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THE present national administration seems to have its hands full in its dealings with foreigners. The Philippine problem with all its possibilities of complications with other nations, the vexed Cuban question, as well as the prospect of having to take a hand in the internal affairs of the petty republic of San Domingo, are not the only things that are worrying the president and his cabinet. The long unsettled international boundary question between Alaska and the Northwest Territory of Canada, is just now claiming the serious attention of the state department. While this is a dispute of long standing, it has but recently reached an acute stage and it is probable that our northern neighbors would have continued to pay no attention to the precise location of the boundary line had it not been for the discovery of gold in the Klondyke; the boundary as now established preventing the Canadians, in a large measure, from controlling the trade of their own territory. That is where the shoe pinches. It breaks their hearts to see the vast supplies of that country purchased in American cities and the large annual output of gold marketed in the same places. The air of braggadocio and belligerency adopted by Canada, however, will do her little good, as England is not likely to consent to any warlike measures with the United States in order to gain a petty advantage for Canada. The McKinley administration, on the other hand, feels embarrassed about granting any concessions in the way of territory, from the fact that it has encouraged the cry in this country that it is treason to lower the flag anywhere it has been planted. If we are wrong in this matter we ought to admit it and make proper restitution. On the other hand, if the disputed territory has been legitimately acquired by our government, the people will not permit one inch of it to be surrendered.

IT IS said that Wm. C. Whitney, of New York, a gentleman who, by the way, looks scornfully at the common herd through an eyeglass, and wears only pantaloons made in Paris, has hied himself to Europe for the special purpose, it is reported, of meeting Admiral Dewey and making a tender to the great naval chieftain of the democratic presidential nomination. If this be true, it is, we must admit, the best political joke we have heard this season. The idea of Whitney, who was kicked out of the democratic party, bag and baggage three years ago, assuming to now bestow the party nomination, is amusing, to say the least. It is more probable, however, that he went to offer Dewey the

republican nomination, as he has been, presumably, affiliating with the Hanna party for some time. Indeed, it is getting to be a matter of common knowledge, even among the rank and file of that organization, that if their party is to stand any show of winning in the next campaign, that it will be necessary to secure a new leader, as the much vaunted popularity of the McKinley administration is fast ebbing away. So it is no wonder that the more astute leaders of the party are looking longingly to the man from Manila. Even if the story as reported be true, that Whitney purported to lay the democratic nomination at the feet of the great admiral, it would have no significance except to once more call attention to the cast iron nerve and assurance of Whitney. It would merely be a repetition of the biblical story of the devil taking Christ up to the mountain and offering to make him a present of all the world below—something which he himself did not possess.

THE bicycle tax ordinance that has recently been considered by the city council, should no longer be allowed to sleep, but should be promptly enacted into law, in order that a start can be made this season towards laying out and building the paths. There is no city or town in the state that needs this ordinance so badly as North Yakima. This town has a population of at least 4,000 and is rapidly growing, but rather unfortunately, in some respects, it is not compactly built, but covers enough ground for a city of twice its size. Without such means of travel as street cars afford, the bicycle becomes an absolute necessity to the average man or woman. Our dry summers, as every one knows, render bicycle travel, after July 1, not only very difficult but unpleasant on account of the dust and the cut up condition of the roads. This condition will probably remain with us for years to come, so that the only thing that can be done is to construct paths, for it must be borne in mind that the bicycle—the cheapest means of locomotion known—has come to stay, and its use is bound to largely increase in the years to come. There are probably 500 wheels in this city on which to levy the small annual tax of \$1 each, and we have yet to hear of a single owner of a wheel, who understands the benefits to be derived, who is not only willing but anxious to pay the tax and have the work begun at once. Tacoma, which has pursued this plan for more than four years, has constructed over 40 miles of paths and now collects about \$4,400 annually to maintain them and build new ones. Not a dollar has been expended upon them outside of the amount derived from the special tax. These paths are pointed to with pride by the citizens of that city and undoubtedly they make Tacoma the most popular bicycle town in the Northwest. All the enterprising towns in state, in fact, that have attained much size, have commenced or are about to undertake this needed work. Under such conditions, is

Yakima, which needs the system more than any of her sister towns in the state, going to lag behind and do nothing? We hope not.

THE fame of Yakima seems to have spread throughout the whole country. Not a day passes, even now in midsummer, without the population of the city and surrounding country being increased by the arrival of newcomers anxiously looking for homes in this land of promise. A large increase in the number of our mercantile establishments seems to be the natural result of the wide advertising this city has and is receiving as a commercial point. There is a possibility that the needs of the town in this particular may be overdone. What this town most needs to promote its growth, as we have frequently said before, is the locating here of such manufacturing plants as will consume as raw material the products of our own soil. Such institutions would be beneficial in a double sense by enabling the farmers to market their products without the payment of excessive freight rates and by giving steady employment to a class that needs it. With such needful enterprises secured, the introduction of half a dozen new mercantile establishments would probably not cause the slightest apprehension among the business interests of the town.

THE Oregonian on Monday last printed an additional list of seven pages of delinquent tax sales for Multnomah county. In spite of such evidence at home to the contrary, however, the "Thunderer" continues almost daily to inflict upon its readers verbose editorials on the great prosperity of the country. The trouble with Col. Scott is his point of view. He looks out of the fifth story window of his marble palace and beholds everything in the landscape that is bright and beautiful. The poor devils in Portland who are losing their homes because of their inability to satisfy the demands of the tax gatherer, he never sees and their sorrowful cries he does not hear, and very likely does not wish to.

THE quarrel between the two retiring teachers of the city schools has been a most unfortunate affair all around. We publish in this issue a communication from Mr. McBride in answer to an interview with Mr. St. John which appeared in these columns last week. We have endeavored to treat both parties fairly, but we hereby serve notice that we will print no more communications on the subject, as we are satisfied that the public has grown weary of the whole matter.

ACCORDING to the Seattle Republican, the Hon. D. E. Lesh, of this city, is again nursing a gubernatorial boomlet. This is hardly to be considered as news in Yakima. It is to be hoped, however, that the precious thing wont die this time in the incubator.

WASHINGTON LETTER.

(From Our Regular Correspondent.)

WASHINGTON, July 28, 1899.

That the administration fears Alger and the disclosures he may make after next Tuesday, when he will turn the war department over to Mr. Elihu Root, who will become secretary of war on that day, is shown by the frequency with which leading supporters of Mr. McKinley's policy are giving interviews to newspapers jollying Alger along as the victim of persecution, and predicting that time will vindicate him and his administration of the war department. The object of these interviews is to keep Alger's mouth shut. Whether the ruse will succeed only time can tell. For months Alger's personal friends and hangers-on have been making threats as to what he would do if he was forced out of the cabinet, and intimating that he could tell things that would shift responsibility which he has been made to bear to other shoulders. It is now up to Alger and he must show whether there was foundation for those threats or whether they were merely a part of a bluffing game he played to try to remain in the cabinet, after he knew that he was expected to get out. Another scheme is also being worked to keep Alger quiet through the pockets of himself and friends. It has been hinted to him that some Cuban and Porto Rican business deals in which he and his friends are financially interested will be knocked out if he attempts to smirch the administration, while they will be let alone if he keeps mum about administration secrets.

The navy department seems also to have some fake experts. In order to prevent the battleships Ohio, Missouri and Maine, now being built, drawing so much water that they could not enter half of our largest seaports, it has been found necessary to change their plans, by substituting 11-inch for 12-inch armor and 12-inch guns for 13-inch guns.

Representative Clayton, of Alabama, attended the recent meeting of the democratic national committee, of which he is a member, and while in Washington this week, he talked very interestingly of political matters. For instance, he said: "I learned while in Chicago that Bryan would be a delegate to the next national democratic convention, and I do not violate any confidence in saying that if future developments should give a peculiar emphasis to any public question, and should lead a majority of the delegates to regard any other faithful democrat as better fitted to lead the party, Mr. Bryan will arise in his place in the convention and support that candidate. I know that he has no selfish purposes to serve, and regards victory for the party as paramount to any ambitions which he may have. I look upon Bryan's renomination as a foregone conclusion. He has the confidence of the common democracy of the country as no other man has or could have. The democratic masses support him without regard to section. He is stronger than any faction of the party, and can come nearer to uniting all the elements of the party than any other man."

If Secretary Root is to be only the legal adviser of the war department, who is to direct its military affairs? That is likely to become an important question when active operations in the Philippines begin again. General Miles would be the proper official, but there is nothing in sight to indicate that he is to be allowed any more authority than he has wielded since Adjutant General Corbin began, at the opening of the war with Spain, to perform the duties which properly belonged to the commanding general of the army. It was supposed that Alger directed Corbin, and it has been intimated that McKinley will do so in the future. Mr. McKinley was doubtless a brave soldier, but the historians neglected to record the campaigns in which he commanded an army. Of course, every school boy knows that the constitution makes the president commander-in-chief of the United States army and navy, but that authority has usually only been exercised to direct a general policy, leaving military operations to be directed by trained soldiers. Perhaps Mr. McKinley intends giving the command

an innovation by actually assuming command of the army and navy.

The newspaper censorship of General Otis cannot be duplicated in this country, but perhaps Mr. McKinley intended to show his sympathy for the method when he ordered that no newspaper men should be allowed in the special train which carried him and his party from Washington to Lake Champlain, where he will remain for an indefinite period. This is the first time that any president has objected to being accompanied by newspaper men when going from Washington on a pleasure trip.

Before leaving Washington, Mr. McKinley made a positive promise to General Garcia that as soon as the Cuban census was completed he would issue the necessary orders for the holding of municipal elections all over the island, preparatory to the establishment of independent home rule.

State Fair Notes.

A representative of the State Fair Commission has been working in Western Washington during the past week, and succeeded in securing new attractions and many exhibits for the fair in September. Among the most important deals consummated was the changing of the Seattle Exposition dates from Sept. 18 to 30 to October 2 to 15. The managers of the Seattle Fair had printed stationary and placed some advertisements but when they understood that the State Fair dates had been made by the legislature and could not be changed, readily assented to the proposition to change their dates. They expect to send several good exhibits to North Yakima and run special excursion trains. In return for the courtesy the Yakima people will send exhibits to Seattle and the exposition management will have special excursions from North Yakima. Applications are being made to the secretary almost daily for space for exhibits and concessions for various attractions. All the prominent stockmen of the state and general northwest are expected to be present at the fair, and several have promised fine exhibits. The arrangements for having competitive military drills, balloon ascensions, meetings of dairymen and fruit inspectors have been completed. Entrees for racing and trotting are being made and that feature promises to be well represented.

The premium list has been revised and enlarged and will be received from the printer within a few days. Copies will be mailed to all applicants, or may be had by calling at the office of the secretary, Dr. T. B. Gun, North Yakima.

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Hogs, dressed	\$4 50
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POULTRY.

Spring Chickens, per doz	\$2 00@2 75
Turkeys, live	10c

GRAIN.

Wheat, blue stem	51
Wheat, club	48
Oats, per ton, new	\$23 00
Barley, per ton	\$21 00
Corn, per bu	55
Flour, Puritan, per sack	85
Blue Bell, per sack	80
Flour, 3x Baker, per sack	75
Whole wheat flour	85
Hay, Timothy, baled, per ton	\$9 00@10 00
Hay, Alfalfa, per ton	\$5 00
Hay, Clover, per ton	\$7 00

PRODUCE.

Butter, ranch, per roll	35@40c
Butter, creamery, per roll	50c
Cheese, native	17c
Eggs, per doz	17c
Wool, per lb	8@11c
Cabbage	2 1/2c
Hops	12@12 1/2c
New Apples, per lb	1 1/2c
Blackberries, per crate	\$1 50
Cherries per lb	02@04c
New Potatoes, per ton	\$16

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State Press Opinion.

John R. McLean would like to be governor of Ohio. So would the editor of this paper. But it's no use trying. John: Hanna's bar'l is to big in Ohio. —Centralia News.

Hawaii was taken as the key to the Pacific; the Philippines is probably the lock and door. To make the outfit complete we suppose we must have a slice of China for the house. A world-revolution would then consume the whole business. —Vancouver Register.

And now we rise to propound the question: Why is it necessary for the republican party to put in its 1900 platform a plank denouncing trusts? The republican party is on deck. Let it snatch the trust baldheaded before its next national convention and the plank will not be necessary. See?—Chehalis Advocate.

Returning volunteers are telling some truths about the Philippine war that are enough to cause a blush of shame upon the cheek of every liberty loving American. Is the party that came into existence to free the black man destined to sink into dishonored oblivion through its efforts to enslave the brown man?—Aberdeen Herald.

Some of the republican papers that have been the strongest advocates of expansion have begun, to wonder where they are at, and are calling upon President McKinley who has said nothing, but sits on the fence with one leg on either side, ready to get off either way, according to which he thinks is likely to prove the more popular. —Everett News.

Americans, be not deceived. Our presence in the Philippine Islands is nothing but madness. It is not expansion to reach out for conquest into overpopulated Asia. It means empire, militarism, and in the end, if persevered in, Asiatic competition that will submerge the American home and the American laborer in Asiatic darkness. —Seattle Review.

It was the kissing bugs of New Jersey—Griggs and Hobart—who carried the official poison of the administration into Bre'r Alger's hide. Nothing else would have penetrated him. The man who was immune to the poison of embalmed beef fell a victim to the insinuating venom of official treachery. Let us be grateful that another disease has found a remedy. —Seattle Herald.

Says one who knows: "The printing press has made presidents, killed poets, furnished bustles for beauties and punished genius with criticism. It has curtailed the power of kings, converted bankers into paupers and graced pantry shelves; it has made paupers out of college presidents; it has educated the homeless and robbed the philosopher of his reason. It smiles and cries and dies, but it can't be run to suit everybody, and the man will go crazy who tries." —Seattle Review.

It now looks as if Secretary Alger's resignation from the cabinet will go far toward landing him in the United States senate, if public sentiment in Michigan continues as kindly toward him as it is at present. The circumstances surrounding his resignation have aroused a feeling in his home state that he has not been fairly dealt with, and there is no denying that Mr. Alger has a strong hold upon the people of Michigan. This feeling is more apt to become intensified than to die out, and will do more to defeat Senator McMillan and land Gen. Alger in the senate than any other influence. If this should be the result, Senator McMillan will have acquired a knowledge of boomerangs that may be useful to him some day. —P-I.

In speaking of Gorman's candidacy for the democratic nomination for president the Springfield Republican, says: Contrasted with such a personality as that of Bryan, Gorman cannot appear to

the best advantage. He excels in craft and political manipulation and deceit, and in the use of language to conceal thought, while Bryan is one of the most ingenious men who have ever been conspicuous in our politics. He speaks plainly and clearly, and everybody knows where he stands on most questions before the people, and knows that he is sincere, and these are popular qualities, however much appearances may seem to deny the fact at times. There cannot be much gain to the country in substituting a man like Gorman as the democratic leader. It would not be a step forward. —Everett News.

No sooner was The Republican on the streets last Saturday, showing to some extent, the hand that was being played by the P-I. in state politics, when at once Dan Lesh and Billy Ridpath were telegraphed for and these self important personages came post haste. Sunday and Monday they held star chamber sessions with the Pipers, Tom Fiske and Sammy Piles as adjuncts, to determine on what course they had better pursue, since the Pie-maker had partially showed up their plans. What was done is still a secret but Dan Lesh left last Monday afternoon for his home in North Yakima, and from the bright smile he wore when he was seen at the depot, it is very evident that Billy Ridpath told him some cheering news as to what he intended to do for him in the next year's campaign. Mr. Lesh of course has the gubernatorial bee in his bonnet, but he will forget that feeling at the solicitation of Col. Ridpath, who is troubled in that direction himself, and take most any old thing that these political tricksters say they will give him, if he will but fall down and worship them and he will do so. Mr. Lesh is far from being popular even in his own country, and the "gang" will not have gained very much even when they get him. —Seattle Republican.

Church Notes.

A suffrage contest by a class of girls and a Demorest medal contest by a class of boys will be given in the near future. Further notice will appear later.

Rev. E. B. Sutton, national gospel evangelist, will speak at the Baptist church on Temperance, Tuesday evening Aug. 8th at 8 O'clock P. M. Come out and hear an old grand army man, who has spoken more times than any other living man or woman on this question. Admission free.

Remarkable Rescue.

Mrs. Michael Curtain, Plainfield, Ill., makes the statement, that she caught cold, which settled on her lungs; she was treated a month by her family physician, but grew worse. He told her she was a hopeless victim of consumption and that no medicine could cure her. Her druggist suggested Dr. King's New Discovery for consumption; she bought a bottle and to her delight found herself benefitted from first dose. She continued its use and after taking six bottles, found herself sound and well; now does her own housework, and is as well as she ever was. Free trial bottles of this Great Discovery at Louis O. Janek's store. Only 50 cents and \$1, every bottle guaranteed.

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PERSONAL

J. C. Lloyd of Ellensburg Sundayed in Yakima.

D. E. Lesh returned on Tuesday night from Seattle.

D. L. Cowder left for Portland Wednesday morning.

T. G. Redfield and family left for Soda Springs on Tuesday.

C. S. Harris of Highmore, S. D., is a late arrival in Yakima.

Mrs. W. J. Roaf returned home from Seattle on Wednesday night.

S. J. Cameron returned home on Wednesday from Republic.

Attorney Graves, of Ellensburg, was in the city on Wednesday.

R. S. McIntyre of Carrington S. Dakota is a guest at the Bartholet.

Geo. M. Mills, of Centralia, was a Yakima visitor the first of the week.

A. B. Pearson the well known grocery man of First street is ill with malarial fever.

H. M. Lichty and D. B. Eby of Sunnyside, returned from Seattle Tuesday night.

Attorney Whitson returned home Sunday night from a brief business visit to the sound.

Dr. Dulin and family have moved into their handsome new residence on Yakima avenue.

Flavie Curry and wife leave today for a two weeks outing at the mouth of Bumping river.

G. H. Moulton, who has been seriously ill for several days with malarial fever, is now improving.

W. R. Bell of the Yakima hardware Co. went to Soda Springs Friday to join his wife and spend his vacation.

Geo. Rodman arrived from Portland last Saturday to spend his vacation with his parents in this city.

W. F. Lyon is carrying his arm in a sling the result of an accident while working on the railroad.

Mrs. Samuel Chappell and daughter, Mrs. Frank Cook and children left for Soda Springs on Tuesday.

John Reed, the well known Sunnyside rancher, was in the city Monday looking much improved in health.

W. M. Watt and bride arrived Monday evening from St. Paul. Mrs. Watt is a sister of Mrs. W. B. Dudley.

D. E. Carpenter, of Malcom, Iowa, on Monday joined his father, J. D. Carpenter who is buying stock here.

Mr. and Mrs. M. B. Murchie and Mr. and Mrs. J. Cox of Lewiston, Idaho, are guests this week at the Hotel Bartholet.

G. M. Allen, who has been very ill with typhoid fever is now convalescent, much to the joy of his relatives and friends.

Ed Barkwell, of the Hotel Yakima, is spending his vacation on the sound, where his family has been for some time.

J. L. Coleman and family and Miss Lizzie Gouin left on Monday for the upper Natchez on a two weeks camping tour.

Andy Popovich returned Monday morning from a six months visit to his old home on the Adriatic Sea in the Empire of Austria.

J. A. McArthur, head clerk at Ditter Bros. left with his wife and child for the Sound Tuesday morning to spend their annual vacation.

R. D. Reid and sister and Mr. and Mrs. G. N. Tuesley returned home Sunday evening from a 10 days visit to Portland via The Dalles.

J. J. Macdonald, the First street merchant, mounted his wheel Tuesday morning and hied away to Soda Springs for a few days recreation.

Ralph Kaufman an attorney of Ellensburg was in the city on Monday. Mr. Kaufman, it is understood among the legal fraternity is a prospective candidate for superior judge.

A. B. Snyder, of Walla Walla, was a Yakima visitor the first of the week. Judge Davidson came down from the Burg on Tuesday to look after probate matters.

W. L. Steinweg leaves today for the sound and seashore on his annual vacation.

Mrs. Bert Fletcher and child are enjoying an outing in the Swauk, their former home.

Mrs. Jasper Mikkelsen on Monday joined her husband at Hot Springs where he has been for some time seeking relief from rheumatism.

C. L. Struben who has been visiting his brothers Al and Wesley here for the past year, departed last week for his old home in Boonsville, Mo.

F. H. Cole with his family, consisting of his wife and daughter, arrived Monday morning from Rockford, Ill., and will make their home in this city.

The family of C. E. Corson arrived from The Dalles Sunday morning. Mr. Corson will be employed by J. M. Murchie in the bakery and confectionary business.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Potter of Buffalo N. Y. arrived Sunday morning on a visit to relatives here. Mr. Potter is a brother-in-law of C. F. Swain who resides on the school section.

Geo. Bernes, a clerk in the Golden Rule store, who came here recently from Iowa, was taken to the hospital on Monday where he has since been very ill with typhoid fever.

G. S. Bosdet, better known as "farmer Bosdet," slipped into town on Thursday from his mountain retreat in the fastnesses of the Cascades, in order to collect his monthly rents and get a whiff of real life in the city.

Captain Brandow, who was master of the ill fated steamboat "Kingston," wrecked near Tacoma last spring, stopped off on his way home from Spokane on Tuesday and spent the day pleasantly with old friends in this city.

Fred Cline, the genial assistant cashier of the First National Bank, returned home Saturday from San Francisco, where he spent his vacation. He reports that the trip, which was made by sea, was a most pleasant and exhilarating one.

Dr. Gunn returned Monday night from the Sound and seashore. He reports that the Yakima people summering at Westport are enjoying themselves immensely. A monster excursion from the Sound visited that point on Sunday.

The family of W. F. Grass returned to Tacoma Sunday morning, where they will again make their home. Mr. Grass followed them later in the week. The report in a local paper last week that he had disposed of his interest in the paint store was an error, as he still retains the same.

John Bartholet arrived home on Monday night from Alaska, where he has been at work for the past 18 months between Skagway and Lake Bennett. On account of a malignant attack of rheumatism contracted in that country, he is obliged for the present to use crutches in going about.

J. G. Broyles a member of Co. E Whose home is in the Cowiche, returned home Sunday night from Manila via San Francisco, having been granted a "sick leave." He gives a very gloomy and discouraging account of the situation in the Philippines and says that the boys are all feeling sore and dead anxious to come home.

K. C. Johnstone, of J. J. McDonald's store returned Saturday night from spending his vacation in Portland, having made the trip on horseback. He had hoped to meet his brother, a member of the second Oregonian regiment, but was disappointed owing to the long delay in mustering out at San Francisco.

Rev. Geo. Wallace, from Colorado arrived here last night and will remain in our city a few weeks. He was here last October and supplied some of the pulpits of the city. Any information concerning him as a minister and as a competent person to supply any vacancy, may be obtained at the office of Mr. I. M. Krutz.

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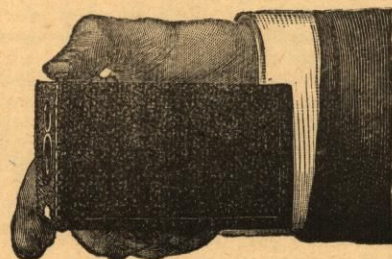
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Local News

The railroad company's men are this week fencing what is known as the South Park.

W. J. Lippard has purchased the interest of J. C. Adams in the manufacture of patent fencing. The plant is located on Front street.

Moore and Co. are fitting up the Lund building this week, preparatory to putting in a new stock of shoes, clothing and gent's furnishings.

The Kingsbury building, occupied by Turner & Fletcher, has recently been completely overhauled by D. L. Bryson, and a fresh coat of paint and new paper gives it a most inviting appearance.

Street Commissioner Grant has had a force of men at work this week filling and fixing up the approach to the avenue R. R. crossing. The company it is understood furnished a portion of the material.

Read the announcement of Lauderdale & Co. the new grocery firm on First street, in this issue. This firm has put in a new and fresh stock of staple and fancy groceries and solicit a share of the public patronage.

The post-office department has acted favorably on the numerous signed petition of Wenas valley people to have their post-office restored. Mrs. Kandle, it is believed, will receive the appointment as post mistress.

The transcript has been filed with the clerk of the superior court in the case of the state versus Elmer Shaw, who was arrested at Arlington Or., for the theft of a Prosser man's saddle. The case will not be tried until the October term.

The county commissioners will meet next Monday as a board of equalization. All tax-payers who have reason to be dissatisfied with their assessment, should present themselves at the session and recite their grievance or otherwise forever hold their peace.

P. A. Weinman of the Wenas and Miss Ella Lamberson of the Natchez received a permit to wed on Wednesday and immediately repaired to the office of justice Taggard to have the knot tied in the latest and most approved manner. The happy couple will reside on the Wenas.

F. C. Hall, chairman of the soliciting committee appointed to raise the \$1,500 to secure an opera house site in the court house block had, up to noon Friday, received pledges for \$1,050. Mr. Hall has been handicapped by the fact of so many leading citizens being out of town, or the funds would have been easily raised before this.

J. B. Current, who returned from the Gold Hill district on Thursday, reports that a great deal of development work is going on this season in that locality mostly by Tacoma parties. The "Florence" tunnel that is being driven with the hope of tapping a main ledge is now in about 250 feet. He also stated that a large body of native copper had been struck recently in the "Comstock" tunnel which is now in 150 feet. The Yakima gold mining company of which Mr. Current is the general manager, are doing some extensive development work on their property in that district.

Marshal Grant boasts of possessing the youngest mother cow on record in this locality. His 13 months old jersey heifer, this week presented him with a well developed little jersey calf, that is not much larger than a pug dog.

John Hadley an aged white man who resides three miles this side of Fort Simco, was arrested by deputy marshal Dilley Tuesday, on complaint of Reservation agent Jay Lynch, on the charge of the larceny of a cow. At his examination before Commissioner Howlett on Thursday, he was bound over in \$500 bonds for trial at the Spokane term of court. Up to Friday noon he had been unable to give the bond and was still in jail. Hadley is the step-father of the Olney boys and has generally born a good reputation during his long residence on the reservation. The evidence against him is mainly of a hearsay character and there are a good many who regard the old man as guiltless of the charge.

This is what is known as the dull season, caused largely by the fact that the farmers are very busy making hay and that a large percentage of our city population are off on their annual vacation. The news rustler, the bill collector and the political editor of this paper, who by the way are all one and the same, have had to hustle this week in order to make anything like the usual showing. In two or three short weeks, however, the scene, locally, will change. Our people from mountain and sea will be straggling home again—and mighty glad to get back. Fall trade with its usual bustle, will have begun and everything will be lovely "with the goose on the highest pinnacle."

J. T. Denny, representing Crab & Gifford, of Seattle and Butte, is in the city looking up the prospect of securing Yakima products for shipment, particularly to points in Montana. Mr. Denny states that the Yakima growers are too much inclined to overstock Sound market with their produce and that in his opinion a much better market is open to them in Montana. The plan followed by his firm is to secure car or mixed consignments from the growers and to sell the same on the track at destination for cash. He thinks, however, that in the future, markets should be secured for Yakima produce through the Southern California system of "unions," which system has been demonstrated by experience to be the most business like and economical for the grower.

Mr. T. W. Griffin of Portland Or., who has been in this city for some time organizing a branch of the Equitable Savings and Loan Association, delivered a very entertaining lecture last night at the Commercial Club room, his subject being, "How to accumulate wealth." A fair sized, though enthusiastic audience listened to the address throughout and liberally applauded a number of telling points made by the speaker, the consensus of opinion at the close of the meeting being, that the speaker was was certainly an authority on "How to Accumulate wealth." Mr. Griffin during his stay in this city, has interested a number of the leading citizens of Yakima in the association, which he represents, the investors all seeming to feel satisfied that they were placing their money to good advantage.

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

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Late General News.

The international peace conference at The Hague adjourned sine die on the 29th.

Elihu Root the secretary of war assumed charge of the war department on Aug. 1st.

President and Mrs McKinley are spending the heated season at Lake Champlain.

Thirty cases of yellow fever are reported from the National Soldiers home at Hampton Va.

Seattle business men have raised a subsidy amounting to \$12,500 for an exposition to be held in that city in October.

Ten thousand men in the building trades are thrown out of employment in Chicago owing to the strike of the brick makers union.

The Harriman party of scientific explorers returned to Seattle on the 30th. They left for New York on a special train the following day.

The Centralia city council has imposed an annual tax of \$1.00 on bicycles. The revenue resulting will be used in the construction of bicycle paths.

The striking street car men of Cleveland Ohio, have instituted a boycott against the car companies and the merchants who patronize them.

The U. S. transport Hancock arrived at San Francisco from the Philippines on the 30th bringing home the Nebraska regiment and the Utah battery.

Polk's new directory of Seattle contains the names of 30,757 adult persons in that city. By using the accepted multiple of 2 3/4 this would give the city a population of 84,582.

The populist state convention of Kentucky, nominated John H. Blair for governor. The platform adopted declares in favor of Barker and Donnelly for president and vice-president.

The Washington committee that have been soliciting subscriptions for the purchase of a house in that city for Admiral Dewey, have announced that the total amount secured is \$16,700.

According to the verbal reports of naval officers returning from Manila, Aguinaldo is constantly receiving supplies and munitions of war from German and Japanese merchants in Hong Kong and Yokohama.

Secretary Long of the Navy Department has ordered the cruisers "New Orleans" and "Machias" to proceed to San Domingo to protect American interest in that island pending the anticipated revolution.

Gov. Foster of Louisiana states that of the Italians recently lynched in that state, three were naturalized citizens. The Italian government is expected to demand an indemnity for the killing of such as were her subjects.

A grand reception is being arranged for Admiral Dewey on his arrival at New York, where he is expected about Sept. 30th. The governors of the states have accepted the invitation to be present and take part in the reception.

Manila advices of the 28th furnish particulars of the capture of the town of Calamba under General Hall. The American loss was 4 killed and 12 wounded. A portion of the Washington regiment was in the thickest of the fight.

The N. P. railway Co. have offered the O. R. N. system the use of their tracks between Portland and the Sound. President Mellen of the company has also announced the intention of his company to erect a magnificent depot in Seattle.

Volcanic Eruptions

Are grand, but skin eruptions rob life of joy. Bucklen's Arnica Salve, cures them; also old running and fever sores, ulcers, boils, felons, corns, warts, cuts, bruises, burns, scalds, chapped hands, chilblains and best pile cure on earth. Drives out pains and aches. Only 25 cents a box. Cure guaranteed. Sold by Louis O. Janeck, druggist.

Empire Builders.

Mr. John Morley, in his speech to a liberal association on May 25, said that we heard a good deal nowadays about empire builders, but that we did not always discriminate the true ones from the sham. "Is the only empire builder," he asked, "the man who goes into Africa or anywhere else, makes a syndicate, takes land from the natives, kills them if they object, acquires a new patch on the map, and colors it red?"

Mr. Morley proceeded to answer his own question by speaking of Cobden and Bright and those who worked with them to extend English commerce and to spread abroad in the earth the arts of peace, as the men who really laid the foundations of the present British empire.

There is a very simple and conclusive test which can be applied to this matter, in this country as well as in England. Who pays the cost of empire? Whatever else is true of imperialism, British or American, it is an expensive luxury. It cannot be run on the cheap. The budget swells as glory increases. The chancellor of the exchequer, like the chairman of ways and means, has to find his additional millions every year to meet the bills which imperialism sends in with unfailing regularity.

Where does the money come from? Not from new territory annexed or colonies or protectorates; they are a drain on the treasury; not feeders. It is the home industry that is taxed to pay for enterprises abroad.

It is the impost upon foreign trade and upon domestic commerce, the tax on merchant and banker, upon manufacturers and corporations, which alone enable the government to pay its sailors and soldiers and ministers and consuls and special agents of expansion.

Empire is founded on taxation, and therefore the men in any country who build up its wealth, extend its commerce, develop its industries, carry on its business, are the true artificers of its imperial power.—Tacoma News.

Drummers to Fight Trusts.

Prediction is made that if the trusts continue as they have begun, one-half of the 300,000 traveling men will be out of jobs. And it may be said that there will be just that number of able enemies ready to fight trade combinations with a large and elegant vocabulary.—Cincinnati Commercial Tribune.

This year the Spokane Industrial Exposition will be held in a monstrous circus tent. It will not be a building as heretofore, composed of a wooden framework, with a roof of canvas, but it will be a regular circus tent made in sections and put up in sections. When the exposition is over it will be taken down, folded, and put away until next year. It has cost more to make this tent than to put up one of the buildings heretofore used for the fruit fair, but when it is finished it will be good for many years, at least. There are in fact, three tents. The main one is 100x320 feet in size. The other two are each a little smaller. There will be no danger of the tents blowing down, for, in case of a severe storm the center can be lowered and thus avoid the force of the wind.

W. J. Bryan's New Book.

The Hon. W. J. Bryan's new book "Republic or Empire" is now out and ought to be in the hands of every anti-imperialist in the United States. The book is published by the Independence Company of Chicago and is a handsome work of nearly 700 pages and a gem typographically.

It is written in part and edited by Hon. W. J. Bryan with supplementary chapters from Senators Hoar, Vest, Allen, White, Gorman, Bacon, Mason, Daniel, Chilton, McLaurin, Tilman, Money, Turner, Teller, Butler, Clay also from such eminent men as Edmunds, Schurz, Jordan, Johnson and others.

The work is beautifully illustrated and is sold only by subscription. THE DEMOCRAT office has been authorized to receive subscriptions. The price of the work is from \$1.75 to \$3.00 according to binding. Call and examine the prospectus.

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To Parents.



There is no more injurious practice than that of holding toys close to a baby's face to attract his attention. More cases of cross eyes are caused in this way than from all other causes combined. The strain necessary to focus the eye for so close an object injures the muscles and throws them out of harmony. The more a child can be out of doors, looking at distant objects, the better for his eyes. He should be encouraged to hold his books and playthings at least 15 inches away. If he cannot see so well at that distance, do not punish him, but have his eyes carefully examined. He needs glasses, and the sooner they are worn the better it will be for him. If your child shows the slightest tendency to cross his eyes, do not put the matter off a moment. Glasses will cure him at first, but if you wait too long nothing but an operation will do him any good. Glasses ground to fit the eye. Consultation and examination free.

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FILIPINOS WANTED PEACE.

American Merchant from Manila Exposes the True Inwardness of Trouble in Philippines.

Herewith is presented a comprehensive statement of the situation in the Philippines.

It is written by F. W. Sylvester, a member of the firm of Louis Spitzel & Co., one of the largest merchant and shipping houses in the far East, contractors to the Chinese Government, agents for the Maxim-Nordenfeldt Gun and Ammunition Company, of London, the Thames Iron Works and Shipbuilding Company, and other firms of like standing.

Mr. Sylvester returned to London lately from Manila and Hongkong. He has intimate personal knowledge of Aguinaldo and his followers.

It was he who sold Aguinaldo arms through Consul Wildman.

He is recognized as one of the highest authorities on trade conditions in the East. No other man has had such opportunity to learn the exact facts.

OXFORD STREET, LONDON, JULY 1.

Our campaign against the Filipinos is bound to be expensive, unsatisfactory and deplorable. There is no doubt that eventually we shall conquer or wear these people out, but it will cost more American blood and money than the present Administration ever supposed.

I am an American, with patriotic sentiments as strong as those of any American citizen. I was on the most intimate and friendly terms with all the Filipino officials, from Aguinaldo down, and therefore you must agree with me that any statement I make is without bias.

The foundation of all the trouble lies in the policy adopted by the Administration when sending General Merritt to the Philippines. The policy was to ignore the Filipinos—a policy not only unwise, but mad. Things had gone too far.

If a proper and less aggressive policy had been pursued at the outset, every Filipino would to-day be loyal to the stars and stripes.

The Filipino leaders were taken over to the Philippine Islands by an American war vessel. American officials encouraged them to organize an army to fight the common enemy.

Although General Merritt's policy was to ignore the Filipinos, he never raised any objection to their fighting in front of the American troops. Although Aguinaldo and his followers could not understand the General's peculiar position up to the day of Manila's capture, the thought never entered their heads that they were acting in any way hostile to the American Government's wishes.

The capture of Manila was an operable affair. Everything was prearranged.

The earthworks nearest Manila had been taken by the Filipinos and were occupied by them. There were 20,000 Filipino soldiers in front of the American forces. The Filipinos were asked to evacuate, and did so in complete ignorance of the American's intentions. When the American troops marched into Manila the Filipinos tried to follow, whereupon several United States regiments turned on them with fixed bayonets.

Aguinaldo told me that if the American Government would assure his people that the Philippines would not be handed back to the Spaniards his army would disband immediately.

I do not want to relate the details of the difficulties between our forces and the Filipinos that occurred almost daily, differences in which I know the Filipinos were not always at fault. It would fill volumes.

My opinion is that the Administration's policy has been influenced by the business element of America, presuming that the acquiring of these islands means an enormous foreign trade. This impression is wrong. We cannot establish a preferential tariff over these islands in favor of Americans without antagonizing all other nations. All other things being equal, American merchants will never be able to compete in the Philippine Islands with foreign merchants, because the minds of the Filipinos

have become so thoroughly poisoned against Americans that they will not buy anything American that can be obtained elsewhere.

As to the act that brought on hostilities—the attempt of two Filipinos to cross the American lines, being fired upon and with some companions firing upon the Americans in turn—it is a matter of official record that all the higher Filipino officers were in conference in their headquarters at the time. The two Filipinos certainly were not acting under orders.

It is also a matter of record that as soon as Aguinaldo got news of the conflict he sent a messenger begging the Americans for God's sake to desist, declaring that whatever a few of his soldiers had done was without authority.

Aguinaldo was told that it was too late; the natives must take the consequences.

Had Aguinaldo's message of peace been listened to many lives would have been saved.

The strict censorship exercised over the press in Manila is against our American principles of free thought and free speech. We must have something to conceal, and what surprises me most is that the American press has submitted to it.

Aguinaldo and his followers are not the ignorant men most people suppose them to be. He deplores the present war as much as any one. He is satisfied that there is no earthly chance for his people to accomplish anything by force of arms; he bases his chances for success and for obtaining favorable terms upon three things:

1. The climate, lack of roads and the consequent difficulties of following him into the interior.

2. He knows enough of American politics to realize that when Congress meets, and the loss of American life and money is brought up and discussed in the press there is a possibility of his being offered favorable terms.

3. He hopes that a protracted warfare, paralyzing the business of the European houses in Manila, will bring about intervention by some foreign Power.

If our troops coop up Aguinaldo and his followers in Luzon, I believe that Aguinaldo will then realize that his case is hopeless and will come to terms with the United States Government and end the war. The greatest stress must be laid upon the necessity of thoroughly patrolling the whole coast of Luzon.

There are over 1,000 islands in the Philippine group, and Aguinaldo's plan will be to get away from Luzon to one of the other islands as soon as active preparations are made to make it too hot to hold him upon Luzon.—F. W. Sylvester in New York World.

The new depot at North Yakima is a beauty. The platform is of artificial stone, but is as smooth and nice as a marble slab. Passengers who are accustomed to stubbing their toes against spikes and ripping the soles off their shoes on slivers in walking on other depot platforms, will reserve a warm corner in their heart for Yakima from the first moment they step from a train at that place. The only thing out of whack about the new depot is the parody on a clock painted in the tower. If a real live time-piece is not forthcoming, we would advise the people of that city to have the dials removed from the dummy, and insert a cromo of Chief Moses instead.—Ellensburg Localizer.

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FOR SALE very cheap a family pony and phaeton. Inquire at this office.

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Wanted--Station Men,

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

RESOLUTION.

Be it resolved by the city council of the city of North Yakima, that the city intends and hereby declares its intention to improve Sixth street in said city by the construction of a sidewalk along the west side of said street between the southeast corner of lot No. 8, in and of block No. 110, and the southeast corner block No. 112, being along and in front of lots 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6 and 7, in and of block No. 110; fractional lots 1, 2 and 3, and lots 4, 5, 6, 7 and 8, in block 111 of and in the city of North Yakima, Washington, according to the original plat thereof now on file and of record in the office of the county auditor of Yakima county, Washington, and fractional lots 6, 7 and 8, of block 111, of and in Huson's Addition to the city of North Yakima, Washington, and lots No. 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7 and 8 of and in block No. 112. All of said lots and lands being in accordance with the plat of said city and the said addition thereto, now on file and of record in the office of the county auditor of Yakima county, Washington.

Said sidewalk to be eight feet wide and to be laid with planks two inches thick and eight inches wide and eight feet long, surfaced on one side, to be laid dressed side up, 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 the lots and lands, hereinafter described, as the same appears from the grade stakes placed by, and the notes filed with the city clerk, by the city engineer. All material used to be number one common fir lumber.

The estimated cost of said proposed improvement is \$400; that the cost of the same is to be assessed against the property abutting on said sidewalk and included in the following assessment district, to-wit: Lots 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6 and 7 in block No. 110; and fractional lots 1, 2 and 3, and lots 4, 5, 6, 7 and 8 in block 111; and fractional lots 6, 7 and 8 in and of block 111, in Huson's addition to the city of North Yakima, Washington; lots 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7 and 8 in block No. 112; all of said lots and blocks being in accordance with the plat of said city, and the said addition thereto, as the same appears on file and of record in the office of the county auditor of Yakima county, Washington.

That protests against said proposed improvement may be filed in the office of the city clerk of said city of North Yakima, at any time before the 7th day of August, 1899. Passed the council July 17, 1899.

Approved July 17, 1899.
Attest:— O. A. FECHTER, Mayor.
H. B. DOUST, City Clerk.

Contest Notice.

Department of the Interior, United States Land Office, North Yakima, Washington, July 20, 1899.

A sufficient contest affidavit having been filed in this office by James W. Turner, contestant, against timber culture entry No. 1532, made May 12, 1890, for NW 1/4 section 8, township 10 n., range 23 e., by John Emmitt Harbour, contestee, in which it is alleged that said entryman failed to plow five acres the first year after entry was made; that he failed to plow five acres the second year after entry; that he failed to cultivate the first five acres; that he failed and neglected to plant trees or tree seeds at any time since the entry was made; that the original growth of sage brush is on the land; and is in its wild state; that no improvements of any kind are on the land, said parties are hereby notified to appear, respond and offer evidence touching said allegation at 10 o'clock a. m. on August 21, 1899, before the register and receiver at the United States land office in North Yakima, Washington. The said contestant having in a proper affidavit, filed July 20, 1899, set forth facts which show that after due diligence personal service of this notice cannot be made, it is hereby ordered and directed that such notice be given by due and proper publication.

WALTER J. REED, Register.
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Contest Notice.

Department of the Interior, United States land office, North Yakima, Washington June 30, 1899.

A sufficient contest affidavit having been filed in this office by Robert E. McGinley, contestant, against Homestead entry No. 2014, made January 12, 1894, for SE 1/4 section 17, township 8 north, range 23 east W. M., by Arthur H. Dawson, contestee, in which it is alleged that said Dawson has wholly abandoned said tract and changed his residence therefrom for more than six months since making said entry and next prior to the date herein: that said tract is not settled upon and cultivated by said party according to law; and he asks to be allowed to prove said allegations and that said homestead entry, No. 2014, be declared canceled and forfeited to the United States and that said Arthur H. Dawson is not in the military or naval service of the United States or holding any federal position thereunder. Said parties are hereby notified to appear, respond and offer evidence touching said allegation at 10 o'clock a. m. on Wednesday, August 9, 1899, before the Register and Receiver at the United States Land office in North Yakima, Washington.

The said contestant having, in a proper affidavit, filed June 8, 1899, set forth facts which show that after due diligence personal service of this notice cannot be made, it is hereby ordered and directed that such notice be given by due and proper publication.

WALTER J. REED, Register.
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Summons by Publication.

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

The City of North Yakima, a municipal corporation, Plaintiff,

vs.
R. W. Sample and — Sample, wife of the said R. W. Sample, Defendants.

The State of Washington to said defendants, R. W. Sample and — Sample, wife of said R. W. Sample:

You and each of you are hereby summoned to appear within sixty days after the date of the first publication of this summons, to-wit: within sixty days after the 8th day of July, 1899, 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, attorney for plaintiff, at his 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.

That the object of this action is the recovery by plaintiff of a decree against defendants for \$24.54 with interest at 15 per cent per annum from September 21, 1898 and the further sum of \$50 attorneys fee in this action and for plaintiff's disbursements herein and decreeing that one-third of said sums respectively and of said disbursements be decreed a lien upon lot 10 in block 32 in the city of North Yakima, in Yakima county, Washington, according to the plat and survey of said city now of record in the office of the county auditor of said Yakima county, Washington, and that one-third of said respective sums and of said disbursements be decreed a lien upon lot eleven in said block thirty-two in said city of North Yakima according to said plat and survey, and that one-third of said sums respectively and of said disbursements be decreed a lien upon lot twelve in said block thirty-two in said city according to said plat, and decreeing that said liens be foreclosed by the sale of said lots respectively as prescribed by law; that said defendants be barred of all right or interest in each of said lots; that the purchaser be let into possession and that said plaintiff be authorized to bid at said sale; and to effect said sales for said purposes. Said liens arising to plaintiff in virtue of its having constructed sidewalks fronting said lots respectively and assessed the costs and expenses thereof against said lots respectively in pursuance of the statutes of said state and ordinances of said city in such cases provided.

ESTAL SNYDER, Attorney for said Plaintiff and City Attorney of said North Yakima, Yakima County, Washington. 42-6t

Notice—Sheriff's Sale of Real Estate

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

CLARK G. CRANDALL, Plaintiff,
vs.
DARIUS C. STONE, MARY E. STONE AND JAMES B. MAUZEY, Defendants.

By virtue of a special writ of execution, order of sale and decree of foreclosure issued out of the above entitled court in the above entitled cause on the 20th day of July, 1899, to me directed and by me received on the 20th day of July, 1899, upon a judgement therein rendered on the 15th day of July, 1899, in favor of said plaintiff and against said defendants, Darius C. Stone and Mary E. Stone, for the sum of fourteen hundred and fifty dollars, with interest thereon from July 15, 1899, at the rate of 7 per cent per annum until paid; the further sum of \$80.00 as attorney's fees, and the costs of this action taxed at \$10.75, and a decree of foreclosure rendered thereon, directing me to sell the premises hereinafter described, to satisfy said judgment, interest, attorney fees, costs and increased costs, I have levied upon said premises, pursuant to the command therein contained.

Notice is hereby given that in accordance to said command I will, on Saturday, the 19th day of August, 1899, at the hour of 2 o'clock p. m. of said day, at the front door of the court house, in the city of North Yakima, Yakima county, state of Washington, sell at public auction, to the highest and best bidder, for cash, the following described real estate, situated in Yakima county, state of Washington, in said decree, execution and order of sale directed to be sold, to-wit: The fractional southwest quarter (SW 1/4) of the northwest quarter (NW 1/4) of the fractional northwest quarter (NW 1/4) of the northwest quarter (NW 1/4) and the west half (W 1/2) of the fractional northwest quarter (NW 1/4) of the northeast quarter (NE 1/4) of section six (6), township twelve (12) north of range twenty (20) east, together with the water right of seven hundred and forty (740) inches from the artesian well situate upon section thirty-one (31) township thirteen (13), north of range twenty (20) east, or so much thereof as may be necessary to satisfy said judgment, with interest, attorney's fees, costs and increased costs.

Dated at North Yakima, this 20th day of July, 1899. H. L. TUCKER, Sheriff of the County of Yakima, State of Washington.

By J. W. SINDALL, Deputy. Date of first publication: 22d day of July, 1899.

IRA M. KRUTZ, Attorney for the Plaintiff.

Draying.

Having purchased the teams and trucks of the Yakima Dray Co. and added them to my own business, I am prepared to execute all orders on short notice and to give prompt service to all. Office at Fressy's feed store. D. F. MYER

Prof. McBride's Side of the Case.

NORTH YAKIMA, Aug. 2, 1899.

EDITOR DEMOCRAT:—In your paper of last week Mr. St. John is quoted as saying: "It is a matter of surprise and deep regret with me, that some people, who cannot be cognizant of the facts in the case should take sides against me." How different the tone in his charge of July 7, read before the board of directors in which he says: "I do not ask for sympathy or desire it. I only ask that public interest of which I have been made the conservator have a hearing." Mr. St. John has had his desire gratified; Why should he now seek to arouse the feelings of the tender hearted by his pathetic wail for popular sympathy. Should a man who ignores public opinion in the hour of prosperity, hope for tears instead of smiles, in the hour of his adversity? If so, the hope is in vain, especially when his appeal bristles with coarse innuendoes and criticisms upon the professional reputation of a fellow teacher.

I do not flatter myself that the controversy with me, was the primary cause of Mr. St. John's downfall, as is intimated by him in his published statement. Long before such controversy arose, there were very many intelligent patrons who did not regard Mr. St. John in the same light that he regarded himself. In other words, there was a deep rooted conviction in their minds that he was unfit to occupy the responsible position of superintendent of schools.

It only required a slight circumstance to crystalize their latent opinions into an active, irresistible avalanche of public sentiment.

In justice to my pupils I will state that of the 33 pupils promoted, 26 were promoted solely on their four written examinations without receiving any credits from the oral class work during the year. The other seven pupils became somewhat nervous during the final examination and fell far below their average standing in their oral yearly class work.

Now, by the rule laid down by the superintendent, they were entitled to have their oral standing averaged with the written examination average, said rule being as follows: "Make the class work for the year count half and the final examination grade half and the two to be averaged in the final grade in that subject."

The oral class register kept by the grammar teachers is not required to be filed in the office of the superintendent, hence, the superintendent has no knowledge of the contents of my oral class register from which the 22 credits referred to by him were taken and averaged with the 48 credits received in the final examination in arithmetic. The pupil was not presented with any credits as stated by him, but received only those she was entitled to under his own rule.

The retired educator falls into another serious error when he says I called the chairman of the board of directors a liar. Mr. St. John was not present at the meeting he refers to, therefore his information must be hearsay, a very dangerous kind of evidence upon which to base a positive declaration. I emphatically deny his assertion and refer to the directors themselves to verify my statement.

Again Mr. St. John discloses his usual proclivities, by trying to find a discrepancy between the language of my letter of application last year and words written in my plan book. In my letter, I stated that I had had ten year's experience in graded schools. In my plan book, I stated that I had had twenty years experience in teaching school, meaning graded and ungraded schools. He has overlooked the word graded, used in my letter, a copy of which is in my possession. Such quibbling is not creditable to one who prides himself upon the exactness of his information.

I am obliged to Mr. St. John for informing the public that my marking in grammar is approved by a very able and disinterested teacher.

He says 17 out of 33 pupils failed by his "revised" grading. This is not surprising when his system of figuring is considered. The ex-superintendent, by his own figures deprives a pupil of

ten credits in spelling because he, St. John, failed to subtract correctly in his "revision" and gave the boy 54 instead of 64 per cent. This paper was shown to the board of directors and his marking was observed by them. Many other similar markings were made by him, always against the pupil.

In referring to my history examination in his charge before the board of directors, Mr. St. John says: "The average of the class by his marks," (meaning my marks), "is 67.3 per cent, corrected 54.2 per cent, that is his marks," (meaning my marks) "have been reduced 26.4 per cent of his marks!" Mr. St. John in his testimony before the board stated that he spent six days in revising four sets of my papers, yet according to his own figures he makes the standing 7 per cent lower than it should be in history, the correct answer being 19.4 per cent, as is apparent by the following solution, 67.3 minus 54.2 equals 13.1 divided by 67.3 equals 19.4 per cent.

In view of these serious inaccuracies, what credence should be given to his "revision," and his "charges?"

If Mr. St. John objects to being tried by street corner juries, he should have demanded an investigation of the charges filed with the board of directors before resigning his position, and appeared before the county superintendent and answered the counter charges set forth in my appeal. This course would have saved him the mortification of a newspaper trial.

H. E. McBRIDE.

To the Public.

Having leased the Guiland house, corner of First and Chestnut streets and thoroughly renovated and re-furnished it, I am now prepared to furnish the traveling public with good accommodations at very reasonable prices. The rates will be \$1 per day for board and lodging, or either can be obtained at proportionate prices. A fair share of the public patronage is solicited. H. A. Smull Propr. Board and lodging per week \$5. 43-4t

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