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EVIDENCE is rapidly multiplying that goes to show that a great many people who were at first thought carried away by the glamor of expansion and colonialism are now recovering their senses and are beginning to express doubts about the wisdom of Uncle Sam's acquiring conquered territory beyond the seas. Recent events in the Philippines are doubtless in a large measure responsible for this change of sentiment. The army of occupation, instead of meeting with little or no opposition, as at first believed, is constantly subjected to a most galling and annoying resistance from bushwhacking natives, who, after their disastrous defeat of February 6, cannot again be tempted to fight in the open. This kind of warfare is naturally demoralizing to the spirits of the brave boys who enlisted to fight Spain; and while they will doubtless do their full duty, they are wearying of the task and are beginning to ask how long it will be expected of them. The practical man of affairs is commencing to count the cost of this guerrilla warfare, not only of blood, but of treasure, as he views with alarm the immense appropriations for the maintenance of the army by the congress just adjourned. Then there are the hosts of church people in this country—mostly of the Protestant denominations—who are changing their minds about the beauties of imperialism. These people were at first wildly enthusiastic at the prospect of converting the millions of semi-barbarous Malays in the Philippines to the Christian religion. Reflection is convincing this powerful element that their aims and ideals are not to be accomplished through a war of conquest, in which thousands of luckless individuals must die without the means of grace. There is still another powerful class whose opposition is being aroused to the dangers involved in the plans of the imperialists. This is the wage workers, who are now beginning to realize the character of the competition they must sooner or later meet if colonies are successfully established in Asia. These are some of the

reasons why public sentiment is changing on the Philippine question. The good horse sense of the American people is beginning to assert itself; and when their judgment is fully matured on this momentous question, they will repudiate the advance guard of monarchialism in this country and bury in oblivion the men who thoughtlessly or otherwise seek to substitute a hated imperialism for a beloved democracy.

WE reproduce in another column of this paper an editorial from the Oregonian entitled "A Change of Economic View," the perusal of which we recommend to our readers, especially those of the democratic faith. While the conclusions reached in this article accounting for the prevailing drift away from high protection are not complete or even accurate, they are yet sufficiently strong to possibly set some republicans to thinking that after all their party may have been wrong in setting up a Chinese wall of high protection about this country. The Oregonian might have made its case stronger by stating that the present Dingley law had proven a disappointment as a revenue measure, which is presumed to be the central idea of all tax laws. The present tariff, in fact, is so extremely high and unfairly adjusted, that its principal effect has been felt in the upbuilding of gigantic trusts, an incomplete list of which the same paper has subsequently published, which aggregate in a total capital stock of over two and a quarter billions of dollars, with others now in process of formation which foot up over a quarter of a billion more. These unlawful combinations, which are levying tribute on everything that the American people consume, are the direct and natural outgrowth of protection run mad. Under a judicious tariff act they could not exist. Old-line democrats who fought consistently and valiantly for so many years for tariff reform cannot but smile as they look about them today and see their old opponents just beginning to realize the great truths which the disciples of democracy were proclaiming from the housetops a decade ago.

THE Republic, in its last week's issue, makes a labored defense of Mr. Englehart in voting against railroad legislation. That gentleman is reported as "feeling much discouraged over the outcome of the fight for better freight rates." (So are his constituents.) The organ furthermore says that he (Englehart) "had prepared a bill which he expected to introduce and make a fight for." Well, well, why did he not do so? That is just what we all expected he would do. When the

La Follette bill, which, according to Mr. Englehart, was drawn in the interest of the wheat growers, was reported to the house, why did not he, our valiant representative, move to amend it in the interest of Yakima? What subtle influence kept him tongue-tied in his seat when the bill was being considered in the house and other men were either championing the measure or airing their grievances against it? Will Representative Englehart or the Republic please inform an anxious public how much or on what articles the La Follette bill raised the rate on Yakima products? These are plain questions which ought to be answered and which the people of this county have a vital interest in. THE DEMOCRAT does not propound these queries to embarrass Mr. Englehart, for it bears that genial gentleman no ill-will; but this paper represents the people, many of whom feel that they have been flim-flammed by their smooth representative and are not satisfied with the explanations so far offered. Perhaps if the gentleman had not made such sweeping and radical declarations during his campaign of what he would do in the legislature the people's disappointment at his utter failure to secure any relief would be less keen.

THE Oregonian, P.-I. and other leading republican papers are worrying themselves a good deal, and needlessly over the question of what the democracy will or will not do in its national convention next year. The editors of the above mentioned papers must find this a most extremely fertile subject to kill space with, for they must doubtless know that there is far less uncertainty involved in the position that is likely to be taken on national questions by the democratic party than by the republicans themselves. Everything indicates that the democrats will have the same platform practically as in 1896, with an additional strong plank against imperialism. As for the republicans, nobody knows what they will declare for, as their position on the money question is not sincere, and they are liable to get their bellies full of imperialism before convention time rolls around.

IF RUDYARD KIPLING, when he recovers, undertakes to read all the parodies that have been published on his latest effusion, "The White Man's Burden," he will probably repent having perpetrated that inane screed upon an unsuspecting public.

COLONEL ROBERTSON is acquiring quite a reputation as a humorist. He is the Bill Nye of Washington journalism.

AGUINALDO is the worst abused man in the world. He ought to have Mark Hanna's sympathy.

Cream of the Telegraph

The legislature of Utah has adjourned without electing a United States senator.

The president has appointed Herbert Putnam, of Boston, librarian of congress.

By a powder explosion at Creede, Col., on the 11th, three men lost their lives.

President McKinley and family are the guests of Senator Hanna at Thomasville, Ga.

Hon. W. J. Bryan has been invited to address the legislature of Missouri before that body adjourns.

On the 11th second class passenger rates from St. Paul to Pacific coast points was cut from \$40 to \$25.

Congressman Greene, of Nebraska, died suddenly of heart disease on the 11th at a railway depot in Omaha.

The Delaware legislature adjourned sine die on the 13th amid great excitement without electing a United States senator.

Three banks have closed their doors in San Luis Obispo county, Cal., caused by the prevailing drouth in that locality.

Dispatches from San Juan, Porto Rico, report prospects of trouble with the natives of that island, who are demanding self-government.

Three men were killed and four fatally injured in a railroad wreck during a blinding snowstorm near Lincoln, Neb., on the 12th.

Passengers on the Cheyenne & Northern road in Wyoming have been living in a snow blockaded train for three weeks in the mountains of that state.

The Cuban military assembly has impeached Gen. Gomez and removed him from the command of the army. The United States authorities have ignored their action.

A brush between the American forces and the natives back of Manila on the 13th resulted in the utter rout of the latter with a loss of thirty killed. Six Americans were wounded.

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.

Lost—March 2, a brown leather valise between Moxee and Yakima flour mill. Finder will be handsomely rewarded by leaving it at THE DEMOCRAT office. 1t*

Watches, clocks, jewelry and silverware can now be bought at greatly reduced prices at Redfield's. 15

A limited number of Photos at 65 cts a dozen, best finish. James & Bushnell.

PROFITABLE PULLETS.

Young Hens Pay Five Times Better Than Old Ones.

The following interesting facts are given in a bulletin issued by the Agricultural college at Logan, Utah, as a comparison between old hens and pullets for egg production. The profit from the young hens or pullets is about five times greater than that of the old hens. Not only did the old hens lay considerably fewer eggs, but the eggs were ~~with~~ less per dozen. Those of the old hens averaged less than a cent apiece, while those from the pullets, with the exception of pen 2, averaged more than a cent apiece. This is accounted for by the fact that the pullets laid a large proportion of their eggs in early winter, when the price was good. The old hens were 3 to 4 years old. In the experiment there were no 2-year-olds.

The effect of exercise on food consumption is also illustrated. The three pens having no exercise averaged 120 eggs, while those from the exercised pens averaged 146 eggs. The average food cost per dozen of eggs was for the nonexercised pens 6.5 cents and 5.3 cents for the exercised pens, over 22 per cent in favor of exercise. The fact, when studied in connection with the other fact that there was no appreciable difference in the relative weights of the fowls during the year, would seem to indicate that exercise such as was given is an aid to digestion, or, in other words, the exercised hen made a better use of the food. It took 22 per cent more food to make a dozen of eggs without the exercise than with it—in other words, 22 per cent of the food wasted by the unexercised hen. It was not used in the growth of flesh, for the weights show that the exercised hen was as heavy as the nonexercised. It seems to be a mere question of digestion. The exercise aids digestion and assimilation and prevents waste of food. It is also worthy of note that fowls without exercise laid heavier eggs than those with it.

Chickens For Hotels.

Watching a hotel steward selecting chickens for his large family at a Boston counter the other day, we asked why he was so particular about size, and his reply covered the whole question for growers to consider: "We charge so much for half a broiled chicken and must make a profit off the bird. For that reason it cannot weigh over 2½ pounds, else it costs more than it comes to. Half a chicken is ample for a meat order, and more than this weight would be wasted. The fact is, we figure this question of quantity pretty fine, seeking to give enough to satisfy, but being careful about any excess. 'Tis business with us where we handle so many daily, and the change in style of serving has fixed the weights so that all live growers know when they ship into what class their birds are going."—Maine Farmer.

To Horsemen And Stockmen.

THE DEMOCRAT office is now abundantly supplied with all the necessary material to turn out first class work to advertise your business. When you need cards, pedigrees or large posters be sure to give us a call.

Something new at Keene's.

A full line of new goods at Thomas'.

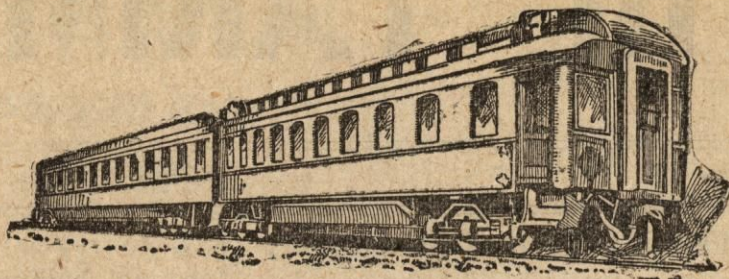
Try THE DEMOCRAT for fine job work.

Coffee in bulk at Kleis' grocery at 15 to 50c per pound.

Look over the 5 and 10 cent counters at Moore & Moore's if you want snaps.

Remember that B. N. Coe & Co are agents for the Seattle Daily Times, Tacoma Ledger and Tacoma News.

Two packages of Levering coffee for 25 cents at E. M. Harris'.



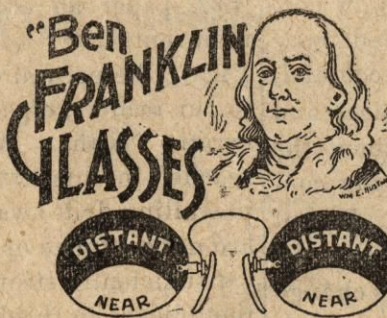
SPECIAL TRAIN

WHICH CARRIES THE

Hi. Henry Minstrel Co.

DON'T FAIL TO ATTEND THIS GREAT SHOW AT

Mason's Opera House, Tonight.



IT IS not generally known that the eminent Ben Franklin was the inventor of the double or bi-focal spectacle lens, which is now coming into such general use for those who have passed the meridian of life.

We fit the bi-focal in all the many different styles. We have one special bi-focal arrangement that has never been excelled for glass ease and comfort and the preservation of eye sight. It comes nearer being the natural eye than anything in the way of a glass.

CONSULTATION FREE.

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Graduate Optician.

Lowe Lodging House,

ROBT. ROUTLEDGE, Prop.

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Rooms 25 to 50 Cents. Special Rates by Week

Brick block near depot.

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White help only employed. Clean, tasty cooking guaranteed. Regular dinner served from 11 a. m. to 2 p. m. Short orders all hours day and night. Ice Cream, Ice Cream Soda Water, Milk Shakes.

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Something New—Daily.

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F. D. CLEMMER.

O. K. Jonsorial Parlors.

STRUBIN & CLEMMER, Prop'r's.

Hot or Cold Baths, Only 15c.

Vapor Medical Baths, 35c.

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

Basement Janeck Building.

Draying.

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

Overproduction of Poultry.

Overproduction of poultry and eggs is a possibility, but that such has at any time occurred is doubtful. The fear that the market may be overstocked has deterred some from venturing largely in poultry, but such fears have never been realized. It is not unusual to find the market full at times not only of poultry and eggs, but of all kinds of produce, though there is a great difference in quality. It has been said of butter that there was no intermediate kind, as butter was either good or bad. If not of the best quality, it was of no value, and if but little inferior to the best there was no place for it whatever. Such may be said of eggs also, and it may be extended to poultry.

Quality regulates the prices. A difference of only a cent a pound on poultry or a dozen eggs seems insignificant, but when a large business is conducted the difference is great. As long as there are several prices for the products the market is overstocked with the lowest priced articles only. The best will be in demand and will sell for all that it is worth, but the term "best" means a great deal, for it includes everything pertaining to superiority. There is a large field open for those who aim to supply the market with the best, and every season they will find that they have room for improvement in order to excel. There is also much to learn in order to know how to provide the market with the best, and the market will accept it readily at all times and without regard to the quantity of inferior grades that may have been offered for sale.—Poultry Keeper.

Floral Notes.

The best time to plant lilies is in October and November.

Dracæna sanderiana is one of the choice things for the center of jardinières and fern pans.

Among the seedlings of 1898 presented to the Chrysanthemum Society of America six were awarded certificates—Solar Queen, Australian Gold, Pennsylvania, Frank Hardy, Autumn Glory and W. H. Chadwick.

What the calla needs: "Water like a mill, heat like a furnace, food like an army, absolute rest during summer."

It is best not to take up dahlia roots for at least a week after frost, as the tubers ripen better and are not so likely to shrivel when stored in the cellar over winter. The roots should be turned upside down in the sunshine to let the water drain out of the stems, says an authority.

Perennial phlox can be transplanted in October and November.

He Fooled the Surgeons.

All doctors told Renick Hamilton, of West Jefferson, O., after suffering eighteen months from rectal fistula, he would die unless a costly operation was performed; but he cured himself with five boxes of Bucklen's Arnica Salve, the surest pile cure on earth, and the best salve in the world. 25 cents a box. Sold by Louis O. Janeck, druggist.

Call and see Thomas' new goods. They are up-to-date and very handsome.

Fine Santa Claus soap wrappers secures a fine picture. We sell the soap, Kinsey & Co.

Go to Keene's for shirt waist pins, sash and belt buckles.

The best breakfast dish is "Grape Nut." Buy it at Kinsey's.

Redfield, the jeweler, is now offering goods at greatly reduced prices. 15

Kleis, successor to Wilson, is the man to buy your groceries from. Fresh and cheap and prompt delivery in city.

New garden seeds at Kinsey's.

Hi Henry's Minstrels Coming.

Hi Henry's Big City Minstrel Aggregation of fifty all white performers will fill in a spare date at Mason's opera house on Saturday, March 18. This company is especially organized for the large cities and is everywhere pronounced the leading organization of minstrelsy, the largest, the most expensive and the best of its kind and class. They are now filling in a spare date en route to Spokane, and from thence they go to St. Paul and open at the Metropolitan theatre in that city. They have just finished one of the most successful tours of California that any minstrel attraction ever made. At San Francisco they appeared three weeks to crowded houses, and the press and the public of that city pronounce them the best seen in years. Our amusement patrons will be given an opportunity not likely to be repeated in years.

C. C. C. What does it mean? Crescents, Cleavelands and Columbias. Moore & Moore, the stationers.

A Juicy Roast OR A Tender Steak

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ALWAYS
BE
HAD
FOR
THE
ASKING
AT

The Yakima Meat Market

Try Us and See.

OWEN E. PURDIN,
PROPRIETOR.

First Street - North Yakima

O. K. Livery AND Feed Barn.

First-Class Rigs at Popular Prices. We make a Specialty of Boarding Horses by the Day or Month. Having Purchased This Barn and Its Good Will of A. R. Hughes, I Respectfully Solicit a Fair Portion of the Public Patronage.

A. J. SHAW, Prop.

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.

Ladies

Of Yakima.

Now is the time
of the year to
have your

Curtains and Carpets

Cleaned and made
to look as good
as new.

We make a specialty
of that kind of work and
are prepared to do your
work in a satisfactory
manner.

Yakima Steam Laundry
F. OPLISTL, Prop

D. L. BRYSON C. M. HAUSER.

BRYSON & HAUSER

Painters
and
Paper
Hangers

Licensed
City
Bill
Posters

Estimates made and contracts
promptly fulfilled.

Painting,
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Paper-Hanging.

We have had years of experience in our line, and our work is guaranteed to be satisfactory.

BRYSON & HAUSER,

Office and Shop on Yakima avenue,
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A. B. PEARSON,

First Street.

Fresh Fish, Oysters, Poultry And Vegetables,

All these may now be had in first class quality at the Avenue Fish Market. Just opened, two doors west of the Domestic Bakery. We will also keep in stock all the leading varieties of Smoked and Salt Fish, Crabs and Clams. A fine lot of

Baltimore and Olympia Oysters

in bulk now on hand. We will pay cash to farmers for Chickens and vegetables and deliver goods to any part of the city. We respectfully solicit a share of the public patronage.

MELROSE & MCCAUSTLAND
Bowling Alley Room.

Yakima Ave. N. Yakima, Wash

HANSEN & PROBACH,

(Successors to Thos. Harvey.)

GENERAL BLACKSMITHS AND WOODWORKERS.

We make a specialty of horse-shoeing, and repair vehicles and machinery. Our work is guaranteed. Give us a trial.

SHOP ON FRONT ST., NO. YAKIMA

NOTICE OF ASSESSMENT.

Assessment roll of the lots and lands in Local Improvement District No. 7, as created and established by Ordinance No. 278, 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 on the costs thereof on the property benefitted by such improvement, and for the collection of such assessment," approved January 2, 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 lot.	No. of block.	Name of owner	Amount of Assessment.
13	68	J. P. McCafferty	\$14 87
14	68	J. P. McCafferty	14 87
15	68	A. B. Weed	14 87
16	68	A. B. Weed	14 87
9	69	Philadelphia Securities Company	49 03
10	69	Philadelphia Securities Company	7 43
11	69	Philadelphia Securities Company	7 43
12	69	Philadelphia Securities Company	7 43
13	69	Trustees of First Presbyterian Church	7 43
14	69	Trustees of First Presbyterian Church	7 43
15	69	J. H. Hubbard	7 43
16	69	J. H. Hubbard	7 43
17	69	J. R. Lewis	7 43
18	69	J. R. Lewis	7 43
19	69	J. R. Lewis	7 43
20	69	J. R. Lewis	7 43
21	69	J. R. Lewis	7 44
22	69	J. R. Lewis	7 44
23	69	J. R. Lewis	7 44
24	69	J. R. Lewis	7 44

STATE OF WASHINGTON, ss.

COUNTY OF YAKIMA,

E. O. Keck and A. H. Wilgus 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. 7, 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 or parcel.

E. O. KECK,
A. H. WILGUS,
Subscribed and sworn to before me this 23d day of February, 1899.
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 20th day of March, 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 23d day of February, 1899.

H. B. DOUST,
City Clerk,

PERSONAL

W. H. Redman is on the sick list.

Nelson Rich came up from Prosser on Tuesday.

G. C. Wallace left for a visit to Portland on Tuesday's flyer.

J. P. Berg returned from Mabton on Wednesday.

Dr. Gunn returned on Tuesday from a trip to Seattle.

Mrs. T. W. Moore returned home from Seattle on Thursday.

Phil Ditter's children have been quite ill during the past week.

Dan Godman, of Kiona, was in the city the first of the week.

Attorney Carroll B. Graves came down from Ellensburg on Wednesday.

Born, at Zillah, March 9, to the wife of W. N. Granger, a daughter.

Willis Mercer, the well known sheep man of Kiona, was in the city this week.

Attorney Krutz has moved his office into the Ward building on First street.

Bishop Wells, of Spokane, is a Yakima visitor, having arrived on Thursday.

Colonel Robertson, of the Republic, left on Friday for a visit to his home in Chehalis.

W. J. Aumiller returned on Saturday from a three months' visit to Illinois and Kansas.

J. M. Arrington, of Seattle, spent Sunday in looking over his fine fruit ranch in the Wenas.

J. D. Fanders, of Diller, Neb., is a late arrival who has come to find a home in the Yakima valley.

W. S. McPhee returned Tuesday night from a three months' visit to his old home in Nova Scotia.

George Brown, of Tacoma, was looking after his property interests in Yakima the first of the week.

Mrs. J. B. Furman, of Spokane, on Tuesday joined her husband, who is doing business in this city.

Frank Lynch and wife, of Casselton, North Dakota, arrived last week and are the guests of Jay Lynch at Fort Simcoe.

The family of W. F. Grass arrived from Tacoma on Monday night and will henceforth make their home in Yakima.

George Brown, secretary of the St. Paul & Tacoma Lumber company, was a Yakima visitor Monday and Tuesday.

It is rumored here that Leila, the youngest daughter of Mrs. J. M. Adams, died suddenly in Spokane on Tuesday.

Mrs. Nealy, of New York, and Mrs. Ely, of Omaha, arrived on the 10th to visit their sister, Mrs. A. L. Slemmons.

Byron A. Aldrich, a musician of Tacoma, arrived on Thursday. He will endeavor to secure a class in music here.

George Courter returned from Olympia on Monday, where he has spent the winter holding down a committee clerkship.

The Reid ranch in Parker Bottom was sold this week to a Mr. Buzzard, of South Dakota. Mr. Reid and sister will move to this city.

Mrs. George Guiland, of Spokane, arrived Wednesday on a visit with relatives in this city. Mrs. Guiland contemplates leaving for Dawson City in June to join her husband.

Attorney Warner and Ed Dickson, of Ellensburg, came down on Thursday for the purpose of having the latter gentleman initiated into the mysteries of Elksdom that evening.

Auditor Kelso issued marriage licenses this week to Edward Crull and Lucinda Dimond, George Weikel and Ella Chambers and Frank Hill and Mabel Harper.

Richard Strobach returned Saturday night from Olympia, where he had been for some time watching legislative proceedings.

Wm. McMillan returned to Ellensburg on Tuesday to assume the management of Fawcett Bros.' branch store at that place.

H. J. Snively returned from Olympia Saturday night, but has been absent most of this week on legal business in Ellensburg.

Henry Lombard, with his mother and sister, have moved into the Eschelman house on North Second street, which they recently purchased.

Nick Schuler and family left on Sunday night for Mazeppa, Minn., which will be their future home. Before leaving Mr. Schuler sold his ranch in the Natchez to John Rodenbeck, of Fort Simcoe.

D. H. Guiland has rented his fine place on Nob hill to a Mr. Angell, who arrived a few days ago with his family from Kansas. The former gentleman has moved into town and taken apartments in the Cadwell block.

J. J. McDonald, of Portland, who was here last week, after carefully considering the matter, concluded to open up a dry goods and gents' furnishing goods store, and accordingly rented the Yakima National bank's stone building on First street for a location.

Mrs. Martha Hickson, the mother of Mrs. F. C. Sharkey, died Monday night. The venerable lady had reached the age of 74 years, and in her later life had made her home with her daughter in this city. The funeral took place on Wednesday afternoon.

J. H. McNiece, of Browsersville, Minn., and A. E. Robinson, of Long Prairie, in the same state, are recent arrivals in Yakima. Both are substantial farmers, who will purchase places and settle down here. Both gentlemen are old neighbors of M. L. Matterson, through whose instrumentality they were induced to come here.

Horace Leach is in the city this week visiting with relatives and old friends after an absence of twelve years. Mr. Leach is a Yakima graduate of the printing trade, but has wisely forsook that line of work for the more lucrative one of placer mining. He has been lucky enough to get in on the ground floor in the Atlin country, where he has some valuable claims.

E. W. Dooley returned on Saturday from Skagway, Alaska, where he has been for some time engaged in the sale of horses which he shipped from here. He finally managed to dispose of his fine band of horses at fairly remunerative prices. Trade conditions he reports as dull at Skagway, owing to the "exclusion act," which is being rigidly enforced, with the effect of spoiling the plans of thousands of Americans who had contemplated spending the season in the Atlin country.

Goods guaranteed as represented or money refunded. Ditter Bros.

WE PAY the highest market price in cash for all kinds of poultry. Melrose & McCaustland. Bowling alley room.

OH, SAY, MR. SMITH,

Where did you get your piano? Of Claude Briggs, of course. How do you like it? Fine. I looked all around, but Claude Briggs did the best by me, both in quality and price, of any one I could find. How was the price? Below zero, like his bicycles.

Well, there is where I will buy mine. Yes, you can do no better. He gave me as low as \$8 per month on a piano. How does your wife like it, Mr. Smith? First rate; she has done nothing but entertain piano seekers ever since she has had it. They all say they are going to have one just like it. What make is it? A Ludwig, of course.

Such are the remark you hear about the Wiley B. Allen Co.'s instruments.

CLAUDE BRIGGS,

General Agent, * * * * * North Yakima

GREAT CROCKERY SALE

We have just received a fine new stock of

English Crockery,

The best on the market, which we are offering at very low prices. Call and examine.

E. M. HARRIS,

FIRST STREET, - - - - - NORTH YAKIMA

A. E. HOWARD,

A. L. FLINT

Grand Opening.

Our stock of furniture, which is new and complete, is now here and we are ready for business. We aim to handle everything in our line from the finest parlor and bed room sets to the smallest article of furniture at

Prices That Suit the Times

If you are in need of anything in our line, it will pay you to examine our stock before purchasing, as we are certain that we can please you both in quality of goods and price. Call and take a look at our new stock. Next door to the Golden Rule.

North Yakima Furniture Co.

"HE WHO PLANTS A TREE, CONFERS A BENEFIT UPON MANKIND."

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Offers for the Spring Trade the Largest Stock of Choice

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Embracing all Leading Varieties of Fruits. We Make a Specialty of Late Keeping Varieties of Apple Trees in one, two and Three Year old.

A FEW HUNDRED LARGE SIZED PEACH TREES.

Place Your order Early, for They will go Rapidly When Planting Time Begins. The Public are Invited to Call and Examine our Nursery and be convinced of the Superiority of our Stock. All Communications by Mail will be Carefully Responded to.

Call on or Address, **Chas. S. Simpson & Co.** North Yakima, Wash.

LOCATION.—1½ Miles South-East of the City of North Yakima, South and Adjoining Fair Grounds.

Local News

Tim Manahan bought the interest of his partner, George Mitchell, in the Yakima Dray company on Friday.

Married, at the residence of Enoch Boyle, at Riverside, on Friday, March 10, Justice J. A. Taggard officiating, Frank C. Lamborn and Miss Frances Boyle.

The W. C. T. U. are planning an entertainment to be given on Wednesday evening, April 5, in the store building near James' gallery. Further particulars later.

Elder Smith's gospel meetings on Second street are well attended. Sunday evening the subject of "Future Punishment" will be illustrated by stereopticon pictures.

Thomas Welch was arrested by Marshal Grant on Thursday, charged with having swiped some goods out of Grass & Metcalf's paint store. Judge Taggard gave him thirty days for repentance.

Pat Jordan and wife were taken by surprise on Monday night, when a large party of their friends suddenly descended upon them loaded down with choice edibles. The evening was pleasantly spent in card playing and other amusements.

Thomas Ryan, Jack McAllister and Richard Fulurt were gathered in by Officers Mulligan and Wilhite on Wednesday and the old familiar charge of bootlegging placed against them. They will be taken before Commissioner Howlett on Saturday.

Services at the Christian church on Sunday; preaching at 11 o'clock; Christian Endeavor at 6:30; preaching again at 7:30; the pastor, Rev. Ira W. Kimmel, will preach on the topic, "The Question That Tests Men"; song service; all are invited.

The new train service which went into effect on the 12th gives Yakima two daylight trains, a luxury which our people will appreciate now after their experience with midnight trains only for years past. The west bound flyer arrives here at 1:45 p. m. and the east bound at 3:27 p. m.

Hi Henry's big modern minstrels, who fill in a spare date at Mason's opera house on Saturday, March 18, numbers fifty all white performers and have recently appeared in all the principal cities in the west to the greatest success that was ever accorded any minstrel attraction.

The State Fair commissioners have as yet received no official notice that the governor has approved the appropriation of \$8,000 for the maintenance of the fair. Local public sentiment seems to be overwhelmingly in favor of holding but one fair with the appropriation and that this year.

Road Commissioner C. W. Moore, of district No. 12, declares his intention of strictly enforcing the law the coming season throughout his territory on people who persistently allow waste water to flood the public highways. That is what should be done. Individuals have no right to flood the roads and thereby cause ponds of water and mud holes to form in the public highways.

Hi Henry's big minstrel aggregation of fifty all white performers have been secured at the lowest terms ever offered any attraction to fill a spare date that they had open en route from Tacoma to Spokane and will appear at Mason's

opera house on Saturday, March 18. The company is the same identical attraction that recently appeared in San Francisco to the greatest business in the history of the Grand opera house, playing three weeks to the capacity of the theatre nightly.

County Treasurer Dudley on Tuesday attached the printing plant of the defunct Washington Farmer for personal property taxes due for the year 1896 to the amount of \$19.43. The sale is advertised to take place March 24.

A farewell party was given Col. Fred Miller by a number of his Yakima friends at Allen's hall on Saturday evening. Dancing was the principal amusement. The colonel left on the following night for his new home at Spokane with the best wishes for future success of a host of Yakima friends.

Ellis Wilson, a denizen of the White-chapel district, had his trial before Justice Taggard on Tuesday. The charge of rape, on which he was arrested, was made by J. M. Jones, of Ellensburg, the father of the 15-year-old girl, who is said to have been led astray by Wilson. The defendant was bound over in \$500 bonds to answer in the superior court, failing to give which he was committed to the county bastille.

There was but little interest taken in the election held last Saturday to authorize the construction of a new school building. But 23 votes were cast, 12 for and 11 against; and as it required a three-fifths vote to carry, the proposition was lost. The light vote cast can be partly accounted for from the fact that many voters had neglected to register. Considerable opposition seems to be now developing against the proposition, many citizens expressing the belief that the money would be better spent in making an addition to the Columbia building.

Wednesday evening's Sound papers, which brought the news of the battle fought that day with the Filipinos and the death of Ralph Van Buskirk of Company E, caused a good deal of sorrow in this city, where the young man was so well and favorably known. Ralph had but lately attained his majority, having reached the age of 21 on the 11th of last July. For some time the young man had been studying for the Christian ministry, and in fact was ordained while the regiment was in camp near San Francisco. His application for the chaplaincy of the regiment to succeed the late Dr. Thompson has been pending for some time in the governor's office. The unfortunate boy's mother is said to be almost heart-broken over his untimely death. The truth of the old adage that "death loves a shining mark" is well illustrated in his case.

At the meeting of the governing board of the Commercial club on Saturday night a communication was read from J. G. Maddocks, of Goldendale, relative to the establishment of a beet sugar factory here and the possibility of securing stock subscriptions in Yakima to the amount of \$150,000 out of a total capital stock of \$350,000. Mr. Maddocks stated that he was in touch with a party of capitalists who were seeking a location for such an enterprise. The board directed the secretary to draft a suitable answer to the communication. A motion was passed authorizing the president to secure the services of a suitable person to meet the Great Northern home seekers' excursion at Spokane on the 21st for the purpose of attempting to divert a portion of the travel to this valley.

New Goods!

New Styles!

OUR NEW GOODS have arrived and are now on display. We are prepared to show the latest styles direct from the manufacturers' agents in

Prints, Scotch and A. T. C. Zephyr,

and Toil du Nord Gingham, White and Fancy Pique.

Dress Goods

In Granite Armure, Whip Cord Serge, Wide Wale Stripe and Storm Serges. Brocaded Silk Finished

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In Black. Also a fine line of Silks for Skirts, Waists and Trimmings. We extend a cordial invitation to all the ladies to call and look over our new goods.

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If you would be successful in love, you should have one of my new and CELEBRATED STUDEBAKER BUGGIES, which have a reputation for beauty, strength and durability the world over.

OLD MEN

after having once used them will have no other, as they enjoy solid comfort when riding in a STUDEBAKER. I have just received a carload of the famous

Studebaker Buggies and Carriages,

which include over 30 different styles, so I am sure to suit you.

Don't forget,

either, that I repair and paint vehicles in a first class manner,

Remember

that I am making this spring prices never before heard of in North Yakima. Call and see for yourself.

Front street, M. SCHORN, North Yakima.

Kinsey & Co., Grocers,
ALWAYS HANDLE

Fresh, Nice Stock and Make Right Prices
and Prompt Deliveries.

North First St.

Poultry Diseases.

Volumes have been written on poultry diseases, and it would seem to the uninitiated that by the light of these books it would be an easy matter to detect and cure most any disease to which the feathered tribe is subject. But the ordinary run of poultry men will find it at it is lost time to try to lay up a store of knowledge which will be of practical use to them in restoring ailing fowls to health. Their doctoring for the most part will be the rankest quackery in spite of all the wisdom they can collect from the books. They will have a few favorite remedies in which they have learned to place dependence in certain well marked cases, and they will often be used at a venture for ailments of a different nature, simply because they do not know what else to do, but they will learn very little about discriminating between the various diseases and making an intelligent application of remedies in accordance with the rules laid down in the books. Not one keeper of poultry in 100 will claim any degree of expertness in that kind of medical practice. The aim should be to keep the fowls in health by making their surroundings healthy. If a fowl gets very sick, kill it, unless you know to a certainty what is the matter with it and how to cure it. Don't take any chances on a mopeish hen in August and September, unless you are very sure that you can draw the line all right between a case of indigestion and cholera in its early stages.—Wallace's Farmer.

Quick Growing Shade Trees.

Poplars, maples, lindens, beeches and catalpas—these are all large growing trees and need ample room. They certainly should not be planted nearer than 40 feet to the dwelling, and even that is close.—American Gardening.

Horticultural Brevities.

The October purple plum, for which great beauty and excellent quality are claimed, is one of Mr. Luther Burbank's latest productions.

There is no peach in cultivation which will stand a temperature of 30 degrees below zero without artificial protection. Among the hardest peaches are Hill's Chile, Longhurst, Barnard, Early Rivers and Fitzgerald, says John Craig in American Gardening.

It is a good plan to make cuttings of grapes, blackberries and currants and bury them below the frost line before the ground freezes, in readiness for spring planting.

Weak and superfluous canes should be cut out of raspberries.

At the Missouri station, spraying peach trees with lime whitewash is considered one of the most promising methods of winter protection.

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. Janek.

Miss Edith Sapp, a graduate nurse from the St. Helena Sanitarium, Cal., is thoroughly prepared to give general and face massage and instructions in hygienic living. Inquire at Dr. Baker's office. 26-2t*

We want early varieties of potatoes for seed. Kinsey & Co.

James & Bushnell are going to give a photo button of the high school to every student ordering a dozen of our 65 cent photos; best finish; offer good for a short time only.

Cash paid for calves from one to three days old. J. A. Waters.

Late Fall Work.

When everything is protected for winter, I prepare the hotbeds and cold frames for the next spring's use. It is much easier to remove the old soil and manure in the fall than when it is frozen in the spring. Besides it makes a good mulch for the small fruits to protect them during the winter. The soil for the hotbeds in the spring should be placed in the cellar or where it will not freeze, and I have found none better than well rotted sods mixed with a fourth part of old manure. Before the ground freezes I plow the portion of the garden that is to be sown or planted early in the spring, and if the furrows can be only set on edge and the ground left uneven and rough the better will the frost pulverize it, says a Country Gentleman correspondent.

Get Rid of Lice.

Don't let the lice eat your chicks and then wonder what made them die so fast. Listen for the plaintive chirp which will tell the story of a crowded house under the downy feathers. Go to work at once to clear out the invaders and make conditions favorable to growth of poultry.—Maine Farmer.

The largest and best line of paints, oils, glass, wallpaper, picture frames and mouldings at lowest living prices. See Grass & Metcalf.

Twenty-five new styles of buggies just arrived at Schorn's. Call in and see them.

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

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

Call and see the pictures we are making at 65 cents per dozen—our best finish. Only a limited number will be made at this price. James & Bushnell.

Ours are not only the best and most stylish line of dry goods in the city but they are sold at prices within the reach of all. Ditter Bros.

To Stockmen and Farmers.

Don't forget to have your stock brand entered in the Universal Stock Register now being prepared by J. P. Mayer. After the book is published it is too late and after it is to late you will see what you have missed.

All the brands in Yakima, Klickitat, Kittitas and Okanogan counties will be entered in this book as the above named parties are making a thorough canvas. There are some brands they may miss and these they will expect owners of stock to send in.

After the book is published it will be sold to all that want it. It does not make any difference whether your stock is on the range or not. If you have a brand we want it in the book, then if a head of stock gets out of your pasture or one is stolen your brand is known all over the country and you stand a show of getting it back again. On the other hand if your brand is not in the book there will be another estray on the range and no one pays any attention to it. So bear in mind if you have but a few head of work stock send in your brand and have it put in the book.

If you have not already given in your brand please fill out the following blank and mail to J. P. Mayer, North Yakima, Wash., who will be pleased to give any further information that may be desired.

Name.....
Postoffice.....
Brand.....
Where.....
Located.....
Ear Marks.....
Range.....

LOCAL MARKET REPORT.

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LIVE STOCK.

Steer Beef	\$3 50@4 00
Cow Beef	3 00@3 50
Veal, dressed	5 1/2@6c
Hogs, dressed	\$5 50
Mutton, prime	4c

POULTRY.

Chickens, per doz	\$3 00@3 50
Turkeys, live	10c

GRAIN.

Wheat, blue stem	51
Wheat, club	48
Oats, per ton, new	\$23 00
Barley, per ton	\$20 00
Corn, per bu	55
Flour, Puritan, per sack	85
Blue Bell, per sack	80
Flour, 8x Baker, persack	75
Whole wheat flour	85
Hay, Timothy, baled, per ton	\$8 00@9 00
Hay, Alfalfa, per ton	\$5 50@6 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	10@13c
Cabbage	2 1/2c
Hops	13c
Potatoes, per ton	\$20 00
Apples, per box	85c

Estray Notice.

Came to my place on the upper Moxee one brown mare, about five years old face and off hind foot white—no brand visible. Unless called for and charges paid will be sold according to law.

J. W. PECK.

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 Fourth street in said city between the northeast corner of lot No. 3 in block No. 66 of said city, according to the plat thereof on file in the office of the county auditor of Yakima county, Washington, and the northeast corner of said block 66, by the construction of a sidewalk along the west side thereof; said sidewalk to be eight feet wide and laid with planks two inches thick and eight inches wide and surfaced on one side, resting on three stringers, four inches by six inches, and to be laid on the grade marked out and established in front of said block No. 66, as the same appears from the grade stakes and the data of said survey now on file in the office of the city clerk; all material used to be good common fir lumber.

That the estimated cost of said improvement is \$80, and that the cost of the same is to be assessed against the property abutting on said Fourth street and included in the following described assessment district, to-wit: Lots No. 4, 5, 6, 7 and 8 in block No. 66, all of said lots and blocks being according to the plat of said city now on file in the office of the county auditor of said Yakima county; and that protests against said proposed improvement may be filed in the office of the city clerk of said city of North Yakima at any time before 2 o'clock p. m., on the 20th day of March, 1899, and that the city clerk give due and legal notice of said proposed improvement.

Passed the council March 6, 1899.
Approved March 6, 1899.
Attest: H. B. DOUST, Mayor.
[SEAL.] 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 Yakima avenue in said city between the east line of Front street and the east line of Third street in said city, by grading said avenue between said above mentioned points, and the construction of cobblestone gutters on each side of said avenue between said points; said grading and guttering to be as follows: The roadbed of said avenue between said points to be reconstructed, graded and surfaced with gravel to form a perfect gravel road, and to have cobblestone faced gutters three feet wide along each side of said avenue between said points, with vitrified pipe culverts at the intersection of said Yakima avenue and First street and Yakima avenue and Second street in said city, and in all respects in accordance with the specifications and grade established, as appears from the data on file in the office of the city clerk.

That the estimated cost of said improvement is \$675.00, and that the cost of the same is to be assessed against the property abutting on said avenue, and included within the following assessment district, to-wit: Lots 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11 and 12 in block No. 10; lots 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11 and 12 in block No. 30; lots 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11 and 12 in block No. 50; lots 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11 and 12 in block No. 51; lots 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11 and 12 in block No. 51, all of said lots, blocks, streets and avenues being according to the plat of the city of North Yakima, Washington, now on file and of record in the office of the county auditor of Yakima county, Washington.

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1 and 2 Years Old,

which I guarantee absolutely true to name, as I grafted them myself from bearing trees.

Long-Keeping Winter Apples

A SPECIALTY.

Nursery located on Knob Hill. Residence one-fourth mile northeast of hospital, North Yakima, Wash.

State News Items.

There are six hundred cases of measles at Dayton.

Holdups have been of nightly occurrence lately in Seattle.

An immense deposit of lignite coal has been discovered in Asotin county.

Smallpox has made its appearance in Spokane, but it is thought that the disease can be held in check.

The bonds of the newly appointed commissioners of Ferry county have been filed with the secretary of state.

Sheriff Billings, of Thurston county, on the 14th took the dangerous murderer Cronin to the Walla Walla penitentiary strapped to a cot.

The mayor of Olympia is soon to receive the battle flag and pennant, the gift to that city of the crew of the cruiser Olympia.

Hon. J. C. Horr died at Olympia on the 11th from the effects of blood poisoning. Deceased was an old pioneer and a brother of the late Congressman Horr of Michigan.

A. S. Hall, of Olympia, and P. W. Tonneson, of Tacoma, have completed the purchase of 2,500 acres of choice land at Rainier which they intend to plant all in apples.

Toppenish Items.

Toppenish is very quiet now. The farmers are busy seeding.

We notice with pleasure that one of our many bachelors has rented a house. If he was a little older we would be looking for a wedding.

Joseph Mitchell, the trading company's bookkeeper, has gone to Idaho. While here he made many friends. His smiling countenance and hearty laugh will be surely missed.

The poverty social at the church was a very enjoyable affair. The program consisted of songs, instrumental music and recitations. A notable feature of the entertainment was a song by Mrs. N. H. Lillie, a trio by the Misses Bond and Mrs. W. Lawrence and a duet by Mrs. F. Allen and Mrs. Millie Robbins. Mrs. Lillie and the Misses Bond rendered some very excellent instrumental music. The dialogue by Miss Meda McAuliff and Orion Briggs was well rendered and very comical. The recitations by Mrs. Bergen and Miss Myrtle Butler, of Yakima City, were very nice. Our railroad agent, Mr. Shears, gave an exhibition in singing that took the cake. An excellent supper was served after the program.

Glorious News

Comes from Dr. D. B. Cargile, of Washita, I. T. He writes: "Four bottles of Electric Bitters has cured Mrs. Brewer of scrofula, which had caused her great suffering for years. Terrible sores would break out on her head and face, and the best doctors could give no help; but her cure is complete and her health is excellent." This shows what thousands have proved,—that Electric Bitters is the best blood purifier known. It's the supreme remedy for eczema, tetter, salt rheum, ulcers, boils and running sores. It stimulates liver, kidneys and bowels, expels poisons, helps digestion, builds up the strength. Only 50 cents. Sold by Louis O. Janeck, druggist. Guaranteed.

Kinsey sells a fine Jap. tea at the old price, 50 cents.

Tampico Tattles.

Ex-Sheriff Shaw is busy these days hauling his apples to market. He has a lot of fine ones.

The school term is about to close, and already the big boys have dropped out until the girls are complaining that it is real lonesome.

The debating club has resolved itself into a kangaroo court. Last week a case of highway robbery occupied the attention of "His Honor and Bijah," and this week a startling sensation in the shape of a breach of promise suit is promised.

In another week or so the hop proposition will be absorbing as much of the brain and brawn of Tampico that highway robberies and breaches of promise wont be in it all any more.

Notice to Stockholders.

Notice is hereby given that a special meeting of the stockholders of the Wenas Ditch Company will be held at the residence of Christian Stoffer in Yakima county, state of Washington, on the 29th day of March, 1899, at the hour of 2 o'clock p. m. for the purpose of adopting a new set of by-laws for said company. By order of the board of trustees.
J. D. Hrrr,
26-2t Secretary.

We are right in it when it comes to ladies' ready-made skirts and shirt waists in every garment, we are showing. We can recommend the workmanship and also the material to be the best for the money. We invite all the ladies of Yakima county to come in and let us prove our assertions. Ditter Bros., agents for Thomson's glove fitting corsets.

FOR SALE.

A stock of general merchandise, together with the good will of the business. A good opening for the right man. For further particulars inquire at this office.

Closing out old stock of wall paper—50c paper for 20c, beautiful designs, see Grass & Metcalf.

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The largest hotel in the city. Large, well ventilated rooms, newly furnished. Tables furnished with all the luxuries of the season.

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Hats, Caps, Shirts, Underwear and Shoes.

All the latest designs and styles and cheaper than ever before. Call and see. No trouble to show goods. Satisfaction guaranteed.

Respectfully,

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EASTER OPENING!

MRS. G. W. CARY

Announces Her Easter Opening for * * * * *

Thursday, Friday, Saturday,

* March 23, 24 and 25. *

All are Cordially Invited to Inspect these Beauties

MRS. CARY, SECOND ST, NORTH YAKIMA

FOLLOW THE CROWD

And buy your Staple and Fancy

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Yakima avenue, between Front and First streets.

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Fine Club Room in Connection.

High Grade Liquors a Specialty.

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A Change of Economic View.

Observers of the movements of public opinion note throughout the country a change of view on several important economic questions. From being exporters merely of raw materials and foodstuffs, we are rapidly becoming exporters of manufactured commodities, and the fertility of the industrial enterprise among us compels us to seek new markets wherever we may find them. Tariffs that once sufficed for both revenue and protection are now good for neither; for protection is little wanted, and since we have become great manufacturers, it cuts off revenue. Trusts, again, are becoming one of the most prominent of the economic features of the time, and protection is among their supports. These are among the circumstances that are producing a change of economic view—a change so profound as to enforce universal recognition.

William McKinley's name for a dozen years has stood, in the fullest sense, for the doctrine of commercial exclusion. Under his name protection was carried to the highest mark it has ever reached. What he said in his recent speech before the Home Market Club, of Boston, may therefore be recalled as one of the most significant of the utterances that indicate the change of economic view which is everywhere taking place. "We have quit discussing the tariff," said he, "and are turning our attention to getting trade wherever it may be found. We have turned from academic theories to trade conditions, and are seeking our share of the world's markets."

It should be said, however, that the doctrines of protection are not academic theories. They are not theories at all, but intensely practical efforts to obtain particular and special advantages. It need not be denied that there have been some good common results; but they could only be temporary, for there is no principle in this kind of legislation that can have general application, or stand on a permanent economic basis. Since the time has come when we are looking for trade wherever we can find it, and since that is the principle which now and henceforth must govern the nation's economic and commercial policy, it is clear that certain old ideas as to an American economic and commercial policy founded in exclusiveness and different from that of the rest of the world, must give way. It is, indeed, giving way fast. Not the least among the agencies that are widening the range of vision and pushing our horizon to distances hitherto unknown, are the results of the recent foreign war. We are finding the world bigger than it was, and our economic relations with it must have expansion.—Oregonian.

LESSONS IN JOURNALISM.

Joel Shomaker, the well known practical western writer, gives ten written lessons in journalism by mail. He studies the education, character and disposition of every pupil, and writes just what is needed for the reporter, correspondent, editor and author. He gives instructions on preparing and selling manuscripts; suggests local and general markets for literature, and prepares the pupil for active practical work. His lessons on "How to Run a Newspaper" is alone worth the price of the ten weeks' course. Write him at North Yakima, Washington, for full information.

Mrs. Cary will show you the first "flowers that bloom in the spring, trade," on her opening days—Thursday, Friday and Saturday, March 23, 24 and 25.

Additional Local News

Read Mrs. Cary's announcement of opening day of her spring millinery sale in this issue.

M. L. Weston, of Prosser, has lately sold one hundred thousand pounds of wool for shipment to Boston.

With the recent additions that have been made to THE DEMOCRAT's job office, we are now in condition to turn out first-class job work of any description. Give us a trial.

A meeting of the local militia company has been called to meet at the armory on Monday night to consider the proposition of reorganization. A full attendance is desired.

A large number of new settlers are coming into the Yakima valley this spring, due to some extent to the reduced rates. Most of the newcomers are buying farm property. Mr. Granger, we are informed, located twenty-five families last week under the Sunnyside canal.

Yakima county fruit growers feel jubilant at the prospect of an unusually good year before them. They have never had better indications at this season of the year so far as the outlook for a crop is concerned. The severe winter experienced in Oregon and portions of California and in all of the eastern states make it seem absolutely certain that the supply will not exceed the demand, and it is probable that our fruit crop will bring a good many thousands of dollars into Yakima this fall.

J. H. Vißers, who resides in the Moxee, returned from a three months' trip to Holland, Mich., on the 11th, bringing with him eighteen of his countrymen, who expect to find homes in the great Yakima country. The party traveled west on the Great Northern and report that others will follow them later in the month. Mr. Vißers states that the winter has been unusually severe in Michigan and that there has been accordingly much suffering among the poorer classes. Times are still hard throughout the east, he says, and wages extremely low. There are many others, he says, that will come to Yakima as soon as they can sell their farms in Michigan.

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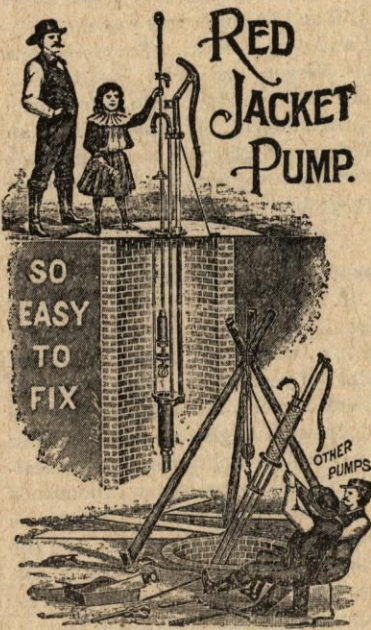
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