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OFFICIAL PAPER OF NORTH YAKIMA.

WE understand that the report is being freely made and circulated throughout the county by our friends, the enemy, that F. H. Colby, the peoples candidate for representative, stands pledged, if elected to the legislature, to vote for Gov. John R. Rogers for the United States senate, in succession to the pe-wee statesman, whose term as a senator from this state, is fast drawing to a close. This charge, THE EPIGRAM is in a position to authoritatively and positively deny: There never was a particle of truth in the statement: its own absurdity ought to refute it in the minds of fair minded men, for the reason that it is a matter of common knowledge in this county, that no one was more surprised to hear of his nomination, than was the candidate himself, as he had in no sense been an active candidate for the nomination—in fact did not expect it. The place being conceded to a Populist, a majority of the delegates of that party concluded that Mr. Colby was the most available man in their ranks and with that belief, his name was submitted to the joint convention. It is rank nonsense, therefore, to talk of the necessity of the candidate's pledging himself in advance on the senatorial question; because even if he had the will, he lacked the opportunity of doing so. The statement also made that Dr. Angus came here and dictated the nomination in the interest of the governor, is another roorback of the same color, for the reason that, as every local Fusion politician knows, Dr. Angus was originally in favor of another candidate, and his influence could not have been so very great, anyway, as he was himself turned down in the convention. The central fact in all this misrepresentation seems to be that the g. o. p. is pretty hard up for campaign material.

IT is a fact very generally admitted in this county that C. R. Donovan, the fusion nominee for treasurer, ought to be, and doubtless will be, elected, to the position for which he is the party's choice. Mr. Donovan has been a resident of this county for the past seven years, and during that time has made a host of friends who have become attached to him through his good qualities of heart and mind. But above and

beyond this, Mr. Donovan is a man of the strictest honesty and integrity. His ability to fill the office with all its intricate duties, no man can question. That he will run the office economically, no one who knows the man will doubt. For four years Mr. Donovan has served the people acceptably as deputy treasurer, on a very meagre salary. When the work has required it, Mr. Donovan has labored fifteen hours a day without extra compensation, and always agreeable and accommodating with the patrons of the office. The people will never turn down such a valuable man on election day. They will promote him according to his due.

THE large and enthusiastic meeting which listened with such rapt attention to our eloquent congressman on Wednesday evening is indicative, if signs go for anything, of fusion success this fall. The oft repeated chestnut of the silver movement being dead, has been rung in the people's ears so much, that some of the least informed might have been excused for believing it; but it is apparent now, that none have done so. The people, too, are intensely interested in a thorough and exhaustive review of the management of the war with Spain. The people are entitled to know all the facts in the case, so that they may place the responsibility where it belongs. We are inclined to doubt the wisdom, however, of dragging this war question into partisan politics.

DANIEL O'CONNER, the wealthy sheep man, and stalwart Republican, of Klickitat county, protests against the Republic dubbing him a Populist. He says he was a Republican before the editor of that paper was born; but, being a man of the people, and sympathizing with them in their efforts to rid themselves of official subserviency to railroads, he is opposing G. H. Baker, the Republican candidate for joint senator, because every vote he cast in the last legislature on bills to reduce freight rates and passenger fares, and to prevent public officials from riding on free passes, was in favor of the railroads. He claims N. B. Brooks, the opponent of Baker, is an excellent man and will carry out faithfully every promise he makes to the farmers of Yakima county.

THE dying statement of Captain Charles A. Worden, company E. Seventh U. S. infantry, attested by a notary public at

Denver, Colo., is in part as follows: "If I die it will be of starvation. At Tampa I was unnecessarily quarantined, and for ten days I was confined in a warehouse without a mouthful to eat. The only character of subsistence that I could find was rejected lemon peels." Captain Worden was a graduate of West Point academy; he had been with the Seventh infantry since 1872, and at the battle of El Caney he was conspicuous for gallantry.—Sunday Oregonian, Comment would be superfluous.

THE Republic this week prints a job-lot of stuff on its front page, with the intention of showing that the present administration of county affairs has been as reckless and extravagant as the old court house ring, that were driven out two years ago. It is understood that these wonderful figures were procured for the organ by a Republican candidate for office, who for some unknown reason, has been allowed to suck the public teat during a Fusion administration. Next week THE EPIGRAM will publish a reliable statement of facts showing which has been the most economical administration—although sensible voters of Yakima, in their own minds, all know that the county is much better off now, than when it was in the hands of the old court house ring.

JOHN L. WILSON, erstwhile United States senator from this state, has been in town lately, looking after his political fences, and conferring with the local detachment of the federal brigade. It is whispered around among the faithful, that the little senator showed some feeling, because of his inability to draw Candidate Englehart out on the senatorial question at the conference of the bosses while others assert that the assurances of tangible support given, were entirely satisfactory to the pugilistic senator.

THE Republic this week announces with the most brutal candor, that from now until the campaign is over that news will have to give way to politics in that paper, and that if fusion subscribers do not like it, they can stop their paper. Pretty independent stand for a newspaper man to take. We'll wager THE EPIGRAM against a yellow dog that our esteemed cotemporary has at last succeeded in getting its hand into the party campaign sack.

Register! Register! Register!!!

Additional Local.

Voters, register.

The county commissioners went to Zillah on Friday to inspect the bridge at that place.

The registration books of the city for the general election November 8th close on the 18th of October. Voters should bear this in mind that if not already registered, do so immediately.

Andrew J. Tigard of Cowychee, the venerable and well known mail carrier, died at his home on Thursday. The deceased was an old resident of this county, and was nearly 70 years of age. The funeral takes place to day.

The Indian Jubilee held Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday of this week was very generally patronized by the siwash. The races were good and the Indians seemed to be satisfied with the purses presented. They had some very fast horses as a number of Yakima sports found out to their sorrow.

The regular October term of commissioners' court commenced on Monday of this week, and the board has been principally occupied in hearing petitions for new road. The tax levy for the coming year has been fixed at 12 mills. The total amount to be raised is \$77,411.12; property valuation, \$6,450, 540. Of this levy 6.37 mills is for county purposes, and 5.63 for the state.

To say that our hotels and eating houses were overrun during the fair would be putting it mildly. At Ditter & Mechels restaurant 24 people were kept constantly employed, and as many as 1100 people were fed in a day. At the Bartholet hotel the waiting throngs at meal time, would extend from the dining room floor clear in to the streets and people waited their turn like customers in a barber shop.

The Indian jubilee, owing to the great interest taken in the fair was some what neglected this year. Matt Bartholet and Stanley Coffin who are hi-yu skukum men among the siwash had charge of the races and distribution of prizes, which included saddles, blankets, guns etc. Wonderful time was made in some of the races, the 4 mile race was run in 8 minutes, 10 seconds, while a one-fourth dash was made in 25 seconds.

Two track fakirs known as Donaldson and Empey who own the race mare Lolo on Wednesday jobbed a number of local sporting men out of about \$250 by inducing them to bet that Lolo would beat an Indian's horse in a mile dash. The race was run and the siwash won, as the result of Lolo's being held back. A first class row was narrowly averted at the outcome. The fakirs, with their ill-gotten gain, left for the Dalles the same night.

Fred Miller the popular attorney received notice this week of his appointment by the Adjutant General to a position on the Government staff, with the rank of Lieut. Colonel. It is said that when not engaged in receiving the congratulations of his many friends, the newly fledged officer has been kept busy looking up information as to what is required of a man in such an exalted station. We will volunteer to answer the question Colonel—You must be nice to the ladies.

Try a suit of Thomas' Clothing. Elegant goods for the money.

Best goods for the money at Thomas'.

Fair Races.

We give below the fair races for Thursday, Friday and Saturday. The races for the first three days of the fair were reported in the last issue of the EPIGRAM.

Thursday:—Trot; 2:17 class, purse \$200. Altonette won. Best time, 2:29½; Coral second. Road race, purse \$25. Fay won. Kisbar second; time, 2:42. Two-year-old, ½ mile dash, Flamdosa won—time, :57, purse \$50. Four and one-half furlong; dash Kitty Brady won; time :57. Special, saddle race, prize saddle donated by Fisher & Mabry; Abraham Lincoln won; time, :50½.

Friday:—Twenty two pace, purse \$200, Stamenix won; time, 2:22¼. Two forty trot, purse \$200, Baby Ruth won; Birdalex second, time, 2:31. Running race, Seattle Derby, 1 mile. Navy Blue won, Baby Ruth second, Gold Bug third, time 1:44.

Saturday:—Two sixteen pace, purse \$200; Atlas won; Stamenix second, time, 2:18. Special trot, purse, \$200, Stoccatto won, Lauretta second, Altonette third, time 2:26¼. Three fourths mile dash, special purse \$75. Ida H won, Nerosa second, time 1:16. Four and one-half furlong, special purse \$62.50, Twister won, Mark Hanna second, Brownie third time, :55¾.

Back From Klondike.

Ex-sheriff Dan W. Simmons returned home from Klondike last week, appearing to be none the worse for the wear for the four-teen months of hardships and exposure which he experienced in the far north. Mr. Simmons stated in substance to an EPIGRAM reporter that Klondike was a greatly overrated and overdone camp and that but one man out of a thousand in there had made large strikes. Judge Morford, he said, was the only Yakima man who had made a big haul, although he himself had done fairly well in some business enterprises outside of mining. He further stated that he was having development work done on a promising claim which might call him back in the spring. Mr. Simmons and family will shortly remove to Seattle for the winter at least, where Mr. Simmons expects to engage in a lucrative business.

Go to Moore & Moore for school books.

Buy your suit of Dills, he gives a school bag free with each suit.

We handle the Geo. S. Parker, fountain pens—Moore & Moore the stationers.

Glosing out sale, for 30 days, of ladies misses and childrens hosiery, corsets underwear, etc, at The Wonder.

For every 50c purchase at Moore & Moore you get a ticket on the elegant piano to be given away January 1st 1899.

Underwear for men, women and children at Ditter Bros.

Horses for the European Market.

The following is an extract from the address of F. J. Berry of Chicago before the farmers' institute at Springfield, Ills.:

I will divide the export demand into five different classes:

First.—Drivers and coaches, which must be well bred, of good color, from 15.3 to 16½ hands, with fine head and neck, plenty of bone and substance, with good knee action and plenty of quality. They must be good travelers, and if they have speed all the better. This class of horses has already advanced very much in price and very

A Quaint Picture of Harvey.

"He (William Harvey) was not tall, but of the lowest stature, round faced, olivaster complexion; little eye, round, very black, full of spirit; his hair was black as a raven, but quite white 20 years before he dyed. I have heard him say, that after his booke of the Circulation of the Blood came-out, that he fell mightily in his practice, and that 'twas beleevod by the vulgar that he was crack-brained; and all the physicians were against his opinion, and envied him; many wrote against him. With much ado at last, in about 20 or 30 yeares time, it was received in all the Universities in the world; and, as Mr. Hobbes sayes in his booke 'De Corpore,' he is the only man, perhaps, that ever lived to see his owne doctrine established in his lifetime.

"He was much and often troubled with the gowte, and his way of cure was thus; he would then sitt with his legges bare, if it were frost, on the leads of Cockaine house, putt them into a payle of water, till he was almost dead with cold, and betake himselfe to his stove, and so 'twas gonne. He was hotted-headed, and his thoughts working would many times keepe him from sleepeing; he told me that then his way was to rise out of his bed and walke about his chamber in his shirt till he was pretty coole, i. e., till he began to have a horror, and then returne to bed, and sleepe very comfortably."—Aubrey's "Lives."

She Paralyzed 'Em.

Counsel—What is your age, madam? Witness—Forty-seven, sir.

Counsel—Married or single?

Witness—Single. I never had an offer of marriage in my life, and if it is of any interest to the court I don't mind saying that I have worn false hair for nearly 30 years.

Counsel—Hem! That is all, madam. There is no use trying to shake the direct testimony of so truthful a woman as you are.—London Tit-Bits.

Imaginary Dangers.

Nervous Old Lady (to deck hand)—Mr Steamboatman, is there any fear of danger?

Deck Hand (carelessly)—Plenty of fear, ma'am, but not a bit of danger.—Harlem Life.

Wilson's is the place to buy fresh fruit.

YAKIMA NURSERY,

J. A. WATERS, Proprietor.

I Offer for Sale a Stock of

75,000 Choice Trees

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 Kuob Hill. Residence one-fourth mile northeast of hospital, North Yakima, Wash.

For Sale Cheap.—\$1200.

A neat little ranch of 14 acres, half mile from town. Good land; good improvements, including orchard. This a snap. Enquire at EPIGRAM OFFICE.

How is Your Wardrobe?

Need a new Fall or Winter Suit, don't you? I can fix you out in a handsome, neat-fitting tailor made suit at very satisfactory prices.

Suits from \$9 Up.

A new line of samples in the latest patterns, just received. Call and examine them.

Henry Pressey.

Also bear in mind that I handle the celebrated Prosser Mills Flour—none better. One tried, always used. Always on hand a large stock of Mill Feed, Hay and Grain. Free delivery, in the city.

Yakima Feed Store,

HENRY PRESSEY, YAKIMA AVENUE, NO. YAKIMA

Mattoon's Livery and Feed Stable.

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

J. P. MATTOON, Proprietor.

A. H. STRUBIN. F. D. CLEMMER

O. K. Tonsorial Parlors.

STRUBIN & CLEMMER, Props.

Hot or Cold Baths, Only 15c.

Vapor Medical Baths, 35c.

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

Basement Janeck building.

For Sale Cheap!

Thirty acres of fine agricultural land in the rough, under the Selah Valley ditch. Cheapest buy in the county. A real snap. For further particulars inquire at THE EPIGRAM office.

Farm for Sale.

A neat and highly cultivated ranch of 15 acres one-half mile from town; 7-room cottage house, a good barn and other out-buildings; 6 acres in orchard, 7 acres in alfalfa, good water right. For sale cheap. For further particulars, inquire at EPIGRAM office.

THE OUTSIDE WORLD

The latest news confirm the report that the emperor of China has been assassinated. Foreign residents are being subjected to great indignities.

On the 1st inst. the coast of Georgia and South Carolina was swept by a tornado in which an immense amount of property was lost.

A million dollars worth of property was destroyed by fire at Colorado Springs on the 30th. ult.

Col. W. J. Bryan is sufficiently recovered from his attack of fever to return to his regiment.

The Washington State Journal and the Palladium, published at Olympia have consolidated—Chas. E. Cline will be the editor.

The president has appointed Dr. David I. Hill, of Rochester, N. Y., first assistant secretary of state.

General Calixto Garcia has accepted a position with the American administration in Cuba.

The form of government decided upon for Hawaii is to be territorial, and she will be allowed one representative in congress. Hawaii will have a legislature and make her own laws.

The Union Iron Works, San Francisco, will build one of the new coast defense monitors at a cost of \$875,000.

Henry George has declined the nomination for governor on the democratic ticket in New York.

Senator Matthew S. Quay the great Republican politician, is under arrest in Philadelphia for bank wrecking.

Hon. James Hamilton Lewis opened the Fusion campaign at Spokane on the 23rd inst. by an address to an audience of over 2000 people.

The Baltimore and Petrel, two vessels of Dewey's fleet have been ordered to Tien-Lsin as a safeguard. Foreign fleets are assembling at that point.

Henry W. Corbett has been named by the Republicans as U. S. Senator from Oregon.

W. H. Harvey ("Coin") has been tendered the position of general manager of the National Democratic committee, and has accepted the trust.

The reported intention of the United States to retain the whole of the Philippines has created almost a stall of stupefaction in Madrid.

Theodore Roosevelt on Oct. 4 announced his acceptance of the republican nomination for governor of New York.

It has been decided to revive the grade of vice admiral to be filled by the promotion of Admiral Dewey.

The battleship Wisconsin is to be launched from the Union Iron Works, San Francisco, Nov. 26.

The rumored combine between shipbuilders, armor manufacturers and gun makers is denied by managers of leading iron works plants.

The big sugar beet factory at LaGrande, Oregon, started up its machinery and commenced grinding on the 4th.

LaGrande people are arranging for a grand jubilee.

On the first ballot for U. S. senator in the Oregon legislature on Oct. 4th., ex-

senator Henry W. Corbett the republican caucus nominee received 36 votes 11 less than a majority.

The new battleship Illinois was launched at Newport News, Va., on Oct. 4th. Miss Nancy Leiter, of Chicago, christened the great vessel. When finished the Illinois will be the largest and most powerful ship in the American navy.

Gov. Budd of California has announced that Mrs. Cordelia Botkin must go to Delaware for trial for the murder of Mrs. Dunning and Mrs. Dean.

The Spanish government has authorized the sale of Spanish gunboats lying in Cuban waters to South America countries.

At the election held in Georgia Oct. 5 the Democratic ticket was successful, defeating the Populist-Republican fusion ticket by 70,000 majority.

The annual fruit fairs at Spokane and Walla Walla opened on Tuesday. Large crowds were present.

The Delaware Indians have purchased 10,000 acres of land in Mexico, and will leave Indian Territory for their new home at an early date.

Go to Schindler's jewelry store for the correct time. 52

The best of meats all on hand at the Yakima Meat Co's. market. *

Look up our new line of dress goods, from 29c up at Ditter Bros. 52

G. W. SUTTON, Contractor and Builder.

Estimates made on Brick and Stonework, Plastering, etc.

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North Yakima, Wash

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Physician and Surgeon.

Office, rooms 2 and 3, Janek block, North Yakima. Office hours, 9 to 12 a. m., 2 to 5 p. m.

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Physician and Surgeon.

Over Wallace-Coburn Hardware Co's, North Yakima. Office hours, 9:30 to 11:30 a. m., 2 to 4:30 p. m. Rheumatic affections and diseases of women a specialty.

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Dentist.

Successor to Dr. W. H. Hare. Over Postoffice North Yakima.

H. J. SNIVELY, FRED MILLER,
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Attorneys at Law.

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Office over First National Bank, North Yakima, Wash. Office hours, 11 to 12 a. m., 2 to 5 p. m.

Notice of Closing Poll-Books.

Notice is hereby given that the Poll Books for the Registration of Voters in the City of North Yakima, State of Washington, will be closed for the purpose of organization for the General State and County Election to be held on the 8th day of November, 1898, on the 18th day of October, 1898, at the hour of 5 o'clock p. m. Dated at North Yakima, Washington, October 5th, 1898. H. B. DOUST, City Clerk of the City of North Yakima, Washington.

Notice—Sheriff's Sale of Real Estate.

In the Superior Court of Yakima County, State of Washington. D. M. Drumheller, plaintiff, vs. Sam Vinson and Martha E. Vinson, his wife, and P. Greenberg, defendants. Under and by virtue of an order of sale issued out of the above named court in the above entitled action on the 5th day of October, 1898, pursuant to a judgment and decree of foreclosure rendered in said court on the 3d day of October, 1898, in favor of D. M. Drumheller, plaintiff, and against Sam Vinson and Martha E. Vinson his wife, and each of them, for the sum of seven hundred and twenty-five dollars, with interest thereon at the rate of one and one-fourth per cent per month from October 3d, 1898, until paid; the further sum of fifty dollars as attorneys' fees and cost of suit taxed at \$11, which said judgment is a judgment of foreclosure of a certain mortgage in which the sale is ordered of the following described real estate in Yakima county, state of Washington, to-wit: Lots 15 and 16 in Block 133 in the city of North Yakima, Washington, according to the original plat thereof now on file in the office of the county auditor of said Yakima county. Notice is hereby given that on Saturday, the 8th day of November, 1898, at 2 o'clock in the afternoon of said day, I will sell the above described property to satisfy said judgment, costs, interest and accruing costs. The sale will take place at the front door of the court house in the city of North Yakima, Yakima county, state of Washington, at public auction, for cash in hand, to the highest and best bidder. Dated at North Yakima, Washington, this 5th day of October, 1898. A. J. SHAW, Sheriff of Yakima county, Washington. H. J. Snively & Fred Miller, attorneys for plaintiff. oct8nov5

LODGE DIRECTORY.

MODERN WOODMEN OF AMERICA.—North Yakima Camp No. 5550. Meets 1st and 3d Tuesdays of each month at 8 p. m. in Allen's Hall. Visiting neighbors welcome. M. L. Matterson, Venerable Consul. W. P. Guthrie, Clerk.

F. A. M., YAKIMA LODGE NO. 24.—Meets every 1st and 3d Saturday each month. Dr. P. Frank, Master. Guy C. Wallace, Sec.

I. O. O. F., Yakima Lodge No. 22.—Meets every Tuesday evening at Masonic hall. Timothy Lynch, N. G. A. E. Larson, V. G. A. S. Dam, Sec.

K. of P. North Yakima No. 53.—Meets every Wednesday evening at Masonic Hall. James Coe, C. C. August Hommel, V. C.

A. O. U. W., Yakima Lodge No. 29.—Meets every Monday evening at Masonic hall. C. M. Houser, M. W. F. M. Spain, Recorder.

B. P. O. Elks.—Meet First and Third Thursday evening of each month at Masonic hall. W. H. Hare, E. R. A. D. Sloan, Sec.

WOODMEN OF THE WORLD, Yakima Camp No. 89.—Meets every Wednesday night at 8 p. m., at Allen's hall. Harry Mull, Consul Com. J. A. Waters, Clerk.

FRATERNAL AID ASSN.—Meets first and fourth Thursdays in the month at Dr. Graves office. A. H. Strubin, Pres. O. M. Graves, Sec.

PATRIOTS OF AMERICA, Yakima Lodge No. 1.—Meets every Saturday evening at Allen's hall. E. B. Preble, First Patriot. A. B. Flint, Rec.

KNIGHTS of the McABEES.—Meets third Friday of each month. E. E. Briggs, Com. W. J. Aumiller, R. K.

DEGREE OF HONOR.—Meets second and fourth Mondays at Masonic hall. Kate E. Spain, C. of H. C. M. Hauer, Rec.

G. A. R. Mead Post No. 9.—Second and 4th Saturday of each month. Allen's hall. Wm. Badger, S. C. J. P. McCafferty, J. C.

Womens Relief Corps.—Meets 1st and 3d Saturday at Allen's hall. Mrs. Emily Chambers, Pres. Mrs. C. J. Osborne, Sec.

Sons of Veterans.—Meet every 2d and 4th Saturday in the month at G. A. R. hall. W. L. Jones, Capt. Geo. N. Nesly, 1st Sgt.

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 and Seventh Street in said City by the construction of a sidewalk along the South side of said Yakima Avenue in front of lot 8 in Block No. 131 in said City according to the plat thereof on file in the office of the County Auditor of Yakima County, Washington, and along the west side of said Seventh Street in front of lots No. 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6 and 7 in Block No. 130 according to said plat; said sidewalk to be eight feet in width and to be laid with planks two inches thick eight inches wide and eight feet long, surfaced on one side, and resting on three stringers, four inches by six inches; said sidewalk to be laid on the grade marked out and established in front of said lots and lands as the same appears from the grade stakes; all material used to be good common fir lumber.

That the estimated cost of said improvement is \$160.00 and that the cost of the same is to be assessed against the property abutting on said sidewalk and included in the following described assessment district, to-wit: Lot 8 in Block No. 131 and lots 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6 and 7 in Block No. 130 according to said plat of said City of North Yakima.

That protests against said proposed improvement may be filed in the office of the City Clerk of said City of North Yakima, at any time before 2 o'clock p. m. on the 17th day of October, 1898, and that the City Clerk give due and legal notice of said proposed improvement.

Passed the Council Oct. 3, 1898. O. A. FRICKER, Mayor. Attest—H. B. DOUST, City Clerk.

Assessment Notice.

Assessment roll of the lots in Local Improvement District No. 4, as created and established by Ordinance No. 273, 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 such sidewalk and for the assessment of the cost thereof on the property benefited by such improvement, and for the collection of such assessment," approved September 10, 1898, 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 lands being within 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.	Assessment.
6	32	Martha B. Culver	\$8.18
7	32	Frank D. Black	\$8.18
8	32	Frank D. Black	\$8.18
9	32	Frank D. Black	\$8.18
10	32	R. W. Sample	\$8.18
11	32	R. W. Sample	\$8.18
12	32	R. W. Sample	\$8.18
13	32	Unknown Owner	\$8.18
14	32	Unknown Owner	\$8.18
15	32	W. L. Steinweg	\$8.19
16	32	W. L. Steinweg	\$8.19

State of Washington, County of Yakima: ss E. O. Keck, A. H. Wilgus and J. C. Liggett 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. 4 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, A. H. WILGUS, J. C. LIGGETT.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 4th day of October, 1898.

(Seal) H. B. DOUST, City Clerk of North Yakima, Wash.

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 17th day of October, 1898, 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 and be heard with a view to the amendment of the same.

Dated this 4th day of October, 1898. H. B. DOUST, City Clerk.

Oct. 4-Oct 15.

Contest Notice.

United States Land Office, North Yakima, Wash., Oct. 3, 1898. A sufficient contest affidavit having been filed in this office by Wilhelm Henning, contestant, against James White; Desert Land entry No. 441, made Feb. 28, 1893, for S W 1/4 section 34, Township 10 N., Range 23 E, by James White, contestant, in which it is alleged that said entryman has wholly failed to submit before the local land office any proof of expenditure on said land for the irrigation, reclamation or improvement on said land, or any part thereof, or for the purchase of a water right to irrigate the same, by way of affidavit of himself and two credible witnesses, or at all, since March 2, 1896, that said land is desert in character, and in its wild state, and no work or improvement of any kind has been done on said land by said entryman or by any one in his behalf; that said entryman has wholly abandoned said land and has moved out of and ceased to be a citizen of the state of Washington, said parties are hereby notified to appear, respond and offer evidence touching said allegation at 10 o'clock a. m. on Nov. 10, 1898, before the Register and Receiver at the United States Land Office in North Yakima, Washington.

The said contestant having, in a proper affidavit, filed Oct. 3, 1898, set forth facts which show that after due diligence, personal service of this notice can not be made, it is hereby ordered and directed that such notice be given by due and proper publication.

WALTER J. MORTON, Register and Receiver.

To Cure Constipation Forever. Take Cascarets Candy Cathartic. 10c or 25c. C. C. C. fail to cure, druggists refund money.

PERSONAL POINTERS

Register before it is too late.

Isaac Hays and family left Monday night for a month's visit at Milan, Missouri.

County superintendent Plumb left on Thursday to visit the country schools, and will therefore not be in his office as usual to day, (Saturday).

Mrs. J. C. Truitt, of this city, on Friday received from the Woodmen of the World a draft for \$3000, the amount of her late husband's policy in that order.

Rev. S. Hornbrook, late of Yakima City, has left for Portland to finish his course in the Methodist University. His wife in the meantime will reside with her parents in Goldendale.

D. W. Simmons and family contemplate soon removing to Seattle where Mr. Simmons will engage in business.

Sheriff Wyneger, of Ellensburg was in the city Friday last doing the state fair.

Henry Stover, of Lanark, Ill., arrived the first of the week to join the Dunkard Colony.

W. J. Roaf has received the news of the death of his brother-in-law Chas. P. Johnson, who died at his home in Chicago Sunday last.

P. Hardman, J. Hardman and J. Taylor, of Roslyn, was doing Yakima the first of the week.

Miss Hoover, of Tacoma, has been visiting her sister, Mrs. J. P. Terrill, for the past week.

Mark Shields and Jos. Parks, of Ellensburg were in town the first of the week.

L. F. McConihe, expostmaster of Roslyn, came down the first of the week to make proof on his desert claim.

W. D. Clark of Sunnyside has been a county seat visitor this week.

Nelson Rich, the well known railroad contractor, was in town the first of the week.

O. A. Fechter left for the sound Thursday night on a short business trip.

E. A. Shannafelt, of Tampico, was in town Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. G. M. Needles left Tuesday night for Walla Walla to attend the Fruit fair.

Mrs. Etta Smith, of Grants Pass, Oregon, a sister of Mrs. G. M. Needles, arrived Saturday night for a month's visit with relatives in Yakima.

John C. Gibson was a Seattle visitor this week.

Born, to Thos. Smith and wife, in this city October 4, a son.

Mrs. T. R. Fisher has received the sad intelligence of the death of her mother at Abilene, Kansas.

E. Denton has returned with his family from Medford, Ore., satisfied that there is no place like Yakima, and has again taken up his residence on his farm in the upper Natchez valley.

The Morford ranch is to be leased this fall and Mrs. Morford and family will join the judge at Dawson City.

Malcolm McLennan and wife left on Wednesday for Chicago, where they will spend the winter.

and Mrs. H. B. Scudder are in San Francisco visiting their son Capt.

Marshall Scudder, of company B, who will shortly sail for Manila.

B. T. Larsen, of the Burg, was a Yakima visitor Tuesday.

State Fair Gate Receipts.

The gate receipts for the different days of the fair were as follows:

Monday	\$145.50
Tuesday	\$267.50
Wednesday	\$376.25
Thursday	\$612.50
Friday	\$944.25
Saturday	\$230.75
Tickets sold by drugstores	\$173.00

Total \$2749.75

If you intend buying an overcoat, don't overlook the fact that Dills has the largest stock ever shown in town. Price to suit your pocket book.

MRS. A. I. WATSON.

Test Medium and Palmist.

Gives life readings, past, present and future. Readings to ladies only. Office at the Lillie House. 41

Clearance sale of ladies', misses' and children's underwear, hosiery, corsets, etc., at The Wonder. 52

Try Redfield's for spectacles.

We are closing out our entire stock of shoes at greatly reduced price. We intend to retire from business. Lee's Shoe Store. 52

Dittler's—the place for ladies' mackintoshes, cheap. 52

Go to Shuk for all kinds of bicycle repairs. Shop rear of Sawbrige's hardware store. 45

\$500 Reward.

For any case of Rheumatism that can not be cured with Dr. Drummond's Lightning Remedies, internal and external; relieves at once; cure guaranteed. Restores stiff joints, drawn cords and hardened muscles. If your druggist has not got it, do not take anything else. Send description of your case, take the agency, and secure your own treatment free. Drummond, Medicine Company, 84 Nassau Street New York.

T. G. Redfield.

New Goods,

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And a Large Stock of

Watches,

Clocks and

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Come and Examine.

Seeing is Believing.

Yakima Avenue.

North Yakima,

Washington.

T. G. REDFIELD.

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. T. MYERS

METCALF & GRASS.

(SUCCESSORS TO A. S. JOHNSON & CO.)

Paints, Oils and Glass

Wall Paper, Room and Picture Moulding. Pictures Framed to Order. Call and see us.

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Knows All There Is To Know, About WATCHES



Buys them cheap and sells them right, and guarantees them one and all. First class work solicited.

The First Street Jeweler.

ST. PAUL & TACOMA LUMBER COMPANY.

Yards at North Yakima, Toppenish and Prosser.

WE CARRY A MOST COMPLETE STOCK OF

LUMBER. LUMBER.

Lath, Posts, Lime, Plaster, Hair and Cement. Shingles, Sash, Doors and Mouldings, Spruce Berry and Fruit Boxes. Prompt delivery. First class stock. Mill at Tacoma.

Special Prices on Car Lots at Suburban Points.

C. A. Anderson, Gen., Mgr. North Yakima.

TELEPHONE NO. 20.

C. H. DENLEY, Res Mgr
Prosser Wash

D. R. McDONALD, Res Mgr
Toppenish, Wash.

TEA COFFEE BUTTER OUR SPECIALTIES.

We take great pains in buying to select the best goods on the market, and make a specialty of FINE TEAS AND COFFEES. We want your trade in these goods; and we also want your butter trade, offering as an inducement the celebrated MOXEE CREAMERY BUTTER and other first class makes. Try them.

GREENE MERCANTILE COMPANY,

CORNER YAKIMA AVE AND FIRST ST.

Lowe Lodging House,

ROBT. ROUTLEDGE, Prop.

A first-class house, complete in every department.

Rooms 25 to 50 Cents. Special Rates by Week

Brick block near depot.

Your Money's Worth

That's What You Get

When you trade with me. I carry a line of first class Staple and Fancy Groceries, Fruits, Candy and Nuts, Tobaccos, also furnish all kinds of soft drinks. I have just received a large quantity of Fine Sorghum—this year's make. Goods promptly delivered. Give me a call, at the old stand.

YAKIMA AVE.,
NORTH YAKIMA.

Henry Wilson.

OF LOCAL INTEREST

The Vienna is now headquarters for Frazer's creamery butter, 57 cts a roll.

Mayor Fechter is building a tasty five room cottage for rent on his property on North Third street.

The Yakima Orchestra and the Artistic association gave a dance at Mason's on Tuesday night at which a good time is reported by those in attendance.

A new track is being put through the railroad yard to accommodate the increasing business at this station. Reed and Tucker are doing the grading.

Robert Cassin, of Cle Elum, formerly of Yakima, died last Friday in a Tacoma hospital, from the effect of sickness contracted while prospecting in Alaska.

Last Saturday's Seattle Times contained an excellent write up of the Yakima valley. The article was enlivened by a number of street scenes in North Yakima.

Auditor Flint on the 30th. issued a marriage licence to Harry C. Weaver and Maude R. Welty, of Ellensburg. This is the couple who were married at the fair grounds on Friday.

Christ Miller is making arrangements to take his extensive collection of curios east for exhibition and sale. Mr. Miller probably has the finest single collection of Indian relics in the northwest.

Jack Freeman, F. J. Maple and Robert McCarty were up before commissioner Howlett this week charged with selling liquor to Indians and were bound over to the United States court at Walla Walla.

Sheriff Shaw peremptorily stopped all street gambling in the city on Friday and all brace games on the fair ground Saturday morning. The fakirs all made a very vigorous kick, but they all had to go.

Snow has made its appearance on the foot-hills of the Cascades at a much earlier date than usual, and the old settlers and weather prognosticators are prophesying an early winter with an over abundance of snow.

Special Deputy sheriff, Nat Yeats on Wednesday captured the Indian who stole Ed Bland's saddle off of his horse, which was tied on the street last Tuesday evening. The thieving siwash when captured was hawking the saddle about in the country endeavouring to sell it.

The two store rooms north of the Hotel Bartholet are being overhauled and repainted. The Singer sewing machine agency of J. P. Mayer will occupy the smaller building, while the room now occupied by Mr. Mayer has been leased by parties who will start a notion store.

Two Indians were stabbed Wednesday evening in a drunken row which took place in a siwash camp west of the fair grounds. Sheriff Shaw went out the same night and arrested the two offenders and lodged them in the skookum house. The wounds of the two Indians are not regarded as serious.

Thomas Reed and Wm. Adkins walked into the New York store on Saturday and asked to see neckties. They were shown a number, but being hard to suit called for other samples and when the clerk's back was turned, they were seen to cache away several in their pockets. An officer appearing at the opportune time, the light fingered gentry were

turned over to him. On Monday at their trial before Justice MacCrimmon they were found guilty and given thirty days in the county jail. In the same court on Wednesday Ely Harris, in whose possession a part of the goods stolen from Coffin Bros store was found, was likewise given thirty days in the county bastille.

C. A. Anderson, the Yakima manager of the St. Paul & Tacoma Lumber Co., shipped to the sound last week, twelve head of draft horses, which were on the whole probably the finest band of horses that ever left Yakima. Their combined weight aggregated 17890 pounds. They will be used by the Mill company in hauling logs out of the timber.

Last Friday a British Columbia Indian named Louis Jocks was tried in Justice Moulton's court on a charge of assault and battery committed on an Indian woman from the same locality. He was muled in the sum of \$20.80, fine and costs, and on Tuesday of this week another Indian named Sam Wannato was tried in the same court on a charge of horse stealing, but the evidence failing to substantiate the allegation, he was discharged.

Marshal Grant has another conundrum on his hands this week. Last week it was the hobbs, now it is Taylor Pyles, the colored individual whose time is principally occupied drinking bad booze; but who occasionally varies the monotony of his hillyous career by beating his wife. He now occupies a cell in the city jail charged with the offense, and as he has been convicted a number of times of the same crime, and has no terror of the light punishment meted out to him, the marshal is at a loss to know what to do with the worthless old vagabond. The whipping post is about the proper thing for wife beaters.

From the beginning of the hop picking season until the close of the state fair last Saturday night North Yakima has been infested with a very large number of undesirable people—boot-leggers, grafters, sure-thing men and God only knows what. There has been but few hold-ups, and but few people have been victimized. This fact is due to the very excellent manner in which marshal Grant and his active corps of assistants, as well as the county authorities have done their work. The people at large owe much to these officers and THE EPIGRAM feels that due recognition should be given them for work well performed. It is safe to say that the toughs forced from the city will not soon again pay us a visit.

Go to Redfield's for correct time.

New invoice of teas at Kinsey's at the old price.

Our motto—good goods at low prices. Correct styles at Ditter Bros. 52

Quit taking medicine for dyspepsia and eat "Vitos" for breakfast. It will cure you. Buy it at Kinsey & Co's. *

Money makes the mare go, but low prices make our goods move. Ditter's

Come and see what we have to offer in groceries. Kinsey & Co. *

The finest line of jackets and capes ever brought to Yakima, will soon be in stock at The Wonder. 52

KEENE, FIRST STREET.
THE JEWELER

Buggies! Buggies!

A Carload of Buggies, Hacks, Road Wagons, Carriages and Phaetons just arrived at Fawcett Bros.

Latest Designs, Lowest Prices, Best Workmanship

Call and see them before buying. Also just arrived a carload of the

CELEBRATED RUSHFORD WAGONS

THE BEST WAGON ON EARTH.

AT FAWCETT BROS.

..Piano Pointers..

BRIGGS, THE PIANO MAN, don't keep a hardware store, therefore he don't sell tin pans; but he has just received two carloads of Musical Instruments that he proposes to sell.

HE HANDLES THE
LUDWIG,

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which has the Finest Touch and the Richest Tone of any Piano Made. All Good Musicians Know and Love the Harrington.

Briggs Sells the Best Organs,

The "Estey" and "Chicago Cottage"

Briggs has also for sale, very cheap, a few good second hand Pianos and Organs. Call in and examine.

BRIGGS, THE PIANO MAN

NEXT DOOR TO YAKIMA NATIONAL BANK.

Would We Dare to Advertise

These prices, if they were not low?

I have Boys' Suits at	\$1.00, 1.50, 2.00, 2.25, 2.50, 3.00, up to \$5.00
Young Men's Suits at	\$2.50, 3.50, 4.00, 4.50, 5.00 up to \$8.00
Men's Suits, extra values, at	\$3.00, 4.00, 5.00, 6.00, up to \$25.00
Overcoats and Mackintoshes at	\$3.50, 5.00, 8.00, up to \$12.50
Boys' Extra Pants at	50c and 75c
Men's Pants at	60c, 75c, \$1.00, 1.25, 1.50, 1.75, 2.00, up to \$5.00
Blankets, per pair, at	60c, 85c, \$1.00, 1.25 up to \$5.00
Working and Dress Shirts, best in town	50c to \$3.00
Men's Gloves	25c, 50c, 60c, 75c, \$1.00, up to \$1.50
Wool and Cotton Socks, per pair	5c to 40c
Hats, Men's and Boys,	25c, 50c, 75c, \$1.00 up to \$3.00
Children's Shoes	25c, 50c, 75c, 85c, \$1.00 up to \$1.50
Misses' Shoes	50c, 55c, 75c, 85c, \$1.00, up to \$2.00
Ladies' Shoes	85c, \$1.00, 1.25, 1.50, 1.75, 2.00 up to \$3.50
Men's Shoes	\$1.00, 1.25, 1.50, 1.75, 1.75, 2.00, up to \$5.00
Men's Underwear	25c, 50c, 75c, \$1.00 up to \$1.50 a garment

Is it not then to your advantage to trade with us?

Yakima ave. **JNO. W. THOMAS.**
Cor. First Street.

THE WONDER

OFFERS TO THE LADIES OF YAKIMA

The Newest and Latest Designs in Millinery, Jackets, Capes,

Cotton and Wool Shirt Waists, Ready Made Skirts and Winter Wrappers, Etc.

CLEARANCE SALE FOR 30 DAYS

of Ladies', Misses' and Children's Hosiery, Corsets, Underwear, etc., at prices that cannot be duplicated. Call and see. One door south Coffin Bros.

Mrs. L. B. Rinehart.

Campaign Speaking.

F. H. Colby and A. J. Shellhammer have been billed to speak at the following points during the coming week.

Parker—Tuesday night Oct. 11th.

Zillah—Wednesday night Oct. 12th.

Sunnyside—Thursday night Oct. 13th.

Mabton—Friday night Oct. 14th.

Prosser—Saturday night Oct. 15th.

The campaign headquarters of the Fusion party have been established on the second floor of the Schlottfeld building.

Superior Court Notes.

Superior court was in session Monday and Tuesday. The time was taken up wholly with criminal cases, which were all continued until the November term excepting the case of the state against Ed Parker, charged with adultery, who pleaded guilty; but sentence was deferred until Monday next. The cases continued were: Stall vs. Frank Romans, sodomy; Oscar Spencer Indian, murder in first degree; Jno. Mayer, assault with intent to kill; David Reagan, burglary; N. H. Lillie, assault with intent to kill; J. M. Smith, forgery, and — Dwyer and Nettie Campbell, arson. This latter case was instituted by Wm. Stobie, of the Sunnyside, who charges the defendants with having set fire to his barn. There will be no jury trials until the November term.

Prosser Paragraphs.

Mr. Clerf, of Ellensburg, was a Prosser visitor last week.

Mr. Stoue has converted Mr. Carey's barn into a blacksmith shop.

The Prosser Public school opened Tuesday with Miss Scofield, of Spokane, in charge of the upper, and Miss Larson, of Ellensburg in charge of the lower room.

Prosser was visited by a "bum" show Tuesday evening, and as usual more than a few were disappointed.

The farmers have commenced hauling wheat, and apparently Prosser is getting her share.

DODO.

Don't forget—We have boys' No. 1, fleece lined underwear at 75c per suit. I. H. Dills & Co.

Against Railway Company.

In the case of the Northern Pacific Railway, appellant, vs. Alcona Miller et al., respondents, the supreme court today handed down a decision affirming the judgment of the lower court. The case involves the title of several thousand acres of land in Klickitat and Yakima counties, upon which qualified persons had been authorized by the United States land department to settle. The decision is against the railway company.

Stock Ranch for Sale Cheap.

245 acres situated in the Natchez Valley, one of the best stock ranches in the county; has a fine feeding ground and is particularly adapted for sheep. All under fence; good spring; 90 acres in alfalfa; good water right; 3 acres good orchard; fair house, with stone cellar. A real snap, price \$3,500. Inquire at EPIGRAM office.

Do you want an acre of good ground in the heart of the city for \$250? Then buy lots 9, 10, 11 and 12 in block 64. Enquire at EPIGRAM office.

Try some of that fine new torghum at Wilson's.

The Hop Market.

The market this week has an upward tendency, and the prices may be quoted at from 14 to 15 cents. Fifteen cents is being freely offered for a first-class sample, but growers are holding for a higher price in a great many cases. A considerable amount of hops are being moved on ice contracts, and a number of sales at 14½@15c are reported. Geo. C. Mitchell, for Llienthal & Co., San Francisco purchased 150 bales from the Geo. Ker ranch at 14½c and J. J. Carpenter, secured a carload of Lombard & Horsley for 15c for eastern shipment.

The hops of the Yakima valley are this year of excellent quality and ought to command the top market price.

PURITAN patent flour gives the best of satisfaction. Do not fail to try it. 41

Latest style ladies' capes and jackets at Ditter Bros. 52

Graham crackers, best quality, just received at Harris grocery. 39

Schindeler's watches are warranted to keep correct time. 52

Can't be duplicated—men's half wool underwear at 50c at Ditter Bros. 52

The Seattle Times is a Daisy. Its managers are not a bit lazy. For they rustle all the news, Which gives competitors the blues, And sets them almost crazy.

—B. N. Coe, Agent.

Go to L. G. Zenovich, on Front street for all kinds of soft drinks, ice cream and the best brands of cigars and tobacco. 40

A. H. WILGUS

Scientific - Horse - Shoer



Special attention paid to Trotters and Gentlemen's horses.

Machinery Promptly Repaired

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Clothing

Blankets, Boots and Shoes, Watches, Revolvers, Shotguns, Rifles, etc., at the

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First st. south of Yakima Hdq. Store.

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Just as soon as the war is over, prices of land will advance. Now is the time to buy a ranch. We have some fine ranches in Wide Hollow and Nob Hill; all sizes; easy terms.

Fine 10-acre ranch near Fair Grounds. Young orchard, just coming into bearing.

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Fine Wines,

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Firstclass Resort. Splendid Service.

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ONLY WHITE HELP EMPLOYED.

We turn out a first rate quality of work and invite your patronage. Our wagon will call for and deliver goods to all parts of the city.

KEENE, THE JEWELER

First Street

Sketch of Nelson B. Brooks.

Nelson B. Brooks fusion candidate for joint Senator in Yakima and Klickitat counties, was born in Lenwell County, Michigan, January 23, 1858, and is there fore, 40 years of age. With his parents he immigrated to the coast in 1875, settling in Washington County, Oregon, where he divided his time by working on a farm and teaching school until 1880, when he removed to Klickitat County and took up a homestead and employed himself in farming and teaching school several years. He was principal of the Goldendale schools during '84 and '85, during the latter year Mr. Brooks was elected to represent his county in the territorial legislature, where he served his constituents most acceptably. On his return he was appointed Superintendent of County schools to fill an unexpired term, and was subsequently twice elected to fill that position, receiving a large majority on both occasions. While a member of the legislature Mr. Brooks took a prominent part in its deliberations, though, but a very young man, he was appointed to the Judiciary Committee and was made chairman of the committee on Education. It was at this session that Yakima County was divided. In 1890 Mr. Brooks was appointed Court Commissioner of Klickitat county by Judge C. B. Graves, since which time he has served the people of Goldendale as councilman, city attorney and mayor in all of which offices he is said to have given the people the utmost satisfaction.

He was commissioned adjutant general of the Second regiment by Gov. Ferry and served in that office for 5 years, was commissioned by Gov. Rogers First Lieutenant of Company C in August 1898. While school superintendent Mr. Brooks devoted a part of his time to the study of Law and was admitted to the bar Oct. 8th, '92, and since becoming an attorney he has successfully fought a number of land cases for settlers against the Northern Pacific railway company. Until the Everett convention Mr. Brooks was a steadfast republican, but when he saw his party drift away from its old moorings and espouse the cause of greed and gold, he firmly refused to longer follow it and done his utmost in his locality to further the fusion cause in the great battle of '96.

Mr. Brooks is a man who, without making any pretensions, is a man of, and for the people. By dint of industry and great perseverance, he has struggled up from an humble place in life to a position where he is trusted and respected by all who know him and if elected to represent this district in the senate he can, we believe, be fully trusted to do all in his power to crystallize into law the reasonable demands of the producers of Yakima county, regarding a reduction of the present exorbitant freight rates.

Courline of underwear before purchasing. I. H. Dills. It

Like a Great Railway

With its branches running in every direction, are the arteries and veins, which convey the blood to every part of the system. When the liver and kidneys refuse to act the blood is prevented from circulation by poisonous acids, and then comes Rheumatism. Dr. Drummond's Lightning Remedy drives these poisons from the blood, and Dr. Drummond's Lightning Liniment restores the stiff joints, drawn cords and hardened muscles. If your druggist has not got these remedies, send to the Drummond Medicine Company, New York, and the full month's treatment of two large bottles will be sent to your express address.

ROADS MEAN ADVANCEMENT.

Ease of Communication Marks the Progress of Civilization.

The movement in behalf of good roads in this and other states and the obstacles it is called upon to overcome are strongly suggestive of the readiness with which we are apt to accept the greatest facilities in communication as matter of course—if indeed we do not quickly come to regard their usefulness with indifference, says the New York Mail and Express. Too many men are controlled by a single idea. They abandon interest in highways because they have canals, or they abandon interest in canals because of railway development, and some day they will vote railways a nuisance because of a perfected flying machine. They fail to appreciate the value of maintaining the best in any and every form of human communication that is worth maintaining at all.

Upon the perfection of every means of communication and transportation rests our progress toward higher civilization and social development. As barbarism is invariably characterized by a lack of adequate facilities for travel and commercial intercourse, so the highest civilization is marked by the greatest advancement in every phase of these. When the Roman empire was at the height of its grandeur, it was distinguished for its roads, which all led to Rome.

In strong contrast with this early civilization was the comparative barbarism of the middle ages, when the feudal barons perched their castles upon inaccessible heights, when roads and bridges were almost unknown, when wheeled vehicles were generally tabooed, when social and mental progress were stagnant and all commerce and reciprocal activity were halted. To the friction of ready intercourse all progress is due. As steam and electricity make a neighborhood of a nation, so improved highways—the first evidences of civilization, because the earliest demonstration of man's desire for easy intercourse with his neighbor—will ever remain the test of progress in the separate communities that go to make up the state.

A generation hence the town or county which has not the most improved highways known to science will be the town or county where the moral and mental standard is lowest. The sign will be unerring.

The farmer who despises the hens is making a big mistake, no matter if he is a big grain farmer or a big stockman. Appearances are deceitful, and the last few years—yes, for many years—the breeder of fowls has made infinitely more money, for the amount of money, care and thought he has put into his business, than some of his more pretentious brethren. I do not see that the prices for fresh eggs and market poultry have fallen much for the average of the year, notwithstanding the low price of corn and oats. Western farmers had better convert more of this grain into poultry products. Manufacture the raw grain into the finished poultry commodities. Manufactured articles naturally bring larger prices than the cruder products. The great point in producing poultry products for critical city markets is to raise the best. A poor article always disappoints both buyer and seller. Away with dunghill fowl! Breed the variety of poultry that best fits the purpose you have in view. Plymouth Rocks and Wyandottes are superb breeds to cultivate for market poultry. Leghorns are fine layers, but of small value for cooking in a pot. The American Wyandotte of a healthy strain doubtless comes as near a good layer and a fine market bird as any other single breed. If a man is to make a specialty of giving the market fresh eggs, let him be sure the eggs are fresh, and reach the market fresh too. If he sells dressed fowls, let him be sure they are fat plump and well dressed. In this way trade will grow on one's hands—Chicago inter Ocean.

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We Pay Cash

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On the Following Conditions

To furnish first class goods at lowest cash prices.
Everything as represented or money refunded.
We sell for cash.
All kinds of produce taken at cash value in exchange for goods.

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A ROUSING MEETING.

Six Hundred People Turn Out to Hear Congressman Lewis.

Wednesday evening, according to appointment, Congressman James Hamilton Lewis addressed the people of Yakima at Mason's opera house. Long before the time the meeting was billed to begin, every available seat in the house was occupied, and the crowd kept surging in until standing room was hard to find.

Judge Preble, chairman of the campaign committee, presided and in a short, but vigorous introductory speech, eulogized the brilliant congressman and paid his respects to the people who have misrepresented and vilified him.

The popular congressman, on being presented, received a splendid ovation. Everyone noticed that the speaker was not looking well, the result of his late serious illness. Mr. Lewis in his opening remarks thanked the people of Yakima for the generous welcome which they always, irrespective of politics, accorded him, and the pleasure it gave him to be here. Then, referring to political matters, he took up the Republican state platform, an instrument which he regarded as most fearfully and wonderfully made.

Referring to criticisms, of himself particularly of the charges made that he had misrepresented the position taken by Representatives Grosvenor, Brunner and Senator Hanna on the position taken by them of opposition to the late war, and particularly in the case of the former, who had stated in congress when the war was well under way, that it was a Republican war. In defence of his position, Mr. Lewis read excerpts from the Congressional Record, New York Sun and Washington Post, showing that these gentlemen in their speeches, had made the exact statements which he had attributed to them. In referring to the conduct of the war department, he gave numerous instances of serious wrongs done to soldiers, through the gross incompetence or criminal carelessness of that department, stating that the most withering criticism that had been passed on Secretary Alger had come from Republicans.

The speaker ridiculed the idea that the people of this country should be prohibited from passing criticism on public officials, whatever their station, saying that when such a condition came about the liberties of the people would be lost beyond recall.

He stated that Mark Hanna and associates had now secured control of the Associated Press, and that it was their purpose to kill off all public men who refused to bow down to Hanna, who is now the absolute ruler of the party, and under whose lead the party is fast drifting the country into imperialism.

Referring to the war tax, Mr. Lewis called attention to many unjust features of the bill, for instance: a duty of 10

cents a pound was levied on the poor man's tea, while the rich man's champagne escaped with but a tax of five cents a bottle.

The congressman then at some length defended the action of himself and political associates in voting against the bond bill, proving that the issue was entirely unnecessary to carry on the war; but the occasion was used as a pretext to serve the monied oligarchy now thoroughly entrenched in power. The eloquent speaker quoted from the speech of acceptance of Governor Pingree, of Michigan, in which that gentleman intimated that birds of prey had captured the Republican house and driven the rightful owners out.

Mr. Lewis' speech received close attention throughout, the audience frequently bursting into applause when a telling point was made, and at the conclusion of the meeting everyone voted the colonel a corker.

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Steer Beef.....	3 00
Cow Beef.....	\$2 50
Veal, dressed.....	3 1/2c
Hogs, dressed.....	6c
Mutton, Prime.....	3c

POULTRY.

Chickens, per doz.....	2 50
Chickens, spring, per doz.....	3 00
Turkeys.....	8 to 9c

GRAIN.

Wheat, blue stem.....	51
Wheat, club.....	48
Oats, per ton, new.....	\$20 00
Barley, per ton.....	\$18
Corn, per bu.....	56
Flour, Puritan, per sack.....	90
Blue Bell, per sack.....	80
Flour, 3 X Bakers, per sack.....	70
Whole wheat flour.....	85c
Hay, Timothy, baled, per ton.....	\$9 00
Hay, Alfalfa, per ton.....	\$5 00 to 6 00

PRODUCE.

Butter, Ranch, per roll.....	50c
" Creamery, per roll.....	60c
Cheese, Native.....	15c
Eggs, per doz.....	20c
Wool, per lb.....	10 to 13c
Cabbage.....	1 1/2
Beets, per 100.....	75c to \$1 00
Plums, per box.....	25c
New Hops.....	10c
Peaches, per box.....	25c to 40c
Potatoes, per ton.....	\$10 to \$12 50
Dried Onions, per lb.....	1 1/4
Watermelons, per doz.....	50 to 75c
Tomatoes, per lb.....	2 1/2
Apples, per lb.....	1c
Cantaloupes, per crate.....	50 to 75c

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