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OUR esteemed contemporary the Republic last week published a learned dissertation on trusts and gave to the world some new ideas concerning those "monsters of frightful and hideous mien" that the P. I. and the Oregonian have been so persistently picturing in their columns of late. The Republic assures us, however, that the people have been unduly alarmed and we are mighty glad to be thus assured. The Colonel, after making a deep study of the question concludes that "the organization of trusts does not necessarily mean large profits for their promoters or oppression for the consumers." No, it does not necessarily mean an increase of price; but it invariably does in practice, where a trust secures anything like a monopoly of a certain product. And again "the trust cannot possibly eliminate competition, except, as may happen in rare instances, that it controls a natural monopoly and the rule that exorbitant prices are fatal to large profits will have few exceptions." What astounding statements to make to readers of intelligence. If a trust, then, cannot regulate and eliminate competition in its product, what under the heavens is a trust formed for? There is no horseplay about the workings of a trust. It works on the same principle as a gigantic machine or devil-fish with tentacles every where. Even the schoolboys of the present generation know, or ought to know, that the very nature of a trust means death to competition, not necessarily all at once but gradually and surely will the powerful combinations absorb the weaker ones or else mercilessly crush them. What foolhardiness it would be for an individual or a company with limited capital to buck the sugar trust or the Consolidated baking powder Co., or any of the other numerous monsters that are organized to crush competition that they may afterward fleece the public. Trusts are no longer an experiment in this country, as the Republic seems to think. They have passed that stage and have become a fixed institution, unless the people shall rise in their might and choke them to death before it becomes too late. Cannot

our brother of the Republic realize that conditions are fast becoming such in this country that the children born into the world in this last decade of the 19th century will be but little better than slaves in the next century? Does he want all the avenues of trade that ought to be always open to an American citizen blocked to his own children? And lastly has not Editor Robertson observed the workings of that hideous creature the paper trust during the past year, during which time it has raised the price of the white paper on which he prints his effusions on trusts, nearly fifty per cent? Let us down easy next time, Colonel!

THE Vancouver Register claims to be the first paper to agitate the movement for the new democracy in this state. Oh pshaw, brother; your zeal in the cause is very commendable but you are claiming something now that you are clearly not entitled to. In its issue of Nov. 12th, 1898, the first after the overwhelming defeat of the fusion party The Epigram the predecessor of THE DEMOCRAT said: "If there is one lesson made plain by the late election, it is that the populist party organization in this state is slowly but surely dying. That party has served its purpose as an agitator and educator and is passing away to give place to the rejuvenated democracy. This is the party, as we have always believed, that is destined to grapple with and overcome the party of gold and organized greed. Soon, we believe, the best elements of the three wings of the old fusion party in this state will come together as the democratic party on the basis of the Chicago platform and march to victory in 1900 under that splendid banner. The Epigram will henceforth use its best efforts to bring about the desired result. Fusion is dead. All hail the new democracy." While the other reform papers of the state were either lost in the bewilderment of defeat or idly mourning over the lifeless remains of fusion, this paper was planted upon solid ground and holding aloft the banner of the new democracy. The following week a number of recruits rallied around the new standard and they have been coming ever since and they are going to keep coming until from a modest beginning the organization is swelled into a mighty well drilled army, fit to cope successfully with the seasoned veterans of imperialism and plutocracy which they must necessarily meet again on the political battlefield in 1900.

REGULARLY every spring the wail goes up from some people in this valley that the peach crop is killed, in spite of which

cry we have scarcely ever failed any year to have an abundance. This will doubtless be the case again this year. Yakima will have plenty of fruit to sell in all lines except possibly cherries and apricots. Reports that have been sent out from here under scareheads that the crop was seriously damaged are not only misleading but untrue and are calculated to do this locality an injury all over the state that is wholly undeserved and uncalled for.

OUR old friends the sheepmen used to be fond of saying during the panicky days of Grover when wool was on the free list that "we don't dare to look a sheep in the face now at shearing time." We are inclined to wonder what their feelings toward the poor sheep are now, when wool is worth only about eight cents on this market, although protected by the beneficent Dingley tariff to the extent of 12 cents a pound. The owners of flocks must perforce feel so deeply for the poor sheep that they will of necessity be obliged this year to remove the fleece by beginning the operation of shearing at the other end of the animal.

WHEN we read in the press dispatches of the capture by American troops in the Philippines of pianos, organs, carpets and a lot of other such paraphernalia, we all necessarily stop and wonder what on earth those wild, man eating savages, the Filipinos, could have been doing with these accompaniments of civilization.

CZAR Reed seems to be undecided whether to go to New York or not. He had better take that \$50,000 a year, for he will never earn that magnificent income in the White House. His title as Czar is liable to be stripped from him. Private life has been yearning for Reed these many years.

THE subscription price of THE DEMOCRAT will be \$1 per year on and after May 1st. We have no excuses to offer for advancing the price as our patrons unanimously concede that we are entitled to it. The paper, however, will be enlarged during the coming month.

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# WASHINGTON LETTER.

(From Our Regular Correspondent.)

WASHINGTON, APRIL 21, 1899.

The McKinleyites are jubilant because their bluff intended to drive Czar Reed out of congress has succeeded, and Reed has accepted an offer to join a New York law firm. This means a new deal all around in the house and a general shaking up of the desirable chairmanships, many of which were held in the last house by men who were no more subservient to the administration than Reed himself was. All this will be changed in the organization of the present house, if present plans of the administration can be carried out, and no man will get anything desirable in the way of a chairmanship who does not wear the McKinley collar. There are about a dozen republicans who consider themselves candidates for Speaker of the house; but they are wasting their time. The speaker and all the important chairmanships of committees will be selected by Boss Hanna and Mr. McKinley and all the republican caucus will have to do will be to ratify the selections. There will, of course, be republican objection to this programme, but without a stronger leadership than it is likely to have, it will not be able to change it. A friend of Mr. Reed says that he intends as a farewell shot at the administration to take a hand in the election of his successor. If he only would, there would be a lively escap, but as his law firm is to make a specialty of corporation practice his partners will doubtless be able to convince him that he cannot afford to offend such an influential corporation magnate as Mark Hanna.

The talk about deposing Chairman Jones of the democratic national committee because of his extreme silver views is tommyrot of the worst kind. Chairman Jones has represented a majority of the committee, and still does; but his health is in such a condition—he is now at Atlantic City, slowly recovering from his recent serious illness—that his physicians have told him that it will be risking death for him to attempt to do the amount of work he had been doing up to the time he was taken sick. This being the situation, Senator Jones' retirement from the position of chairman of the committee was easy to predict, but it was very small business to try to make it appear that he was to be forced out because he was not this or that, and is calculated to cause a man like Senator Jones to take the bit in his teeth, regardless of his health or the orders of the doctors, and retain the chairmanship until the democratic candidate for President, in accordance with custom, names his successor. Should Senator Jones die under the strain, those who originated the stories mentioned would be as surley murderers as though they had administered poison to him.

Hon. Bartlett Tripp, the American member of the Samoan commission, which will leave San Francisco next week, on the auxiliary cruiser Badger, doesn't regard the trip as anything more than a pleasant summer excursion. He said before leaving Washington: "I do not believe it will take any extended period for the representatives of the three governments interested to agree on some policy that will be satisfactory to all. There are no insurmountable difficulties in the way of an understanding that will protect everybody. It isn't as though the mastery of a continent was involved; the comparative smallness of the interests at Apia is a pretty sure guaranty against trouble of a serious sort." There is more interest in the re-

sult of the commission's investigation of the charge that German treachery was responsible for the ambuscading of American and English marines than in anything else it has to do. Nobody seems to care a continental what the commission does about the government of the Samoan islands.

A sharp reprimand to the military censor at Manila was sent by the War Department, because he allowed the remarks of Gen. Lawton about 100,000 men being needed in the Philippines to be cabled to this country; it is said that Gen. Shafter also got a hint from the same source that he was doing too much talking about his belief that it would be necessary to kill off half of the Filipinos before we could keep peace on the islands.

Mr. McKinley has decided that it would be bad politics to call for more volunteers to be sent to the Philippines, and has ordered that the volunteers now over there shall be sent home as fast as vessels to bring them are available. Regulars will be sent to take their places, as it is not considered safe to reduce the number of men under command of Otis, even during the rainy season, soon to begin.

There was quite a shock in Washington when Admiral Dewey reported that Lieut. Gilmore and 14 of the crew of the Yorktown had been, while away from the ship on a launch, either killed or captured by the Filipinos. Washington is Lieut. Gilmore's home.

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Turkeys, live	10c

### GRAIN.

Wheat, blue stem	51
Wheat, club	48
Oats, per ton, new	\$23 00
Barley, per ton	\$22 00
Corn, per bu	55
Flour, Puritan, per sack	85
Blue Bell, per sack	80
Flour, 3x Baker, per sack	75
Whole wheat flour	85
Hay, Timothy, baled, per ton	\$9 00@10 00
Hay, Alfalfa, per ton	\$5 00
Hay, Clover, per ton	\$7 00

### PRODUCE.

Butter, ranch, per roll	40c
Butter, creamery, per roll	50c
Cheese, native	15c
Eggs, per doz	15c
Wool, per lb	9@10c
Chilage	2 1/2c
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# State Press Comment.

The republican papers have had Bryan dead and buried politically for nearly three years, and yet they are still devoting more space to him in both their editorial and news columns than to any other man in the United States.—Cheney Free Press.

Ex-Senator Quay was acquitted of the charge of embezzling the funds of the state of Pennsylvania yesterday, and appointed by the governor of his state as senator on the same day. Truly, the way of the transgressor is—dead easy.—Seattle Review.

The News is of the opinion that a great many leading populists in this state are going into the democratic party. They are coming of their own free will, realizing that their party can do nothing alone. Fusion is dead and buried, and now a reunited democracy will arise. It will be a power and sweep the opposition in every quarter.—Centralia News.

Here's a marriage notice that appeared in a North Dakota paper, recently, and to say the least it is pretty rocky: "Married, at Flintstone, by Rev. Windstone, Mehemiah Whitestone and Wilhelm Sandstone, both of Limestone." Yes, and it is safe to say that the editor who first got off this joke will some day swelte in brimstone.—Ex.

Notwithstanding the fact that the supreme court declared the exemption law unconstitutional, the last legislature passed another exemption law, and the county officials of the various counties are proceeding to carry it out regardless of the decision. The republicans evidently know it was a purely partisan decision and only made to apply to the pops.—Everett News.

The so-called democratic club of New York City must not be confounded with Tammany Hall. The former is an aristocratic institution controlled by millionaires who claim to be made of better clay than are common democrats. Tammany Hall is an organization having a constituency. The club is a self-constituted body having no constituency, but the men composing it are of that class who think that the Lord ought to be proud to know them as His sons.—Aberdeen Herald.

The editor of a Kansas paper states that he picked up a Winchester rifle one day recently and started down the street to deliver the weapon to the owner. The delinquent subscribers got it into their heads that he was on the war path and every one he met insisted on paying what they owed him. One man wiped out a debt of ten years' standing. On his return to the office he found a load of hay, fifteen bushels of corn, ten bushels of potatoes, a load of wood and a barrel of turnips that had been brought in. The editor tried this in Centralia but not a man came to time.—Centralia News.

The 8000 homes in Multnomah county that the Oregonian has advertised for sheriff's sale in its editions of April 3rd, 10th and 16th is a monument erected by the republican party in sacred memory of prosperity. The Oregonian will probably explain that these workingmen lost their homes by extravagant living. They probably used butter for their bread, which expense could have been avoided. Some persisted in having shoes for their children. After the election of 1900, if it should result in Hanna's re-election, the Oregonian will advise the working people to eat camas if they want to prosper.—Vancouver Register.

The committee of congressmen empowered to prepare a currency bill for

presentation at the next session are in consultation at an eastern watering place. They will not report any radical measure. As Representative Walker said: "There is more dynamite in the attempt to reform the currency by retiring greenbacks than in any other political question. The time to do it is after the next presidential election, not before it." That is the program. Just enough legislation to enable the party to claim that it has adhered to its platform promise. If it re-elects the president and has a secure hold in congress, then is the time it will knock out the government notes and provide for notes based on wind.—Tacoma News.

The New York World publishes a broadside containing the names of over five hundred millionaires of that city who have never been heard of as rich men. The list is interesting to the Boston Herald as showing what comparatively small potatoes millionaires are nowadays, especially in our gerat centers of population. It is only the multi-millionaires who count in these times of rapidly accumulating wealth.—Whatcom Blade.

## TRUTH ABOUT PHILIPPINES.

In a letter to Hon. Clark Davis, dated "In the Trenches" near Manila, March 7th, an officer of the Washington volunteers makes statements which confirm anti-imperialistic claims in the following particulars: The Philippine Islands are unsuited to the residence of white colonists, as regards climate and labor; the large majority of the American soldiers now there oppose annexation; contrary to censored press reports, as many as 20 per cent of the American army have been on the sick list at one time. The officer says:

"The tropics have a beauty all their own, and would be an ideal place of residence for one who has plenty of money and nothing to do but dream his life away. But as a new found land which may be colonized by American homeseekers, I believe the Philippines would be a great failure. American farmers and artisans cannot and will not live in this country. A white man cannot do hard work in this climate; nor are there any openings for poor men. Both skilled and unskilled labor can be hired from the natives at very cheap wages, and the great industries of the country are now, or will be, in the hands of great corporations, who will employ only native labor. Probably nine-tenths of the volunteers here, officers and men, are against expansion. But the volunteer army is a unit on one thing, and this is its desire to get away from this country and back to the states. I think that is a pretty good refutation of the idea that Americans will live in this country. For one thing, it is very unhealthy in the lowlands, and as high as one-fifth of the entire army has been on the sick list at one time."—Seattle Herald.

## Glorious News

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## PERSONAL

Nick McCoy has returned from Victoria.

Mrs. Frank Horsley is ill with la-grippe.

J. C. Lloyd, of Ellensburg, was in the city Monday.

Tom and Bent Goodwin have moved to Roza station.

P. B. Kelsey left for Lewiston, Idaho, Saturday night.

A. F. Snelling has been on the sick list for two weeks.

Doc Current and family are over from Tacoma this week.

Dr. Wilgus, of Fort Simcoe, was a city visitor on Wednesday.

L. L. Thorpe left on Thursday for a business visit to Seattle.

J. M. Taylor grand lecturer of the Masonic order is in the city.

Attorney Belden, of Spokane, has been attending court this week.

I. M. Krutz was a Cleelum visitor last Saturday on legal business.

Register Reed, of the Land office visited Ellensburg on Thursday.

Miss Mamie Ward left on Wednesday for a visit to friends at Mabton.

A. B. Flint returned from an extended visit to his Mabton ranch on Monday.

Alex Miller left on a business trip to Sound points and Portland on Wednesday.

Frank Cory arrived on Monday from Vancouver to testify in the Lillie-Shaw case.

Richard Strobach entertained his parents from Spokane during the first of the week.

C. M. Gilman and wife are in from the fort this week looking after their boy at the hospital.

C. L. Whitney, president of the Walla Walla Exposition company, was in the city on Saturday.

W. H. Leaver and family have arrived from San Diego, Cal., and rented the Simmons residence.

Auditor Kelso issued a marriage license on the 24th, to John Gray and Miss Elizabeth Bowington.

E. W. R. Taylor who has the honor of being the first mayor of Prosser was in the city on Thursday.

Frank McCandless, of Ellensburg, was in town Saturday. He recently returned from a trip to Honolulu.

The marriage of C. R. Donovan and Miss Anna Ditter is announced to take place on Tuesday, May 2nd.

Mrs. Wilmarth, of Portland, arrived on Wednesday to visit at the home of W. L. Stabler in the Ahtanum.

Judge Davidson and Attorney Graves returned home to Ellensburg on Thursday after the adjournment of court.

K. C. Johnson, the head clerk of MacDonald's dry goods store, while horse back riding on Sunday, met with a painful accident which necessitates carrying his arm in a sling.

The "Mikado" under the direction of Prof. Conolly was repeated at the opera house on Saturday evening for the benefit of the sisters hospital. A large audience was in attendance.

Attorney Englehart left for Tacoma on Friday.

Frank Cory returned to Vancouver on Friday to accept a position as carpenter at the army post.

Prosecuting Attorney Kane and J. N. Turner, of Walla Walla, were in attendance on the superior court this week.

Judge J. R. Lewis, who has been looking after his interests here for several days left for the sound on Wednesday.

Mrs. N. J. Durgan, who has been visiting her son Lot, here for several weeks, returned to her home in Ellensburg on Wednesday.

Charlie Wenner on Tuesday purchased a half interest in the store of Moore & Moore. The new firm will be known as Moore & Wenner.

W. P. Guthrie has declined the office of councilman from the third ward and the council will have to find another victim at its next meeting.

Gov. Rogers has appointed Ex-Mayor A. V. Fawcett, of Tacoma, state fair commissioner in place of Drumheller, of Walla Walla, who declined.

L. R. Freeman, a former prominent citizen of this city, but now a traveling representative of the Ranch and Range, was doing the town this week.

Mrs. Ed Kreutzman, who has been in Yakima for several weeks visiting friends and looking after her property, returned to her home at Anaconda, Montana, Saturday night.

C. E. Lum and wife returned home from Clinton, Iowa, on Tuesday, where they had been to attend the funeral of Mr. Lum's parents who were killed some weeks ago near there while attempting to cross a railroad track in advance of a train.

### Church Notices.

Preachers' alliance will meet on Monday afternoon at 2 o'clock at the home of Rev. Thompson. A paper on an interesting topic will be read by Mr. Thompson. All preachers of North Yakima and vicinity are urged to be present.

Regular preaching services at the Christian church on Lords Day, conducted by the pastor Rev. Ira W. Kimmel. Song service. All invited.

The W. C. T. U. will serve ice cream and cake Monday evening, May 10, next door to James' photograph gallery. Ice cream and cake only 10 cents. Everybody welcome.

Miss Emma Page, the blind W. C. T. U. lecturer, will appear at the Christian church next Wednesday evening, May 3. Miss page lectured in North Yakima three years ago, and no doubt will be greeted by a large audience.

### Notice to Horsemen.

The standard bred Printer-Rifleman stallion, Dexter, will make the season of 1899 on the Durgan farm, on the Ahtanum. Dexter is a beautiful dark bay animal, 16½ hands high; weight 1450. Fee, \$10. LOT DURGAN.

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## Local News

The railroad company has moved its steam shovel up from Prosser.

Marshal Grant nabbed several more hoboes this week and gave them employment on the streets.

The Modern Woodmen at their regular meeting on Tuesday evening admitted six candidates to membership.

Three new members joined the Commercial Club Saturday evening. The club now has a membership of 119.

An immense elk hide has been on exhibition this week at the North Yakima furniture store that has attracted general attention.

John L. Sullivan, the ex-pugilist, is playing a vadeville company this week in Seattle. Sullivan's old enemy, Jake Kilrain, is a member of the aggregation.

THE DEMOCRAT erred last week in stating that Lieut. Southern of Co. H had been killed by the Filipinos. The young man instead of being killed received a severe wound in the forearm which is not regarded as serious.

Before adjourning court on Thursday Judge Davidson sentenced Foy, the colored man who plead guilty of stealing chickens, to 18 months in the penitentiary. Shultz who was convicted of burglarizing Nelson Rich's store at Prosser received the same sentence.

Ditter Bros. began the work of excavation for their new building on the avenue on Monday, as did also A. E. Larson for his one story brick building which he will erect on the vacant lot adjoining the Pressey Feed store building which he recently purchased.

One noticeable feature of the influx of settlers into the Sunnyside country this season is the return of several families who had settled there previously and who had become discouraged during the hard times and had moved away, only to return again this spring and start in anew.

P. Lynch Garrett, in a letter from Manila to Henry Hewitt, Jr., of Tacoma, stated that he had been in the hospital there for two months with appendicitis and would have to undergo an operation. —Everett News.

The above mentioned gentleman will be remembered by many Yakima people. He was secretary of the Republican Central Committee here in 1894.

Mrs. Mary A. Harris, the aged mother of C. R. Harris, was taken before Court Commissioner Preble on Saturday and after an examination by physicians was pronounced insane. The unfortunate woman was taken by Sheriff Tucker to Medical Lake on Sunday. Since the loss of her venerable husband in December, her mind has slowly been giving way, until finally for her protection her son was obliged to request that she be placed under restraint.

Yakima people returning from Spokane report that a good deal of tall lying is being done in that town concerning this valley. Eastern people looking for homes are informed by Spokane dealers in gravel that "irrigation in Yakima is a failure. That our fruit crop is ruined and that potatoes cannot be grown here" and other stories equally as silly. The innocent tenderfoot generally swallows these stories, it is said, and is prevailed on to remain near Spokane.

The boys are telling a good story at the expense of Robert Crory in his role of a hotel runner.

The present spring has been on the whole a very unsatisfactory one for local sheepmen. On account of the cold and backward spring the season's lambing has resulted in a much heavier loss than usual. The lack of grass too, keeps the flocks in poor condition.

The local lodge of Odd Fellows appropriately celebrated the 81st anniversary of the foundation of their order at their hall on Wednesday evening. A musical and literary program was rendered, the feature of the exercises being the address of Elder Kimmel on the principles of the order.

Negotiations are said to be pending for the sale of the Blue Bell mine at Gold Hill which is owned principally by Tom Fife, to Spokane parties representing an English syndicate. The consideration, which is a large one is not yet made public. This will be good news for the people of Yakima who understand the great possibilities of the Blue Bell. The new owners will it is said begin extensive development work this season.

THE DEMOCRAT man received the information this week through a source which we are not at liberty to divulge, that it is the sure enough intention of an alleged independent company of eastern and Portland capitalists to begin the construction this season of a line of road, either from Portland or some point on the Columbia river into the Yakima valley and from here it is said that the road will probably be built via Priest Rapids into the Big Bend country, with a northern terminus, either at Spokane or Republic.

A search warrant was sworn out on Saturday by Frank Wheeler, the Fruitvale rancher, in order to inspect the personal effects of his Chinese cook, whom he and his wife suspected of stealing a quantity of their personal effects. Deputy Sheriff Sindall went through the Chinaman's goods and succeeded in finding a number of trifling articles of wearing apparel belonging to the lady of the house safely cached away among John's belongings. As the total value of the stolen articles did not exceed more than a couple of dollars the case was not prosecuted and the erring celestial was allowed to go his way rejoicing.

The special meeting of the Commercial Club which was held on the evening of the 21st, to consider the proposition of the removal of the club's quarters to the Ditter building, was largely attended. After the question had been argued in all its bearings a vote was taken which resulted in an overwhelming majority for removal. The board of trustees were instructed to enter into a five year lease with Ditter Bros. for the use of the upper floor of their building at a rental of \$30 per month. The removal committee consisting of Messers Miller, Hough and Weed were instructed to continue to act as the representatives of the club in planning the new quarters.

### Notice to Contractors.

Bids will be received by the undersigned up to May 15th for the construction of a stone building. Plans and specifications are now ready.

I reserve the right to reject any or all bids.

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in all styles; plain and fancy buckles.

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First Street, North Yakima.



## Cream of the Telegraph

Representative Baird, of Louisiana, died suddenly at Washington on the 23rd.

The Battleship Iowa will leave San Francisco for Puget sound about May 15th.

The new dry kiln and two warehouses of the St. Paul & Tacoma Lumber Co. at Tacoma were destroyed by fire on the 23rd.

It is announced that a German American Co. will soon commence laying a new Atlantic cable between Hamburg and New York.

A reign of terror is said to exist in the vicinity of Palmetto, Georgia, owing to recent lynchings of negroes accused of crimes against women.

Gov. Tunnell, of Delaware, has refused to follow the example of the governor of Pennsylvania in appointing a senator to fill the vacancy from that state.

Extensive damage has been done by high water in the Missouri river valley. The river has registered higher than has been the case before for 18 years.

A cyclone that swept down on Kirksville, Mo., on the 27th, is reported to have killed at least 30 people and to have severely injured as many more.

By the explosion of 75 gallons of benzine in a Philadelphia chewing gum factory on the 25th, two men were killed and over 20 others seriously injured.

In an engagement with the Filipinos on the 23rd, the American loss was 7 killed and 44 wounded. Col. Statsonburg, of the Nebraska regiment was killed.

The bodies of three timber cruisers have been found in the woods back of Astoria, Oregon. Their death is believed to have been brought about by eating canned meat.

Captain Coghlan has been requested by Secretary of the Navy Long to explain his Union League speech which is believed to have given serious offense to the German government.

It is understood that Captain Coghlan will be allowed to resign by the navy department instead of being summarily dismissed. This action is taken in consideration of his splendid service at Manila.

It is given out that Speaker Reed will retire from congress and move to New York to engage in the practice of law. Nearly a dozen candidates have announced themselves in the race for the speakership.

A collision occurred off Brown's point in Tacoma harbor during the early morning of the 23rd, by which the Sound steamer City of Kingston was run into and sunk by the Asiatic liner Glenogle. The Kingston is a total wreck. No lives were lost.

A Manila dispatch of the 27th, states that General McArthur's division completely routed the Filipinos on the Rio-Grande river. General Luna is said to have made overtures for peace to General Otis.

Ex-Senator Quay on the 21st, was acquitted by a jury at Philadelphia of the charge of conspiracy to use public money for his own benefit. Gov. Stone of Pennsylvania the same day appointed him to fill the vacant senatorship. It is not believed that he will be seated.

## Boil it Down.

If you've got a thought that's happy.  
Boil it down;  
Make it short and crisp and snappy—  
Boil it down.  
When your brain its coin has minted,  
Down the page your pen has sprinted,  
If you want your effort printed,  
Boil it down.

Take out every surplus letter—  
Boil it down;  
Fewer syllables the better—  
Boil it down.  
Make your meaning plain—express it  
So we'll know—not merely guess it—  
Then, my friend, ere you address it,  
Boil it down.

Boil out all the extra trimmings—  
Boil it down;  
Skim it well, then skim the trimmings,  
Boil it down.  
When you're sure 'twould be a sin to  
Cut another sentence in two,  
Send it on—and we'll begin to  
Boil it down.

## A New Calla Lily.

A new calla lily, one of the productions of Mr. Luther Burbank, the famous hybridizer, is illustrated by Peter Henderson among other bulbs for autumn planting. Mr. Burbank's description of it is quoted as follows: "The common calla, though always destitute of any odor, unless it be a faint one of muriatic acid or a toadstool, has still won its way into universal public favor. In the new calla, Fragrance, which is one of many thousand seedlings of Little Gem, we have not only a most charming flower, produced in a profusion never before surpassed, if equaled, and a week or two earlier, but also with



THE NEW CALLA, FRAGRANCE.

a genuine, sweet, lasting fragrance all its own, but similar to the fragrance of violets or lilies. The plants are of medium size, compact in growth and multiply with great rapidity, growing and blooming profusely under any ordinary treatment. The foliage is unique, being handsomely fluted. Fragrance is a seedling of Little Gem, but grows nearly twice its size in all its parts, making it about half way in size between Gem and the old standard calla (grows in best conditions 15 to 18 inches high). It is earlier by a week or two in starting to bloom than others and produces flowers more profusely than any other calla."

## Discovered by a Woman.

Another great discovery has been made, and that, too, by a lady in this country. "Disease fastened its clutches upon her and for seven years she withstood its severest tests, but her vital organs were undermined and death seemed imminent. For three months she coughed incessantly, and could not sleep. She finally discovered a way to recovery, by purchasing of us a bottle of Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption, and was so much relieved on taking first dose, that she slept all night; and with two bottles, has been absolutely cured. Her name is Mrs. Luther Lutz." Thus writes W. C. Hamnick & Co., of Shelby, N. C. Trial bottles free at Louis O. Janeck's drug store. Regular size 50c and \$1.00. Every bottle guaranteed.

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## Youth and Old Age.

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## Life on a Farm.

Farmers' sons often envy the apparently easy life of the merchant who stands day after day beside his wellfilled shelves. Little do they know how monotonous and wearisome is such a life, and what an anxious heart is often hidden behind the merchant's smiling face. Those goods have to be paid for and customers are not always prompt to purchase or to pay.

It is amusing to hear the jeers often cast upon the lawyer, too, who, to the uninitiated, seems to make his fees without any trouble. The farmer sees him, perhaps, collecting a fee for one case that is as large as the price of a good crop of tobacco. How many days and nights he has labored on that case is known to but few. Many a time one fee is his dependence for the support of his family for a whole year.

The farmer gathers all along—first from his garden, then from his successive farm crop, his orchard and his stock and, while sowing and reaping in the fields for food and raiment he is gaining the blessed boon of health, thus making the enjoyment of his earnings two-fold.

Surely no one can realize "the glorious privilege of being independent" like the farmer! He is king over his own realm where no one need censure or question his rights. He can look out in the summer on his horses, his sheep, his cattle, his fields laden with grain, and, in winter gather with loved ones around cheerful fires made from the trees felled in his own forest. For all these the professional man has to work and wear out his tired brain while often filled with apprehension that he may fail to meet expenses for life's necessities.

Let no one think for a moment that life on a farm is not one of the noblest and best.—Garden and Farm.

## Diseases of Cucumbers, Melons, Etc.

Districts where cucumbers are extensively grown for pickling, notably in Ohio, suffered last year from a disease the symptoms of which were yellowing and spotting of the cucumber leaves, beginning early in August, followed by premature barrenness and death of the vines. Investigations made at the Ohio experiment station have shown that the unusual cucumber losses were almost entirely due to downy mildew, a fungous parasite which attacks most plants of the gourd family, including melons, cucumbers, pumpkins, squashes, etc., and that this disease may be successfully controlled by spraying with bordeaux mixture, making the first application about July 1 and repeating the treatment at intervals of 10 to 14 days. It is estimated that the cost per acre for seven sprayings should not exceed about \$3, while the yield may be much increased.

Cucumber anthracnose has also been noted on both melons and cucumbers. It is believed that this disease will be amenable to spraying. Spraying is also recommended for melon and tomato leaf blight.

Coleman & Cady, the harness makers, will remove to their new shop on Yakima Avenue between Front and First streets in a few days, where they will be pleased to welcome all their old friends and customers and all the new ones who wish to buy good goods at bottom prices.

For sale—nice Burbank seed potatoes. Inquire of Jacob Becker, half mile north of hospital. 31-2t

Just received a new line of wall paper at Grass & Metcalf's.

You will find a complete line of crash and straw hats at Thomas's. Be first and get the best.

## State Fair Notes.

The state fair commission, through the Secretary, Dr. T. B. Gunn, is in correspondence with horsemen throughout the Northwest, negotiating for exhibits of racers. The reports are very encouraging and some fine racers are in view as probable attractions.

Arrangements have been completed with the Northern Pacific railroad company for a special carload rate of \$55.00, for live stock from all points within the state, for exhibition purposes. Special rates are also assured from outside points, and good exhibits are coming from Oregon.

The Oregon fair dates have been changed to Sept., 15th to 22nd, thereby making Washington second on the circuit of the Northwest, being followed by Vancouver, Spokane and other places. This will increase the interest in our fair and add very much to the exhibits and attendance.

Plans and specifications are being prepared by the architect for the enlargement of the grand stand and completion of the machinery hall. Several other needed improvements will be made to the grounds, and all put in shape for the greatest exhibit of state products ever made.

The commission has decided to make one large premium for the best and most complete display of farm products made by any individual or firm in the state of Washington. This will be good news to those who desire to make choice collections of the products of Washington.

Carolyn Balestier Kipling is, like her famous husband, averse to publicity. She is her husband's most exacting critic, and it is said that she saved from his waste basket the first draft of the now world-famous "Recessional." Mrs. Kipling's grandfather, Joseph Balestier, once practiced law in Chicago. He amassed a considerable fortune. Her father had \$40,000, and married a woman worth three times that amount. Miss Balestier met Mr. Kipling in England in 1889. She is about 5 feet 9 inches in height, has dark brown hair, blue eyes, and a pale complexion. She is not a pretty woman, her face showing, however, decided intellectuality. From May 1892, until May, 1896, Mr. and Mrs. Kipling lived at Brattleboro, Vt., the old home of the Balestiers where they built at a cost of \$50,000 the beautiful but unconventional mansion, "The Naulahka." —Ex.

## The Appetite of a Goat

Is envied by all poor dyspeptics whose stomach and liver are out of order. All such should know that Dr. King's New Life Pills, the wonderful stomach and liver remedy, gives a splendid appetite, sound digestion and a regular bodily habit that insures perfect health and great energy. Only 25 cents. Sold by Louis O. Janeck.

Best line of childrens hosiery at Ditter Bros.

Mrs. Dr. Owens Adair is located over Coffin Bros' store. As heretofore she will give special attention to diseases of women and children also to confinement and surgical cases.

Thomas can fit your head with hats, both soft and stiff, black or shades, graceful, beautiful and to suit the pocket book.

The North Yakima Furniture Company is doing a good business in their line. Do you want good goods at lowest prices? Call and see them. Howard & Flint will be pleased to serve you.

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## Notice of Assessment.

Assessment roll of the lots and lands in Local Improvement District No. 8, as created and established by Ordinance No. 279, entitled "An Ordinance establishing a Local Improvement District for the construction of a sidewalk in the city of North Yakima, and providing for the construction of said sidewalk, and for the assessment of the costs thereof on the property benefited by such improvement, and for the collection of such assessment," approved on the 17th day of April, 1899, together with a description of each lot or parcel of land, the name of the owner and the amount of the assessment against each lot or parcel; all of said lots and land being in the city of North Yakima, according to the plat thereof on file in the office of the county auditor of Yakima county, Washington.

No. of block.	Name of owner	Amount of Assessment.
4	66 W. W. Chandler	\$16 25
5	66 E. Bower	16 25
6	66 E. Bower	16 25
7	66 James H. Feeney	16 25
8	66 James H. Feeney	16 25

STATE OF WASHINGTON, } ss.  
COUNTY OF YAKIMA, }

E. O. KECK, A. H. WILGUS and A. E. POOLE being first duly sworn, each for himself deposes and says: I am a member of the committee on streets and ditches of the city council of the city of North Yakima, and of the board of assessors of Local Improvement District No. 8, in said city; the above and foregoing list contains a true and correct description of each lot and parcel of land in said local improvement district, together with the name of the owner and the amount of the assessment against each lot and parcel.

E. O. KECK  
ARTHUR E. POOLE,  
A. H. WILGUS.  
Subscribed and sworn to before me this 27th day of April, 1899.  
[SEAL.] H. B. DOUST,  
City Clerk.

Notice is hereby given that the above and foregoing assessment roll is now on file in my office subject to the inspection of all persons interested and that on the 8th day of May, 1899, at the hour of 7:30 o'clock p. m. any person feeling aggrieved by reason of such assessment may appear before the city council of the city of North Yakima, Wash., and be heard with a view to the amendment of the same.

Dated this 27th day of April, 1899.  
[SEAL.] H. B. DOUST,  
City Clerk.

## PROBATE NOTICE.

STATE OF WASHINGTON, } ss.  
COUNTY OF YAKIMA, }

In the Superior Court (Probate) of said County. In the matter of the Estate of Charles A. Livesley, deceased. Notice of Settlement of Final Account.

Notice is hereby given that George Livesley, administrator of the estate of Charles A. Livesley, deceased, has rendered and presented for settlement to, and filed in the Probate Court of Yakima county, state of Washington, his petition for distribution and his final account as such administrator; and that Saturday, the 29th day of April, 1899, at 11 o'clock a. m. at the court room of said court, in the city of North Yakima, in said Yakima county, has been duly appointed by said court, for the settlement of the said final account, at which time and place any person interested in said estate may appear and file his exceptions in writing to the said final account, and contest the same.

Witness John B. Davidson, judge of said Court, and the seal of said Court hereunto affixed, this 14th day of April, 1899.

G. L. ALLEN,  
County Clerk and ex-Officio Clerk of our said Probate Court. 30-2t

## Notice for Publication.

Land Office at North Yakima, Wash., }  
March 30, 1899.

Notice is hereby given that the following named settler has filed notice of his intention to make final proof in support of his claim, and that said proof will be made before the register and receiver of the U. S. land office at North Yakima, Wash., on Saturday, May 6, 1899, viz: John J. Miller, homestead application No. 1985 for the sec. 4 of n. 1, and lot No. 1, sec. 4, tp. 15 n. r. 17 e. W. M.

He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon and cultivation of said land, viz: Andrew J. Burge, William Joustus, George Chapman, all of Wenatchee, Wash. and Arthur L. Sherman, of Ahtanum, Wash.

Any person who desires to protest against the allowance of such proof, or who knows of any substantial reason, under the law or the regulations of the interior department, why such proof should not be allowed will be given an opportunity at the above mentioned time and place to cross-examine the witnesses of said claimant, and to offer evidence in rebuttal of that submitted by claimant.

WALTER J. REED,  
Register.

## TIMBER CULTURE, FINAL PROOF. NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.

United States Land Office, }  
North Yakima, Wash., April 7, 1899.

Notice is hereby given that George Livesley, heir-at-law of Charles A. Livesley, deceased, has filed notice of his intention to make final proof before Register and Receiver, U. S. land office at their office in North Yakima, Wash., on Saturday, the 18th day of May, 1899, on timber culture application No. 1508, for lots one and two, section No. 30, in township No. 14 n. range No. 18 e. W. M. He names as witnesses: John Morrissey, Robert Kershaw, Peter Eschbach and Ross Stewart, all of North Yakima, Wash. 8ap13my

WALTER J. REED,  
Register.



### Superior Court News.

Court convened on Monday morning and the trial of the case of Lauber vs the N. P. R. R. was resumed. This case was decided by the jury giving the plaintiff a verdict for \$240.

In the case of the state vs Sinclair and Harvey and the bondsmen of J. K. Edmiston the jury returned a verdict for the defendants.

Henry Pressey ex-city treasurer was arraigned on the charge of embezzling city funds. He plead not guilty. His case was set for trial at the June term.

The case of Josephine Lillie vs Ex-Sheriff A. J. Shaw and the McCormick Machine Co. was hotly contested. The jury brought in a verdict for defendant.

The case of Tyler vs Timm was dismissed with a verdict in favor of defendant.

The last case to be heard was that of E. M. Reed vs the Adams estate. This, however, was not a jury case. His honor will render a decision later.

The court being short of jurymen a special venire was issued on Tuesday.

"The Avenger," which was presented here on Monday night by John Griffith and his company was worthy of a better patronage than it received. It is a well written drama based on French history of the first half of the 17th century. John Griffith in both his rolls as Philip Legardere and the hunchback received unanimous praise from his audience for his fine acting. His support in the main was good, although the sword work of some of the company was pronounced rather rank. The play is a high class tragedy and is unquestionably the best of its kind that has been witnessed in Yakima for a long while.

Another invoice of our choice teas and coffees on the way. Kinsey & Co.

Rex brand hams 12½ cents at Kinsey & Co.'s.

Thomas has some stunners in the way of new spring goods. You ought to see them.

Nicely furnished rooms for rent. Inquire of Mrs. Henry Mabry, Selah avenue, between West A and B streets.

### For Sale.

One second hand Harrison water elevator in good condition. Enquire at Mart Schichtl's machine shop.

Not too late yet to set trees. I am closing out my nursery stock at ridiculous low prices. J. A. Waters, P. O. box 446 North Yakima.

The spring styles in shoes at Thomas' are simply a dream in leather.

Try THE DEMOCRAT for fine job work.

Have you fished with double hooked flies sold by Moore & Moore the stationers.

Remember that we sell teas and coffees at the old price and save you 10 cents per package on Japan tea. Kinsey & Co.

Shuk the bicycle expert is the man to go to when your wheel needs repairs. Rear of Sawbridge's hardware store.

Thomas has a nice line of underwear as low as 25 cents a garment.

Mrs. Frank Kremer formerly Miss Laughlan desires to form a class in drawing and painting also in music. A specimen of her artistic work may be seen in Moore & Moore's window. For further information inquire at residence of Mrs. Caseres in west part of town.

### Crippled For Life.

Little Homer Gilman, the 12-year-old son of C. M. Gilman, the superintendent of the boys' dormitory at Fort Simcoe, met with an accident on Tuesday afternoon that will leave him a cripple for life. In company with some other boys he had been playing near the stock yard and while attempting to board a passing gravel train by means of lifting himself up between two cars, he slipped and fell backward, the wheels passing over his lower right limb severing it from the foot.

Ed Lyons and others who were near by, did what they could to make the lad easy until a couple of physicians were summoned who took him to the hospital where he is said to be doing as well as could be expected. The boy had been going to school here for some time and boarding at the home of Mrs. Lemon. No one blames the crew of the gravel train in the least, as it is said that they have repeatedly warned the boys to keep off the cars.

### A New Railroad.

Col. Adair, of Astoria, who with his family has located recently in this city informs us that it is unquestionably the intention of the Astoria and Columbia River Railroad Company to extend their line the coming season from Goble or rather Kalama, up the north bank of the Columbia to a junction with the Northern Pacific at Kennewick.

While the A. & C. is presumably an independent line it is operated in sympathy with the N. P. and when the contemplated extension is completed the new road will furnish an easy grade over which to carry Eastern Washington wheat to its new market at Astoria. If this scheme is carried out it will mean much for Astoria. It will also mean much for Tacoma and Portland though in a different way.

### Sorghum as a Forage Plant.

Many farmers are doubtless not aware of the fact that sorghum cane can be successfully utilized as a forage plant. It is said to be in the green state a most nutritious feed for hogs and if cut and shocked before frost, makes a most desirable winter feed for milch cows and is said to improve the quality of the milk.

Farmers of the middle west are beginning to recognize the value of sorghum as forage and now sow the seed extensively for that purpose. It would unquestionably pay our Yakima farmers to investigate this matter, as the need of a good forage plant here, other than alfalfa has long been apparent.

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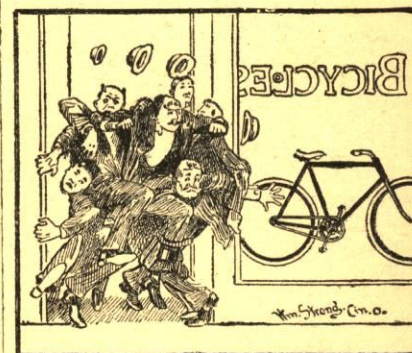
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