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THE Fourth of July, 1898, will be a day that will always have a prominent place in American history, as well as a day that will ever be remembered by Americans both young and old. The destruction of the Spanish fleet which took place on Sunday the 3d, was not generally known in this country until the 4th, and was of course the main cause of the general good feeling and happiness which made all Americans of one kind and kindred on that memorable day. And what a thorough thrashing and smashing Commodore Schley did give the greasers, to be sure; and how the Spanish mind must have since changed in regard to the ability of the Yankee pigs to fight in their rotten old tubs. Poor old Spain! What a fall she has taken from the high pedestal on which, in her own dull imagination she stood, as a great military and maritime power! In sullen and speechless rage the Spaniards at home are marveling at their repeated defeats and still boasting of their departed glory are wondering what the future has in store for them. They cannot yet, however, be made to see that the people of this country hardly regard this scrimmage as actual warfare, but rather as a necessary piece of scavenger work, which they are called on to perform in the interest of humanity. Near the close of the fifteenth century, Spain discovered this continent and laid claim to all of it. Four centuries later, she is kicked completely off of it, which is only a just retribution for her many and grievous sins. The condition in which Spain finds herself today is analogous to that of a cruel and discarded old parent, cast off by her own offspring, and left alone to suffer and die.

THE Oregonian of the 6th inst. publishes a long-winded editorial in which it covertly advises the Democracy to renominate and rally under the banner of Grover Cleveland in 1900 and espouse a new issue known as opposition to national expansion. In any event the Democracy will hardly seek or relish any advice from Brer Scott; and as for the political resurrection of the late president, it is very evident that if it comes to pass, it must be done by the Oregonian's own party—and that is hardly pos-

sible. Besides the Democratic masses are not opposed to a reasonable expansion of territory on this hemisphere and outlying islands, the possession of which has become necessary in national defense. The Democrats in Congress who are opposing the annexation of Hawaii are proceeding on a mistaken or a selfish theory, and are not, as we believe, representing the wishes of the people. Three-fifths of the present territory of the United States was secured under Democratic auspices, as the Oregonian ought to know. The party is not now opposed to a judicious expansion, but is ready to draw the line at any attempt to colonize on the continent of Asia.

FOR the benefit of a few people in this county, whom we understand have been greatly worked up over the matter, we will state that THE EPIGRAM is not distinctively a sheep paper any more than it is a cow or a horse paper. Two weeks ago THE EPIGRAM called attention to some of the disadvantages, and we might add discriminations, which sheep owners have to contend against in this county and state. So far as the existing law of trespass is concerned THE EPIGRAM did not advocate its repeal in the desire to place the farmers at any disadvantage in relation to sheep men, but rather because of the leverage it affords railroad officials to force sheep owners to lease uninclosed lands that have never paid a cent of taxes to support the state and county governments. As for the farmers, their premises and property are and ought to be protected from the depredations of sheep or other animals running at large. None but a hog or a fool would deny them such protection. So keep on your shirts, brethren. THE EPIGRAM will advocate nothing that it believes is not for the best interest of the greatest number of people. We may sometimes be mistaken, for to err is human, but we endeavor to be honest and give to every man his just due. So far as the policy of this paper is concerned, it is not run in the interest of any man or set of men and no one is responsible for its utterances save he whose name appears at its masthead.

THE speech of Senator Hoar, of Massachusetts, in the United States senate on the subject of American acquisition of foreign territory, meets with our unqualified approval. "It would be a crime," said the senator, "for the people of this country to permit the war to go farther than the annexation of the Sandwich Islands"—a

matter substantially decided upon long in advance by a large majority of our people. "Our starry flag is no emblem of dominion," he cried. "Let it not float over conquered territory, for it is the emblem of freedom and liberty." Those are THE EPIGRAM's sentiments, too, Mr. Hoar. It is sound Americanism, as well.

STATESMAN MILNER, of Fairview, rushes into print in the Herald to deny a yarn published in last week's Republic to the effect that he, Milner, one of the fathers of fusion in '96, would oppose that program this year. What rot! The Republic don't know you, Theodore. How on earth would the so-called Populist leader get into the legislature this fall without fusion? On no, Theodore is onto his job, Mr. Republic. He's not so green as he looks.

THE destruction of Admiral Cervera's fleet adds another bright page to American history and another great name to our list of naval heroes and that will be Schley. Sampson is all right, no doubt, but the poor man is out of luck. The people will not allow Schley to be robbed of his laurels. He will soon be known as Admiral Schley.

THE Democratic, Populist and Silver-Republican state conventions will meet simultaneously at Ellensburg on Tuesday, September 6. So decreed the three state committees in session at Tacoma on Thursday. They should have made it a month later, as the people are almost unanimous in favor of a short campaign this year.

AFTER wrangling over the question for several years, the United States senate at last reached a vote on the Hawaiian annexation resolution on Wednesday, with the result that annexation carried by a majority of twenty-one. This is as it should be. So, come to our arms, Hawaii darling.

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THE Olympia Journal persistently speaks of the Yakima Herald as a Democratic paper. Since when did the Herald become a Democratic paper?



## A GREAT DAY IN YAKIMA.

### How the Fourth of July Was Observed.

Monday, July 4th was a day that will be long remembered in Yakima, as it doubtless will be all over this great country. The morning of the great day opened bright and beautiful and the weather remained as fine as could be until about 3 o'clock in the afternoon, when it began to blow hard enough to make it disagreeable.

As early as 9 o'clock people began to gather in the city from the surrounding country and by noon our principal thoroughfares were filled with teams and the sidewalks crowded with people, and the hotels, restaurants and confectioneries were filled with hungry and thirsty people seeking refreshments. One restaurant firm estimates that they fed over 1000 people during the day.

The street parade in the morning was enjoyed by all, as many unique and useful features were to be seen. R. K. Nichols as marshal of the day had for his assistants several boys mounted on Shetland ponies.

After the street parade a large crowd assembled at Mason's opera house, where they listened to patriotic and eloquent speeches by J. A. Kingsbury and W. P. Guthrie. Music was furnished by a select choir under the direction of Charles Donovan.

Mayor Fechter presided over the meeting in his usual happy manner, keeping the audience good-natured by means of his sparkling wit during the course of his introductory remarks.

The speech of Mr. Guthrie was well received, his reference to the destruction of Cervera's fleet, the news of which had just arrived, brought down the house. The meeting closed with a benediction by Rev. Hawk.

Beginning promptly at 1:30 p. m., as advertised, the races on the avenue next claimed the attention of the assembled crowd. The racing program while not as extensive as anticipated, was good, especially the horse contest. At the conclusion of the races the most of the people repaired to the bicycle track to witness a bloody affair in the shape of a match game of ball between the local barbers and butchers. The game commenced promptly at 3 o'clock and was, it is rumored, called at the end of the third inning, on account of darkness. The score stood 28 to 5 in favor of the barbers.

In the evening the beautiful display of fireworks opposite the Hotel Yakima attracted a large crowd. Unfortunately shortly after the show commenced a large box of explosives accidentally caught fire and exploded simultaneously, much to the chagrin of A. R. Sinclair and his assistants, who felt it necessary to run for their lives. After the exhaustion of the stock of fireworks, a number went to Mason's where they danced till the wee small hours of the morning. The majority of the visitors, however, went home early, believing that the day had been well spent and feeling happy over the good news received during the day, of the total destruction of Cervera's fleet by the brave boys under Commodore Schley.

#### FOURTH OF JULY NOTES.

During the progress of the first inning of the ball game George P. Farrah, an employe in Pat Jordan's barber shop, who was at the bat, got struck by a wild ball thrown very swiftly by Ed Merwin, who was in the box for the butchers. The ball struck Farrah in the temple,

though shot. He was taken to his home where he laid for some time in a semi-conscious state. His friends feared concussion of the brain, but the injured man is now said to be out of danger.

Frank Bennett, who has made his home for several years with Wm. Splawn, met with what may prove to be a very serious accident. At about 9:30 p. m. the young man mounted his wild horse at the corner of Yakima avenue and First street and was about to start home after enjoying the day's festivities, when the horse either bucked him off or else fell on him—at any rate, Bennett was very badly used up when help arrived. Dr. Frank was summoned and removed him to the hospital. It is feared by his friends that the unfortunate man is injured internally.

The firemen deserve credit for their efforts to make the day an enjoyable one.

Hose companies caused considerable merriment by their failure to get connections in the wet contest. Better try it over, boys.

Aside from the noise incident to a Fourth of July celebration, the day passed very quietly—no drunks, no scraps, no fatalities; nothing but order and good nature.

#### Eighth Grade Examination.

The following persons received diplomas of graduation from the common school course at the recent eighth grade examination: Olive Stowe, John Van Sickle, Matthew Sandmeyer, John London, Minnie McPhee, Nora Plumb, Jessie Doust, Dortha Varker, Irvine Campbell, Mary Campbell, Grace Parrish, George Livesley, Lula Clark, Edith Zediker, Alfred Baker, Ethel Yakey, Exie Rich, Robert Burrill.

The result of the examination was altogether very gratifying. The committee examining the papers were of the unanimous opinion that they never looked over better written papers, and while we congratulate those who succeeded, we wish to urge those who failed to go over the eighth grade work once more and thus make pupils who can show their diplomas anywhere and maintain the scholarship indicated therein.

I have forwarded the diplomas to the clerks of your respective districts to be signed and delivered to you. Those belonging to school district No. 7 will be delayed for some time awaiting the return of Mr. Bailey. F. H. PLUMB, County Supt.

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## WASHINGTON STATE FAIR.

The State this year promises to be a Mecca for a large number of the prominent men of the state, among whom will be Gov. Rogers, with his wife and probably daughter, Senator Turner and wife, Col. Lewis and wife and Congressman W. C. Jones. Dr. Goddard and wife, of the Steilacoom asylum, will also be here and it is understood that Senator Wilson will likely visit the fair. There will also be a number of prominent railroad men present, among them being Superintendent Gilbert, of this division, Chief Engineer McHenry, Assistant Engineer Bihler and probably Vice President Lamont, of the Northern Pacific. Mr. Lamont has expressed his desire to attend the fair, and will do so unless some unforeseen event prevents. And no doubt Assistant Land Commissioner Cooper, who has always taken a deep interest in our fairs hitherto, will be present.

The attendance at the fair promises to be so large that the proprietors of our hotels have felt it necessary to secure additional sleeping apartments for their guests. One hotel keeper states that he expects alone to be able to furnish accommodations for 400 guests.

The officers of the State Fair association were crowded with anxious inquirers from various parts of the county on the 4th of July, for lists of the premiums for agricultural exhibits. Our farmers are realizing that there is no way by which they can so easily advertise their farms as by showing what they can produce at the State Fair.

The commission is deeply gratified at the enthusiastic manner in which the business men and newspapers of the state are taking hold of the fair this year. The business men and newspapers and farmers of our own county are also working as one man for the fair. Everybody seems to have joined in the ambition that the fair this year will bring together a collection of agricultural products such as has never been seen before in the northwest. People who are interested in real estate should be particular to encourage everyone having first class agricultural productions to send the same to the fair, as there is going to be a large number of visitors who come from other states particularly to visit the fair with the view of studying the agricultural capabilities of our state, as shown by the productions at the fair. In fact, the Northern Pacific emigration agents in the east are making a particular effort to have people from all over the east visit this section during fair time.

Mrs. Catron, of Walla Walla, who is in charge of the floral department of the fair, writes a highly encouraging letter to Secretary Gunn. The well known good taste and splendid executive ability of Mrs. Catron insures a floral exhibit well worthy of itself a visit to the fair.

Another invoice of teas at the old price. Kinsey & Co. 41

For cold storage room to keep butter, eggs and fruit, inquire of Thos. Lund.

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**NOTICE TO CREDITORS**—Notice is hereby given by the undersigned executrix of the estate of John P. Eschbach, deceased, to the creditors of and all persons having claims against the said deceased to present them with the necessary vouchers, within one year after the date of this notice to said executrix, at her residence in the city of North Yakima, in Yakima County, Washington.

Dated this 9th day of July, 1898.  
BARBARA ESCHBACH,  
Executrix of the estate of John P. Eschbach, deceased.

## Dangerous Odors.

Some smells are dangerous. A single sniff of highly concentrated prussic acid will kill a man as quickly as a shot through the heart. The odor of a bad egg is due to the presence of sulphuretted hydrogen, and the objectionable perfumes of sewers and bone factories are attributable chiefly to the same gas. Chemical laboratories are famous for bad smells. Berzelius, who discovered the element called "selenium," once tried the experiment of permitting a bubble of pure hydrogen selenide gas to enter his nostril. For days afterward he was not able to smell strong ammonia, the olfactory nerves being temporarily paralyzed. Selenium gas has the odor of putrid horse radish. Tellurium is even worse. There is a story of a physician whose patient, a lady, refused to take an absolutely necessary rest because she was so fond of being always on the go in society. He gave her a pill containing a small quantity of tellurium, and her breath was affected by it to such an extent that she was not able to appear in public for a month. She never guessed what the trouble was. The volatilized essential oil of roses is supposed to cause "rose cold." This peculiar complaint is so far nervous in its character that paper roses sometimes excite it.—Boston Transcript.

## John Milton's Portrait.

John Milton's harmonical and ingenious soul did lodge in a beautiful and well proportioned body. He was a spare man. He had auburn (auburn) hair. His complexion exceeding faire—he was so faire that they called him "the lady of Christ's College." Oval face. His eye adarke gray. He had a delicate tuneable voice, and had good skill. His father instructed him. He had an organ in his howse; he played on that most. Of a very cheerful humour.—He would be cheerful even in his gowtefits, and sing. He was very healthy and free from all diseases: seldom tooke any physique, (only sometimes he tooke manna;) only toward his latter end he was visited with the gowte, spring and fall. He had a very good memorie, but I beleve that his excellent method of thinking and disposing did much to helpe his memorie. He pronounced the letter R (littera canina) very hard—a certaine sine of a satyricall witt. Temperate man, rarely drank between meales. Extreme pleasant in his conversation, and at dinner, supper, etc., but satyricall.—Aubrey's "Brief Lives."

## Told on Kentucky Legislators.

A member of the late legislature from southern Kentucky was invited one evening to participate in a Welsh rabbit lunch at the Capitol hotel. Diking himself out, he awaited the hour. With that prince of good fellows, Tutt Burman, he walked into the dining room, where coffee and rabbits were served standing. After partaking of one or two and a cup of coffee, he remarked to Tutt: "This is no rabbit. It's nothing but fried cheese and light bread." It is useless to say that member never attended any more lunches.

On another occasion the assembly balls or germans, which were given every Tuesday night, attracted the attention of a mountain member, and he asked, "Whar are all them people goin that are goin up stairs?" Some one remarked up to the german. "The you say. Do they let the Dutch dance here?"—Owenton (Ky.) News.

In France when the use of yeast was first introduced it was deemed by the medical faculty to be so injurious to health that its use was prohibited under the severest penalties.

The only two civilized countries in the world in which a white man is not permitted to acquire civil rights or own property are Liberia and Haiti.

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## PERSONAL NOTES

Sheriff Wynegar, of Kittitas county, was a Yakima visitor Saturday.

Al Churchill is confined to his home with a severe attack of erysipelas.

J. D. Dailey, formerly of this city, celebrated the Fourth in Yakima.

C. A. Anderson left for Tacoma Thursday night on a flying business trip.

W. B. Matthews came up from Prosser on Monday to attend commissioners' court.

J. A. McArthur and family left for the mountains on Thursday for a two weeks' outing.

Mrs. D. W. Stair left for Seattle the first of the week to visit friends and relatives.

Ex Editor Reed went to Tacoma Saturday night to spend the Fourth with his parents.

Rev. N. Evans, of Goldendale, is in town this week in attendance at the Epworth convention.

E. C. Burlingame came over from Idaho on Friday to spend the Fourth with his family in this city.

F. N. McCandless, and Robert Satterwhite, of Ellensburg, were in the city Tuesday and Wednesday.

W. J. Roaf, wife and children and John Roaf returned on Friday from their trip to The Dalles and Portland.

Caspar Schott left on Tuesday night to spend his vacation with relatives in the east, principally in Minnesota.

Jeff McDaniel, A. H. Wilgus and associates left on Wednesday for a month's outing in the vicinity of Mount Adams.

Presiding Elder Warner, now located at The Dalles, was in the city this week, attending the Epworth league convention.

Judge Allen, receiver for the Yakima Investment company, left for Spokane Saturday night to spend a week with his family.

Leonard Fowler, representing the new Tacoma magazine, known as The State, was a Yakima visitor Wednesday and Thursday.

Mrs. Renier's little boy, aged 8 years, had the misfortune to break his arm, Wednesday evening, while trying to master a bicycle.

Rev. L. F. Stevens returned on Wednesday from his vacation trip and will occupy his pulpit at the Christian church as usual on Sunday.

Rev. H. M. Bartlett, accompanied by his guest, Bishop Wells, of Spokane, left on Monday for a few days' fishing at Lake Katchez.

Mr. McMillan returned Friday night from his visit with his family in Tacoma. During his absence his son filled his position with Fawcett Bros.

Mrs. W. A. Privett and children returned to their home in Ellensburg on Monday night, after two weeks' visit with relatives in this city.

C. A. Bushnell leaves to-day for Portland and San Francisco, to be gone about two weeks. Mrs. E. E. James will look after the gallery in his absence.

G. S. Hough, Frank Horsley, Ed Armitage and Attorney Bogle left Saturday morning and returned Monday night

from a fishing trip on the upper Natchez. It is said that the foxy trout refused to bite after their stock of refreshments had disappeared.

Prosecuting Attorney Snyder returned Monday night from Prosser, where he delivered a Fourth of July oration to a large and enthusiastic audience.

F. M. Spain arrived home Thursday morning from his trip to Asbury Park, N. J., whither he went as a delegate to the grand lodge of the A. O. U. W.

Claude Briggs last week sold his handsome home near the fair grounds to a Mr. McCausland, of Ellensburg, who will take possession October 1st.

H. J. Snively will go to Seattle on Sunday to defend Charlie Ross, the Yakima Indian who will be tried for murder before Judge Hanford on the 12th.

A. L. Dille went to Fort Simcoe on Thursday to procure witnesses in the Charlie Ross murder case that comes up for trial in the U. S. court at Seattle on the 12th.

The Yakima National bank received a large consignment of revenue stamps on Thursday. They are the regulation postage stamp with the letters "I. R." stamped thereon.

Dr. J. M. Hickman, of Tacoma, came up from the reservation Wednesday, where he had spent several days fishing in the Satus in company with F. E. Thompson, of Parker.

Rev. T. J. Dent and family arrived in Yakima, from their home in South Dakota, Tuesday night. The gentleman is the new minister who is to take charge of the Congregational church.

J. T. Foster returned Thursday morning from his trip to Butte, Mont. He spent the Fourth in that great mining camp, and says he never saw such lively scenes before on Independence day.

Mrs. George Farrah returned from her visit to Ellensburg Tuesday night in response to a telegram announcing the serious illness of her husband, who was injured in the ball game on the Fourth.

Mrs. John Reed received a letter from her husband this week, stating that he was much improved in health, and that he and his brother, W. J. Reed, would leave Pennsylvania for home July 20th.

Malcom McLennan returned the first of the week from his trip to Chicago where he marketed seventeen cars of sheep which he purchased in this valley. He reports that he found a satisfactory market and the climate of the Garden city very torrid.

John Clark was caught in the act of selling liquor to George Pimps, a Siwash, on the Fourth, by Deputy Frank Corry. At his examination, on the following day, before Commissioner Howlett, Clark was bound over for trial in the United States court, at Spokane, in October.

R. A. Poole and Miss Nina Merwin were married at the residence of the bride's mother, on South Second street, at 9:30 o'clock Thursday evening, Rev. L. F. Stephens officiating. The happy couple left for San Francisco the same evening, where they will make their future home.

L. L. Thorp returned the latter part of last week from Racine, Wis., where he had been for the past two months engaged in assisting in the starting of the new factory of the Western Novelty Co., in which he is a heavy stockholder. He reports that the works are now turning

out daily 2000 sets of shade hangers and 500 sets of lamp hangers. He feels highly encouraged in the success of the enterprise.

W. A. Cox arrived Sunday morning from Medical Lake and on the following Thursday returned to his post taking with him his family, where they will reside during Mr. Cox' term as accountant at the asylum. The people of Yakima are sorry to lose Mr. Cox and his family as for years they have been prominent in the business and social affairs of this city.

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#### City Council Meeting.

The council met Tuesday evening, July 5, all councilmen present except Wilgus and Liggett and Mayor Fechter presiding.

A communication was received from the county auditor regarding the settlement of the Northern Pacific land tax suit including all delinquent taxes up to the year 1897. The company offered to pay \$3000 as a total, which had been accepted by the board of county commissioners, who recommended that the city accept by receiving 52 per cent of the amount. Motion to accept settlement was carried unanimously.

Reports of the various city officers were read and referred.

Warrants ordered drawn to pay June salaries.

Warrants drawn in total for \$432.

An ordinance was passed regulating the use of bicycles and other wheeled vehicles; also an ordinance governing the erection of awnings, signs and porches.

A communication was read from Mrs. Guiland regarding laying a sidewalk on the east side of First street, and on motion the prayer of petitioner was granted. On motion council adjourned.

#### Land Office Business.

The following figures from the annual report of the register of the U. S. land office for the year ending June 30, may be of interest to those seeking information relative to the Yakima land district:

The entire district is estimated to contain an area of 5,677,780 acres divided as follows, Yakima county, 3,547,800 acres; Kittitas, 1,095,130 and Douglas 1,034,850, of which there has been appropriated by settlers and the Northern Pacific Railway Co. in Yakima county, 1,437,821 acres; Kittitas, 648,238 and in Douglas 445,847.

There is reserved in Yakima county (for Indians) 1,285,000 acres and in Kittitas (for forestry) 58,373 acres, leaving a balance of unoccupied land in the several counties as follows: Yakima, surveyed, 270,489 acres, unsurveyed, 544,530 acres; Kittitas, surveyed, 234,700, unsurveyed, 153,810; Douglas, surveyed, 429,003, unsurveyed, 161,000.

The sales of lands for the year aggregates 13,954 acres for the entire district.

#### Lost.

A lady's gold watch and chain on the night of July 4th. The chain has four for-get-me-nots on the spangle. Finder will please leave at this office and receive a suitable reward. 42

Go to L. G. Zenovich, on Front street for all kinds of soft drinks, ice cream and the best brands of cigars and tobacco. 40

The best of meats all on hand at the Yakima Meat Co's. market. \*

We have (not a gold watch scheme—all scheme, no cigar,) but a genuine 5 cent cigar. Kinsey & Co.

Hure double-strength apple vinegar at Kinsey & Co's. 41

Fresh lemons, oranges, cocoanuts and bananas, just received at Wilson's Confectionery and grocery store.

For a cheap, good flour BLUE BELL is all the go. 41

Choice creamery butter, 40c a roll, at E. M. Harris' grocery. 42

#### The Traveling Frenchman.

The Petit Journal of Paris says that nothing is so curious and instructive as to observe the Englishman when traveling as compared with the Frenchman. The former is calm, punctual, precise and with only the necessary quantity of baggage. He will journey through China with merely a valise. He is not impatient. He loves travel. It is to him an inclination and a felt want. On the other hand, the Frenchman when journeying is restless, nervous, impatient, bored; the entire time he spends looking furtively at his watch or consulting the railway time table. He is always crowded up with parcels in addition to his portmanteau. He is, as a rule, incumbered with many useless articles. In fact, he dislikes travel, which he finds an ennui and a fatigue.

#### The Pope and Rome.

The Osservatore Romano thus explains why the pope does not appear on the streets of Rome: "If the pope went about in Rome, he would inevitably be made the object of demonstrations of respectful enthusiasm on the part of the faithful, and by a natural reaction these demonstrations would be followed by others of a hostile character. The pope would be simultaneously applauded and hissed and surrounded by tumults and faction fights. The government would render military honors to him, but it could not long tolerate in the streets of Rome demonstrations in favor of the pope, who, after all, is a dispossessed sovereign."

#### About Telegraph Poles.

The number of poles used for telegraph wires per mile varies from 20 to 22 on minor lines to 26 to 30 on main lines. These poles are of regulation height, in order that the lowest wire shall not be less than 12 feet from the ground, and as the poles are set into the ground from 4 to 6 feet they measure from 20 to 22 feet in length. The sag, or dip, varies of course with the number of poles per mile and the condition of the atmosphere, but the average is about 14 feet.

and radishes to a greater or less extent. The winged viviparous female is a greenish gray in color and is a subject for illustration.

#### Summons by Publication.

In the Supe for Court of the State of Washington for Yakima County.  
W. Herbert Washington, Plaintiff, vs. Michael Nowak; Augusta Nowak, his wife, Philomene Bagwell, Defendants.

The state of Washington: To the said Philomene Bagwell, Defendant: You are hereby summoned to appear within sixty days after the date of the first publication of these summons to-wit, within sixty days after the 6th day of July, 1898, and defend the above entitled action in the above entitled Court and answer the complaint of the plaintiff, and serve a copy of your answer upon the undersigned attorneys for plaintiff, at their office below stated; and in case of your failure so to do, judgment will be rendered against you according to the demand of the complaint, which has been filed with the Clerk of said Court.

The object of said action is to recover judgment against Michael Nowak, and Augusta Nowak his wife, for the sum of six hundred dollars, with interest thereon at the rate of 1 per cent per month from the 1st day of April, 1896; for the sum of twenty-one dollars, with interest thereon at the rate of 1 per cent per month from the 1st day of April, 1896; five dollars paid thereon May 25th, 1897; five dollars paid thereon August 2d, 1897; five dollars paid thereon September 22d, 1897; and five and 80-100 dollars paid thereon October 12th, 1897; and for the sum of seventy-nine and 65-100 dollars paid for taxes May 18th, 1898, and the sum of nine and 92-100 dollars paid for taxes May 19th, 1898, with interest on said sums at the rate of 1 per cent per month from the dates of their payments respectively, and the further sum of one hundred dollars attorneys' fees, and the costs and disbursements in this action, claimed by plaintiff upon a promissory note made by Michael Nowak and Augusta Nowak, his wife, to the Solicitors' Loan and Trust Company, and assigned to plaintiff, said note bearing date April 25th, 1891, for six hundred dollars, and to foreclose a mortgage upon all the certain lot or parcel of land, situate, lying and being in the County of Yakima, in the State of Washington, and bounded and particularly described as follows, to-wit:

All that certain tract or piece of land with the messuages or tenements thereon erected, situate and being lot twenty-five (25), in block thirty two (32), City of North Yakima, Washington, given to secure the payment of said note.

The date of the first publication of this summons is 9th day of July, 1898.

BOGLE & RIGG,  
Attorneys for Plaintiff.  
Office and postoffice address, North Yakima, Yakima County, Washington.

## A CHILD'S DISPOSITION

May be ruined through existing defects in eyesight. Children are often called dull and stupid by teachers and parents through no fault of their own. Perhaps born with a defect in the eyesight, they don't know of any different world than that which they see through defective eyes. Mark any peculiarities that children may have, squinting, frowning, looking sidewise with partially closed eyes; all are indications of eye troubles.

Better be over-cautions in having a child's eyes examined, than to take too much responsibility into your own hands. Examination free.

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Every breadmaker should try a sack and become convinced of its superiority.

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F. A. M., YAKIMA LODGE NO. 24.—Meets every 1st and 3d Saturday each month.  
Dr. P. Frank, Master.  
Guy C. Wallace, Sec.

I. O. O. F., Yakima Lodge No. 22.—Meets every Tuesday evening at Masonic hall.  
Timothy Lynch, N. G.  
A. E. Larson, V. G.  
A. S. Dam, Sec.

K. of P. North Yakima No. 53.—Meets every Wednesday evening at Masonic Hall.  
James Coe, C. C.  
August Hommel, V. C.

A. O. U. W., Yakima Lodge No. 29.—Meets every Monday evening at Masonic hall.  
C. M. Houser, M. W.  
F. M. Spain, Recorder.

B. P. O. Elks.—Meet First and Third Thursday evening of each month at Masonic hall.  
W. H. Hare, E. R.  
A. D. Sloan, Sec.

WOODMEN OF THE WORLD, Yakima Camp No. 89.—Meets every Wednesday night at 8 p. m., at Allen's hall.  
Harry Mull, Consul Com.  
J. A. Waters, Clerk.

FRATERNAL AID ASSN.—Meets first and fourth Thursdays in the month at Dr. Graves office.  
A. H. Strubin, Pres.  
O. M. Graves, Sec.

PATRIOTS OF AMERICA, Yakima Lodge No. 1.—Meets every Saturday evening at Allen's hall.  
E. B. Preble, First Patriot.  
A. B. Flint, Rec.

KNIGHTS of the McABEES.—Meets third Friday of each month.  
F. E. Briggs, Com.  
W. J. Aumiller, R. K.

DEGREE OF HONOR.—Meets second and fourth Mondays at Masonic hall.  
Kate E. Spain, C. of H.  
C. M. Hauser, Rec.

G. A. R. Mead Post No. 9.—Second and 4th Saturday of each month, Allen's hall.  
Wm. Badger, S. C.  
J. P. McCafferty, J. C.

Womens Relief Corps.—Meets 1st and 3d Saturday at Allen's hall.  
Mrs. Emily Chambers, Pres.  
Mrs. S. J. Osborne, Sec.

Sons of Veterans.—Meet every 2d and 4th Saturday in the month at G. A. R. hall.  
W. L. Jones, Capt.  
Geo. N. Tunesly, 1st Sgt.

## For Sale Cheap!

Thirty acres of fine agricultural land in the rough, under the Selah Valley ditch. Cheapest buy in the county. A real snap. For further particulars inquire at THE STAR office.

Graham crackers, best quality, just received at Harris grocery. 39



## A GREAT DAY IN YAKIMA.

### How the Fourth of July Was Observed.

Monday, July 4th was a day that will be long remembered in Yakima, as it doubtless will be all over this great country. The morning of the great day opened bright and beautiful and the weather remained as fine as could be until about 3 o'clock in the afternoon, when it began to blow hard enough to make it disagreeable.

As early as 9 o'clock people began to gather in the city from the surrounding country and by noon our principal thoroughfares were filled with teams and the sidewalks crowded with people, and the hotels, restaurants and confectioneries were filled with hungry and thirsty people seeking refreshments. One restaurant firm estimates that they fed over 1000 people during the day.

The street parade in the morning was enjoyed by all, as many unique and useful features were to be seen. R. K. Nichols as marshal of the day had for his assistants several boys mounted on Shetland ponies.

After the street parade a large crowd assembled at Mason's opera house, where they listened to patriotic and eloquent speeches by J. A. Kingsbury and W. P. Guthrie. Music was furnished by a select choir under the direction of Charles Donovan.

Mayor Fechter presided over the meeting in his usual happy manner, keeping the audience good-natured by means of his sparkling wit during the course of his introductory remarks.

The speech of Mr. Guthrie was well received, his reference to the destruction of Cervera's fleet, the news of which had just arrived, brought down the house. The meeting closed with a benediction by Rev. Hawk.

Beginning promptly at 1:30 p. m., as advertised, the races on the avenue next claimed the attention of the assembled crowd. The racing program while not as extensive as anticipated, was good, especially the horse contest. At the conclusion of the races the most of the people repaired to the bicycle track to witness a bloody affair in the shape of a match game of ball between the local barbers and butchers. The game commenced promptly at 3 o'clock and was, it is rumored, called at the end of the third inning, on account of darkness. The score stood 28 to 5 in favor of the barbers.

In the evening the beautiful display of fireworks opposite the Hotel Yakima attracted a large crowd. Unfortunately shortly after the show commenced a large box of explosives accidentally caught fire and exploded simultaneously, much to the chagrin of A. R. Sinclair and his assistants, who felt it necessary to run for their lives. After the exhaustion of the stock of fireworks, a number went to Mason's where they danced till the wee small hours of the morning. The majority of the visitors, however, went home early, believing that the day had been well spent and feeling happy over the good news received during the day, of the total destruction of Cervera's fleet by the brave boys under Commodore Schley.

#### FOURTH OF JULY NOTES.

During the progress of the first inning of the ball game George P. Farrah, an employe in Pat Jordan's barber shop, who was at the bat, got struck by a wild ball thrown very swiftly by Ed Merwin, who was in the box for the butchers. The ball struck Farrah in the temple,

though shot. He was taken to his home where he lay for some time in a semi-conscious state. His friends feared concussion of the brain, but the injured man is now said to be out of danger.

Frank Bennett, who has made his home for several years with Wm. Splawn, met with what may prove to be a very serious accident. At about 9:30 p. m. the young man mounted his wild horse at the corner of Yakima avenue and First street and was about to start home after enjoying the day's festivities, when the horse either bucked him off or else fell on him—at any rate, Bennett was very badly used up when help arrived. Dr. Frank was summoned and removed him to the hospital. It is feared by his friends that the unfortunate man is injured internally.

The firemen deserve credit for their efforts to make the day an enjoyable one.

Hose companies caused considerable merriment by their failure to get connections in the wet contest. Better try it over, boys.

Aside from the noise incident to a Fourth of July celebration, the day passed very quietly—no drunks, no scraps, no fatalities; nothing but order and good nature.

#### Eighth Grade Examination.

The following persons received diplomas of graduation from the common school course at the recent eighth grade examination: Olive Stowe, John Van Sickle, Matthew Sandmeyer, John London, Minnie McPhee, Nora Plumb, Jessie Doust, Dortha Varker, Irvine Campbell, Mary Campbell, Grace Parrish, George Livesley, Lula Clark, Edith Zediker, Alfred Baker, Ethel Yakey, Exie Rich, Robert Burrill.

The result of the examination was altogether very gratifying. The committee examining the papers were of the unanimous opinion that they never looked over better written papers, and while we congratulate those who succeeded, we wish to urge those who failed to go over the eighth grade work once more and thus make pupils who can show their diplomas anywhere and maintain the scholarship indicated therein.

I have forwarded the diplomas to the clerks of your respective districts to be signed and delivered to you. Those belonging to school district No. 7 will be delayed for some time awaiting the return of Mr. Bailey. F. H. PLUMB, County Supt.

#### MRS. A. L. WATSON.

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##### Stock Ranch for Sale Cheap.

245 acres situated in the Natchez Valley, one of the best stock ranches in the county; has a fine feeding ground and is particularly adapted for sheep. All under fence; good spring; 90 acres in alfalfa; good water right; 3 acres good orchard; fair house, with stone cellar. A real snap, price \$3,500. Inquire at EPIGRAM office.

Gem pan, 8 in frame, only 5 cents at Harris' opera house grocery. 39

Sawbridge keeps in stock bicycle bells and bicycle sundries. 37

Go to Keene for time. \*

Dressed chickens at the Yakima Meat Co's market. Buy one for your Sunday dinner. \*

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A FORTY-ACRE FARM, 3 miles west from North Yakima; all under cultivation; 20 acres in alfalfa; 8 year old orchard in full bearing and 250 young apple trees, best variety; 15 acres in wheat; all under Hubbard ditch and running creek on place. Inquire at EPIGRAM OFFICE.

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Hot or Cold Baths, Only 15c. Vapor Medical Baths, 35c.

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## The Latest Locals

Mrs. George Brackett, of Edmonds King county, who has been visiting her mother, Mrs. Wm. Nixon, for the past six weeks, returned to her home Friday night.

E. S. Wertz, who has, until lately, resided on the J. H. Carpenter ranch, west of town, left on Friday with his family for Walla Walla, where they expect to make their future home.

Fred Miller located his missing bicycle on Friday, receiving word that it had been picked up alongside the railroad track, which bears out the theory of its having been swiped.

Miriam, the 2-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Mayer, who reside on First street, died suddenly on Friday morning, at 7 a. m., of congestion of the lungs. The funeral took place Friday afternoon at 4 o'clock.

Mrs. Katherine A. Clark and daughter, Mrs. Alice Harkness, who have been visiting with W. L. Steinweg for several days, returned to their home in Seattle Friday night. Mrs. Clark is a sister of Mr. Steinweg.

A. S. Paul is the latest aspirant for the Republican nomination for sheriff, and he is not the only pebble on the beach, either. The candidates up to date for the shrievalty are Messrs. Poole Brown, Short, Carpenter, Paul and Phillips, of Mahton, and it is said there are others.

County Assessor Lasswell called at this office on Friday to correct what he regards as a false impression that seems to prevail in regard to this year's assessment of sheep. He stated that the assessment, as it now stands, is \$2, not \$2.50, per head, and that the Klickitat assessment this year is \$2, and not \$1.50, per head.

The board of county commissioners, which has been in session since Tuesday, made a trip to the upper Natchez on Friday to inspect a proposed new piece of road which F. M. Williams has offered to build for \$150' and which, when completed, will make a through connection with the bridge which Mr. Williams built, mainly at his own expense, last year.

### Might Start a Natatorium.

When Messrs. Strubin & Clemmer, the well known tonsorial artists in the basement of the Kershaw block, opened for business last Sunday morning, they found, much to their chagrin, about six inches of water on the floor of their shop, and the flow gradually increased until it reached about ten inches, when it was temporarily stopped. Speculation was rife as to the cause of the flow—many asserting that it was caused by a broken water pipe, but the Water company tested the pipes on that circuit, finding them intact. Others contended that it was caused by seepage from irrigation ditches, but this theory, too, seems improbable, because other cellars near by remain dry. The barbers, on Wednesday, moved into the place adjoining to do business temporarily and are praying that the water will recede.

This hot weather you should drink Postum for breakfast instead of coffee. Buy it at Kinsey & Co's.

Read the Seattle Daily Times for the latest war news. Only 50c per month delivered by carrier. B. N. Coe, agent.

Fruit jars, jar rubbers and caps at Kinsey & Co's.

### Indian Murder at Zillah.

Sheriff Shaw received a dispatch Sunday evening from Ed Mudd, of Zillah, stating that an Indian had been shot and killed there that evening, and that the presumed murderer had been apprehended and was being held, subject to the sheriff's order. Further investigation revealed the fact that the murdered Indian was Willie Sleepy, and that Oscar Spencer is the name of the young Siwash charged with the killing, both of whom lived near Toppenish. Spencer and his kloodman were brought up on the Fourth and lodged in the county jail. A tedious and long drawn out preliminary trial, commenced before Justice MacCrimmon on Thursday, and concluded on Friday, during which the facts were gone over at great length. Snively & Miller are defending Spencer.

The trial resulted in Spencer's being bound over by Justice MacCrimmon on Friday to answer to the charge of manslaughter. Bail was fixed at \$1200.

### Hard Times In Klondike.

On Wednesday last a couple of tired and hungry looking men walked into town from Ellensburg. When sized up and engaged in conversation it was easy to perceive that these men were not of the genus hobso common hereabouts; but on the contrary, seemed to be hard working and conscientious men. They reported that they were on their way back to their homes in Chicago, which they had left in March 1897 with \$1500 each, bound for the Klondike. After a year of hard work and privation they gave up the search for gold as a bad job and returned to civilization. They said that while there was undoubtedly much of the yellow metal in that country, it would pay to work under present conditions only in spots, and that but a lucky few had so far succeeded in striking it immensely rich. Many men are eating up their substance in working claims that never will pay until living is cheaper in that country. They further stated that the army of tenderfeet rushing in this season would meet only with disappointment.

### Populist Committee Meeting.

The Populist county central committee met on last Saturday presumably for the purpose of selecting the time for holding the county convention, but the matter was again deferred until the committee meets again on August 2. The consensus of opinion among the committeemen is that the convention should not meet before the month of September.

The editor of the Washington Farmer was on hand, as usual, and gave the pops some good advice in regard to managing the campaign.

### It Never Fails.

There are many ways of relieving the terrible suffering caused by Rheumatism. Any one of a dozen poisons will do it, but after their effect has passed the stomach is weakened and the sufferer less able to bear the pain. This is never the result when Dr. Drummond's Lightning Remedies for Rheumatism are used. These remedies build up the system while destroying the disease. If your druggist has not got these remedies, the full month's treatment of two large bottles will be sent to your address on receipt of \$5. Drummond Medicine Co., 84 Nassau street, New York.

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85c Shirt Waists at ..... 60c  
65c " " ..... 49c  
50c " " ..... 39c  
35c " " ..... 29c  
25c " " ..... 19c  
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3/4 ydsx50 inches, per pair ..... \$1.00  
2 1/4 ydsx32 inches, per pair ..... 60c  
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### LADIES' BELTS.

White Kid ..... 10c  
White Calf, covered buckle ..... 25c  
Black Calf, covered buckle ..... 25c  
Black Calf, double stitched ..... 12c

Silk Mitts ..... 18c  
Silk Mitts, the Best ..... 25c  
Lisle Thread Mitts—a good one ..... 10c  
Pillow Cases, hemstitched, per pair ..... 35c  
Sheets, 91x90 each ..... 60c  
Sheets, 81x90, hemstitched, good quality ..... 65c  
Buggy Lap Robes ..... 20c  
Buggy Lap Robes, all Linen ..... \$1.00  
White Laundry Shirts, linen front ..... 60c  
Boys' Summer Caps ..... 18c  
Men's Summer Caps ..... 25c  
7 Spools best Cotton ..... 25c  
Ladies' Vests ..... 5c, 10c, 15c  
Parasols, 28 inch ..... 50c  
60 Sheets Note Paper ..... 3c  
2 Packages 6 inch Envelopes ..... 5c  
2 Packages Matches ..... 5c

## New York Cash Store.

J. A. ADAMS, Manager.

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### Local Market Report

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Cow Beef ..... \$2 50  
Veal, dressed ..... 5c  
Hogs, dressed ..... 5 1/2 c  
Mutton, Prime ..... 3c

### POULTRY.

Chickens, per doz ..... 2 50  
Chickens, spring, per doz ..... 2 00 to 2 50  
Turkeys ..... 8 to 9c

### GRAIN.

Wheat, blue stem ..... 6c  
Wheat, club ..... 55  
Oats, per ton ..... \$25 00 to \$28 00  
Barley, per ton ..... \$23 to \$25  
Corn, per bu ..... 56  
Flour, Puritan, per sack ..... 1 20  
Blue Bell, per sack ..... 1 10  
Flour, 3 X Bakers, per sack ..... 1 00  
Whole wheat flour ..... 1 15  
Hay, Timothy, baled, per ton, \$10 to 12 00  
Hay, Alfalfa, per ton ..... \$5 00 to 6 00

### PRODUCE.

Butter, Ranch, per roll ..... 25 to 35c  
" Creamery, per roll ..... 11c  
Cheese, Native ..... 15c  
Eggs, per doz ..... 10 to 13c  
Wool, per lb ..... 3c  
Cabbage ..... 2c  
Onions, green, per bunch ..... 3c  
Apples, per box ..... 50 to 75c  
Cherries, per lb ..... 2 to 5c  
Rhubarb, per lb ..... 2c  
Radishes, per doz ..... 25c  
Beets, per doz ..... 35c  
Green Peas per lb ..... 2c  
New Potatoes, per lb ..... 1 1/2 c  
Raspberries, per crate ..... \$1.00

## Farm for Sale.

A neat and highly cultivated ranch of 15 acres, one-half mile from town; 7-room cottage house, a good barn and other out-buildings; 6 acres in orchard, 7 acres in alfalfa, good water right. For sale cheap. For further particulars, inquire at EPIGRAM office.

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