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NOW that the election excitement is over, and we have simmered down to business again, let us all put our wits to work and see who can conceive the best and most feasible scheme to benefit this city and county. Some old fogies (and there are a few here) will assert that nothing can be done by our own people to encourage the establishment of new industries; that we must wait for outside capital to come in and do this work for us. This sort of reasoning is apt to prove fatal to the growth of any community. In these modern days, a town or city grows mainly by its own efforts. The capitalist invariably takes a cold-blooded view of the situation, and invests his money in a place that is going ahead with its own momentum. The town of LaGrande, Oregon, is a splendid example of what can be accomplished by a community of one mind, and bent on a common purpose. That enterprising little city, through its own efforts has this year secured the location of a sugar-beet factory that will distribute four hundred thousand dollars annually in that locality. Encouraged by this success they are now reaching out for other needed institutions, and with good prospects of getting them, too. It has been thoroughly demonstrated that the sugar-beet will produce more saccharine matter, when grown in this valley, than most any where else, and that beet cultivation is especially adapted to our system of farming. There are many other industries that we might secure, or possibly start ourselves, such as a dessicating plant, a canning factory, a pickle factory and a number of new creameries and cheese factories. As winter is now coming on let us agitate these questions in a sensible manner, and see if something beneficial will not result for the good of Yakima. Let the commercial club wake up from its long Rip Van Winkle sleep, and take the lead in this important matter.

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A PRETTY and interesting fight is already on for the senatorial succession in this state, between at least five of the great moguls of the "grand old party." As near as we can at present estimate, the strength of the candidates now stands in about the following order, although, owing

to the combinations being formed, the situation may be entirely changed when the legislature convenes in January. Wilson, Humes, Foster, Ankeny and McMillan. Ex-Senator Allen, while perhaps not an active candidate, is presumed, like Barkis, "to be willing," should the thing offer to come his way. In addition to the above list of prominent candidates, there are a host of others, who are stars of lesser magnitude in the goldbug firmament, in which list Yakima is presumably represented; although the fact that this county now has a congressman, will probably preclude any of our local colonels or captains from taking a chance at the great prize. Wilson's friends say that the "fighting senator" will go in with forty votes on the first ballot, and that he will win as soon as the "favorite son" racket is played out by other counties. It seems to us that nothing can prevent the re-election of Wilson, save a possible combination between the counties of King and Pierce, which in the nature of things, is extremely unlikely.

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THE war with Spain and the great results achieved thereby, have suddenly brought the government and people of this country face to face with the gravest and most serious problem that Americans have ever been called upon to solve: It is serious, because in its solution will depend the fate of the "great Yankee nation." The time has now arrived when this country must decide whether she is to be satisfied with remaining in the condition she now occupies—that is, as the peace loving, though dominant, power of the new world, or whether the traditional policy that has made her so great and so successful, is to be changed to a policy of colonization and land grabbing in the wilds of Asia—in fact to become a bully and a pirate among the nations. This course implies that we are to keep up a large standing army and build an all powerful navy; if we do not, we cannot hope to hold our own with other pirate nations, besides holding our half civilized colonists in check. Was such a program as this ever contemplated by the founders of our government? No. If they had favored that policy, they would have established a monarchy, and not a free republic. That was the kind of government they hated and abhorred, and were especially desirous of being rid of. For us now to turn about and use our great strength to put the yoke of bondage on another people is, to say the least, not in consonance with that spirit of freedom in which all Americans are presumed to have been baptised. The Philip-

pine islanders have earned their liberty; let Columbia be generous and give it to them, that they may work out their own destiny, and become, not a slave, but a free nation.

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THE EPIGRAM is informed that Representative-elect Englehart is preparing for introduction at the opening of the legislature, a bill to radically reduce, on a horizontal basis the present outrageous system of freight rates now in vogue in this state. We must express the hope, however, that Mr. Englehart will not adhere to his resolution of demanding so heavy a reduction in freight tolls as 33 1/3 per cent., for in our judgment that amount would be absolutely impossible to procure, and might result in the defeat of any relief at all. Representatives of the Sound counties, are always conservative when it comes to reducing freight rates, for the simple reason that their people, on account of competition, do not feel the grinding effect of extortionate rates, as do we in the interior. We believe that our representative is disposed to make an honest effort towards getting some relief for the people, and that if such is the case, it is the duty of all our people, regardless of party, to uphold him. We have little faith, however, in his being able to secure the passage of as drastic a measure as that which he is understood to advocate. We opine that he will find too many railroad cappers among his Republican brethren in the legislature, to enable him to secure so radical a reduction as intimated. If Mr. Englehart can secure a flat reduction of, say 25 or even 20 per cent., it would quickly add as large a ratio of increase to the value of every tillable acre of land in Yakima county, and aid in bringing prosperity and content—where there is now privation and want. If he can do this, we say—well, to borrow the Indian parlance, Mr. Englehart will be a hiyu skookum man in Yakima, and none will go farther to render him just praise than will THE EPIGRAM.

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WE observe, with pleasure, the disposition of the Democratic journals of the state to follow the lead of THE EPIGRAM in severing the ties that have bound them to the late party of fusion, and coming out flat footed in support of the time honored principles of Democracy. Among the last prodigals to return to the fold, are the Ellensburg Localizer and the Centralia News, both of which are ably edited and well calculated to teach pure Democracy. Welcome home, brethren; thrice welcome. "While the lamp is left to burn, the vilest sinner may return."



## PERSONAL POINTERS

Isaac Hayes and family returned Friday night of last week from an extended visit with friends in Missouri.

J. S. H. Anderson and C. W. Anderson, of Missouri, and E. H. Rittig, of Kansas, are young men who arrived recently in North Yakima. They will make their homes in the Yakima valley.

N. Hartung left for Tacoma on Sunday evening. The boys say that when he returns he is liable to bring a blushing bride with him.

Miss Kate Ward is now a resident of Butte, Montana, where she resides with her father.

Rev. Robert Warner, of The Dalles, formerly the Methodist pastor at this place, but now presiding elder of this district, was in the city the first of the week, accompanied by Rev. Helin, of Fort Simcoe.

Miss Meyer returned Monday night from her visit to the sound cities.

A. Saylor and J. J. Rudkin went to Horse Heaven the first of the week, to try their skill as nimrods.

J. E. Merwin left Monday night, to take the road for the sale of the Western Novelty Co's goods.

T. W. Chamberlain, of Nodaway County, Missouri, a brother of J. L. Chamberlain, of this city, arrived in Yakima last week for the purpose of visiting his brother and family. The two brothers had not met for forty seven years.

C. B. Keagley, a grain merchant, of Guy, Whitman county, was in the city on Saturday. Mr. Keagley says that the much talked of prosperity among the Whitman county wheat ranchers is exaggerated by people on the outside. One thousand five hundred fusionists in that county alone, according to Mr. Keagley, failed to vote in the last election.

J. C. Allen, of Whatcom, was in the city on Saturday.

Sheriff Wynegar, of Ellensburg, was shaking hands with friends here on Saturday.

B. S. Weed and J. M. Galvin, of the Burg, were Yakima visitors on Monday.

William the eldest son of John McPhee, of the Natchez, left last Friday for to spend the winter at the old family home in Nova Scotia. The younger son and eldest daughter of Mr. McPhee are attending the business college at Seattle.

Chas. R. Harris spent the week on the reservation duck hunting.

Wm. Glead and family, and Mrs. Sinclair and children left Tuesday night for San Diego, California, where they will remain until next spring.

H. J. Snively and family removed this week into the Gilbert house on Nob Hill.

Mrs. A. E. Kinsey and daughters returned Monday night from Freemont, Ind., where they had spent the summer visiting relatives.

G. A. Graham and wife left Tuesday night, the former for New York and the latter to visit relatives in Ohio. Miss Susie Erwin accompanied Mrs. Graham to her journey's end and proceeded on to her old home in Georgia, where she will remain indefinitely.

E. B. Reichel, a new arrival from Philadelphia has purchased a ranch

near Zillah, made this office a pleasant call this week. Mr. Reichel is delighted with the Yakima valley, and says the Pennsylvania people generally, were aware of our advantages, we would soon have a large immigration from that country.

Fred Cline, the popular assistant cashier of the First National bank, left Thursday night for Seattle, where he expected to join his brother Clarence, with whom he will make a trip to New York and Washington, D. C. They will not return before Jan. 1.

Receiver Jos. Allen went to Spokane Wednesday night to spend Thanksgiving with his family.

Judge Erwin returned to Alaska Tuesday night.

The usage of making party calls within two weeks, is now a relic of antiquated social usage and is regarded only as a mark of courtesy and not a requirement. Our young men burdened with social duties will certainly welcome the change.

The Baptist ladies gave a literary and musical entertainment at their church on Thursday evening. It was prefaced by a short lecture, on "Bunyan, Pilgrim's Progress," by Rev. Lyon, illustrated by charts. At the close of the program lunch was served and a very enjoyable social time was had.

### Hop Crop Estimate.

The hop crop for Washington for 1898 is placed by a local dealer at 27,500 bales, or 5600 bales in excess of the crop of 1897. The crop, as based upon this estimate, will bring in the neighborhood of \$1,000,000 against approximately \$625,000 last year.

It is estimated that there remains in this state about 10,000 bales, of which 6000 are west of the Cascades and 4000 about Yakima. Of the Pacific coast crop, estimated at 130,000 bales, it is stated that approximately 100,000 bales have passed out of the hands of the growers.

PURITAN patent flour gives the best of satisfaction. Do not fail to try it. 41

See the new line of jackets and capes in stock at the Wonder. 81

### Test and Business Medium.

Mrs. A. L. Watson will be at the Lillie House for a short time prepared to give readings, to ladies only. Will reveal the past, present and future. Satisfaction given or no charges made. 7

We are headquarters for lamps, bedding, carpets and wall paper. Lombard & Horsley. 117

See Schorn's stock before you buy a buggy.

## Olympic Shoeing Co.,

GEO. M. NEEDLES, Prop.

I make a business of shoeing horses in the most improved manner.

The Only Exclusive Shoeing Shop in the City.

Shop next to O. K. Livery Barn, South Second Street, North Yakima, Wash.

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# JEWELRY

Elegant New Patterns,  
Fully Warranted.

**E. M. HARRIS.**

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STAPLE AND FANCY GROCERIES,  
NUTS, CANDIES, Etc., GO TO  
**A. E. KINSEY & CO.**

**LOOK HERE!**

I Pay Highest Cash Price for Furniture,  
Stoves, Harness, Saddles, Guns, Revolvers, Watches, Clocks, and Clothing. Give me a Call.

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A first-class house, complete in every department.

Rooms 25 to 50 Cents. Special Rates by Week

Brick block near depot.

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NORTH YAKIMA, WASH.

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H. K. SINCLAIR, Vice Pres.

J. D. CORNETT, Cashier.  
FRANK BARTHOLET, ASST Cashier.

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

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

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Highest Prices

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 **Clothing**

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First st. south of Yakima Hdq. Store



## EDUCATING A HORSE.

This Is the Way a Kentuckian Accomplishes the Work.

The report of the death of a farmer in a runaway, wherein the horses were frightened by a white cat that ran across the road in front of them, was the subject of editorial comment in your paper. Let me say, first, that few persons realize or have even a fair conception of the real labor, care, energy and study necessary to turn horses out in anything like finished form. It is a well understood rule in my establishment that horses are not broken—I do not like the word—but taught, trained or schooled. Besides mounthing and biting they are made familiar with three things met on every hand—the whip, the umbrella and a dog. Daily I pass up and down the aisles between two rows of horses in single stalls cracking a whip as loudly as it can be snapped, without a word being spoken—not to make them "show up," but to let them learn the noise and understand that they are not to be hurt. It is often interesting, for some snort, others twist about, others climb into their troughs, yet the whip cracking goes on. After a few lessons they pay no attention to it, or at least manifest no fear or nervousness. Rainy days I walk up and down the aisle with a raised umbrella, then invert it and leave it on the floor opened and go out, and not a word is spoken. Hear them snort and climb the walls! But there that umbrella stands until each horse determines it is nothing, and on that point no more trouble is met.

My collie dog is here, there, everywhere when the horses are being exercised, sometimes in his gambols running at them head on or as often dashing up behind. On the public highways every one has had the experience of a dog rushing out suddenly, frequently with disastrous results, and here is where the dog comes in under my system. The open umbrella is met on every side on rainy days. Under my teaching it is a familiar object.

Harness horses, however much they may have been driven, when they come into my establishment are put through the following drill: Into my school-room, 100 by 40 feet, they go harnessed with an open bridle, a surcingle or body girth with a ring upon each side and a pair of driving lines, and a long whip with a good snapper. Thus rigged the horse is taught to stop and start by command, to back and to stand while the whip is passed over his body, between his legs and cracked all about him. All of this means work and plenty of it, but it is remunerative many times over.

That horses can reason I gravely doubt, yet just how to define that sense by which they comprehend is equally an unsatisfactory thought. Smell and hearing are intensely acute, and that it is by these senses, together with the one of sight separate from reason, that they understand things is the idea to which I strongly incline. Saddle horses aged in experience, mounted always from the left side, have been known to become badly frightened if mounted from the off side. Capacity to reason seems wanting there, does it not? Harness horses driven for years with blinders, seemingly perfectly gentle, have been known to become so alarmed as to run away and smash things if the bridle was removed by accident or purpose when harnessed to a buggy with the top up. My umbrella practice would go far to prevent such accidents. Driving with an open bridle to a trap without a top, suddenly hoist a parasol or an umbrella, and the chances are many that the horse will show fright. Hence my umbrella practice. That such training is necessary before a horse can properly be called finished is shown clearly enough by the report some time ago of a runaway occasioned by the opening of an umbrella behind a pair of horses and resulting in the death of two or three persons.

## Chrysanthemum Carnival.

The Chrysanthemum Carnival which was held at Olympia from Nov. 15 to 19 inclusive is said to have been a very successful affair and to have netted a very respectable sum for the purpose of purchasing a bronze tablet for the Cruiser Olympia. Miss Meyer as the representative of this city was one of the maids of honor to the queen who was Miss Gertrude Jenkins, daughter of the secretary of state. Rev. U. F. Hawk, of this city was an interested spectator, and describes it as a very grand affair.

## Thanksgiving Day.

Thanksgiving has come and gone and now remains but a memory. The day, as usual, was generally observed by Yakima people. The protestant churches all combined and held a union service at the Baptist church, at which Rev. J. H. Beattie preached a touching and beautiful sermon.

Several good samaritans among our people, in an unostentatious manner, sent thanksgiving turkeys to the homes of the poor.

Keene wants one 8-day weight clock movement. Will give good trade. \*

I have taken the agency of Swanson's celebrated rheumatic remedy. I guarantee it to cure any case of muscular rheumatism. Try it and be convinced. John W. Beck. 4t

Go to Redfield's for correct time.

## Like a Great Railway

With its branches running in every direction, are the arteries and veins, which convey the blood to every part of the system. When the liver and kidneys refuse to act the blood is prevented from circulation by poisonous acids, and then comes Rheumatism. Dr. Drummond's Lightning Remedy drives these poisons from the blood, and Dr. Drummond's Lightning Liniment restores the stiff joints, drawn cords and hardened muscles. If your druggist has not got these remedies, send to the Drummond Medicine Company, New York, and the full month's treatment of two large bottles will be sent to your express address.

## Local Market Report

CORRECTED EVERY FRIDAY.

### LIVE STOCK.

Steer Beef.....	3 00
Cow Beef.....	\$2 50
Veal, dressed.....	6c
Hogs, dressed.....	5c
Mutton, Prime.....	3c

### POULTRY.

Chickens, per doz.....	\$2 50 to 3 00
Turkeys.....	10c
Geese.....	9 to 10c

### GRAIN.

Wheat, blue stem.....	51
Wheat, club.....	48 to 49
Oats, per ton, new.....	\$22 00
Barley, per ton.....	\$19 00
Corn, per bu.....	50
Flour, Puritan, per sack.....	90
Blue Bell, per sack.....	80
Flour, 3 X Bakers, per sack.....	70
Whole wheat flour.....	85c
Hay, Timothy, baled, per ton.....	\$9 00
Hay, Alfalfa, per ton.....	\$6 00
Hay, Clover per ton.....	\$7 50

### PRODUCE.

Butter, Ranch, per roll.....	45c
" Creamery, per roll.....	50c
Cheese, Native.....	15c
Eggs, per doz.....	30c
Wool, per lb.....	10 to 13c
Cabbage.....	2 1/2c
Beets, per 100.....	75c to \$1 00
Hops.....	15c
Potatoes, per ton.....	\$9 00
Dried Onions, per lb.....	1c
Apples, per lb.....	1 1/2c

## How is Your Wardrobe?

Need a new Fall or Winter Suit, don't you? I can fix you out in a handsome, neat-fitting tailor made suit at very satisfactory prices.

Suits from **\$9 Up.**

A new line of samples in the latest patterns, just received. Call and examine them.

## Henry Pressey.

Also bear in mind that I handle the celebrated Prosser Mills Flour—none better. One tried, always used. Always on hand a large stock of Mill Feed, Hay and Grain. Free delivery, in the city.

## Yakima Feed Store,

HENRY PRESSEY.

YAKIMA AVENUE, NO. YAKIMA

## The Alfalfa

The Cosiest Resort in North Yakima..

Old Belmont Whisky in Stock. Sole agent Seattle Brewing & Malting Company...

THOS. LUND, PROP'R.

## MATTOON'S LIVERY STABLE,

Cor. S. 1st and Walnut Sts.,

North Yakima, Wash.

We are prepared to turn out first-class rigs day or night on short notice. We solicit a fair share of the public patronage. Prices reasonable.

J. P. MATTOON, Proprietor.

## For Sale...

A BRAND NEW 5-room cottage; lot 66 1/2 feet front by 140 feet deep; drive well. Only \$650.

ALSO.....

Some great snaps to offer in the way of lots on West Yakima Avenue, which will soon be open for business. Only \$60 each. For further particulars, enquire at the EPIGRAM office.

## G. W. SUTTON, Contractor and Builder.

Estimates made on Brick and Stonework, Plastering, etc.

Residence at the end of the Railroad Y.

North Yakima, Wash

## Lovely

## SILVERWARE

For the New Season just approaching. We have the most COMPLETE LINE of Silverware ever exhibited in this city in

Reed & Barton's  
Hollow and Flat Ware,  
and  
Rogers' 1847 Ware.

We think that we have something for everyone. No harm in coming and seeing, anyway.

## A. SCHINDELER, JEWELER,

Next to Postoffice, North Yakima, Wash.

## Hotel Bartholet Bar,

J. H. TIMM, Proprietor.

Operated in Connection with the Hotel Bartholet.

Wines, Liquors, Cigars.

Also Imported Goods.

Firstclass Resort. Splendid Service.

Patronage Solicited.

## Notice of Closing Poll-Books.

Notice is hereby given that the Poll-Books for the Registration of Voters in the City of North Yakima, State of Washington, will be closed for the purpose of organization for the City Election to be held on the 6 day of December, 1898, closed on the 23 day of November, 1898, at the hour of five o'clock p. m. Dated at North Yakima, Washington, November, 19, 1898. (Seal) H. B. DOUST, City Clerk of the City of North Yakima, Washington.

## NOTICE.

In the Superior Court of the State of Washington in and for the County of Spokane. In the matter of the estate of J. M. Adams, deceased.

Notice is hereby given, that the hearing upon the return of the proceedings of Phoebe D. Adams, administratrix of the above estate under the order of the above entitled court made on the 26th day of August, 1898, authorizing said administratrix to sell at private sale certain real estate of the above entitled estate will be heard on the 24th day of November, 1898, at the court house in North Yakima, said county and state, at the hour of ten o'clock in the forenoon of said day, which return reports offers or bids in writing upon the following described real estate and for the following amounts:

From Yakima Lodge No. 122 I. O. O. F. North Yakima, Washington, for lots 5 and 6, block 50, City of North Yakima, \$1500 cash;  
From John W. Freeman, for lots 21 and 22, block 31, in the city of North Yakima, \$630 cash, and said purchaser to pay the taxes due upon said described real estate;  
From S. B. Merrill, for lots 11 and 12, block 52, City of North Yakima, \$180;  
For lots 13 and 14, block 232, City of North Yakima, \$150;  
For the south 1/2 of lot 5, block 3, G. W. Oodwin's Addition to Yakima City;  
For the north 1/2 of lot 8, block 17, Schanno's Addition to Yakima City, \$5;  
For the south 1/2 of lot 10, block 17, Schanno's Addition to Yakima City, \$5;  
For lot 9, block 17, Schanno's Addition to Yakima City, \$10;  
For the southwest 1/4 of the northeast 1/4 of the southwest 1/4 of section 14, township 13, north, range 18, Yakima County, Washington, \$205;  
For lot 2, section 1, township 9 north, range 30, Franklin County, Washington, \$45; to be paid cash as soon as sale shall be confirmed by this court.

This notice refers to said return for further particulars thereof. All persons interested in said estate are hereby notified to appear at said time and place and present any objections to the confirmation of said report and to the direction of said conveyances in accordance therewith. Dated this 11th day of November, A. D. 1898.

JAS. R. COE, Clerk of said court.

KEENE, First Street  
THE JEWELER



#### An Epidemic of Weddings.

Fred L. Chandler and Miss Effie Cary were united in marriage on Wednesday evening at the home of the brides parents. Rev. U. F. Hawk officiating. The ceremony was witnessed only by relatives and a few intimate friends. The happy couple it is understood will go to house keeping. THE EPIGRAM extends congratulations.

#### BRADEN-WARD WEDDING.

On Thanksgiving evening Nov. 24 at the home of the brides parents occurred the marriage of Dr. J. B. Braden and Miss Sadie Ward, Rev. T. J. Dent officiating. The ceremony was witnessed only by relatives of the family, and a few personal friends. THE EPIGRAM extends congratulations.

#### AND STILL ANOTHER.

On Thursday evening Nov. 24, occurred the marriage of Mr. Sydney Noble, of this city, and Miss Clara Vansyckle, of Yakima City, the ceremony was performed by the Rev. A. H. Lyons at the Baptist parsonage. Only a few intimate friends witnessed the ceremony. The happy couple will go to house keeping on the west side. THE EPIGRAM extends congratulations.

#### Get Ready for the City Election.

As may be seen from the perusal of the official call in another column of this paper our annual city election takes place on Tuesday December 6th. The officers to be selected are a mayor, clerk, treasurer, attorney, health officer and four councilmen. But little interest has so far apparently been taken by the public in the coming election, and no caucuses have thus far been called. The only names that THE EPIGRAM has heard spoken of in connection with municipal nominations are those of "hizzoner" he mayor for a third term, Harry Presser for treasurer, H. B. Doust for clerk, Dr. Frank for health officer, and the name of H. B. Rigg is frequently mentioned for city attorney. It is generally conceded we think, that the present city administration has been efficient and economical, and as these positions are mainly of the non-paying, thankless kind, there is no body hankering after them. The people seem to be a unit however in the demand that R. A. Grant should succeed himself in the marshal's office, for without exception, he has made the best marshal Yakima ever had.

#### A Valuable Discovery.

Peter Nelson, of Nelson Siding was in the city on Friday. Mr. Nelson is a veteran miner of the Cascades, and brought down with him some samples of ore from the Blue Jacket mine in which John Michels and J. C. MacCrimmon, of this city are heavily interested. Recent investigation of this ore develops the fact that it carries considerable quantities of platinum as well as gold. As platinum is nearly as valuable as gold the discovery has created quite a flutter among the mining men of that section. Extensive development work is planned we are informed for next season.

#### Lighted Cigars on the Elevated.

"Perhaps it would be too much to expect the elevated road to enforce its rule prohibiting the carrying of lighted cigars on the cars," said Mr. Biffington, "but how would it do to amend that rule so as to make it prohibit the carrying of lighted bad cigars and then enforce it? It would be a difficult thing to do, I know; the man who stood on the platform to prevent the carrying aboard of lighted 'twofers' would need to be not only a connoisseur in tobacco, but an athlete, too, and even then he might make mistakes in one way or the other, but it would be an effort in the right direction."—New York Sun.

#### A Long Docket.

Superior court will convene the first Monday in December. The term bids fair to be long drawn out, as eleven criminal cases are docketed for trial, besides a larger number than usual of civil cases. Following is the criminal docket.

State vs Oscar Spencerr Murder in the first degree.  
State vs Mayer; attempted murder.  
State vs A. N. Short; Assault with a deadly weapon.  
State vs J. M. Smith; Forgery.  
State vs Romans; Sodomy.  
State vs O'Connell; Forgery.  
State vs Dwyer and Campbell; Arson.  
State vs H. Roberts; Perjury.  
State vs A. Richmond; Horse stealing.  
State vs Patrick Donely; Appeal from Justice Court.

Mt. Vernon, Washington.

To all whom it may concern:

Dr. Stephenson, the dentist, has attended to the teeth of ourselves and families in the past four years, in a careful, skillful and satisfactory manner, and we can recommend him to any one in need of dental work as a competent man in any operation he undertakes.

B. Hufty, Banker and Real Estate; J. F. St. John, Merchant; A. C. Lewis, M. D.; W. McNicol, Machinist; Mrs. C. D. Kimball, News Agent; John L. Anable, Post Master; Mrs. Josephine R. Miijer, Prop. Hotel Grand Central; Mrs. M. S. Frizell, Merchant; E. W. Tilley, Jeweler; L. D. Hodge, Real Estate and Loans; J. C. Waugh, Attorney at law; C. R. Patterson, Merchant; W. S. Anable, Carpenter and Contractor; W. F. Robertson, Photographer; L. J. Bailey, Barber. Dr. Thompson, M. D. Office next door to Dr. Guan, North Yakima. 7-4t

#### Choice Whole Wheat Flour.

Now is the best time to use it. Manufactured by North Yakima Mill Co.

#### For Sale Cheap—House and Lot

A good four room house with woodshed a good barn, lot 50x140 ft. Can be bought furnished or unfurnished, in good residence district. A genuine snap. For sale for a short time only. Inquire EPIGRAM office.

A nice new lot of ladies wool waists just received at the Wonder. 10-2t

For fresh butter, milk, cream and butter milk, go to Frazer's new creamery. S. First Street near the Avenue. 10-4t

Wanted—A girl for general house work. Enquire at EPIGRAM office. 9t

If you have never used Roslyn coal try it, and be convinced, and you will have no other. Ewing & Mikkelson. 9

Our razors are keen,  
Our towels clean,  
And in our shop  
We're always seen.

Remember that we have secured the services of Billy Shearer the veteran barber. Struben & Clemmer. 9

Briggs keeps in the rear end of his store some great bargains in the shape of second hand pianos and organs. Call and examine. 9

You must read the Seattle Daily Times to get all the news, the leading paper of the state. By carrier 50c per month. B. N. Coe, Agent.

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NORTH YAKIMA DRUG STORE,

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Just as soon as the war is over, prices of land will advance. Now is the time to buy a ranch. We have some fine ranches in Wide Hollow and Nob Hill; all sizes; easy terms.

Fine 10-acre ranch near Fair Grounds. Young orchard, just coming into bearing.

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OUR SPECIALTIES.

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## HOLIDAY :: GOODS.

A new line of Toys and Confectionery for the Holiday Trade. Call and see us; we also keep a complete line of

STATIONERY

That we are offering at reasonable prices. Yakima Ave., Dill's old stand.

Lisle Stationery Co.



## LOCAL INTEREST

George Vetter has been appointed postmaster at Sunnyside.

Thomas Lund made a flying trip to Prosser on Wednesday.

The wife of C. Haason died at her home on the Wenas. Saturday, Nov. 19.

F. E. Craig has disposed of his interest in the Owl Cigar Store to J. P. Crawford.

A turkey shooting match was held on Wednesday at the Ager ranch in the Moxee.

Prof. Barge has purchased the Second street Baptist church, and will convert it into a dwelling house.

Auson Ogg, a resident of the Ahtanum valley, died on Sunday of this week and was buried Tuesday at the Tahoma cemetery.

Harry Clark, of Knob Hill and Miss Lydia Berg, of this city, were married Monday last, at the residence of the bride's parents.

The new pastor of the Christian church is Rev. Ira W. Kimmell, of Roanoke, Va. He will arrive in this city about the first of the new year.

The Water, Light and Power company have an extra force of men on repairing the electric light lines and otherwise improving their excellent system.

The Northern Pacific Company now has sixty men employed, with August Cultum as superintendent, on the construction of its new Selah bridge.

Tim Manahan had the greatest cause to be thankful on Thursday of any man in town. All on account of the arrival of a fine boy at his house on that day.

Mrs. Frankie Bennett, a resident of West Yakima died at her home on Saturday last, of consumption and was buried Monday morning. The deceased was a sister of J. D. and T. J. McDaniel.

Prof. R. B. George will begin a second term in singing in the M. E. church Friday, Nov. 25 at 4.15 and 7.30 p. m. and close with an up-to-date concert Wednesday, Nov. 30. One dollar pays for 12 lessons.

Two deaths occurred at the hospital Wednesday night, that of O. L. Williams aged 71 years who was taken from the Ahtanum and J. T. Roland, of Zillah aged 66 years. Both were buried on Friday.

Yakima has been treated to all kinds of weather this week. Frost, snow, rain and sunshine, with an ever bundance of mud, which makes the old Yakimans silently "cuss" and fills the Puget Sounders with delight.

G. H. Moulton has finished his contract with the city, having 506 feet of new sidewalk on Yakima avenue and Seventh street, which greatly improves the appearance of that portion the residence district.

A. D. Sloan has fitted up a very artistic fro village in his show window which includes some intricate machinery for putting frogs across the river. It is a very ingenious piece of work, and draws a smile from every passer by.

William Adams, anticipating a hard winter, and being a little short of clothing on Monday of this week stole a pair of fur gloves and a buggy robe from in front of the harness store of Fisher &

Mabry. The gloves were found hidden under Johnsons' ice house and the robe in the sagebrush. Marshal Grant had the culprit up, before Justice Moulton who affixed a fine of \$50 and costs opposite the name of the light-fingered William. He will board it out at the county's expense.

J. C. Rathbun, the special correspondent of the Seattle Times, arrived Wednesday night to remain in the city for a few days, during which time he will write up the wonderful resources of this valley, for a special holiday edition of the Times.

It is rumored that Major Fox of the First Washington volunteers has resigned his position and that he will be succeeded by Adjutant General Canton, of the state militia, who in turn be succeeded by Major Fox of the second Regiment N. G. W.

Through an oversight we failed to mention last week the death of Mr. David Spaulding, who resided in the Natchez valley. Mr. Spaulding died from the effects of paralysis. He was an old soldier, and was beloved by all who knew him. One of his sons is a member of Company E.

The time has come when the free-income men of Washington should begin a new organization, founded upon the issue which will face the country in 1900, and in that organization there should appear no side issues or "isms," pronounced merely for the purpose of "riders," in the hope that they may be carried safely through on the back of a worthier proposition, when as a matter of fact, such "isms" will not be able to stand alone in the next campaign. —Seattle Times.

A few of the friends of Mr. and Mrs. Fred L. Chandler gave a bowling alley party and banquet in their honor Tuesday night. A very enjoyable evening was spent at the bowling alley after which the party repaired to the Hotel Yakima where mine host Wenner had prepared the banquet table. Speeches were made by the bachelors and married guests which were responded to by Mr. Chandler in a very fitting manner. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. Vance, Mr. and Mrs. Rigg; Misses Cary, Patton, Blancker, Alls, Kinney, Hewitt, Monroe, Nichols, Shannon, and Barge; Messers Dills, Cline, Wallace, Johnson, Sloan, McCready, Chandler, Meyer and Miller.

Dr. Klug, the optician, will be in Yakima again from Nov. 20 to Dec 1st, and can be found at his office at the Barthel hotel.

Silverware parts

Call on the Lisle Stationary Co. for Christmas goods and candies; also stationery of all kinds.

Choice Self Rising Flour Manufactured by North Yakima Mill Co.

A barrel of sauer kraut just opened at Harris' grocery.

Remember our teas at the old price. Kinsey & Co.

We have a choice line of syrups, Kinsey & Co.

New store lamp for sale, cheap, address F. L. Johnson.

L. J. Crocker a prominent fruit grower, of Placer county, California, spent a few days this week visiting his brother in this city. He expressed himself as highly pleased with this country.

## Found a Good Thing.

WHAT IS THAT? Good Pianos and Organs at Claude Brigg New Music Store, which the public is now appreciating.

**We Sell a Good Piano from \$250 up  
A Number One Organ, \$50.**

The above can be bought ON THE INSTALLMENT PLAN for \$5 to \$10 per month. We keep from 15 to 25 instruments constantly on hand. Come and place your ear to the 'phone, and we will give you the lowest prices you ever heard of. We mean business, and will not send you away disappointed. It's worth your time to call and see the Banjo Piano. We keep a full line of String and Small Musical Instruments.

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**Buggies! Buggies!**

A Carload of Buggies, Hacks, Road Wagons, Carriages and Phaetons just arrived at Fawcett Bros.

**Latest Designs, Lowest Prices, Best Workmanship**

Call and see them before buying. Also just arrived a carload of the

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THE BEST WAGON ON EARTH.**

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**Beauty's Eyes.**



Should be eyes of strength and perfect vision—eyes of beauty are always so. Beauty's eyes are not. Strange how a woman will go on straining her eyes, producing premature wrinkles and wasting nervous energy, under the supposition that glasses will ruin her appearance. In reality nothing so enhances ones looks as do glasses, when placed before defective eyes. We put beauty in glasses as well as behind them. Examination free.

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**YAKIMAJAVE,  
NORTH YAKIMA.**

**Henry Wilson.**

**Christmas is Coming**

And CONOLLY'S JAPANESE BAZAAR is ready for the rush with some of the most unique and novel Japanese and American Toys ever displayed in this city. Also on display a handsome line of dainty China ware, that is sure to please the ladies, who are cordially invited to call and see these new goods. A nice line of house plants always on hand.

South First Street.

**W. L. CONOLLY.**



## THE OUTSIDE WORLD

Telephone and telegraph wires are to be put under ground in Spokane,

John W. Keeley, inventor of the famous Keeley motor, died of pneumonia at his home in Philadelphia, on the 18th, aged 61 years.

The British ship Atlanta, loaded with wheat, bound from Tacoma to South Africa, foundered in the surf off Yaquina, Oregon, on the 17th. Of its crew of 27 men, but three were saved. The vessel and cargo are a total loss.

Admiral Dewey has notified the government at Washington that he has let the contract to a Hongkong wrecking firm to raise the three large Spanish gunboats, which he sunk in the bay of Manila. The expense of raising and refitting will be five hundred thousand dollars.

The new battle ship, Wisconsin, will be launched at San Francisco on Nov. 26. It will be christened by Miss Elizabeth Stephenson, of Marinette, Wis.

Miss May Wallace was shot and killed on the 10th inst. by an assassin who fired through the window. Two chinamen are under arrest for the crime, at Pendleton, Ore.

Senator Matt Quay and his son Richard S. Quay, have been indicted at Philadelphia, charged with conspiracy to unlawfully use public money in private enterprises.

The "Admiral Dewey," the first auxiliary cruiser of the class of merchant vessels to be constructed under an act of congress, has made her trial trip and is a success.

The famous Le Roi mine has passed into the hands of the British Syndicate. They have recently purchased 250,000 shares of stock from Senator Turner and associates, at the rate of \$8.37½ per share.

There is a revival of business amounting almost to a boom in Spokane on account of the new discoveries in the Republic mining district.

Work has been stopped on the Northern Pacific company's line across the Lapwai Indian reservation in Idaho. The necessary authority has not been secured from the government, and individual claims have not been satisfied.

Ex-Queen Liliuokalani wants \$5,000,000 worth of the crown lands in the Hawaiian Island, and is now in Washington preparing to lay her claims before congress.

The Tacoma Ledger claims that some \$300,000 is to be expended in enlarging the smelter in that city, making it the largest on the coast.

The great Corbett-Sharkey fight on the 22d in New York, ended in a decision for Sharkey, McVey, one of Corbett's seconds having jumped in the ring and interfered with the fight. The men fought eight rounds, and at no time did Corbett prove himself a match for the sailor.

The Baldwin hotel and theater, San Francisco, were destroyed by fire on Wednesday. Two lives were lost.

Seattle has been chosen as the place to hold the national convention of the W. C. T. U.

Nothing definite has yet been reached by the peace commission. The Spaniards have not answered the American

note demanding the complete surrender of the Philippines—the United States to pay Spain \$20,000,000.

A territorial form of government will be recommended for Hawaii.

Three masked men held up Hans Anderson and Hans Ericson in a Tacoma butcher shop on the 23d. Anderson was proprietor of the shop, and was robbed of \$70.

John A. Johnson, a Swedish miner, was killed on the double track at Buckley, by a freight train, Sunday last.

A revival of activity in every quarter is visible in Havana. The best energies of the Spanish now seem bent on an immediate evacuation of the island.

Captain Dreyfus has been permitted to write to his wife in Paris. It is not improbable that he may yet be proven innocent of the crime for which he is now serving a life sentence.

General Blanco has tendered his resignation, not being willing to surrender Cuba to the Americans.

An attempt was made upon the life of the czar of Russia by barricading a track over which his train was passing. The attempt proved futile.

All kinds of farm produce taken in exchange for trees. Yakima Nursery, J. A. Waters, Prop.

Try some of that fine new sorghum at Wilson's.

## LODGE DIRECTORY.

MODERN WOODMEN OF AMERICA.—North Yakima Camp No. 5550. Meets 1st and 3d Tuesdays of each month at 8 p. m. in Allen's Hall. Visiting neighbors welcome. M. L. Matterson, Venerable Consul. W. P. Guthrie, Clerk.

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. G. 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.

E. 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. Houser, 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. Uesly, 1st Sgt.

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#### Total Vote of the State.

While the Secretary of State has not yet received the full returns from the various county officials, required by law to make report of the vote cast in the various counties, yet enough returns have been received to indicate approximately the total vote cast, together with the number of votes which each candidate for Congress and each candidate for Supreme Judge received and the same are given below.

For Congressman:

W. L. Jones, Rep., received..... 38,500  
James Hamilton Lewis, Dem., received..... 34,750  
F. W. Cushman, Rep., received..... 37,700  
W. C. Jones, Silver Rep., received..... 30,500

If the vote of W. L. Jones, who received the highest number of votes, be added to that of W. C. Jones, who received the lowest number of votes, the aggregate will be..... 69,000

For Supreme Judge:

Anders, Rep., received the highest vote, or..... 48,800  
Godman, Dem., received the lowest vote, or..... 30,700

Thus aggregating..... 69,500

The vote for the Prohibition candidate is not yet in, but it will be nominal, as it was less than 1000 in 1896.

Thus it will be observed that the total vote, when officially announced, will necessarily fall below 70,000 in the state or a loss of more than 23,000 from the vote of 1896.

It will also appear that the highest vote for the Republican candidate for Supreme court amounted to 38,800, or within about 300 votes of that which was given McKisley by Washington in the campaign of 1896.

On the other hand it will be noted that even Congressman Lewis' vote was almost 20,000 less than two years ago, and that the average vote for Fusion members of the Supreme Court was more than 22,000 less than in 1896.—Seattle Times.

#### For Silver Still.

"It is not within the power of any Croker-Harrison combination to head off the free-silver cause, for it is stronger with the people now than ever before."

With this declaration as a text, ex-Governor John P. Altgeld took up his flail yesterday, and proceeded to pound Tammany's boss as well as Chicago's mayor: "I have it from reliable sources," continued Mr. Altgeld, "that there is a movement on foot among the trading, tricky politicians to control the next democratic national convention. I have no doubt that Croker's mission means the formation of a combination with Harrison to elect anti-free silver delegates in Illinois and other middle Western states. But they will not be able to do it. There is not a single honest friend of free silver in the United States today but believes that the cause is stronger today than ever before. Once in a while we hear of some fellow who never was with us, saying the issue is a dead one, but he does not know what he is talking about. Croker and Harrison may form all the combinations they want to. We will have the delegates of every state that stood for silver two years ago, with Massachusetts, Maine, Vermont and Delaware added. We also will have a part of Pennsylvania, but will not need it.

"They cannot capture the Illinois delegates outside of Chicago."—Chicago Tribune.

#### To Extend The Road.

At a meeting of the stockholders of the Portland, Vancouver & Yakima railroad company, held at the head office in Vancouver last week, it was decided to increase the capital stock of the company from \$50,000 to \$250,000. This is the first big step toward the construction of the line to Yakima. As soon as the surveyors complete their field notes of the right-of-way for the recent survey of twenty miles of extension, bids will be invited for the construction of that much, after which surveyors will be put in the field to complete the right of way through to North Yakima. The completion of this road will open up immense bodies of timber and also big coal fields near Mt. Adams—Goldendale Agriculturist.

We are closing out our entire stock of shoes at greatly reduced price. We intend to retire from business. Lee's Shoe Store. 52

#### \$500 Reward.

For any case of Rheumatism that can not be cured with Dr. Drummond's Lightning Remedies, internal and external; relieves at once; cure guaranteed. Restores stiff joints, drawn cords and hardened muscles. If your druggist has not got it, do not take anything else. Send description of your case, take the agency, and secure your own treatment free. Drummond Medicine Company, 84 Nassau Street New York.

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

A fine and complete new stock of silver ware just received at Schindeler's. \*

See florentine art ware at Schindeler's. \*

#### 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 Yakima Avenue in said City by the construction of a sidewalk along the North side of said Yakima Avenue between Natchez Avenue and Third street in said City according to the plat thereof on file in the office of the County Auditor of Yakima County, Washington, said sidewalk to be eight feet in width and to be laid with planks two inches thick eight inches wide and eight feet long, surfaced on one side, and resting on three stringers, four inches by six inches, said sidewalk to be laid on the grade marked out and established in front of said lots and lands as the same appears from the grade stakes; all material used is to be good common fir lumber. That the estimated cost of said improvement is \$200, and that the cost of the same is to be assessed against the property abutting on said sidewalk and included in the following described assessment district, to-wit: Lots 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11 and 12 in block No. 70, and lots 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11 and 12 in block No. 90, according to said 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 2 o'clock p. m. on the 5 day of December, 1898, and that the City Clerk give due and legal notice of said proposed improvement.

Passed the Council Nov 21, 1898; approved Nov 21, 1898. O. A. FECHTER, Mayor.  
Attest—H. B. DOUST, City Clerk.  
(Seal)

#### Desert Land, Final Proof.—Notice For Publication.

United States Land Office  
North Yakima, Wash. Nov. 17, 1898  
Notice is hereby given that Emmett W. Dooley of North Yakima, Wash. has filed notice of intention to make proof on his desert-land claim No. 574, for the South East quarter Sec. 28 Tp. 14, N. R. 18 E. W. M. before the Register and Receiver United States Land Office at North Yakima Wash on Wednesday, the 4th day of January, 1899.

He names the following witnesses to prove the complete irrigation and reclamation of said land: Robert Edwards and John Lindsay of Yakima City, Wash.; George Price and Thomas Clemmens of North Yakima, Wash.

WALTER J. REED, Register.  
0v26-Dec31

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In democratic national conventions the representation is based on representation in congress. There are two delegates for each member of congress and two at large for each United States senator. It was through such advantages that the silverites captured the democratic party at Chicago in 1896, and through them they will keep the control of the democratic party organization in their hands in 1900. Here is a list of states in which the democrats have reaffirmed the Chicago platform, together with the number of delegates to a national convention of the party:

Missouri.....	34	Arkansas.....	16
Texas.....	30	Tennessee.....	24
Ohio.....	46	Maine.....	12
Indiana.....	30	Iowa.....	26
Illinois.....	48	Kansas.....	20
Michigan.....	28	Montana.....	6
Wisconsin.....	24	Idaho.....	6
Virginia.....	24	Colorado.....	8
South Carolina.....	18	Nevada.....	6
Georgia.....	26	California.....	18
Florida.....	8	Oregon.....	18
Massachusetts.....	30	Minnesota.....	18
Alabama.....	22	Washington.....	8
Mississippi.....	18		
New Hampshire.....	8		
Vermont.....	8		
		Total.....	578

That is, 578 delegates or a majority of the whole, will go practically pledged in advance to the silver cause. Kentucky, a very strong silver state, held no convention this year, but its 26 delegates in 1900 are sure to be in the silver column, as they were in 1896, for the last democratic state convention, in support of which the democrats carried Kentucky by 16,000, reaffirmed the Chicago platform and endorsed Bryan as "the fearless orator and statesman and the great champion of the people's rights against the money power, the monopolists, the syndicates and the trusts."

With the addition of Kentucky's 26 delegates to the 578 already assured, the silver men will have a total of 604 in the next national convention, or within 20 of the total silver vote of the Chicago convention, and they will have besides the support of such strong silver states as West Virginia, Utah, North Dakota and the four territories of Arizona, New Mexico, Oklahoma and the Indian territory, having collectively 24 votes, every one of which was cast for free silver in the Chicago convention two years ago.

These figures show that the silverites are really stronger in the control of the democratic party than they were two years ago, for the course of the party this year in Massachusetts, Vermont and Wisconsin illustrates this, for these states were against silver in the conventions of two years ago, but have swung over to the silver side since. The open opposition of New York, Pennsylvania and New Jersey did not defeat the will of the Southern and Western democrats two years ago, and their evasive silence this year will be still more ineffective.—Oregonian,

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### Voting Machines.

News gatherers who are kept up till the small hours of morning getting the election returns can readily see the beauties of the Standard voting machine. This is an instrument that mechanically records the ballot cast by each voter. It had a trial at Rochester, N. Y., at the election last week, and scored a complete triumph. Each election district in the city had a machine, 73 all told being in use, and all worked to perfection. The entire vote of the city was reported within 37 minutes after the polls closed. The machine records a straight party vote within half a minute, and a complicated split ticket may be voted within a minute.—Chicago Record.

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Notice of City Election.

Notice is hereby given that on Tuesday, December 6, 1898, an election will be held in the City of North Yakima, Washington for the following City officers:

Mayor,  
City Treasurer,  
City Clerk,  
City Attorney,  
Health Officer,  
1 Councilman, First Ward,  
1 Councilman, Second Ward,  
1 Councilman, Third Ward,  
1 Councilman at Large.

The polls at said election will be opened at 9 o'clock in the morning and will remain open until 7 o'clock in the evening of the same day.

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