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THE anti-trust conference in session at Chicago last week would have been a profitless and useless gathering as far as mapping out a program for the destruction of the growing trust evil, had it not been for the masterly speech of Col. Bryan. The great leader's address was the only oasis in a dreary desert of speechmaking, for he seems to have been the only participant in the affair who proposed a remedy calculated to cut out this cancerous growth. The republican papers, the majority of which are evidently not in sympathy with any genuine effort to cure the evil, affect to make much of the speech of Bourke Cockran, on that occasion. Many of them also endeavored to give out the impression, through lying and deceptive headlines, that Bryan was afraid to meet Cockran in debate upon the subject. Nothing could be farther from the truth. The democratic leader rightfully assumed that the meeting was made up, or was presumed to be made up of a class of men who belonged to all political parties, who honestly believed that the trust is a serious menace, not only to the individual liberty of the citizen, but to the whole fabric of society itself, and were anxious to devise a remedy. Such men did not care to hear the spouting of a sleek and well paid corporation lawyer like Cockran, who refused to admit that trusts are an evil and who was evidently sent to Chicago by the trusts for the express purpose of thwarting any action or defeating any plan of action, having for its object, relief for the people. As a matter of fact, a corporation sharpshooter like Cockran had no business in the meeting at all and ought not to have been allowed to speak. The plan outlined by Col. Bryan of dealing with the trusts is by all odds the most clear, concise and feasible method that has yet been advanced. While the proposition of imposing a license by the national government on all trusts doing business out of the state in which they originate or incorporate, is a new and novel plan, we cannot see why it could not be made to work successfully, if fairly tried. By Mr. Bryan's plan the large amount of water in the stock of these gigantic corporations, would be "squeezed out" by the government, after a thorough examination previous to the granting of a franchise. It is very likely, as Mr. Bryan assumes, that the supreme court as now constituted, would turn down such a law, but it could be engrafted upon the constitution, where it would be out of the reach of that body, which was packed by Cleveland and his predecessor, against any

measure of reform coming up from the people. We advise our readers to carefully peruse Col. Bryan's great speech, which is published in full in last Sunday's papers.

NATURALLY enough, one of the first results of the world-wide expansion policy of the McKinley administration has been to array against us in solid phalanx all the Latin nations of Central and South America. That a defensive alliance has been recently consummated against us by those nations is virtually admitted in official circles at Washington. The people of those countries have been watching us keenly during the past year. They have observed us with Cuba and Porto Rico in our arms and are watching us civilize the Filipinos with the use of cannon. Where will this aggressive policy of the "Colossus of the North" stop, they ask each other. Naturally, they conclude that the only guarantee which they have against possible absorption is in union, and it seems to have come to that point already. Our greatest loss on account of the rise of this sentiment will probably be in the way of trade, as this feeling of prejudice against us will likely be carefully fostered by Europeans for their own benefit. This lesson will probably be lost upon the "expansionists," however, as the mania for greater empire is evidently growing upon them.

THE state fair is an institution that every loyal citizen of Yakima ought to take a commendable pride in. A fair, like any enterprise of a similar character, represents only the effort and energy that is put into it to make it a success. The managers of the fair this year, although handicapped by the small appropriation at their command, have worked earnestly and zealously for its success. A much better showing will be made this year than in any previous year, not only as to quantity and quality of exhibits, but in the program of entertainment. The commissioners have done their part well. Now let the general public do its part, which is of course, to give the fair a generous and loyal support in the way of increased attendance, even though to do so entails a little personal sacrifice.

POSITIVELY the greatest and most pressing need of our city is for more dwelling houses. Newcomers on their arrival here, are compelled to chase about town for days, in an usually fruitless effort to find a house or living room to shelter them. This condition of things has existed now for over a year and while a number of new cottages for rental purposes have been built, or are now under construction, the demand largely increases the supply and bids fair to continue to do so. Let a number of our wealthy citizens, with vacant lots on their hands, build cottages on them. They will find that it will pay as an investment.

CUSHMAN, the energetic young congressman of Tacoma, has been dubbed "Sunrise" Cush, by the Tacoma News, because of a speech delivered by him in Alaska in which he is credited with saying "he would stand in the halls of congress until the sun arose in the west before he would vote to give up a single inch of American territory." Cush certainly has nerve to talk that way. We will bet dollars to doughnuts that he will not get even a nomination next year. At least he won't if the Seattle boys know themselves and they think they do. Cush must be satisfied with a little brief glory, and then make way for J. Ham. Lewis, Washington's favorite son.

THE city administration is deserving of much praise for the manner in which they are improving the appearance of the city this year. A number of new sidewalks have been built, long neglected streets are being graded and improvements made in other directions. The marshal, particularly, is deserving of much credit for his painstaking efforts to keep the town clean. It must be admitted, however, that there is still here and there a sidewalk in need of repairs which ought to be looked after before winter sets in.

THE Republic's humorous editor comments maliciously on the luxurious growth of whiskers that adorn the classic features of Col. Lewis. The funny man who edits our contemporary is not well versed in physiognomy and kindred sciences, else he would know that from the dawn of civilization whiskers have been regarded as the outward evidence of wisdom. Whiskers, at the present time, by the way, are the thing most needed in the editorial sanctum of our contemporary.

A VERY readable article appears in the current issue of the Irrigation Age, entitled "Irrigation in the Yakima Valley," from the ever ready pen of Joel Shomaker, of this city. Barring one or two errors—presumably based on misinformation—the paper is a good one, calculated to impress homeseekers with the great blessings to be enjoyed by a residence in this valley. Mr. Shomaker is entitled to much credit for the good work he is doing in behalf of Yakima.

OUR local contemporaries boast a good deal on their value as news mediums. THE DEMOCRAT being modest naturally does not wish to laud itself in this manner, but we consider it pardonable to refer to the fact that in the opinion of many people who oppose it politically, that it is the best paper in the county. Our subscription price still remains at \$1 per year. Now is the time to subscribe.

WASHINGTON LETTER.

(From Our Regular Correspondent.)

WASHINGTON, Sept. 15, 1899.

The capitalists who were trying to get Mr. McKinley to mix this government up in the affairs of Santo Domingo have withdrawn the pressure, because they now believe that their man, Jiminez, who is already at the head of the provisional government, will be peaceably elected president by the people of Santo Domingo, and their business interests over there will be taken care of by him, without the direct assistance of this government. Private advices from Santo Domingo say that United States consular officials are quietly aiding Jiminez all they can. If that be true, they have received a tip from Washington, as otherwise they would not dare to do such a thing.

A New York newspaper man—Mr. H. C. Greene—who was in Washington this week, said of the democratic outlook: "The New York delegation to the Democratic National Convention will be unanimous for W. J. Bryan. His popularity with the rank and file of Tammany was too great to be opposed by Mr. Croker, even if he had been disposed to antagonize the Nebraskan. But Mr. Croker is for Bryan heartily, and being a far-seeing politician, he recognizes that Bryan as a presidential candidate is by no means a forlorn hope. Thousands of patriotic Americans who do not agree with him on the financial question regard the imperialistic policy of this administration as fraught with more danger to the republic than free silver. There are other thousands who will oppose the republican ticket because its leaders are allied with the rapacious trusts, and because they feel that the only hope of relief from their tyranny lies in the triumph of the democracy."

One witness before the Industrial Commission, and the last that will be heard on the subject of trusts until next month, did not mince matters in suggesting a remedy for trusts. That was Mr. Lewis Emery, formerly a Pennsylvania State Senator and now connected with the Pure Oil Co. He testified that the railroads and other transportation lines helped the Standard Oil trust by giving them lower rates than they did their competitors, and said emphatically: "I am an absolute believer in government ownership of all transportation facilities, especially railroads. If the railroads and waterways could be put under government control the whole difficulty would end. If you would make an example of these men who are discriminating in their rates, and put them behind the bars, it would be well." The last witnesses heard by the commission were T. V. Powderly, commission of immigration, who talked about immigration, and Samuel Gompers, who told about labor matters as he knows them from his position as president of the American federation of labor.

One of the most disgraceful things connected with the war in the Philippines was the detention, this week, at Hong Kong, by British officials, of a steamship on the way from Manila to San Francisco, with United States troops. The steamship is one of those carrying the British flag which are under charter as troopships, and the cause of her detention was that she had 400 more men aboard than she should have had. The answer to this charge by the war department and by Otis was that she had only one more man aboard on

the return trip than she carried from San Francisco. In other words the British officials at Hong Kong are more considerate of the welfare of our soldiers than our own officials at San Francisco and Manila, who allowed this ship to take on 400 more men than she is allowed by the British maritime law to carry. Surely that is enough to bring blushes of shame to any American's face, unless he is past being ashamed of official incompetency and negligence.

Sunnyside Flashes.

A large number of our people have gone hop picking. The young folks all anticipated having a hiyu time.

Several fine new houses are now being completed in this neighborhood, among the finest being that of Elder Eby which will soon be ready for occupancy.

The general health of the people here has been good here this season although we hear that a doctor is soon to locate here.

The joint picnic of the Odd Fellows and Woodmen here was something long to be remembered. The Globe hotel under the competent management of Mr. and Mrs. Stobie, gave a very fine supper.

Mr. and Mrs. Clifton are receiving congratulations over the arrival of a young son on the 17th.

Quite a number of new people have located around Sunnyside lately and our town is steadily growing.

The fall term of school here will commence sometime next month.

The many friends throughout the county of Mrs. E. A. Bicknell will be pleased to learn that that lady is now rapidly convalescing from a 10 weeks hard siege of typhoid malarial fever.

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Cow Beef	2 75@3 00
Veal, dressed	7c
Hogs, dressed	\$4 50
Mutton, prime	3c

POULTRY.

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

GRAIN.

Wheat, blue stem	.....	50 1/2
Wheat, club	.....	47 1/2
Oats, per ton, new	.....	\$20 00
Barley, per ton	.....	\$14 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 50@6 00
Hay, Clover, per ton	.....	\$7 00

PRODUCE.

Butter, ranch, per roll	.....	45c
Butter, creamery, per roll	.....	55c
Cheese, native	.....	15c
Eggs, per doz	.....	25c
Wool, per lb	.....	8@11c
Cabbage	.....	12c
Hops	.....	12@13 1/2c
New Apples, per lb	.....	1 1/2c
New Potatoes, per ton	\$12
Peaches, per box	50@51
Pears	60@75c
Watermelons	50@75c per doz

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State News Items.

President J. J. Hill, of the Great Northern, is a Seattle visitor this week.

The roller mills at Lakeview, near Tacoma, have started up giving employment to 40 men.

In the case of Mayor Nickeus on trial at Tacoma for soliciting a bribe, the jury disagreed, standing six for conviction and six for acquittal.

The large packing house of Frye & Bruhn in Seattle, was destroyed by fire early on the morning of the 15th. The loss is estimated at \$150,000.

Wallace W. Lott shot and killed E. A. Haskell, on Hartstein island, near Shelton on the 15th. Lott was prompted to commit the crime by the fact that Haskell's cow had broken into his lot and destroyed his garden.

The Wonder Opening.

A grand opening will take place at THE WONDER, running from Sept. 22 to 25 inclusive. There will be a fine display of the latest designs in millinery including the most elegant line of jackets, capes and tailor made suits ever shown in this city—all of which are of the celebrated Bifield make. Silk and wool waists, wrappers etc. The ladies of Yakima are cordially invited to call and examine our goods and prices. One door south of Coffin Bros.

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MRS. D. A. McDONALD.
Parker, Sept. 11.

I have used the WALDRON WASHER and am greatly pleased with it. I can recommend it to everybody as a first class machine. MRS. J. L. CHAMBERLIN.
North Yakima, Sept. 15.

I have bought a WALDRON WASHER, after using it for three months I can conscientiously recommend it to anyone. MRS. C. W. McCORMICK,
Natches, Sept. 17.

I have tried the WALDRON WASHER and liked it so well that I purchased one. I would not be without it for twice the cost. MRS. M. PETERSON,
Zillah, Sept. 14.

I bought a WALDRON WASHER and find that it does splendid work. I could not get along without it.

MRS. ADELL HAVEN.
Natches, Sept. 11.

I have bought a WALDRON WASHER and find that it is simply perfection. We would not be without it now if it cost three times what I paid for it. J. P. DOUGLAS,
Zillah, Sept. 15.

This wonderful machine is for sale by F. O'Neil, general agent, North Yakima, Wash.

LOST—between the city and the Cornett ranch, an iron ball, weight about 15 lbs., the same is an attachment to my wood saw. Finder will please return to undersigned and receive reward. J. N. MULL.

City Council Meeting.

A regular meeting of the city dads was held on Monday evening with Mayor Fechter presiding and all the councilmen responding to roll call except Poole.

The minutes of the preceding meeting were read and approved.

Chairman Keck of the street and ditch committee reported that the contract for grading Natches avenue had been let to Wm. McKeever, the council there upon passed a resolution confirming the same.

The report of the city engineer on the grading of Second street was then read and referred to the street and ditch committee.

A resolution of intention was then read for laying a side walk on North Third street. B. F. Barge, a property owner affected addressed the council in favor of the resolution after which the same was unanimously passed.

A resolution was then taken up and passed on motion of Schindeler giving the mayor the necessary power as trustee of the city to make final proof on the parcel of land known as the Needham tract.

An ordinance was then taken up and passed making it unlawful to throw waste paper of any kind on the streets, alleys or sidewalks of the city.

Wilgus advocated a change in the placing of the arc lights on front and B. streets. Referred to water and light committee. Dudley and Sinclair called the attention of the council to the fact that the Northern Pacific Co. was violating its agreement with the city by blocking B street to travel for a longer period than five minutes at a time.

On motion of Dudley a resolution was passed thanking Supt. Gilbert of the Northern Pacific Co. for the new passenger and freight depot's and other improvements.

On motion of Keck the council then adjourned.

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Local News

The fall term of the city schools will open on Monday, Oct. 2nd.

Season tickets for the state fair can be purchased at any of the city drug stores.

The council at its last meeting, passed an ordinance making it a misdemeanor to throw waste paper or dodgers in the streets or alleys of the city.

Mrs. G. M. Allen, through her attorneys, Jones & Guthrie, has made application to the court to be appointed administratrix of the estate of her late husband.

The finest lot of apples that we have seen this year were packed this week for the state fair by A. E. Kinsey, the well known grocer. The fruit was grown by O. F. Noble of Fruitvale.

Justice Taggard on Monday tied the couubial knot, which united Hugh B. Crockett and Mrs. Laura S. Gustin of this city for life. The groom is the accomplished Mixologist at Turner & Fletcher's saloon.

The auditors office had a great boom in marriage licenses on Monday. Those getting permits to wed were Guy Wooding and Alice Magg, John L. Hickling and Frances Estes, Hugh B. Crockett and Mrs. Laura S. Gustin.

A Manila dispatch of the 17th conveys the information that four members of Co. E., namely; J. S. Adams, C. Crimmons, C. Forward and W. A. Patterson had re-enlisted and would remain in the Philippines for another campaign.

W. P. Powers of Klickitat county has purchased a 10 acre tract from Chas. S. Simpson of Fairview, which he expects to improve and make his future home. THE DEMOCRAT acknowledges a pleasant call from the gentleman on Tuesday and the receipt of a years subscription.

The will of the late Capt. C. M. Holton was filed for probate on the 16th. The instrument directs that all property of the testator shall be divided equally between his wife and daughter; the former is named as administratrix without bond.

T. W. Moore, who recently left for the east, wired his partners, C. S. Wenner and Martin B. Grout, the first of the week, that during his first day in St. Paul, he had taken orders for \$2,000 worth of their "Sure Shot" bicycle tire cement. The firm are receiving congratulations over their fine prospects in this new line of business.

Prof. Plumb received notice the first of the week from Gov. Rogers of his appointment as a member of the State Board of Education, to fill the unexpired term of F. A. Sikes, of Colfax, who resigned. The appointment will doubtless give entire satisfaction, especially in this county, where Prof. Plumb's capability as an educator is well known.

A big strike of copper ore has said to have been made recently on the property of Judge Boyle, on Campcreek, in the Cle-Elum district. Assays show about 70 per cent of copper, while the ore contains enough gold to pay for the working. The vein, which is a four-foot one, is believed to cross the adjoining property, which is owned by P. J. Flint, of this city.

Gov. Rogers has appointed J. S. Allen, B. F. Barge and Richard Strobach of this city as delegates from this state to the National Irrigation congress at Missoula, Mont.

H. E. McBride who has been connected with the city schools for the past year, has concluded to go back to his old love—the legal profession, he accordingly opened an office this week in Hough's bank. Mr. McBride is said to have been a very successful practitioner in the courts of California a few years ago. See his card in another column.

Marshal Grant and his assistants gathered in a job lot of hoboos, among whom were two Indians, on Saturday night and Sunday. They were taken before police Judge Taggard on Monday, the charges against them being in the main drunk and disorderly and vagrancy. The judge gave them sentences ranging from five to thirty days, and Marshal Grant has them usefully employed on the city streets.

At the meeting of the general reception committee at the clubrooms on Saturday afternoon, D. L. Druse was made chairman and A. S. Dam Secretary. An executive committee was chosen consisting of N. H. Yeates, A. Schindeler, B. B. Coombs, W. W. Robertson and Mesdames Blanker and Coombs. This committee was invested with plenary power. Without a doubt a rousing reception will be given the members of Co. E on their return.

The new saloon of Thos. Lund opposite the depot, will be thrown open to the public today. The house seems to be complete in all its appointments, the furniture and bar fixtures which were procured in Portland being especially fine and rich looking. A massive refrigerator has been located in the cellar, in which there is ample room to store a whole carload of the amber colored fluid. Mr. Lund seems to have left nothing undone in fitting up his new quarters.

W. J. Hackett and M. N. Mansfield, both of whom are veteran grain threshers in this valley, informed THE DEMOCRAT this week that the grain crops of the county are about up to the average so far as quantity is concerned while the quality in most instances was never better. The former, who is threshing near Toppenish stated that some of the wheat in that locality was going from 40 to 50 bushels per acre, while some fields of oats had yielded 100 bushels to the acre. The wheat crop of Albert Stewart in the Cowiche, we have been told, yielded 56 bushels per acre.

About 50 couple of the numerous friends of Mr. and Mrs. T. B. Gunn and Mr. and Mrs. F. C. Hall, repaired to the pleasant home of the latter on south Second street, on the evening of the 16th, in commemoration of the 25th anniversary of the two couple. A choice musical program was the feature of the evening's entertainment. Tempting refreshments both solid and liquid, were served by A. H. Dent, the popular caterer. The editor of THE DEMOCRAT acknowledges the receipt of some choice Havanas from both benedicts and trusts that they, with their good wives, will at least live long to celebrate their golden wedding.

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Boys' Suits, "latest styles,"	\$1.00 to 5 00
Boys' Knee Pants	25c. to 1 00
Men's and Young Men's Overcoats and Mackintoshes	16 00
Men's and Boys' Hats, "latest styles,"	25c. to 3 00
Men's Pants	\$1.00 to 5 00
Blankets, per pair	50c., 60c., 75c., 85c., \$1.00 to 5 00
Dress and Working Shirts, all sizes and kinds	25c. to 1 50
Gloves at	25c., 50c., 75c., \$1.00, to 1 50
Sox at	5c., 10c., 15c., 20c., 25c. to 50
Children's Shoes at	25c., 50c., 75c., \$1 00 to 1 50
Ladies' Shoes at	75c., \$1.00, \$1.25, \$1.50 to 3 00
Men's Shoes, at	\$1.25, \$1.50, \$1.75, \$2.00 to 4 00
Men's and Boys' Underwear, per garment	25c. to 1 00

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Fine Outlook for the Fair
Next Week.**

THE DEMOCRAT man took a spin out to the fair grounds on Wednesday to see how the preparations were progressing for the great event. We could not but marvel at the great change in the appearance of both grounds and buildings since ten days ago. The music of the carpenter's hammer and saw was in the air and every body was working for dear life. On entering the pavilion we found Prof. W. L. Conolly, the general superintendent of that building and his very able assistant, W. H. Wroe busily engaged in draping and otherwise beautifying the interior. We felt for a time fairly dazzled at the great beauty of the many different designs in evidence, the beautiful effect of which one must see to appreciate. Prof. Conolly and Mr. Wroe have certainly established their reputations as artistic designers in this locality. Looking about the grounds we noticed improvements in every direction. The grand stand with two fresh coats of white paint is now hardly recognizable. Thirty more comfortable box stalls were being built for the accommodation of the new track horses daily arriving.

President Baxter of the fair commission, informed us that unquestionably the finest string of fast horses ever brought together in this state would be seen there next week. The president is to be congratulated for the fine condition the track, and for that matter the entire grounds, are in this year—which is the result of the exercise of good judgment and pains-taking effort on his part.

The quarter stretch as viewed from the grand stand, is now something beautiful to gaze upon for within the enclosure is now a field of rich alfalfa almost ready again for the sickle, where two years ago was but a dreary waste of rock and sagebrush.

Over in the stock department new buildings are now nearly finished, the construction of which was found necessary to accommodate the fine cattle and other stock lately entered. Mr. Baxter informed us that the stock and poultry exhibits would be much larger and more complete than ever this year, and that everything in fact pointed to the conclusion that Yakima would have the best and most successful fair this season ever known here before.

"Vanity Fair" Coming.

"Vanity Fair," the newest of Hill's burlesques, with what is said to be an excellent company in its cast will be at the opera house on Monday, Sept. 25, for one night. All of the best elements of farce, song, dance and up-to-date music have been selected to make this one of the brightest and best entertainments ever seen here—an important and very novel performance throughout.

A splendid line of men's plush corduroy ribbed overshirts, just the kind Kinzie recommends for hunting, fishing and mountain use. Price \$2.00. See them at J. J. MACDONALD'S, South First St.

See BOND on South First street for poultry feed.

FOR SALE, 10 acres one mile from town. Price \$1000. Highly improved. Inquire at this office.

Help the Red Cross.

The soliciting committee of the Red Cross society earnestly beg all those who have fruit, to donate what they can for the fruit stand which will be open Thursday and Friday of fair week. Donations can be left at Mr. Scudder's office Wednesday, Thursday and Friday. Apples, pears, peaches, plums and grapes will be gratefully received.

MRS. P. FRANK.

Notice of Removal.

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

W.M. METCALF.

"TAYLOR'S BEST" Prosser flour is made from No. 1 blue stem wheat and is the finest family flour on the market. Try a sack. Sold by all leading grocers. TAYLOR & DENLEY, Millers.

FOR SALE—a good business in this city. Will bring in an income of \$2000 a year. Some capital required. Enquire for further particulars at this office.

See THOMAS' ad if you are not convinced he will sell you goods that saves you money.

FOR SALE CHEAP—A choice residence lot on Fourth street near C. For further particulars inquire at this office.

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

HOP FARMERS we furnish free tickets to all that insure their hops with us. Kelso & Foster.

KEENE'S work pleases.

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AT

Madame Conolly's

Sept. 22-23.

New Styles.....

The finest line of trimmed and untrimmed hats ever brought to town. Ladies are invited to call and inspect goods.

Follow the Crowd to the

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Where you will find a large and complete stock of



Pure Drugs,
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We make a specialty of

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and our prices are reasonable.

We also carry a large and complete stock of the best

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THE CORNER DRUG STORE

W. J. ROAF, Propr.

NEWLY OPENED!

Second Street Confectionery

We keep constantly on hand all kinds of Soft Drinks,

Cigars and Candies.

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

MRS. ANNIE ELMER, Propr

Opposite Coffin Bros. Store.

O. K.
Livery and Feed
STABLE.

Having purchased from A. J. Shaw the stock and good will of this barn and added to it several

Fine Driving Horses

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

M. B. MURCHIE.

Wanted--Station Men,

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

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Prosser Flour.

It is the best Flour made. Try a sack and you will use no other. Made from the best No. 1 Blue Stem wheat, grown in the Horse Heaven country. Ask your grocer for it, and if he does not keep it, send to

TAYLOR & DENLEY'S

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Merchandise
Store,

OPPOSITE DEPOT

JUST OPENED!

A new line of Staple and Fancy

GROCERIES AND.....
HOP PICKERS' SUPPLIES

Am prepared to make prices on these goods that will defy all competition. Call and examine my goods and see for yourself,

J. L. LASSWELL,

Front street, next Chicago Restaurant.

"The Mikado"

Is the leader in choice

Confectionery
...and Fruit.

Also the place for Fresh Roasted Peanuts, Pop Corn. Ice Cream, Soft Drinks. Second St, North Yakima

MATTOON'S

LIVERY STABLE,

Cor. S. 1st and Walnut Sts.,

North Yakima, Wash.

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

J. P. MATTOON, Proprietor

A NOTABLE VISITOR.

Col. C. P. Ferry "The Duke of Tacoma" Visits North Yakima— Talks to Commercial Club

Colonel Clinton P. Ferry, a leading citizen of Tacoma and for two years past the efficient secretary of the Chamber of Commerce of that city, was a Yakima visitor last Saturday and during his stay here made THE DEMOCRAT office a pleasant call. Col. Ferry who is widely known under his sobriquet of "the duke of Tacoma," which grand title was first playfully conferred upon him several years ago by some of his friends in Tacoma in recognition of his great loyalty to his home city, is a gentleman of much refinement and culture and having traveled about the world extensively and being a close observer, he is quite naturally well stocked with interesting reminiscences. Col. Ferry, who by the way is a member of a most remarkable and distinguished family, being a nephew of the late Gov. Ferry, who was the first chief executive of this state and also a nephew of the late Senator Ferry of Michigan, migrated when yet but a mere boy from his eastern home to Portland, Ore., where he entered the employ of banker afterward U. S. Senator Corbett as a book keeper. During his long service with that great financier, young Ferry made the most of his opportunities. He worked hard and saved his money and naturally gained the fullest confidence of his employer. On the advice of Senator Corbett, he invested his earnings in real estate. Through his influential connections he succeeded in getting a tip regarding the location of the Northern Pacific terminus at Tacoma and gathering all of his resources together he journeyed up to the future "City of Destiny" which was then but a small and straggling "sawmill" village on the shores of Commencement bay. There he bought large areas of land and started in to help build up the town. When the boom came the colonel was in a position to take advantage of it and reaped a great harvest of golden shekels as a result of his foresight. His good luck in this venture furnished him with ample means to gratify his desire to see the world. He then spent several years abroad, mainly in Switzerland. On returning to Tacoma some three years ago he found that city prostrated as the result of the panic and having still large interests there, he put his shoulder to the wheel and has aided materially in pulling that city out of the slough of despond and now has the satisfaction of seeing his town again on the high road to prosperity.

Col. Ferry had not visited Yakima for 12 years and expressed surprise and gratification at the development that has taken place here during that time. On Saturday evening he visited the Commercial Club rooms and after the business session of the governing board was over, delivered a very fine address to the members present, taking as his theme the great possibilities of Washington as a state, and of Yakima valley as the great agricultural center thereof. He was pleased, he said to see such evidence of thrift and prosperity on every hand. He dwelt on the necessity of the people of this city encouraging the establishment of manufacturing enterprises—especially such as would use as raw material the products of the valley. In this connection he made special mention of a canning factory as an industry badly needed here.

His speech which was purely informal in character was well received. Col. Ferry left on the following day

for Ellensburg from which place he expected to go up to the lakes for a few days fishing and recreation. He expressed his intention of returning next week for the purpose of visiting the state fair.

Hitchcock Says No.

Congressman Jones on Monday received a letter from Secretary Hitchcock, of the interior department, in which he states explicitly that the sheep are on the reserve in violation of the law, which he proposes to enforce to the letter. He further stated that the forestry superintendent had no authority to issue permits and would be asked to explain his action. A dispatch from Senator Foster to Mr. Jones, of the same date, states that he, Foster, had failed to get the extension of time and that the sheepmen must remove their flocks by the 25th. A mass meeting of sheep owners will be held at the club room in this city today for the purpose of considering this important matter which has now come to a crisis and to see what can be done to alleviate the situation. Congressmen Jones and Cushman will be present and address the meeting.

A banquet will be given in their honor at the Hotel Yakima by the local sheepmen this evening.

That Throbbing Headache

Would quickly leave you, if you used Dr. King's New Life pills. Thousands of sufferers have proved their matchless merit of sick and nervous headaches. They make pure blood and strong nerves and build up your health. Easy to take. Try them. Only 25 cents. Money back if not cured. Sold by Louis O. Janek's Druggist.

Baths for Ladies.

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

A large line of men's mixed and plain colored negligee shirts—prices 85c, \$1.00, \$1.25, \$1.50, \$1.75 and \$2.00 each. All goods at J. J. MACDONALD'S are right in quality, right in style and low in price, a fact that is demonstrated by his rapidly increasing business, which demands more room, consequently he has leased the store now occupied by the postoffice and will move about October 1st.

Dr. KLUG, the scientific optician is again in this city and can be found at the Hotel Yakima until Sept 30th. All persons afflicted with weak eyes, near sightedness, cross vision, or impaired vision of any form should consult Dr. Klug.

Use "TAYLOR'S BEST" Prosser flour sold by E. M. Harris, A. B. Pearson, F. E. Lauderdale & Co., Bonds Feed Store, J. A. Kleis and Taylor & Denley.

Go to the CITY FEED STORE on South First street for the best flour and feed.

I have for sale some good comfortable dwelling houses on easy terms. I can offer you a much better proposition than paying rent.

O. A. FECHTER.

THOMAS wants to let you know that he can save you money on Clothing, Furnishings and Shoes. One trial will convince you.

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

Wanted—A girl to do general housework. Apply to Mrs E. M. Harris.

Lamps Lamps

This is the season of the year for Lamps. We have a new and fresh stock, which includes everything in the Lamp line at prices ranging from

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Call and see our new Hanging Lamps.

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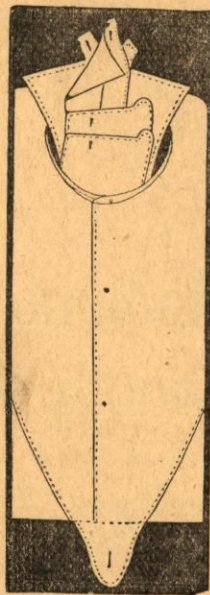
THERE are many children in school who ought to wear glasses. Eyes which are naturally weak always become worse under the strain of constant study. Headaches, squinting the eyelids, holding the book close to the face, are all symptoms of eye strain and overwork. Children are frequently "marked down" in their studies through inability to make out characters upon the blackboard. The eyes of every pupil in the schools should be examined by a competent optician at least once a year. You cannot afford to be indifferent in this matter. By giving attention to slight defects now, their school work will not only be lightened, but the necessity of wearing glasses constantly in after years may be avoided. I will be glad to examine your children's eyes at any time. I will tell you in what condition I find them, and will advise you as to the necessity of wearing glasses.



Glasses ground to fit the Eye.

Examination free.

T. G. REDFIELD, Graduate Optician.



DEWEY Whitewash? Yes and wash white. You can

HAVANA thing washed at Read's Steam Laundry. The

MAINE point is quality, and the

MERRITT of our work is such that people come

MILES to patronize us. Our prices are not

HOBSON'S choice, but standard rates, which are not

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Half Block north of Mason's Opera House.

THE MONOGRAM Cigar Store and Billiard Hall

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

Club Room in Connection.

Don't forget the place.

THE MONOGRAM. JEWELL & JACKSON, PROPRS.

Stone Building, Yakima Ave., between Front and First sts.

Back from the Gold Fields.

Wm. Bounds, better known in Yakima as "Billie" Bounds, returned to this city on Monday night from a long residence in the gold regions of the far north. During his stay there he has mined and engaged in other occupations, some times with success and some times without it. He speaks of having met frequently other members of the Yakima colony there, mentioning John Stone and son, Jim Simmons, C. D. Murane, H. J. Jenks of Prosser and the Milroy brothers.

He was seized with the Cape Nome fever last winter and with a number of others left Dawson on Dec. 26 over the ice for the new eldorado. On account of the heavy and bitterly cold winds blowing up the river, however, they were obliged to stay in camp most of the time and did not succeed in reaching St. Michael until June 1st. They then took the boat "Discovery" for Cape Nome, but were obliged to put back twice to St. Michael as small boats were unable to land at the Cape on account of the heavy seas. Finally the party succeeded in getting ashore and in making a tour of investigation of the new gold district found it to be very extensive and much richer than they imagined. Billie succeeded in getting a quarter interest in four claims, two of which, located on "Snow" creek have proven very rich, and are being worked this season by his partners. The new district while perhaps not as rich as the Klondyke fields, are apparently much more extensive as gold is found from the beach back. Anvil city, the chief town of the new diggings is a "hummer" and is building up rapidly, the cheapest kind of a meal there costs \$1.50.

Mr. Bounds saw the Milroy brothers just before he left. They were rocking out gold in the beach and spoke of coming out this fall. Being desirous of seeing his relatives here and at Seattle after his long absence, Billie concluded to come out. He left the Cape on Sept. 1st and reached Seattle in 14 days. He expects to return again to Dawson city this fall, where he still retains some interests, spend the winter there and go down the river in the spring to Cape Nome, which he regards just now as the greatest camp on earth.

To the Citizens of North Yakima.

The citizens committee on entertaining visitors to the state fair would most respectfully urge those having rooms that they can spare for use of visitors during fair week, to report to the committee at once.

Geo. S. Hough,
Claude Briggs,
A. S. Dam,
Committee.

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Mrs. Cary's fall opening on Thursday and Friday attracted a large number of ladies to admire and purchase. The new line of hats exhibited, which were the very perfection of the milliner's art, were most tastefully arranged, making the effect very beautiful. Mrs. Cary's fall opening was, on the whole very successful, both from a financial point of view and otherwise.

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

Three furnished rooms to rent. Centrally located. Enquire at this office.

WANTED—Men with horses to work on hay baler. Address P. O. box 585, North Yakima, or inquire at this office.

Moore Clothing Company.

The handsomest store in the city.

Get ready for the Fair. Give the fund for the boys a lift.
Everything a Man or Boy needs, from Hats to Shoes.

A SUIT FROM \$5 TO \$25.

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We desire mothers to inspect our Boys' and Children's line. Boys' Caps in Fancy Plaid, the late thing. Headquarters for the choicest Neckwear made. A new invoice just received. Shirts galore. The Monarch Fancy for \$1 up.

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To suit purse and person. We invite you to call and look us over. The place to buy is the

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OUR MOTTO IS

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We exercise the greatest care in purchasing stock and consequently get the best to be had. We buy and cut up no twenty-year-old cows nor work such steak off on our customers; but we buy young stock and serve our trade with

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Steaks and Roasts

always at reasonable prices. If you are not dealing with us, try us. We insure prompt delivery.

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Call and see us in our new location, on the east side of South First street.

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Extra Fancy Crown Hams, Bacon

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

Bring all you have.

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

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

Free delivery to any part of the city.

Give us a call.

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Yakima Ave., between Front and First.

FARMERS.....

WHO INTEND PURCHASING

Wagons or Buggies

This fall should be on the lookout for our

Car of New Vehicles,

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

FAWCETT BROS.

STATE PRESS OPINION.

That very ably edited Seattle Weekly is a corpse, that the good die soon, seems rather applicable in this case. It was edited by a master mind but financed by a dwarf.—Seattle Republican.

Six months ago it looked as though the democratic fight, next year, would be largely to keep up party organization; today it looks as though the democrats would elect the next president.—Seattle Review.

The statement issued by the war department, claiming that Cuban revenues are more than paying all the expenses of the military occupation of the island, is misleading, inasmuch as the expenditures therein do not include the pay and the maintenance of the U. S. soldiers in Cuba.—Seattle Review.

In not one of the something over fifty republican exchanges received at this office have we seen a single line denying that all the trusts, all the monopolies and all the beneficiaries of special privilege favor a continuance of the republican administration. Which is saying a good deal for the veracity and ingenuousness of our republican friends.—Seattle Herald.

In order to turn the attention of the voters of the country away from McKinley and his administration, the republican press is continually harping away at Bryan. The longer and the harder they keep it up the more popular Bryan will become with the voters throughout the country. It is McKinley and his administration that are on trial, with the voters of the country as a jury, and not Bryan.—Everett News.

The following sentiment does credit to its distinguished author, W. J. Bryan:

"The Bible does not authorize a shot gun gospel. No nation is so strong that it can afford to do wrong. Shall we quit the rule of freedom for the rule of kings? Shall we give up the doctrine of consent for the doctrine of force? If so, let us take down the Statue of Liberty business. Let us buy a second-hand statue of William the conqueror for our symbol." Olympia Journal.

The Skagit News-Herald pertinently says:

It is a nice bit of sentiment, that where the American flag has once been planted it must not be taken down, but it has been long years since the Stars and Stripes floated over the city of Mexico, where it was placed during the Mexican war.

To which might be added that we stood by and saw Canadian mounted police take down the stars and stripes several times, along the Alaskan boundary.—Olympia Journal.

This is a bad year for democratic hopes. Prices for products are high. The demand for labor can not be supplied and all classes are making money. The people have no time to waste with people who cannot see things as they are.—Puyallup Chronicle.

This is a fair sample of the editorial matter to be found in republican papers just now. God is not considered at all—McKinley did it all. The hop crop in the Puyallup valley no doubt is a good one this year, prices for various products may be high and laborers in demand, but any idiot in Steilacoom knows that

McKinley has no more to do with bringing about this state of affairs than the devil had with framing the ten commandments.—Ellensburg Localizer.

The Sultan of Sulu in the Philippines has twelve wives and our government agrees to give him \$6000 a year for the support of his domestic establishment. These Mohammedan fellow citizens will probably become the cause of more trouble to our government than the Utah polygamists ever were. Both slavery and polygamy prevail among the Mohammedans of the southern Philippine islands. Both are features of the religious fanaticism of the people and they are sure to be troublesome factors to deal with after the people are conquered.—Walla Walla Argus.

"The issue in the Bland district of Missouri was made on approving the president's course, and those who raised it are dumbfounded at the response it has elicited," says the Boston Herald (Ind.) "The vote is always smaller at special elections than at general ones, and the majorities are expected to be reduced in proportion, but in this instance the majority is increased in a smaller vote. We should not ordinarily attach much importance to this symptom, and the republicans have themselves to thank if it appears to have greater consequence now. They fatuously called attention to it in advance, and insisted upon making it a test of popular feeling."—Tacoma News.

President McKinley is seeking to create an impression that he is simply following the flag and defending it wherever it goes. Will Mr. McKinley answer, who sent General Bates with ten thousand dollars that belonged to the United States treasury to bribe the Sultan of Sulu to permit the flag to be hoisted over his harem and his polygamous band of pirates, and then entered into an agreement that the sultan's local government should not be interfered with; that the United States would protect it against all foreign powers?—National Watchman.

What may be considered as a positive novelty in the list of this seasons attractive attractions offered by Manager Bosdet is Hill's "Vanity Fair." It is said to have all the special new music, new songs, and varied features of an humorous nature well calculated to give an evening's pleasure free from a dull moment, interpreted by a company of unusual excellence. "Vanity Fair" will be seen here at the opera house on Monday, Sept. 25, for one night.

Mens fall and winter underwear just received. Men's heavy natural wool mixed undershirts at 45c. Extra heavy natural wool shirts, 63c. Also a large assortment of very fine lambs wool, Australian wool and camels hair goods at \$1.00, \$1.25, \$1.50 and \$1.75 a garment at J. J. MACDONALDS.

Do you buy Clothing, Furnishings and shoes of THOMAS? If not, why not? He saves you money every time.

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

Read KEENE'S "ad."

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

Try our 40cts tea. Kinsey & Co.

The place to get a Square Meal or a Business Man's Lunch is at the

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Where fine Meals and Lunches are served at all hours and where you can get an elegant Sunday Dinner with Chicken or Turkey, Ice Cream and all the trimmings for... **25 cts**

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

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At Reasonable Prices.

We are now also taking orders for.....

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The Best \$1.00 a day Hotel

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Fine Groceries for fine people.



Four reasons why many of our first families go out of their way to trade with Pearson:

Do you know that many of our customers are the wealthiest and most particular in this town? They are the people who have tried other stores but were never fully satisfied until they came here.

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FIRST—Because we sell "guaranteed groceries." No auction goods; no seconds.

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If you are not fully pleased with your present grocer, give us a trial order. You can go back to him—if you choose.

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Hot or Cold Baths, Only 25c.

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

Basement Janeck Building.

PERSONAL

Attorney Englehart visited Ellensburg on Wednesday.

Robt. Wilkinson jr. of Oregon City, Ore., is a guest of the Bartholet.

Dr. P. P. Gray of Ellensburg was in the city on Monday.

Rev. J. T. Eshelman of Tacoma was a Yakima visitor this week.

J. H. Junette, a leading citizen of Tacoma was in the city on Thursday.

Judge Allen left on Saturday night for a short visit with his family in Spokane.

Revenue Collector R. K. Nichols took the east bound passenger on Monday night.

Little Edna Craig came down from Ellensburg on Monday night to visit her friends here during fair week.

W. A. Walker, a well to do farmer of Dot, Klickitat county, was the guest this week of C. S. Simpson of Fairview.

Mrs. S. O. Morford returned home on Sunday night from her visit to the Klondike. She made the trip out by way of St. Michael.

J. Freling, who has been a resident of the Ahtanum for left Grand Rapids, Mich., on Tuesday night, where he will probably remain.

C. F. Thorpe, Wm. Gordon and C. McIntyre all of Easton were in the city on Saturday, having business at the United States land office.

Mrs. John Sawbridge and two children returned home on Tuesday night from a lengthy visit with relatives and friends on the Gray's Harbor.

Mrs. Frank Robertson of Baker City, Ore., and Mrs. H. J. Nichols and daughter of Chehalis are the guests this week of Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Robertson.

Mrs. Wallace, wife of Rev. Geo. Wallace who has been the guest for several weeks of Mr. and Mrs. I. M. Krutz, joined her husband here on Tuesday.

Mrs. A. B. Pearson and little daughter returned home on Wednesday night after a pleasant visit of ten weeks with her parents and other relatives in Pacific county.

Congressman Jones anticipates a visit from Congressman Cushman today, the latter gentleman having signified his intention of attending the sheepmen's meeting.

Mrs. Dr. Greene returned on Monday from Rochester, Wash., to which place she was called some weeks ago to attend the bedside of a sick brother. The unfortunate man died last week.

John Lynch came down the first of the week from the Lynch mine in the Cle-Elum district, where he has been engaged all summer with a force of men in driving a cross cut tunnel.

Mrs. O. M. Graves and son returned home Monday morning from St. Paul, where they have spent several months in visiting relatives. Mrs. Graves returns much improved in health.

Lester W. Haworth, formerly associate editor of the "Midnight Sun" at Dawson city, but more latterly of Juneau, Alaska, arrived on Saturday to do reportorial work on the Republic.

Mrs. D. W. Stair returned home Thursday night from her visit in the east.

Prof. Geo. H. Watt left for Pullman Thursday night to resume his position as a member of the faculty of the Agricultural college.

S. J. Lowe and Robert Blair returned home on Saturday feeling much refreshed by a weeks stay at the celebrated "Dewey" springs, which were christened a year ago by Gov. Lowe in honor of the great admiral.

D. E. Lesh is rejoicing over the arrival of a new boy in his family who first saw the light of day in Seattle last Sunday. The youngster has been christened Percy Lewis in honor of his maternal grandfather Ex-Senator Lewis of Seattle.

E. H. Libby, a former editor of the Republic was in the city on Tuesday from Vineland, Asotin county, where he has in recent years successfully financed a great irrigation enterprise. He states that Vineland now has a population of 1500.

J. H. Lewis and family arrived on Friday from Huron, South Dakota, where Mr. Lewis has been employed by the government as a draftsman. Mr. Lewis hopes that our mild climate will prove beneficial to his health, and will perhaps conclude to locate here permanently.

J. J. Macdonald feels supremely happy over the arrival on Saturday night of his wife and child from Portland. Mrs. Macdonald was accompanied by her sister Miss Mabel Johnstone, who will probably conclude to spend the winter here. The ladies will prove a valuable acquisition to Yakima Society.

Dr. D. M. Angus of Euclid, was the guest over Sunday of Mr. and Mrs. Vestal Snyder. The doctor feels highly satisfied with the result of his fruit harvest this year, his 5-year old Italian prune trees yielding him an average of \$1.75 per tree. That Dr. Angus appreciates a good thing when he sees it, is evidenced by the fact that he subscribed for THE DEMOCRAT while in town.

Rev. U. F. Hawk and family left on Thursday morning for The Dalles, to which place he was assigned by presiding Elder Warner at the recent conference in Spokane. Rev. Wood, his successor will arrive here next week. The retiring pastor is said to have preached a very vigorous and touching farewell sermon to a large congregation at the M. E. church last Sunday morning.

Prof. Asbury, who has been superintendent of the Indian school at Fort Simcoe for a number of years, left on Wednesday night for the Shoshone agency in northern Nevada, where he has been given an agency and a school superintendency combined. His family now in the east will join him at that point. His successor at Simcoe has not yet been announced.

Lute Jungst, who has been doing marine service as a "blue jacket" on board the Monitor "Monterey" since July '96 when he shipped at Tacoma, returned home on Monday night, having served his time and received an honorable discharge at Manila. The vessel arrived in Manila Bay in Aug. '98 being towed from San Francisco. Lute says that he enjoyed his experience in the navy but is satisfied to live ashore for a while now.

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Late General News.

Ex-secretary of War Alger has announced that he is out of the race for U. S. Senator from Michigan.

Chas. A. Pillsbury, the millionaire mill owner of Minneapolis, died suddenly in that city on the 15th from heart disease.

The anti-trust conference held at Chicago under the auspices of the Civic Federation adjourned sine die on the 16th.

The troops of the Transvaal Republic are said to be massing on the Natal frontier in waiting for a declaration of war upon England.

The Chinese government, through its ambassador at Washington, has protested against the order of Gen. Otis, excluding Chinese from Manila.

A race war between white and negro miners has broken out at Centerville, Ill. Six of the latter were killed in a pitched battle fought on the 15th.

A chair trust, comprising 85 per cent of the chair manufacturers of the country was organized at New York on the 15th, with a capital stock of ten million dollars.

Sixty-seven more survivors of the Edmonton trail reached Fort Wrangel last week. Most of the victims were in a pitiable condition from the effects of scurvy. They were transported to Seattle at the expense of the government.

Reception to the Washington Regiment.

The committee of citizens in charge of the reception of the Washington volunteers on their return from Manila have arranged a three days celebration in Seattle. A cablegram was received Saturday morning announcing the departure from Nagasaki, Japan, of the transport Pennsylvania on that day for San Francisco with the Washington boys on board. It is believed the voyage will be made in 23 or 24 days, bringing the troops to San Francisco about October 8. Allowing time for mustering out and a few more days for the voyage up the coast to Seattle, the regiment will arrive in Seattle in the neighborhood of October 22.

On the evening before the arrival of the regiment, Seattle will be illuminated all night so that the boys may know when they are many miles away that they are to receive a warm welcome. There will be band concerts on that evening at the parks and in Pioneer square.

The morning and the greater part of the third day will be given to leave taking with the volunteers who reside outside of Seattle. There will be another display of daylight fireworks, luncheon, and the special train to carry the boys home will depart while heavy guns fire a salute.

Governor Rogers, Washington's representatives in Congress and many prominent citizens will meet the boys in San Francisco and return with them to Seattle.

All the railroads will make rates so as to enable everybody to attend the celebration.

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State Fair Notes.

The state fair commission announced in previous issues that the "Metcalf premium," of \$15, overlooked in the premium list, would be given to boys and girls. It is now definitely settled that the boys and girls will have an opportunity to get the prizes and here they are. W. M. Metcalf, the dealer in paints and oils, will give \$5 for the first, and \$2.50 for the second best specimen of penmanship, by a boy under 18 years; and a similar prize for the first and second best exhibits of art needle work, by girl under 18. These prizes are to be given in merchandise, and gives the young folks a chance to secure some nice premiums.

Superintendent Richards and D. M. Shanks, manager of the Hazlewood Dairy company for this section, predict that there will be four times the number of stock on exhibition at the fair this year, of any previous season. As those men are in a position to know, and the secretary is assured so many additional entries, the commission has a force of men at work, erecting several new stalls, for the reception of stock. This exhibit will be the finest ever made in the northwest, and will comprise the best herds in Washington and Oregon.

Governor Rogers is expected to be in attendance at the fair and will deliver the annual address of welcome. It is not known definitely just what day he will be here, as he is awaiting the news about the arrival of the Washington volunteers, at San Francisco, when he will go there to meet our troops and welcome them home again.

Entries in the poultry department are coming in very fast, from all points, and this division of the fair will be well represented. Several carloads of horses, cattle, sheep and hogs will be here from the Oregon fair. Spokane exhibitors are coming with good displays. Seattle and Tacoma will send several hundred people and numerous exhibitors. The famous Tacoma Military band will be here next Sunday, and give daily parades through the city, playing every afternoon on the fair grounds.

A Narrow Escape.

Thankful words written by Mrs. Ada E. Hart, of Groton, S. D., "Was taken with a bad cold which settled on my lungs; cough set in and finally terminated in consumption. Four doctors gave me up, saying I could live but a short time. I gave myself up to my Savior, determined if I could not stay with my friends on earth, I would meet my absent ones above. My husband was advised to get Dr. King's New Discovery for consumption, coughs and colds. I gave it a trial, took in all eight bottles. It has cured me, and thank God, I am saved and now a well and hearty woman." Trial bottles free at Louis O. Janek's drug store. Regular size 50c and \$1. Guaranteed or price refunded.

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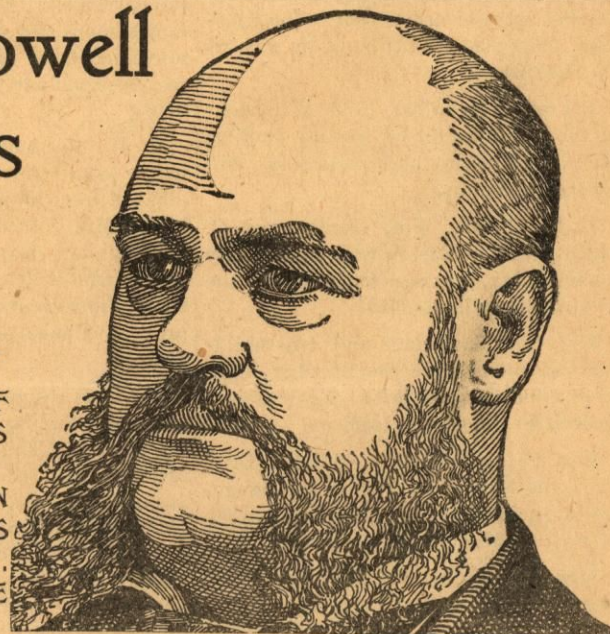
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The Philippine Question.

The mistaken idea of patriotism entertained by those who support and try to vindicate the government policy in the retention of the Philippine islands, against the wishes of the citizens of that country, certainly partakes more of a selfish consideration than love of country. As a citizen of this country I allow no man to outdo me in admiration for our institutions, and I believe I am capable of making as much sacrifice for my country as the average citizen. But the hypothesis that a man must vindicate his country, right or wrong will never receive my sanction. And although I may be forced to denounce my country for her encroachment on the rights of man, it is not that I love my country less, but liberty more. As a business proposition whether it would be profitable for this government to force the citizens of that country into submission I do not know—neither do I care to consider it from that standpoint. It might pay me in a pecuniary sense to rob my neighbor of all his goods had I the power and immunity from arrest in doing so, but it would not be right for me to do it. I claim the analogy because I hear so many say that we have a right to those islands because they are valuable and it would be greatly to our advantage to possess them. In fact it is about the only reason that most people give in support of the policy of holding them. Evidently their motto is, "Get all you can and hold what you get." This might do as a cold business proposition, ignoring justice and right, but I hope the people of this country will prove themselves too cosmopolitan in their ideas of liberty to take so selfish a view in considering the question. As a people we have been educated to love liberty and I hope we are lovers of humanity as well.

That these people are devoutly attached to their country is proven by their brave resistance to their enemies, and in my opinion it proves them worthy of a self-constituted government. I believe a people so valiant in defense of liberty is intelligent and capable enough to appreciate and defend a liberal government. It is certainly a crucial test and they have stood the ordeal well, and a brave people should scorn to say less.

There is another consideration that makes our government peculiarly responsible in this matter. We claim to be the champions of popular government. Our country is an asylum for the oppressed. We have proclaimed all men equal, which employs equal rights, the right to life, and the pursuit of happiness. Yet today we stand alone before a surprised world in our attempt to quench the first sparks of liberty and to smother the noble aspirations of a people engaged in the first attempt that has ever been made in the Orient to establish popular government. Certainly a very unnatural thing for us to do. We should, as lovers of humanity, consider the question from a higher plane and appeal to a higher law, recognizing our responsibility to the world and to a just God that will judge nations as well as individuals. Can we stand before such a tribunal in justification of our recent acts? Have we not been guilty of duplicity in dealing with these people? We gladly accepted their aid in our operations before Manila and they willingly gave it, believing us to be their friends. They appealed to their people to trust us, the friends of the oppressed, the friends of the popular government. Have we fulfilled their reasonable expectations? I think not.—Correspondent Roseburg (Or) Review.

A Daughter Worth Having.

"By gol, I dunno," said Uncle Jayson, "whether I agree to all the things you say against these here new styles or not. There's some of 'em that purty much foolisness, but they ain't all. I'm actually goin' to save money on account of the style this year. My daughter Lizzie's just made herself one of them golf skirts out of a boss blanket that I used all last winter, and it's so stylish lookin' that the folks around here have got to thinkin' I must have made a big raise some way to afford such luxuries." Chicago Times-Herald.

Spain's Greatest Need.

Mr. R. P. Olivia, of Barcelona, Spain, spends his winters at Aiken, S. C. Weak nerves had caused severe pains in the back of his head. On using Electric Bitters, America's greatest blood and nerve remedy, all pains soon left him. He says this grand medicine is what his country needs. All America knows that it cures liver and kidney trouble, purifies the blood, tones up the stomach, strengthens the nerves, puts vim, vigor and new life into every muscle, nerve and organ of body. If weak, tired or ailing you need it. Every bottle guaranteed, only 50 cents. Sold by Louis O. Janeck, druggist.

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Ordinance No. 286.

An ordinance making it unlawful for any person, or persons, to throw, scatter or place any paper, hand-bills, dodger, gutter snipes or paper of whatever kind or character, in any street or alley, or upon any sidewalk, within the city limits of the City of North Yakima, Washington.

The City Council of the City of North Yakima do ordain as follows:

Sec. 1. That it shall be unlawful for any person, or persons, to throw, scatter or place any paper, hand-bill, dodger, gutter snipe, or paper of whatever kind or character in any street or alley, or upon any sidewalk, within the city limits of the city of North Yakima.

Sec. 2. Any person violating the preceding section, shall upon conviction thereof be punished by a fine not exceeding Ten Dollars and costs of prosecution, and may be imprisoned until such fine and costs are paid, or until discharged by due process of law.

Sec. 3. That all ordinances and parts of ordinances insofar as they conflict herewith are hereby repealed.

Passed the Council September 18, 1899.

Approved September 18, 1899.
O. A. FECHTER, Mayor
Attest:—
H. B. DOUST, City Clerk.

RESOLUTION.

Be it resolved by the city council of the city of North Yakima that said city intends and hereby declares its intention to improve Third street in said city by the construction of a sidewalk along the west side of said street between the southeast corner of lot No. 46 and the southeast corner of lot No. 7, in and of block No. 42, being along and in front of lots No. 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, and 6, in block No. 42, lots 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, and 8 in block No. 43, lots 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, and 8 in block No. 45, lots 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, and 8 in block No. 46, all of said lots and lands being in accordance with the plat of said city, now on file in the office of the county auditor of Yakima county, Washington.

Said sidewalk to be 8 feet in width in front of blocks No. 45 and 46, and to be six feet in width in front of blocks No. 42, 43 and that portion of block No. 42 above mentioned; all of said sidewalk to be laid with planks two inches thick, eight inches wide, 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 and hereinbefore 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 good number one common fir lumber.

That the estimated cost of said improvement is \$500; that the cost of the same is to be assessed against the property abutting on said sidewalk and included within the following assessment district, to-wit: Lots 1, 2, 3, 4, 5 and 6, block No. 42; lots 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7 and 8 in block No. 42; lots 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7 and 8 in block No. 44; lots 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7 and 8 in block No. 45; lots 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7 and 8 in block No. 46. All of said lots and lands being in accordance with the plat of said city of North Yakima.

That protests against said proposed improvement may be filed in the office of the city clerk of said city of North Yakima at any time before the 16th day of October, 1899.

That the city clerk give due and legal notice of said proposed improvement.

Passed the council September 18, 1899.
Approved September 19, 1899.
Attest:—
O. A. FECHTER, Mayor.
H. B. DOUST, City Clerk. 1-2t

Notice of Dissolution of Partnership.

The firm heretofore existing under the name and style of Hansen & Probach, doing business in the city of North Yakima, county of Yakima, state of Washington, is this day dissolved by Mutual consent.

Mr. M. Hansen is authorized to collect all bills owing to said firm and will pay all debts owed by the same.

Dated this 14th day of September, A. D. 1899.
P. PROBACH,
M. HANSEN.

Notice to Contractors.

Notice is hereby given that the city of North Yakima will let a contract for the grading of Ahtanum Avenue between West D street and Spruce street in said city, all of said streets and avenues being in accordance with the plat of said city now on file and of record in the office of the county auditor of Yakima county, Washington, said avenue to be graded to a uniform grade by using the dirt material to be found on said Yakima avenue.

Plans and specifications can be seen at the office of the City Clerk of said city.

Sealed proposals for the contract for the above improvement will be received by the city clerk up to the time the bids are opened on the 2d day of October, 1899, at 7:30 o'clock p. m.

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

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

The city council reserves the right to reject any and all bids.
Dated at North Yakima, Wash., September 5, 1899.
H. B. DOUST, City Clerk. 52-2t [SEAL]

Notice to Contractors.

Notice is hereby given that the city of North Yakima will let a contract for the grading of Yakima avenue from the west side of the Northern Pacific Railway Company's railroad where said railway crosses said avenue to Kittitas avenue, in said city; all of said streets and avenues being in accordance with the plat of said city now on file and of record in the office of the county auditor of Yakima county, Washington, said avenue to be graded to a uniform grade by using the dirt material to be found on the said Ahtanum avenue.

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Dated at North Yakima, Wash., this 15th day of September, 1899.
H. B. DOUST, City Clerk. 52-2t [SEAL]

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Two More Fatalities.

Two more victims of accident on the N. P. Railroad are to be recorded this week, the first occurring on Monday afternoon and the other on Wednesday evening. Both of the unfortunates were Italian laborers who had been employed by the company in the ballasting gang which is working south of town. The first victim was V. Guillon, a comparatively young man who met his death by being thrown from a gravel car by a sudden jerking of the train. The wheels passing over his limbs mutilated him so badly that Dr. Gunn, the company physician seeing that the man must die merely administered anaesthetics to kill the pain. The poor fellow died at the hospital the same evening at 9 o'clock. The funeral which was held on Wednesday forenoon was attended by all the countrymen of the deceased. The balance of the day was consumed by a portion of the party in consoling themselves over the "flowing bowl" for the loss of their comrade.

Among the crowd was Philip Shurman, a man about 50 years of age who had the misfortune of being somewhat hard of hearing. Shurman started to walk down the track to the camp below town a little after dark, he failed to see or hear the work train engine behind him until it bore down upon him. The mangled remains of the poor wretch were picked up in sections by the train men and hauled to Lombard & Horsley's morgue. The remains were buried on the following day. The coronor on learning the facts deemed an inquest unnecessary. The deceased leaves a wife and five children in Sunny Italy.

The Hop Outlook.

There is but little new in the hop situation this week. Owing to the fine weather, which growers are making the most of, picking is progressing very satisfactorily. Most of the yards will probably be finished next week. There seems to be an ample supply of pickers, although the Indians are not so numerous as last year. All growers seem to agree that the quality of the hops will be much better than last year, while the yield will probably be a little less.

As for the market there is as yet absolutely no sales being made. The buyers maintain that the big harvests in England and Germany will fix a low standard of prices, while the growers regard such talk as largely "bluff" made for the purpose of bearing the market. Besides the latter maintain that the short American crop with an increased domestic demand, will surely stiffen the price.

Nothing Like It.

In these days when the cares and worries of business find relaxation in an evening's rational amusement at the theater, the lighter forms thereof seem to attract greater attention—a good song well sung, a dramatic skit, and a dance and other special features giving the most pleasure. This form of entertainment may be found at its best in the new review "Vanity Fair," which is to be at the opera house on Monday, Sept. 25, for one night. Prices, reserved seats 75c, gallery 50c. and 25c.

Chas. Reeder, a son of J. F. Reeder of this city was adjudged insane by court Commissioner E. B. Preble on Friday and was taken to Medical Lake last night by Sheriff Tucker. The young man had only been released from that institution as cured a few months ago. The complaint was made by his parents who were fearful of personal violence at his hands.

Rev. George Wallace will preach at the Methodist church next Sunday at 11 o'clock a. m. Subject: "Rays of Light in Religious principles. The readers of this paper are invited to be present.

WANTED—A good live subscription canvasser. Good money in it. For further particulars inquire at this office.

J. J. Macdonald expects to move his store into the Dudley block next week.

Additional Personals.

Miss May Pettit is ill with Malarial fever.

S. J. Cameron returned on Friday from Republic.

Attorney Parker returned from the Sound Thursday night.

Attorney Vestal Snyder left for the Sound Friday morning on legal business.

Mesdames Myers and Dolan of Prosser were guests of the Bartholet on Friday.

Miss Lettie Kingsbury returned home Thursday night from her visit to Cle-Elum.

J. W. Spahr expects to leave next Tuesday night for a visit to his old home at Forrest, Ohio.

Mrs. C. Carmichael and family returned this week from California to their home in Yakima City.

Mrs. M. A. Murchie and son arrived from The Dalles the first of the week and will make their home in this city.

Fred Pennington of Stillwater, Minn, arrived here on Wednesday and will remain for several days. Mr. Pennington is president of the Yakima Hardware Co.

Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Barge on Friday morning, welcomed their daughter, Mrs. Dr. C. I. Everle and her two sons of Webster city, Iowa who will doubtless remain for some time.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Thompson of Baraboo, Wis, arrived on Friday morning for a visit with their old friends, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Peck. They have come west to find a home and will it is hoped conclude to remain here.

Fair Commissioner Matt Bartholet and Editor Robertson of the Republic, left on Thursday for the Sound, for the purpose of closing up the arrangements for the grand excursion from Seattle and Tacoma to the state fair.

A Great Treat in Store.

The Tacoma Military band which has been engaged to furnish the music for the state fair has concluded to add to the gaiety of the occasion next week by giving a grand ball each evening during next week at Switzers opera house. The program of entertainment will be varied by the rendition of popular and classical selections by the band. An especially interesting program has been arranged for Monday evening.

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