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For President,
WM. JENNINGS BRYAN.

For Vice-President.
ADLAI E. STEVENSON.

THE intricate question of trusts and how best to destroy them is the leading issue of this campaign, especially among the farmers of the Mississippi valley states, which great section promises to become the chief battle ground between the parties in the fight for supremacy this year. The tillers of the soil there are vitally interested in this question, for being great buyers as well as producers they feel the heavy hand of the trust. A well-to-do merchant of republican proclivities in an Illinois town, informed the writer while there recently, that in his judgment the trust evil was a serious menace to republican success. Among other combinations that are filching from the pockets of the people, he mentioned the recently organized salt trust as one of the worst and said, "why a year ago I retailed salt to my customers for 95 cents per barrel and now I am obliged to sell it for \$1.65 per barrel. Usually when a farmer pays the price he questions me as to the cause of the advance and I tell him of course that it is the result of a trust. If a swearing man he is pretty apt to damn the trusts and declare his willingness to aid in smashing every one of them and regardless of his own politics he is prone to hold the party in power as responsible for their existence, which I suppose is quite natural." The above quotation illustrates, however, only the pecuniary side of the trust evil. Greater than this is its threatening aspect from a moral point of view. Intelligent and observing parents perceive that the worst effect of the deadly octopus is to close most of the doors of opportunity to their sons, which fact the children discover for themselves as soon as they go out to do battle with the world. The public in general have seen an object lesson in this by the wholesale discharge of traveling men that has taken place during the past year or two. So it can be readily seen by the dullest observer that the trust question is bound to cut a very great figure in the coming campaign and that a full and free discussion of it is bound to greatly weaken the republican party, inasmuch as that organization cannot escape the responsibility for having created and fostered the odious system.

THE result of the recent republican convention in King county marks the return of the old McGraw ring to power within the councils of the party in this

state. It is true of course that the personnel of the rejuvenated machine is not the same as it was during the palmy days of McGraw's iron rule, but it has many of the same old attaches, and the master hand of the discredited ex-governor himself is clearly in evidence in control of the whole. The old saw that "politics makes strange bed-fellows" is particularly applicable in this case, for here we see those ancient enemies McGraw and Wilson working hand in hand for the defeat of a common enemy—the luckless banker of Walla Walla. It is but natural to assume that since these two worthies who have been enemies for years, have got into bed together, that they must have formed an offensive and defensive alliance, with the central object of resuscitating the political fortunes of both and landing them as colleagues in the national senate. Neither of them let go gracefully when forced by an overwhelming public opinion to do so within the past four years. The whirligig of time, however, has placed these men in complete control of the machinery of their party and they of course, will use it to advance their own selfish interests. But the goal of their ambition is yet afar off. They have thus far succeeded only through a clever manipulation of ward politics, in which art both are past-masters. It remains to be seen whether with their distasteful public records they will be able later to pass muster at the bar of public opinion. We opine that they will not. In thus robbing the grave-yard dragging forth the dead and putting them in the van as leaders seems to us like a suicidal policy. Indeed their prominence in g. o. p. affairs, that of McGraw especially, ought to be worth several thousand votes to the democracy and its allies in the coming campaign.

THE quarrel, if such it may be called, that is going on within the fusion forces of this state over the question of who shall or shall not be nominated for the office of governor appears to us to be a most unseemly one. The DEMOCRAT has carefully refrained from mixing up in the fight thus far for the reason that it has been engaged in an honest effort to aid in building up the democratic party of this state instead of tearing it down as some people seem bent on doing. The present governor has made some serious mistakes it is true, and is probably a very poor politician as is charged, but above and beyond all this the fact remains that he has given to this state by far the best administration that it has ever yet had and that as a high public officer he enjoys the confidence of the people to a remarkable extent. How the party in state convention can consistently point with pride to the splendid record made by the executive and then deliberately turn down the author of such a record we confess passes our understanding.

"I SEE in the near future a crisis approaching that unnerves me and causes me to tremble for the safety of my

country. As a result of the war, corporations have been enthroned, and an era of corruption in high places will follow, and the money power of the country will endeavor to prolong its reign by working upon the prejudices of the people, until all wealth is aggregated in a few hands and the republic is destroyed. I feel at this moment more anxiety for the safety of the country than ever before, even in the midst of the war."—Abraham Lincoln, 1865.

LET all democrats who can possibly do so attend the primaries which will be held in the various precincts of Yakima county this evening between the hours of 7 and 9 p. m. For various reasons it is desirable to have a full representation at the county convention on the 18th, but a large and representative convention is not possible unless democrats and populists go to their primaries and take an active part therein. A truly republican form of government let it be remembered must necessarily begin at the primaries.

THE notification speech of Mr. Bryan delivered at Indianapolis on Wednesday is his masterpiece. The democratic leader in this discourse goes right to the heart of the question of imperialism and shows the threatening evil up in all its hideousness. Indeed it is quite impossible for an unbiased mind to peruse this great address without being impressed with the statesmanship, sincerity and great truth of its gifted author. This great speech as well as that of Mr. Stevenson will well repay a careful reading.

THE unreasonableness and brutality of Teddy Roosevelt's St. Paul speech was so apparent that Mark Hanna felt the necessity of disciplining the wayward young man by giving him a lecture, at the conclusion of which he presented the erring candidate with a volume of McKinley's speeches with the admonition to carefully study them and become learned in political wisdom. The chief fault that Mark is said to have found with Teddy's frank speech was that he unwittingly gave the case of the imperialists dead away.

OUR republican friends meet today in county convention to dole out the pie among the faithful. Owing to conflicting interests and the multiplicity of candidates seeking to reach the counter, however it promises to be a most difficult task. Can't Col. Robertson be induced to act as peace-maker and bring order out of chaos as bre'r Sperry did last time?

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For the office of representative in the legislature public sentiment within the ranks seems to be crystalizing on A. J. Splawn, the popular cattle man of Cowichee precinct, and if Mr. Splawn concludes to accept the nomination it will doubtless go to him. Mr. Splawn is well and most favorably known to all the old settlers of this county, having resided in the Yakima country since his early boyhood. By dint of industry and the exercise of good judgment Mr. Splawn has been uniformly successful in his business affairs and has accordingly massed a comfortable competence. He is a man of great force of character and energy and having been educated in the Jeffersonian school of politics his sympathies are naturally with the common people. Mr. Splawn supporters believe that he would prove a winning candidate and an able and useful representative as he has a full and accurate knowledge of the county's needs.

For the nomination for sheriff a friendly but good natured contest is on between Ex-Sheriff A. J. Shaw and Ronald A. Grant, the efficient marshal of this city. The friends of both candidates are hard at work and claim the prize.

For a candidate for county attorney the feeling seems to be well nigh unanimous in favor of the nomination of Hon. E. B. Preble, the well known attorney of this city. Mr. Preble is not only an attorney of marked ability, but is an orator of great power and the speaking campaign that he is expected to make will, it is believed, greatly strengthen the party in this county.

For the office of clerk that war horse of democracy, A. F. Snelling, is in the field. His qualifications and general ability being unquestioned the probabilities are that he will receive the nomination by acclamation.

For auditor the only names so far mentioned are those of W. H. Marble, the populist leader, of Parker, and Ex-County Clerk J. R. Coe, of this city.

For treasurer, E. W. R. Taylor and A. E. Larson have been frequently mentioned, although both gentlemen declare that they are not in the race. It is likely that the nominee will come from the lower end if that section presents a suitable candidate.

For assessor E. A. Shannefelt, of Tarpico, and H. D. Winchester, of Wide Hollow, are being talked of. Both are men of ability and integrity and either

would doubtless be satisfactory to the allied forces.

For school superintendent a new candidate will have to be selected as Prof. Plumb, the present incumbent is barred by the constitution. Mrs. J. H. Needham is talked of for the place as is also Geo. Stephenson.

For coroner T. A. Davis is the only man thus far in the race, while F. H. Marble seems to be the most available man for surveyor.

For commissioner in the second district the names of Matt Stanton, J. P. Marks and H. D. Winchester are being discussed, Jos. Stephenson having announced his withdrawal from the race.

For commissioner in the third district no name save that of W. B. Mathews, the present incumbent, is mentioned, as the fact is generally recognized that he has made such a creditable record in the office that he is plainly entitled to an endorsement.

A DISTINGUISHED PARTY OF RAILROADERS.

The special train bearing President Mellen and party, of the Northern Pacific pulled into North Yakima about 9 a. m. on Sunday morning and remained here for over two hours. Besides President Mellen the party consisted in part of Third Vice-President Hannaford, General Freight Agent Moore, General Passenger Agent Fee, General Manager McHenry and a number of lesser lights in the service of the great trunk line. As this is a general tour of inspection on the part of the officials planned to occupy about 30 days, each general officer was accompanied by his secretary in addition to which a corps of type writers were of the party.

The visitors were met at the depot by Messrs. Whitson and Parker and Col. W. W. Robertson with three carriages and at the conclusion of the breakfast hour took President Mellen and the leading members of his party out for a drive about the city and its environs.

The officials expressed themselves as highly pleased with what they saw, and the signs of improvement that they noticed on every hand elicited much favorable comment. They were taken up on Nob Hill, where they could procure a good view of the valley below and as one of the party expressed it, "It beats any picture I ever saw." Third Vice President Hannaford in conversation with THE DEMOCRAT man stated that North Yakima was one of the best towns along the entire system and furnished more business for the company than many other places with a much greater population.

Members of the party while here exhibited a good deal of interest in the fruit and melon crops and before leaving took aboard their train a goodly quantity of each.

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NORTH YAKIMA, WASH., August 11, 1900

Call for a Democratic County Convention and Primaries.

In accordance with a resolution duly passed at a regularly called meeting of the democratic central committee of Yakima county, a convention of the democratic party is hereby called to meet in the city of North Yakima on Saturday the 18th day of August, 1900, at the hour of 11 o'clock a. m., for the purpose of electing eleven (11) delegates and eleven (11) alternates to the democratic state convention called to meet in the city of Seattle August 27th. It will be the further duty of said convention to place in nomination candidates for the various county offices, to-wit:

Representative, sheriff, auditor, treasurer, clerk, assessor, attorney, surveyor, coroner, school superintendent and commissioners for second and third districts. It will also be the duty of said convention to select a county central committee to serve for the ensuing two years.

The central committee further directed that primaries should be called to meet at the usual polling places in the different precincts throughout the county for the election of delegates to the said convention, between the hours of 7 to 9 p. m. on Saturday, August 11.

All persons desiring to affiliate with the democratic party for the election of Wm. Jennings Bryan are cordially invited to participate in said primaries.

The various precincts are entitled to the following representation:

Ahtanum.....5	Alder Creek.....1
Bed Rock.....1	Cowichee.....6
Fairview.....3	Fruitvale.....6
Kennewick.....3	Kiona.....3
Lone Tree.....4	Mabton.....3
Moxee.....5	Natchez.....6
Nile.....2	Nob Hill.....7
Parker.....3	Prosser.....4
Selah.....3	Sunnyside.....4
Tampico.....3	Toppenish.....3
Wenas.....5	Yakima City.....3
Zillah.....7	
North Yakima, First ward.....8	
Second ward.....7	Third ward.....8
J. D. MEDILL,	E. B. PREBLE,
Secretary.	Chairman.

His Head is Level.

G. D. Smith, of Snohomish, a lifelong republican and an old soldier, will vote for William Jennings Bryan this fall according to the Everett News; Mr. Smith said: "I am an old line republican, but my party has departed so far from its early principles, its teachings and its traditions that I can no longer support its national ticket. The republican party in espousing the cause of legitimate protection has gone beyond the limits as protection was originally conceived, until as a result it fosters and encourages trusts and combinations of capital which breed a money aristocracy that threatens free citizenship. The people have lost control. It is no longer a party of the people as it originally was, and for that reason I will support Bryan whom I believe to be a man thoroughly in sympathy with the common people, and whose integrity, honesty and ability I do not doubt."

The Washington Medical Dispensary have renovated and remodeled the building over the North Yakima Furniture Store and are treating patients daily in their elegantly fitted up office rooms.

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Call for Populist County Convention and Primaries.

A call is hereby made for a general convention of the populist party to be held at the court house in North Yakima, Wash., on the 18th day of August, 1900, at 10 a. m., for the purpose of electing eleven delegates and eleven alternates to represent Yakima county in the populist state convention to be held in Seattle on the 27th day of August 1900; also to nominate candidates for the various county offices to-wit: Representative, sheriff, auditor, treasurer, clerk of superior court, assessor, county attorney, superintendent of schools, surveyor, commissioner from second district, commissioner from third district. Also for the transaction of any other business that may properly come before said convention. Primaries for the election of delegates should be held at the usual voting places in the different precincts on Tuesday August 14, 1900, between the hours of 1 p. m. and 9 p. m.

Precincts are entitled to representation as follows:

Alder Creek.....1	Ahtanum.....5
Bed Rock.....1	Cowichee.....5
Fairview.....3	Fruitvale.....6
Kennewick.....3	Kiona.....2
Mabton.....3	Moxee.....5
Natchez.....4	Nile.....2
Nob Hill.....8	Parker.....3
Prosser.....4	Selah.....3
Sunnyside.....4	Tampico.....3
Toppenish.....3	Wenas.....5
Yakima City.....3	Zillah.....7
North Yakima, First Ward.....8	
North Yakima, Second Ward.....8	
North Yakima, Third Ward.....7	

J. C. McCRIMMON,
Chairman.
A. L. FLINT,
Secretary.

She—So this is your picture? It is a true representation of the dining room of the ocean steamer, but why didn't you introduce some characters?

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Call for a Silver Republican County Convention.

At a meeting of the county central committee of the silver republican party held in North Yakima, Wash., on the 3rd day of August, 1900, it was decided to hold a silver republican mass convention, for Yakima county on August 18th, 1900, at Allen's hall in the city of North Yakima, at 10 o'clock a. m. on said day, for the purpose of electing four delegates and four alternates to the silver republican state convention called to meet in the city of Seattle, August 27, 1900, and further to place in nomination a candidate for representative and candidates for the various county offices. All persons desiring to affiliate with the silver republican party of Yakima county are cordially invited to attend.

The various precincts are entitled to the following representation:

Ahtanum.....5	Alder Creek.....1
Bed Rock.....1	Cowichee.....6
Fairview.....3	Fruitvale.....6
Kennewick.....3	Kiona.....3
Lone Tree.....4	Mabton.....3
Moxee.....5	Natches.....6
Nile.....2	Nob Hill.....7
Parker.....3	Prosser.....4
Selah.....3	Sunnyside.....4
Tampico.....3	Toppenish.....3
Wenas.....5	Yakima City.....3
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Secretary.

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EXPERIMENT WITH ALFAFA.

Yakima Growers May Raise Seed for the Market.

Wallace M. Williams has a ranch of 100 acres seeded to alfalfa in the Sunnyside country, which he is allowing to seed this year, as an experiment. The burs are well filled and give every indication of a fair crop. It has been claimed by experts in alfalfa culture that the plant will not seed except in an altitude above 2500. One man in the Sunnyside district says he has 22 bushels to the acre. At this rate seed will be worth almost \$100 per acre. Williams thinks he has a good crop of seed. In Utah a fair crop is 10 bushels to the acre. The seed always sells for at least 7c on the threshing floor, or \$4.20 a bushel, which would make an acre yield \$42 in seed. The saving of seed here is merely an experiment. If it proves a success many of the growers will go into the seed business. This will lessen the acreage of hay produced and create a market for both hay and seed. It is estimated that the merchants of Yakima valley send out fully \$20,000 every year for alfalfa seed. The bulk of this trade goes to Utah, from which no orders for Yakima products is ever received. If the production of alfalfa seed is a success at least the amount sent away will be kept here and the expenses of harvesting and threshing will be added to the disbursements at home.—Yakima Cor. Spokane Review.

New Suits Filed.

The following new suits have been filed with the clerk of the superior court during the past week:

State by S. V. Hughes, ex-rel., vs. John C. Reed, E. Slavin and John W. Shaw. The cause of action in the above suits is an alleged violation on the part of defendants of the decree of court in the Ahtanum water case.

D. S. Sprinkle vs. J. S. Evans; cause of action debt. Writ of attachment issued.

James Gillowsky et-al, vs. G. A. Lindow; attachment and garnishment.

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State Fair Notes.

The State Fair commission has assurances from many of the horsemen who were in arrears with their entry fees last year that they will be on hand this season. The horses entered in the Illahee and Klattawa races, which were declared off, will all be here. Some of the owners have sent in their entrance fees and left checks with Secretary Gunn to pay for entries they expect to make next month. Present indications are that all harness races will fill satisfactorily. Running races will be made up on the grounds the day before the races, all horsemen will be given an opportunity to fill the races they want.

Joe Faber writes from Bozeman, Montana, that he will soon be here with a stable of horses for various events. These are Senator Turner's racers, and are said to be a fine lot of horses. They will put in training here for the Salem races and return to complete the circuit. The track is now in fine condition and some good runners are training there every day.

Secretary Gunn has issued several licenses for various concessions and has applications by mail for many more. A theatrical company to play in Larson's theater during fair week, has promised to be on the grounds every afternoon during the fair. The commission has secured the services of a pair of bicycle trick riders, making the general northwest fair circuit this season. They are supposed to be the best specialties in their line on the coast.

The secretary is corresponding with the state officials and other prominent men in Washington and surrounding states, asking them to be present during the fair. Arrangements are being made for a joint political debate. An educational convention is to be held here during fair week, and prominent instructors will be in attendance from all sections of the state.

What a Woman Needs.

In the preparation of this article we made many examinations and investigations of the different methods of treatment and remedies for all the ills so common to the female sex, and our investigation has brought forth the fact that nothing proves so uniformly successful in restoring health and happiness to worn out women as the "Viavi Treatment," and we also found that this was the opinion of the most careful and SCIENTIFIC MEDICAL MEN OF THIS COUNTRY. This system of treatment has been remarkably successful in all cases of chronic diseases peculiar to women. No more trouble, misery, and suffering are among the speedy results after its use, as it certainly represents the latest and best treatment for all complaints of women's diseases. It has been proven by years of success and the testimony of thousands of ladies, including the highest and most noted of the women of the United States and England, who have been restored to health and the enjoyment of life by reason of "Viavi Treatment" even after all other methods of treatment had been tried and found wanting. The "Viavi remedies" are composed entirely of vegetable ingredients, and are manufactured under conditions of perfect cleanliness. Upon entering the system it supplies at once a clean, wholesome food to the muscular tissues and nervous fibres. It makes the circulation full and vigorous, and in this way enables the veins to carry to the organs of elimination all the impurities which it is their function to remove from the body. It acts as a prompt specific for all nervous and other troubles common to women, including irregularities, prostration, headache, anemia, palpitation of the heart and the thousand and one ills peculiar to the sex.—Extract from the National Health Journal.

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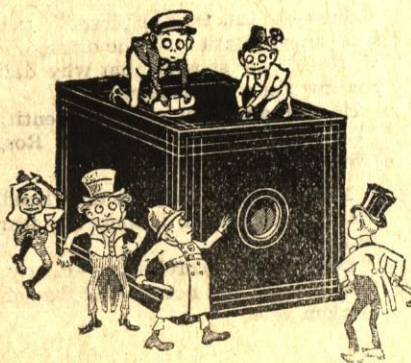
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THE YAKIMA DEMOCRAT

NORTH YAKIMA, WASH., August 11, 1900

Call for a Democratic State Convention.

A democratic state convention is hereby called to meet in the city of Seattle, Washington, at 2. p. m. on Monday, August 27, 1900, for the purpose of nominating four presidential electors, two representatives in congress, two judges of the supreme court, governor, lieutenant governor, secretary of state, state auditor, state treasurer, attorney general, commissioner of public lands and superintendent of public instruction.

The representation in the convention is hereby apportioned among the several counties as follows:

Adams.....	5	Asotin.....	5
Chehalis.....	12	Chelan.....	8
Clarke.....	13	Columbia.....	9
Clallam.....	8	Cowlitz.....	9
Douglas.....	8	Ferry.....	8
Franklin.....	4	Garfield.....	6
Island.....	4	King.....	53
Jefferson.....	6	Klickitat.....	7
Kittitas.....	12	Kitsap.....	8
Lewis.....	13	Lincoln.....	14
Mason.....	7	Okanogan.....	9
Pacific.....	6	Pierce.....	39
San Juan.....	5	Skamania.....	5
Snohomish.....	22	Skagit.....	13
Spokane.....	41	Stevens.....	17
Thurston.....	12	Walla Walla.....	14
Wahkiakum.....	6	Whatcom.....	18
Whitman.....	27	Yakima.....	11
Total.....	464		

All citizens who will be voters within the state at the general election to be held on November 6, 1900, who will pledge their support to Bryan and Stevenson at said election, regardless of past party affiliations, are invited to participate in the selection of delegates to said convention.

It is recommended that county convention to select candidates in joint judicial and joint senatorial districts shall be held, or whether the delegates selected to attend the state convention shall constitute such delegates and make such nominations at said state convention.

It is also recommended that primaries to select delegates to county conventions be held on Tuesday, August 14, 1900, and the county conventions be held on Saturday, August 18, 1900.

If not otherwise ordered by county committees, it is recommended that mass county conventions be held at 1 o'clock p. m. on Saturday, August 18, 1900, at the county seats of the respective counties, for the purpose of selecting delegates to the state convention.

By order of the democratic state central committee. THOS. MALONEY, Chairman.
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McKinley Indicted.

It would be difficult if not impossible for Mr. E. L. Godkin to make a contribution to literature and to politics which would not attract attention. His recent retirement detracts nothing from his reputation as a journalist and a censor, as a master of style and of facts, as an authority and an oracle. It is this exceptional prominence of Mr. Godkin which makes us ask the question whether he meant—as he seems to mean—in a recent public letter to call the president of the greatest of republics a "scoundrel."

Mr. Godkin's undeniable words, quoted by our esteemed republican contemporary the Tribune, are as follows: "I have a deep-seated prejudice against William McKinley and the men who surround him and act with him. * * * My opinion of them formed long ago, is that they are the most dangerous set of scoundrels by which any civilized country was ever beset."

Who are the "scoundrels?" Here a question arises of construction, of grammar, of meaning. Is William McKinley one of the "scoundrels," or is it only the men who surround him and who act with him? The indictment would seem to include McKinley as not only one of a most dangerous set of scoundrels, but as the head of the procession. But how is it possible to believe that the dignified exponent of higher journalism could call the chief magistrate of the nation a scoundrel? The mere suggestion is incredible.

But even with Mr. McKinley exempted from the anathema, whom does Mr. Godkin mean to denounce as "scoundrels?" The men who surround McKinley and work with him are his cabinet. Does Mr. Godkin insist that Secretary Hay is a "scoundrel," and did he form this opinion long ago—say after reading "Little Breeches?" Would he call the amiable Secretary Long a "scoundrel?" Or the equally amiable Secretary Hitchcock? Has Secretary Wilson introduced scoundrelism into the erstwhile innocuous distribution of seeds? And there is Postmaster General Smith, an honored member of the profession of journalism, of which Mr. Godkin is the light and the ornament. Certainly no one could have formed the opinion long ago that Mr. Smith was a "scoundrel."

Yet Mr. Godkin has said it—Mr. Godkin, who is choice in his words and expert in their use, who as editor for so many years of the Nation and of the Evening Post has sat in the judgment seat as arbiter and censor, never flinching in the stern and self-imposed duty of rebuking and repressing the excesses of sensationalism on the part of his fellow journalists, and pointing out to his ruder and less cultured brethren of the press the higher paths of sweetness and light in which he walked serene although somewhat lonely. If these are the gentlest words with which he can open a campaign, what may we not expect from coarser minds amid the asperities and animosities of actual conflict?—New York World.

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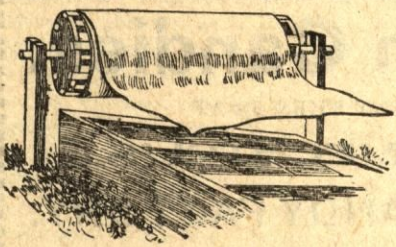
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Protection For Cold Frames—How to Thaw Out a Pot Plant.

It stands to reason that if one can in some way afford protection to the more tender flowering plants, such as are injured by a slight touch of Jack Frost, the beauty of the garden will be enjoyed for a longer period. This may be accomplished by the use of a screen of cheesecloth stretched over and a little above the beds at nighttime when the signs indicate frost. This thin network will effectually prevent the cold from settling, acting in respect to frost as the Davy lamp does to the gases in coal



FOR PROTECTION AGAINST FROST. mines. Where the plants are not of any great height this means is very practicable and has been used to much advantage by one grower of violets. His plants are in cold frames, and for convenience of rolling up the cheesecloth during daytime an appliance such as is shown in the cut is used. It is of very simple construction.

While dealing as above with protection from frost a writer in American Gardening has thought it not out of place to consider also how the frost does its injurious work and to draw a lesson therefrom.

In cases of frost bite the usual and most efficacious remedy is rubbing with snow, although at first sight that would seem no remedy at all. In point of fact, however, the heat engendered by the friction brings about a very gradual permeation by warmth of the frozen member, so gradual indeed that the rupture of the frozen tissues which severe friction, unaccompanied by the modifying effect of the cold snow, would inevitably bring about is avoided, and with time and care the member is thawed, circulation is resumed and its functions continue. Now, with plants, this absolute need of extremely slow thawing is often overlooked, and it is highly probable that a very large percentage of the loss incurred by intense frost would be avoided if more attention were paid to this point.

We often notice that after a frost the leaves of even the hardiest shrubs are black, as if burned. If we examine one of the shrubs during the frost, we shall find not only it, but the soil also, absolutely frozen, and the circulation of the sap in the roots and branches at a standstill. In the early morning it is probably white with hoar frost, the sun rises, and in a very short space of time a heat many degrees above freezing is beating upon those leaves, the hoar frost melts at once, and as the genial warmth penetrates the tissues a local circulation is set up and transpiration begins. In a very brief space, however, the rest of the plant being frozen, the circulating moisture is exhausted and the leaf dies. A slow, gradual and general rise of temperature, however, instead of a rapid and local one, would thaw the plant all over and thus permit the loss from transpiration to be made up from other parts of the plant.

It is probable that the greatest danger exists in thawing the foliage before the roots, for it is quite obvious that if the latter are not in a condition to supply the leaves with moisture when these latter are thawed and demand it collapse must ensue. It is clear, therefore, that frozen pot plants are best thawed by being dipped in cold water a few degrees only above freezing point. This will gradually penetrate and thaw the soil and at the same time prevent the foliage being dried up in the way above indicated.

In Memory of William Rowe.

The officials of the Natches Presbyterian church prepared and read the following minute at the recent memorial service:

It is with profound sorrow that we record the death of William Rowe—on the 13th of June, 1900—a member of this church since its organization in 1893, and an elder since 1896. Coming from Indianapolis, Indiana, some seven or eight years ago, Mr. Rowe, a business man, became an experimental rancher in the Upper Natches valley, and by preserving industry, taste and considerable outlay, cleared his acres of sage brush and built up one of the most beautiful homes in the county.

He was a lover of this home which he had planted; and watched with lawful and peculiar pride the growth of every tree in his orchard, the harvest of every field, the increase of stock and steady advance toward a model farm whereon he could spend the latter years of his life in tranquility.

William Rowe was a man of wide intelligence, an expert accountant, and righteously exact in all his business transactions. He was of a genial nature, fond of companionship and entertaining in conversation.

He had his faults which all who knew him could see, at times. He was quick tempered, and while excited would speak, as the apostle puts it, "unadvisedly with his lips." Yet as the heated metal away from the fire soon cools, so his anger was soon over and he would meet his late adversary with the former cordiality. All men are not so ready for reconciliation, after an unpleasant encounter, as was William Rowe, and hence this child-spirit was misunderstood by some, and set down as duplicity by others.

Mr. Rowe was a good neighbor, a local citizen, a veteran of the civil war, an honorable and just man, faithful in attendance upon church services, a ready scribe, and will be greatly missed in many walks of life. He was the practical business man of this congregation; its clerk, treasurer and general man of affairs.

We extend our sympathy to his family whom he fondly loved, and remember with deepest sadness his last desolate and heart broken days.

JAMES M. THOMPSON,
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Relief Behind Bryan Money.

Seated at a little round-top table in the St. Charles Hotel cafe, yesterday afternoon at 1 o'clock, Judge A. S. Henning, of San Francisco, gave odds two to one and bet the Hon. Joseph Green, of New York, \$10,000 to \$4500 that William McKinley would be the next president of the United States, says the New Orleans Picayune.

Judge Green upon being interviewed, said:

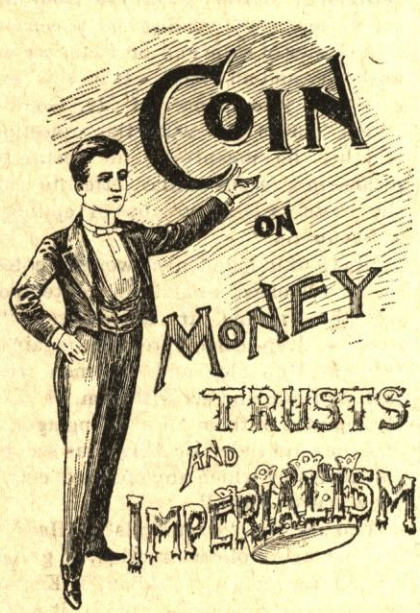
"We are taking in a little McKinley money at fairly good odds, but I fear they are going to drop on the three to one shot, which was started. I have no doubt as to the result of this campaign."

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Bryan's Election Assured.

They have a man in Los Angeles, Cal., who seems to be endowed with the spirit of prophecy, especially in political matters. His name is Col. Barton Duncan, and it is claimed he successfully foretold the election of Cleveland in September, 1884; his downfall four years later, and his second election in 1892. In 1896, he predicted the defeat of Bryan, and correctly foretold the vote of Kentucky, California, New York and several other states.

It is said that he has been endowed with remarkable power in forecasting events the past forty years, and that all who know him accord to him credit for successfully forecasting events, although nobody ventures any explanation of the process by which he arrives at results.

What gives importance to this premise just now, is the fact that the seer has just predicted the election of Bryan by a popular majority of about 700,000 votes, which is considerably above the majority accorded to McKinley in 1896. He predicts that in round numbers the popular vote in November will be 15,000,000, of which Bryan will receive 7,400,000 and McKinley 6,700,000, the remainder being scattered amid the dozen other tickets in the field. Among the states sure for Bryan says the Examiner, Mr. Duncan places Alabama, Arkansas, Florida, Georgia, Kentucky, Louisiana, Maryland, Mississippi, Missouri, North Carolina, South Carolina, Tennessee, Texas, West Virginia, Virginia, California, Nevada, Montana, Colorado, Indiana, Kansas, Minnesota, Nebraska, New York and Utah. This gives Mr. Bryan 256 electoral votes.

Bryan will have the next house of representatives by a majority of fifteen.

In the senate, during the Bryan administration, Matt Quay will have a seat. So will Clark, of Montana. Delaware and Utah will send democratic senators to Washington. Allen will retain his position as senator from Nebraska. It is probable that when the senate is re-arranged by the legislatures of 1901, Mr. Bryan will have forty-six supporters in that body—a majority of two. By 1905 the senate will be much more strongly democratic.

In 1896 only 133,148 gold democrats stood together, all the others voting for Mr. McKinley. This year most of the gold democrats will vote for Mr. Bryan.

Of the Scandinavians, the Dutch and the Germans, a vast proportion will this year support Mr. Bryan—not fewer than 1,000,000 who, in 1896 voted for Mr. McKinley.

Mr. Bryan will carry New York by 30,000. This will be a matter of clear evolution of public opinion. In 1896 Mr. McKinley received in New York 268,469 more votes than Mr. Bryan. In 1897 there came a reaction, and Judge Parker, democratic, defeated Judge Wallace, republican, by 60,889 votes. In 1898 the strong personality of Colonel Roosevelt served to lift the republican vote above its due level, and the figures stood: Roosevelt, republican, 661,707; Van Wyck, democrat, 653,921. This year, with Gov. Roosevelt again a factor, but national issues of strong influence, the result will be a democratic plurality of 30,000.

Kentucky will give Mr. Bryan a plurality next autumn of 20,000 votes. The people of that state will vote their protest against all that Taylor and his gang of thugs have stood for. California will give Mr. Bryan a plurality of 12,000 votes. The strife within the republican party in that state will be the principal

factor in swinging California so strongly into the democratic column.

The mid-landers will not poll more than 250,000—one-half of which will be cast in Texas, Georgia and Alabama. They will not win a single electoral vote, nor change one.

Michigan will show a great defection from the republicans. So will Wisconsin. Ohio will drop away enormously from the usual republican showing. Illinois will indicate a material progress of democratic ideas.

On the whole, the election of 1900 will give the democracy ascendancy in national affairs, and give the democrats tremendous power in most of the states.

Shut Them Out.

The steady stream of Japs which is pouring across the boundary should be checked effectually at the earliest opportunity, says the Deming Prospector. We have too many yellow people already. Instead of sitting supinely by and allowing this horde of paupers to take possession of our land, influence should be brought to bear upon our officials at the national capital of such a nature as will induce them to act speedily in ridding our fair land at once and forever of every Jap and Chinaman within our borders. We do not need them; we do not want them, and this time the old battle cry of the sand lotters, that "the Chinese must go" should not be raised in vain.

HIS OWN PORTRAIT.

How an Artist Paints a Picture of Himself.

It has been a common practice with artists of all ages and countries to paint their own pictures, and at the Uffizi gallery in Florence can be seen a magnificent collection of portraits of the world's great painters done by themselves. It is a coveted honor to be invited to contribute one's own portrait to this collection, for one must be eminent before this compliment is paid. As may be easily understood, painting one's own portrait is a somewhat troublesome task, for the painter must do a good deal from memory, especially if he puts himself in an attitude which it is difficult to reflect in a mirror. A straightforward portrait looking out of the picture is obviously the easiest to manage, for the painter has only to place the mirror in front of him to see his model.

Triple and quadruple mirrors must be employed when the attitude is in any way removed from full face. A profile would be more difficult to see for oneself, but a three-quarter face would be no less so, as in both cases the artist would be working from a reflection of a reflection, which, to say the least of it, is a bothering condition.

The looking at oneself for a long time is one of the strange and trying conditions of painting one's own portrait, for difficulties and complexities appear to grow the more one tries to grapple with them. Like the road to the tired traveler, which seems to lengthen as he goes, so the difficulties of painting oneself appear to increase rather than diminish the more one looks at oneself.

Apart from painting one's own portrait, artists largely draw from themselves, for a man can more easily assume a particular attitude than get another person to do so. Then for details, such as a hand, arm, nose, eye, the artist and a mirror supply all that is required. Another of the many uses of a mirror is to reverse the work during its progress, as reversing a drawing will often reveal an awkwardness, want of balance or faulty drawing, which might otherwise go undetected. —Chicago News.

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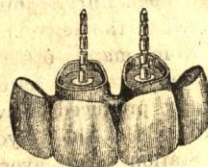
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WASHINGTON LETTER.

(From Our Regular Correspondent.)

WASHINGTON, Aug. 3, 1900.

Mr. McKinley has come to Washington again, not to do anything in connection with the desperate situation of Americans in China—our minister was alive at last accounts, but he and other Americans were in the greatest danger, and a number of Americans were known to have been butchered—but rather to see that nothing is done that might bring the situation to a climax before the election. While making all sorts of professions about what it is doing and what it is going to do, the real policy of the administration is to keep this whole Chinese business hanging until the campaign is over. That is why Secretary Hay and other members of the cabinet have been on the most chummy terms with the Chinese minister at Washington, while the Chinese ministers to every European government have been treated by those governments as in disgrace and as representing a government which is responsible for the butchery of foreigners in China. If Mr. McKinley and his advisers can think up something to do that will serve as republican campaign thunder it will be done; otherwise not.

Chairman Jones, of the democratic national committee, stopped in Washington on his way from New York to Chicago to hold a conference with Chairman Richardson, of the democratic congressional campaign committee. He is very confident and believes that the tendency of public opinion is strongly turned toward democracy. Among other reasons for his belief he gave these: "I believe that the imperial policy of the present administration is more heartily condemned by the great mass of the people than any other important position assumed by any party for many years past, and the evident intention of the administration to organize a great standing army is also popularly disapproved of."

The anti-imperial league, of Washington, sent a rather warm open letter to Senator Hoar, from which the following is taken: "In your public utterances you have most solemnly declared that this policy of the president, if pursued 'will be the abandonment of the principles upon which our government is founded; that it will change our republic into an empire; that our methods of legislation, of diplomacy, of administration must hereafter be those which belong to empires and not those which belong to republics.' Nevertheless, with a full knowledge of these consequences, you now have faced about and declare your intention to support the man who gives us notice that if elected he will continue his atrocious policy. Today, in your apostasy, you announce yourself upon the side of those who would betray our country from within."

Representative McCulloch, of Arkansas, gives the following substantial reasons for his belief that Bryan and Stevenson will be elected: "Bryan will carry all the states he carried in 1896, and at least half a dozen that were carried by McKinley. The democrats have a good fighting chance of carrying New York, but Bryan can be elected without the electoral votes of the empire state. The total number of votes in the electoral college is 447. Four years ago Mr. McKinley had 271 and Bryan 176, a majority for McKinley of 95. It will be

seen that a change of 48 electoral votes if all that is necessary to elect Bryan. I figure that the 13 votes of Kentucky, 12 of which in 1896 were for McKinley, will this year be for Bryan. Of the other states carried by McKinley four years ago, Bryan will this year carry Maryland with its 8 votes West Virginia with 6, Indiana with 15, Michigan with 14, and Minnesota with 9. This will give a total of 64 votes, which will change from the McKinley to the Bryan column, or 16 more than Bryan needs to assure his election. He can fail to carry any one one of the six states I have named and yet be elected. "Mr. McCulloch is also confident that the democrats will control the next house.

Hon. Ury Woodson, national committeeman from Kentucky, was one of the breezy visitors to democratic headquarters this week. He said the Kentucky democrats would carry the state to a certainty this year and that they would do it without any outside financial help. He also said that during several days spent in New York City and nearby summer resorts he had been surprised at the extent of republican opposition to McKinley from solid business men who had enthusiastically supported him four years ago.

The democratic congressional committee has filed a formal protest with the postoffice department against the seemingly concerted action of republican postal officials to "lose" sacks of literature sent out by the committee to state and county committees. Officials of the committee say that during the past month at least 100 sacks each containing from 1000 to 1500 documents, have been mysteriously "lost" after being mailed in Washington. An investigation has been promised by the postoffice department and one is being conducted by the committee which may result in striped suits for those who violate the law by tampering with the mails.

Famous Turkistan Alfalfa.

The first seed of this alfalfa was imported and sent out by the department of agriculture in 1895. Little attention was given it until the severe weather of winter before last put its hardiness to the test. On all parts of the farm plots at the Wyoming station the ordinary alfalfa showed more or less winter killing, but not a single plant of the Turkish variety had been hurt. Similar reports were received by the department of agriculture from many other sections. Not only does it seem hardier but it has generally produced heavier yields than alfalfa. On the Wyoming Experiment Station farm, averaging the results for the last two seasons, when cut for hay and cured alike, the Turkish variety clearly showed superior cropping qualities, producing over three-fourths of a ton more hay per acre.

Secretary Wilson, of the Department of Agriculture is greatly pleased at the discovery of this variety of alfalfa and its apparent hardiness and heavy yielding qualities and his department is preparing to introduce it generally in small lots throughout the west. Farmers who desire to make a trial of it should mail a request to the secretary of agriculture at Washington for some seed.

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No. 3-Pacific Express	7:35am	2:15pm	7:35am
No. 57-Local Freight	2:15pm	8:30am	3:30pm
EAST-BOUND.		A.R.	D.E.
No. 2-North Coast Limited	2:25am	2:50pm	2:25am
No. 4-Twin City Express	2:50pm	8:30am	2:50pm
No. 58-Local Freight	8:30am	10:10am	

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LOCAL AND PERSONAL

W. J. Reed spent Sunday in Cle-Elum.

Attorney Warner, of Ellensburg, was in town on Monday.

B. S. Weed, of Ellensburg was a Sunday visitor in this city.

David Gross, of Tacoma, was a Yakima visitor on Saturday.

F. S. Sanders, of Goldendale, was a Yakima visitor on Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Bell are spending their vacation at the seaside.

Robt. Crory left on Monday for Hoquiam to look after his property interests.

G. S. Vance expects to leave Sunday morning to spend a few days at Westport.

C. J. Crandall, a wool buyer, of The Dalles, was in the city the first of the week.

Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Schott returned Thursday from a short visit to the Sound.

Dr. Dulin and George Anderson are out this week on a fishing trip up the Natches.

J. M. Frazer and family have returned home from a visit to their former home at The Dalles.

Mrs. A. H. Wilgus and children left on Monday for their new home on Port Orchard bay.

Miss Thora Lund returned on Sunday from a three weeks' visit to Cle-Elum and Sound points.

Mrs. A. B. Pearson and daughter returned home the first of the week from their outing at the springs.

Mrs. John Michels is entertaining her sister, Mrs. Groger and children and Mrs. H. Packwood, of Ellensburg.

Jasper Flanary, of Goldendale according to the Sentinel of that city, will soon become a resident of North Yakima.

County Commissioner W. B. Mathews came up from Prosser on Monday to attend the session of the board of equalization.

Louis Joerdens, who is now employed as a guard at the Chehalis reform school came over on Wednesday to spend his vacation.

Harry Kennedy, a young attorney who came here recently from Illinois, left on Thursday for Dayton to look over

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A Gobalet, a civil engineer of Salem, Ore, arrived on Wednesday with his family and purposes making Yakima his home.

Alex Miller returned home from Westport on Wednesday. He reports the weather there recently as being too cool for comfort.

J. J. Mackinson, sr., of the Ahtanum has ordered his DEMOCRAT forwarded to him at San Francisco where he expects to reside for a time.

Tax Agent Jay Sedgwick, of the Northern Pacific, was in attendance at the meeting of the county board of equalization on Monday.

A. D. Sloan visited Roslyn on Sunday and on his return the following day left in company with Dr. Gordon for a few days' outing on the Tietan.

Mrs. Dent, who has been here for sometime as the guest of her brother, Capt. Kingsbury, and family, departed for her home on the Sound Monday.

Harry Coombs, who has been connected for sometime with the James studio, left on Saturday for Hoquiam where he has purchased a photograph gallery.

Mr. Geo. C. Hunter and Miss Bessie Adams were united in marriage by Rev. J. H. Condit on Thursday evening, August 2nd, at the home of the bride's father east of town.

Frank Horsley and son, Willie, arrived home on Sunday from a week's tour of the Sound and B. C. cities. Mrs. Horsley and sister, Miss Lombard, continued their visit in Seattle.

The workmen of the Inland Telephone Co. arrived on Monday to begin work in setting poles on the new long distance line which is designed to connect Yakima with Ellensburg and the Puget Sound cities.

State Land Commissioner Bridges has issued notice that he will receive propositions to lease a portion of Zillah townsite for agricultural purposes. The Zillah townsite it will be remembered is situated on school land.

LOCAL AND PERSONAL

T. A. Davis has been spending the present week in Ellensburg.

T. G. Redfield and family are back from an outing at the Springs.

Judge Preble returned Thursday from a few days outing at Soda Springs.

Jolan Mechtel and wife, Mrs. Hamel and Frank Nagler were Sunday visitors at Soda Springs.

Supt. Plumb went to Spokane Wednesday to attend the meeting of the state examining board.

The cooler weather of the past few days has brought a number of local residents back from the mountains.

C. A. Congdon, of Duluth, who has been here for several days looking after his interests, left on Thursday for his home.

Mr. Geo. A. McWain is feeling good over his recovery from an attack of malaria. Drs. Leusing & Ely, the osteopaths, treated him.

The usual service at the Presbyterian church next Sunday morning. In the evening union service at the Methodist church. Rev. Condit will preach.

The 28-inch cylinder thresher owned by John Sawbridge and operated by Butler & McDowell, of Yakima City, made a most remarkable run near Ft. Simcoe one day last week. 350 bushels of wheat were turned out in three hours time.

As a sample of what alfalfa will do near Prosser we will state that M. Evans sold his first cutting at a figure netting him \$12 per acre. The second crop is now in the stack, and altogether his land will yield him about \$50 per acre this year.—Prosser Record.

The amount of green food stuffs that are now being shipped daily from Yakima, principally to points west, now runs up into the hundreds of dollars. Great truck loads are being carried out by the North Coast Limited every afternoon and the sight of the massive pile that awaits them as they pull in usually puts the train men in anything but a prayerful mood.

F. D. Clemmer and wife met with what might have proved a most serious mishap while returning from the Woodcock-Henderson wedding at the Ahtanum church on Sunday night. By the sudden breaking of one of the springs of the vehicle the horse became frightened and started to run, but was stopped, fortunately, before any serious damage was done.

The marriage of Mr. Ernest Woodcock and Miss Etha Henderson took place at the Ahtanum Congregational church on Sunday evening, Rev. Smith performing the ceremony. The church was beautifully decorated for the occasion and was filled with guests, a large number being in attendance from this city. The happy couple will make their home on the grooms ranch in the Ahtanum.

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STATE PRESS OPINION

The democrats have nothing to apologize for this year, and they are not apologizing. Their campaign is one of aggression.—Seattle Review.

§ § §

Colonel Roosevelt's recent declaration that "expansion does not bring war" is by far the silliest thing that has been put up as campaign guff up to date. He ought to read history and quit lying.—Whatcom Blade.

§ § §

The efforts of the republicans to evade the imperialism issue are pitiful. The g. o. p. has degenerated indeed when it hasn't the courage of its convictions on a vital subject like that. However, money bags are traditionally cowardly and the republican party consists almost entirely of these nowadays.—Cheney Free Press.

§ § §

The cut worm may cost McKinley 300 votes in this county. Every farmer knows—upon good republican authority—that his recent prosperity has been through and by the grace of McKinley. This being true, it is impossible to attribute the disastrous pest to any but the same source. This is but the logical deduction from the republican "prosperity" argument.—Aberdeen Herald.

§ § §

If Ankeny is wise he will at once reduce his payroll. It will put a few Pierce county adherents in the position of being without visible means of support, but it will greatly ease the strain on an over worked bank account.—Tacoma News.

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Congressman Frank Cushman was here Tuesday evening looking after his political fences. Mr. Cushman would like to succeed himself, but when one sums up his congressional record and carefully investigates to find any direct benefit the state has received through Mr. Cushman's representation it can be condensed to a 0.—Coulee City News.

All About a Signature.

Tellers and clerks of savings banks have a rare opportunity to study human nature. All sorts of people, with many strange notions of the methods and purposes of banks, come before them. A teller of a Boston savings bank tells a true story of a good Irish woman who came to the bank to open an account.

"Please write your name on that line," said the official, pushing toward the woman a book and a pen.

"Do yez want me first name?" she asked, taking the pen in her hand.

"Yes, your full name and middle initial if you have any."

"Do yez want me husband's name?"

"Yes, his last name, but your own first name."

"Oh, me name before I was married?"

"No, your given name—Ellen or Bridget?"

"Sure, then, me name is nayther wan o' them!"

"Well, what is it then?"

"Sure, it's Mary."

"Very well. There are others waiting for you, so please hurry and write your name."

"Ah, sure, do yez want the 'Mrs.?' "

"No, never mind that. Now go ahead."

"Ah, sure, mister, I would, honest, but ye see I can't write!"—Youth's Companion.

Red Hot Politics.

The republicans of this county held their primaries last Saturday night to elect delegates to the county convention which meets at the court house today. While there was but little outward disturbance, there was quite a spirited contest on among the different factions in the effort to elect delegates.

The following parties were elected as delegates throughout the county, so far as we were able to procure the names: North Yakima, First Ward; Robt. Crory, H. K. Sinclair, Dr. P. Frank, A. L. Dille, W. H. Redman, Geo. E. Stacy, J. C. Brooker, J. M. Murchie, R. J. Curry.

Second Ward; B. F. Barge, Edward Whitson; L. O. Janeck, Geo. S. Vance, W. L. Lemon, C. M. Hauser, W. H. Vessey, G. A. McWain, G. J. Hill.

Third Ward, W. J. Reed, W. M. Watt, A. N. Short, Newton Scott, Geo. S. Courter, S. Chappell, G. A. Graham.

Ahtanum; W. L. Stabler, W. W. Wiley, B. F. Ward, D. B. Greenwalt.

Bed Rock; R. Carter, H. Smith, — Anderson.

Fairview; E. Remy, J. M. Brown, T. R. Fisher, J. P. Melrose.

Fruitvale; D. E. Lesh, S. J. Cameron, W. L. Wright, C. P. Wilcox, Al Whitson.

Kiona; W. L. Dimock, W. D. Flaval, C. O. Kelso, W. M. Scott.

Mabton; Geo. Chapman, Brewer, — Burney.

Moxee; H. B. Scudder, W. Cameron, L. Greenwalt, J. W. Peck.

Natches; J. O. Clark, E. M. Friend, J. Jacobson, D. Sinclair, Geo. W. Denton.

Nob Hill; J. M. Henderson, T. W. Clark, M. N. Richards, J. E. Shannon, A. Chandler, A. M. Kale, L. D. Humphrey, — Abbey.

Parker; Robt. Duan, W. P. Sawyer, F. E. Thompson, — Hill, — Dickey.

Prosser; N. Rich, J. Ponti, W. L. Maxwell, — Powell C. A. Jensen.

Sunnyside; S. J. Harrison, Geo. Vetre, Jos. Lannin, H. Webber, R. Pace, Tampico; W. Elgin, J. Knox, W. D. Glidden, J. Wetzel.

Toppenish; F. A. Williams, N. H. Lillie, F. Holt, — Shear.

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In a Bad Way Anyhow.

George Ober once overheard some acquaintances in the hotel lobby at Hastings-on-the-Hudson discussing the demise of one Bill Jones, a well known character in that lively country village. Ober immediately joined the group, whereupon the following conversation ensued:

"Did I understand you to say Bill Jones was dead?"

"Yep. Died last Thursday."

"Is that possible?"

"Yes, that's right."

"So Bill Jones is dead. Well, well!"

"Yes, he's dead."

"Do you know, I can scarcely believe it, poor chap! Poor Bill! I knew him well. So he's really dead, is he?"

"Well, if he ain't dead, he's in a darned bad predicament. I saw him buried." —Cleveland Plain Dealer

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Dated July 21, 1900.

FOR SHERIFF.

I hereby announce my candidacy for the office of sheriff of Yakima county subject to the ratification of the fusion forces. A. J. SHAW.

FOR CORONER.

I hereby announce my candidacy for the office of coroner of Yakima county subject to the decision of the democratic, populist and silver republican county conventions. T. A. DAVIS.

FOR CLERK.

I hereby announce myself as a candidate for the office of county clerk subject to the ratification of the fusion forces in convention. A. F. SNELLING.

Notice to Democrats.

The undersigned having been appointed as local agent for the democratic state central committee, desires to inform all who have agreed to contribute to the campaign fund to call upon me as soon as convenient. S. J. LOWE.

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Veal, dressed	7c
Hogs, dressed	\$5 50@6 00
Mutton, prime	3c

POULTRY.

Chickens, per lb.	7c
Turkeys, live	10c

GRAIN.

Wheat, Blue stem	53
Wheat, club	50
Oats, per ton	\$19 00
Barley, per ton	\$17 00
Corn, per bu.	56
Flour, Puritan, per sack	95
Blue Bell, per sack	90
Flour, 3x Baker, per sack	80
Whole wheat flour	95
Hay, Timothy, baled, per ton	\$12 30
Hay, Alfalfa, baled, per ton	\$7 00
Hay, Clover, baled, per ton	\$9 00

PRODUCE.

Butter, ranch, per roll	25c
Butter, creamery, per roll	45c
Cheese, native	15c
Eggs, per doz.	13c
Wool, per lb.	8@11c
Hops	9@10 1/2c
Apples, per box	50@60
Potatoes, per ton	\$11

LOCAL AND PERSONAL.

Mrs. Clara Ellis returned from Seattle on Thursday.

Read the announcement of Fawcett Bros. in this issue.

S. H. Mason, the Prosser attorney was in town on Monday.

C. W. Liggett and family returned home on Thursday from a three weeks' sojourn at the Springs.

Lloyd Purdin and family returned this week from Couer'd Alene City, Idaho, where they have resided for the past few months.

The county board of equalization is in session this week listening to complaints of taxpayers, who regard their assessments as excessive.

A. B. Weed, J. D. Cornett and J. M. Baxter returned Thursday morning from the beach, all feeling much refreshed by their outing.

Miss Jones is manipulating the keys in the telegraph office during the absence of Miss Davis, who is spending her vacation in Walla Walla.

John Reed returned from Cle-Elum on Wednesday where he has been for several weeks. He will leave again next week for Grand Rapids, Mich., to enter a sanitarium for treatment.

Traveling Editor Babcock, of the Great Northern road, accompanied by his wife and daughter arrived on Tuesday to visit J. I. Newcomb and family. Mr. Babcock is a nephew of Mr. Newcomb.

Wm. Moore was taken before Justice Taggard on Saturday on the charge of maltreating his family. A fine of \$50 was levied, the payment of which was suspended during the promised good behavior of the defendant.

Marion D. Harpole died at the hospital on Monday last from blood poisoning, the result of a bite from a vicious dog belonging to a neighbor. The funeral services occurred on Tuesday afternoon, Rev. J. H. Condit officiating.

Ringling Bros. show which exhibits at Ellensburg on the 29th will give this city the go by this year. Yakima people will thus be enabled to keep a goodly sum of hard earned wealth in their pockets instead of sending it out of the country.

Frank LaVergue, who was sent to the penitentiary from here in 1894 for complicity in the murder of "Tex" Bagwell, receiving a sentence of 20 years, is said to be out on parole and now employed in a logging camp on Puget Sound.

Tom Fear, the well known rancher, of Cowichee, suffered a severe loss on Saturday by the burning of his large barn. About 100 tons of hay stored therein was destroyed besides a number of implements. The loss is over \$1000. No insurance.

J. G. Camwbell on Thursday was exhibiting a sample of free gold quartz of marvelous richness that he took from a blind lead in the tunnel that he is driving on his Gold Hill property. An ounce of the rock that was crushed and panned out produced a large number of colors.

Contractor Bruenn has the brick walls of the new school house now practically

finished up to the second story. Work was delayed for sometime on account of the difficulty of procuring brick enough. The contract calls for the completion of the new building by October 15, but it is doubtful whether it can be finished or not by that date.

The residence house on the Woolsey ranch three miles west of Yakima City which was occupied by Samuel Fear and family was burned down on Thursday evening. The fire is said to have been caused by a defective flue. We were unable to learn whether or not there was any insurance.

Roy Rogers, who went to Dawson last winter with Powell Bros., returned home on Saturday. He was not very favorably impressed with what he saw of the Klondike. He reports having met a number of the Yakima boys who are in there, but states that none of them have as yet made a strike worthy of mention.

Sheriff Tucker this week issued a circular letter in which he emphatically denies the charge said to have been made against him recently, that he had traveled on a railroad pass and at the same time charged the fair up against the state. The appearance of the circular created a sensation among the street corner politicians.

Soda Springs and Return for \$1.50

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Baby's Overplus of Brain.

"Oh, John," exclaimed the fair young mother, "I am glad you're home. I have been so worried."

"Why, dear," he asked, "what's the matter?"

"It's about the baby. I tremble to think of it. You know they say children that are too smart never grow up."

"Yes, yes," he cried; "go on. What is it? Where is our darling? What has happened? Go on."

"John," she said, putting her arms around his neck and sobbing upon his breast, "he said, 'Da, da,' today, and he is only 9 months old."

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Proposed Amendment to the Constitution.

STATE OF WASHINGTON,
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To Whom it May Concern:

In obedience to an act of the legislature approved March 13, 1899, entitled as follows: "An act providing for the constitutional amendment conferring power upon the legislature to exempt certain property from taxation," there is herewith published for the consideration of the voters of the state of Washington the following proposed amendment to the constitution of said state:

"SECTION 1. It is proposed to amend section (2) two of article seven (7) of the constitution of the State of Washington by adding thereto the following proviso:

"And provided further, That the legislature shall have power, by appropriate legislation, to exempt personal property to the amount of three hundred (\$300.00) dollars for each head of a family liable to assessment and taxation under the provisions of the laws of this state, of which the individual is the actual and bona fide owner."

"SECTION 2. That at the general election to be held in November, 1900, the amendment hereinbefore mentioned in section 1 shall be submitted to the qualified electors of the State of Washington for their approval, and there shall be printed on each of the ballots provided for said election the words 'For proposed amendment to section 2 of article 7 of the constitution in relation to taxation.' Against the proposed amendment to section 2 of article 7 of the constitution in relation to taxation."

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed the seal of the State of Washington, at Olympia, this twentieth day of July, Nineteen Hundred.

WILL D. JENKINS,
Secretary of State for the State of Washington.

At said election each elector desiring to vote in favor of the adoption of said proposed amendment should place an X upon his ballot opposite the words "For the proposed amendment to section 2 article 7 of the constitution, in relation to taxation." Each elector desiring to vote against the adoption of said proposed amendment should place upon his ballot an X opposite the words "Against the proposed amendment to section 2 of article 7 of the constitution, in relation to taxation."

WILL D. JENKINS,
Secretary of State.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN TO ALL PERSONS having claims against the estate of George S. Taylor, deceased, to present the same, with the necessary vouchers, within one year from the date of the first publication of this notice, to-wit: Within one year from the 21st day of July, 1900, to the undersigned administrator at the office of Whitson & Parker in North Yakima, Yakima county, Washington, or the same will be forever barred.

Dated this 21st day of July, 1900.
W. R. TAYLOR,
Administrator of the estate of George S. Taylor, deceased.

Assessment Notice.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT the assessment roll of Local Improvement District No. 21 in the City of North Yakima, Washington, has been certified to me for collection and that unless the assessments in said assessment roll contained are paid to me within thirty days from the date of the first publication of this notice, to-wit: Within thirty days from the 11th day of August, 1900, the same will become delinquent and be collected in the manner provided by law and the ordinances of said city. Dated at the office of the city treasurer in North Yakima, Washington, this 11th day of August, 1900.

A. E. HOWARD,
City Treasurer.

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G. O. P. POLITICS.

Gathering of the Faithful Today —A Multitude of Candidates.

The average republican politician in the county is on the qui vive this week in anticipation of what the county convention which meets today will do in nominating a ticket. To a man up a tree it would look as though the primaries which were held on Saturday night didn't settle anything for the reason that the different candidates claim everything in sight and express themselves as satisfied that they have a majority of delegates.

The fight for the nomination for sheriff took on a new phase Monday when Tilton S. Philips the genial postmaster at Mabton, came to town to launch his boom. What effect the candidacy of Philips will have on that of Hare and Tucker is problematical as the partisans of each claim that the strength of Philips will come from the other man.

The fight for county attorney also took on new shape early in the week by the retirement of J. J. Rudkin from the contest. This move on the part of Rudkin was unquestionably prompted through a desire on his part not to injure the candidacy of his brother, Frank, who has an unconquerable desire to wear the judicial ermine in this district. The talk so common among the politicians that both of the Rudkins should not hope to receive nominations lest the ticket become too heavy with gold democrats, become so annoying to the tender susceptibilities of the younger brother that he could stand it no longer, so he deliberately pulled out of the fight. The forcing of Rudkin out of the race seems to have discouraged and disgruntled a number of his supporters, who think that he ought to have stayed in the fight and not have laid down when the first shot was fired, as they argue that his official record as well as precedent entitled him to renomination at the hands of his adopted party. It is believed that Will Thompson will inherit as much of the Rudkin strength as the latter will be able to deliver, although the main fight will be between Guthrie and Nichols, with the chances favoring the former.

A strong fight has developed among republican pedagogues for the nomination for superintendent of schools. Messrs. McBride, Swartz, Richardson, Roush and Dickey, a new comer residing at Parker, are in the race; the odds seem to be on the first named gentleman, however, as the winner in the convention.

For representative Lawyer Englehart seems to have things all his own way, and it is expected that he will receive the nomination by acclamation. Nelson Rich, of Prosser, who has been talked of for the place, states positively that he is not in the race.

The delegation to the state convention will undoubtedly favor the nomination of Frink for governor as the Wilson clan are in undisputed control of the organization in this county.

The friends of F. H. Rudkin claim that the delegation will be instructed to vote for their candidate for judge, but it is doubtful if this will be done as such an attempt would be apt to arouse a good deal of latent opposition.

Dr. Frank, it is understood will be the new chairman of the county central committee and will give orders to the faithful during the coming campaign.

City Council Meeting.

The regular meeting of the city dads took place on Monday night, Mayor Redman and all the members of the council being present except Aikins and Sinclair.

The minutes of the preceeding meeting read by Clerk Doust were duly approved.

A communication was read from J. H. Thomas in which the latter demanding the sum of \$250 for right-of-way for the outlet to the sewer system through the abandoned city park on the banks of the Yakima, was referred to the city attorney for an opinion.

The petitions of Turner & Fletcher, Olaf Sandberg and Kellogg & Ford for a renewal of their several saloon licenses on Yakima avenue, were read and the same being in regular order and accompanied by the usual fees were ordered granted.

Building permits were applied for and granted to G. W. Cary and the Yakima Abstract Co.

A communication was read from the State Medical association requesting that the council take action prohibiting the habit of expectorating on city sidewalks. After a discussion of the matter the council instructed the city attorney to draw up an ordinance covering the recommendations of the association. The attorney was also instructed to draw up an ordinance forbidding burial in the city cemetery without a death certificate from a regular practicing physician. This proposed innovation created a long discussion and some opposition developed.

Reports from the various city officials

for the month of July were then read. That of the city justice showed fines collected to the amount of \$180 which was mainly realized from the license money received from the owners of nickel-in-the-slot machines. The report of the city sexton showed \$41 as having been collected.

On motion the purchasing committee was then instructed to purchase the additional garden hose needed to sprinkle the railroad parks near the depot.

A petition for a side walk from property owners on west Yakima avenue was read and promptly granted. The city attorney was instructed to draw up a resolution relating thereto for presentation at the next meeting.

No further business appearing the meeting then adjourned.

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Advent Camp Meeting.

The constituency of the Seventh Day Adventist denomination, who reside in what is known as the "Yakima district," are now assembled in annual camp meeting on upper Natches avenue. Leading speakers of the upper Columbia conference are present, including the president, also Dr. Leadsworth, from Spokane sanitarium, Prof. Hoyt, of Walla Walla college, and J. F. Weaver, secretary of the conference.

The principal tents in their neatly arranged cloth city, are the pavilion, which is comfortably seated to accommodate several hundred people, the park tent, the young peoples, children and Sabbath school tent, the sanitarium, college and reception tents. Beside these are the cosy and homelike family tents.

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