this the white settlers had revolted and demanded separate schools. There existed a very general dissatisfaction with Rev. Sheldon Jackson, who is superintendent of schools in the terri-

Regarding the much talked of boundary line discussion Mr. Jones said that the interest manifested in Skaguwav was apparently not so great as on Puget Sound, as the people up there seemed to feel that the government would never give the disputed territory up to Great Britain.

The mining resources of Southern Alaska are vast, said Mr. Jones'in conclusion. There are in that country thousands of good mining propositions for capital to take hold of. While most of the ore is of low grade, it is to be found in practically inexhaustible quantities and a large number of prospectors as well as many men of large means were now going in to develop these new fields.

Choice red salmon, smelt and the celebrated Morgan oysters for sale at the Puget Sound Fish Market, Second street.

Wanted—A Kissing Bug sting that Mull's Lightning Pain Killer will not cure. Kills any pain instantly, internal or external. Guaranteed absolutely pure, 25c and 50c. Sold by W. J. Roaf.

An unusually large amount of produce is being shipped out of Yakima this season, particularly eastward, dealers some days being embarrassed to secure a sup-Roasting ears have been in big demand and those having such a product to sell have made big money. H. Kam-peter reports that his field has yielded him \$90 per acre.

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O. B. Howe and wife, of Lanark, Ills., were guests of the Hotel Bartholet the first of the week. Mr. Howe is investigating the Sunnyside country with the gating the Sunnyside country with the view of seeking a location in that district for himself and other members of his family. He is highly pleased with the results of irrigation and thinks it highly probable that he will remove to this valley within the next few months. This office acknowledges a pleasant call on Monday on Monday.

There is a dollar draft in each box to be cashed by purchaser, if after using contents, there is no benefit.

The name on the box is Mull's Pio-NEER CURE. There are five different kinds, each for a particular disease, no cure-all.

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tional Bauk. The Lightning Medicine Co., Muscatine, Iowa.

Sold by W. J. Roaf.

Notice of Removal.

I take take this method of informing the public that on and after Sept, 1st, that I may be found on First st. two doors north of the hotel Bartholet where I will be in a position to supply the trade with everything in my line including first class paints, oils, glass, wall paper and everything in my line.

W.M. METCALF.

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All that remains of our stock of fine shirt waist are now down at closing out prices: 50c qualities go for 29c: 85c and \$1 qualities go for 65c. Our \$1.25, \$1.50 and \$1.75 qualities go for 98c. This is a bargain and every lady should take advantage at J. J. Macdonald's, First street, south.

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THOS LUND,

Proprietor.