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DIRECT legislation with requisite limitations, while not a panacea for all our ills, as some over zealous people are apt to think, is nevertheless a system that might well be employed in a governmental system, such as ours. In a republic, the presumption is that, the people rule; although as a matter of fact they do nothing of the kind, especially here in our own country. The representative system does not work as smoothly as it did in the earlier history of the country, for many reasons, chief among which is the fact that the conditions of life are so much different than formerly. We live now in an age of extreme selfishness. Everywhere we look we see men endeavoring to enrich themselves by means of legislation. It is too often the case that they succeed. The method adopted is always the same—the debauchery of legislators. An honest man cannot spend a winter in our state capital during a legislative session without the knowledge that a great deal of the legislation that is passed is the result of corruption on a wholesale scale. And in perhaps an equal number of cases he will discover that the class of legislation needed and earnestly desired by the people is impossible to procure for the same reason. This fact ought to be so apparent to the majority of our people as not to need repeating. Direct legislation might not in all cases prove a cure for this dangerous malady, but it would at least be a palliative and in time would doubtless correct radically our whole system of legislation. The main benefit to be derived from the referendum is that in its workings it is necessarily an educator along the lines of popular government, teaching the people what under a truly republican form of government, every citizen ought to know.

LESS than two years ago when the question of holding the Philippine islands first came up, the Oregonian was earnestly opposed to the idea and expressed its sentiments in the following vigorous editorial, to the sentiment of which all anti-imperialists will gladly subscribe. Here is what Col. Scott said in July, 1898: "Already we are in one of the gravest perils of war—the clamor of territorial aggrandizement. The fever of conquest once in the blood is a raging poison hard to allay. We have no further rightful use for the Philippines than as a base of present operations and a hostage pending final settlement. A coaling station let us retain there, but our professions in this war debar us from retention of even Cuba, which is more natur-

ally within our scope than the Philippines. If the war is prolonged, we shall certainly see rapid growth of vehement demand for acquisition of territory we should not take. It may be strong enough to turn the scales of a presidential election. Such an outcome would be in every way to be regretted. If we do not want Cuba, much less do we want the Philippines. There is doubt as to the fitness for self-government charged against the Cubans; but there is no doubt of it as far as the inhabitants of the Philippines are concerned. All the arguments urged against the proposed Hawaiian annexation by thoughtful Americans are applicable with greater force against these tropical Asiatic islands, and they are not met, as the Hawaiian arguments are met, by the fact that Hawaii is in our rightful sphere of influence and essentially American, for the Philippines are not. Our ends in Cuba will be observed as they are in Mexico, Central and South America, by withdrawal of European domination and by recognition of our hegemony. This will even suffice with Hawaii if annexation fails. But in the case of the Philippines we have no such necessities or interests. European possession in Asia concerns us nothing except that we have fair trade facilities. We have there no purpose of offence or defence. At the most a naval and coaling station should be the limit of our desire there. We are not about to enter on a career of foreign conquest, but our position in the world requires us to have naval stations distant from our own shores. We need a naval station in the East Indies, another in the West Indies; and we need Hawaii. All these the fortune of opportunity now offers us. We do not want to keep the Philippine islands, but we should keep a naval station there."

WHEN the "gifted" editor of the Republic runs out of what he assumes to be good argument, he lapses naturally and gracefully into ridicule as his best method of defense. That sophomoric essay of the colonel's on the moral law, having brought forth a chorus of dissent from his readers, its author, in order to square himself, or rather to extricate himself from the pit which he digged for himself, takes occasion to rail at this paper for misrepresenting him. Well! Well! Perhaps the colonel did not mean what he said, and did not intend his polished sentences to be taken literally. We are glad, at any rate, that he has deemed an explanation due the public, if not an apology. It is at least good to know that the colonel views on the moral law are not those of the most intelligent portion of his constituency.

THE esteemed P.-I., making a virtue of necessity, declares, in speaking of the projected visit of Mr. Bryan to this state, that no republican should lift his finger to prevent the visit and that the g. o. p. state

central committee, as a matter of fact, ought to be willing to help defray his expenses. This kind of talk is all buncombe—the veriest rot. In truth, the P.-I. is fearful of the result of this visit, and the same statement is true of the republican press generally throughout the state. The P.-I.'s statement that practically all the Bryan men in this state are "expansionists," is as far removed from the truth as that paper usually is in political matters. The P.-I. had better stick closer to the facts, else it may invite such a castigation at the hands of Mr. Bryan when he arrives, as he administered to the Oregonian a few years ago while in Portland.

THE visit of Hon. W. J. Bryan to North Yakima, which great event is scheduled to take place on the 31st, should be an occasion to be remembered with pleasure by all who are in attendance. To the political followers of the great leader especially, it will be indeed a great privilege to see him and hear his captivating voice, as well as to drink in the wisdom that falls from the lips of one so truly great. It is only the truth to say that no man in the history of this republic—with the possible exception of Abraham Lincoln—ever enjoyed the love and the confidence of so many people as does Williams Jennings Bryan, the great tribune of the American people.

THERE is a great deal of pathos in the appeal of the two Boer presidents in their address to Great Britain to allow their respective republics to retain their independence—a pathos that appeals to the hearts of free men throughout the world. The unfortunate Burghers are a simple, honest, medieval people, but they are brave to the point of madness. They have made a great struggle against overwhelming odds, but fate is against them and they must lose; though their splendid fight for liberty will not be lost upon the world.

UPON the request of General Otis the war department has just purchased fifty additional typewriters which will be forwarded immediately to the Philippines, raising the strength of the battalion of fighting typewriters in the islands to 225, the largest force of the kind ever mustered with an army in the field. When these reinforcements reach him Gen. Otis expects to crush out all opposition from the insurgents on the line of operations before the rainy season sets in.

THE first Declaration of Independence was proclaimed at Philadelphia, July 4, 1776. The second Declaration of Independence will be promulgated at Kansas City, July 4, 1900, and will be the platform of the new democracy.

W. J. BRYAN COMING

To North Yakima On the 31st
Day of March.

The Great Commoner Will Speak
Here On That Date—Will Be
Royally Received.

Considerable excitement and a great deal of enthusiasm was created in this city on Monday afternoon caused by the receipt of a telegram by THE DEMOCRAT from the Hon. Thomas Maloney of Spokane, who is secretary of the democratic state central committee, stating that the great apostle of democracy and of the rights of the common people, would visit North Yakima on Saturday, March 31, and that it was the desire of Mr. Bryan that all of the three parties that had supported his candidacy four years ago should jointly arrange for the meeting.

The above information received on Monday, was supplemented by a dispatch from United States Senator Turner to Gov. Rogers of the same date, which appeared in the Seattle and Tacoma papers of that evening. It has been decided that Mr. Bryan will visit five points in the state on this trip and his itinerary has been arranged as follows: Walla Walla, Thursday March 29; Spokane, Friday the 30th; North Yakima, Saturday 31st; Tacoma, April 2; Seattle, April 3; from the latter city, he will pursue his way south spending about two weeks in Oregon and California, and speaking in the principal cities of those states.

As was stated before, the local adherents of the great statesman, were overjoyed on hearing that their national leader was about to visit them and at

once began planning for a suitable reception. Owing to the wish expressed by Mr. Bryan regarding the management of the affair, it was deemed wise to call a joint meeting of the central committees of the democratic, populist and silver republican parties to arrange and plan for the reception. Owing to the fact that some time was required to communicate with the different committeemen it was decided not to hold this meeting until today.

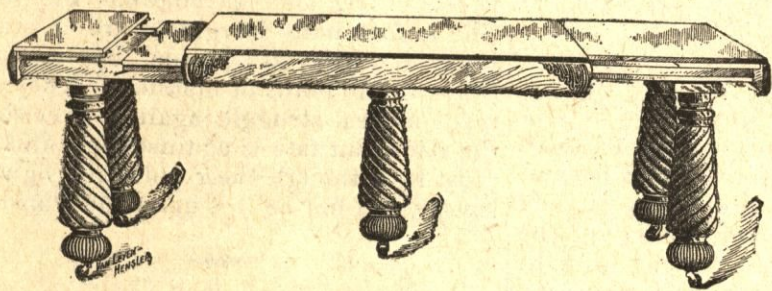
A very large crowd of people are expected to be in attendance, coming not only from the different portions of this county, but from adjoining counties. Some embarrassment was felt at first on account of the fact that we have no hall in this city that is capable of holding over eight or nine hundred people and everyone realized at once that there would be easily ten times that number of people eager to hear the great orator speak.

While nothing in the way of definite arrangements have yet been made, nor will be until the central committees take action, it is generally assumed that an out door meeting will have to be arranged for; in no other way can the public be satisfied, it is thought. The next issue of THE DEMOCRAT will contain more definite information in regard to the arrangements for the reception.

Application has been made to the Northern Pacific Railway company for special excursion rates and while the committee has not yet received a reply, it feels sanguine that a one half fare rate will be made from all points on the line within one hundred miles of this city. Another concession asked for was that the reduced rate might be good for three days, from March 30 to April 1 inclusive.

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A Mining Country With a Bright Future.

D. McD Hunter, secretary and treasurer of the Heather Bell Mining company of Sandon, British Columbia, arrived in the city on Saturday. The gentleman was on his way to the coast cities and stopped over in this city for a few days for the purpose of meeting certain stockholders of his company, who reside in this vicinity, among whom is J. L. Courtwright of Yakima City, who is the vice president of the corporation.

Our mine, said Mr. Hunter, is not yet what you might call a producer, for our development work has not yet put us in contact with the immense ore chutes that are known to exist on our property, but we hope and have every reason to expect that the coming season will enable us to tap the main ore vein, however, and no doubt we will then feel well repaid for the labor and expense involved in making the mine.

There are some twenty-one dividend paying mines in the Slocan district, of which Sandon is the business center which gives our country the reputation of being the best silver-lead producer in the world. Many of the mines of Slocan are fabulously rich and scores of men who went into that country a few years ago with practically nothing, have made big stakes. It is purely a galena ore district. The Sandon basin, said Mr. Hunter, is the wonder of mining men through the world, on account of the rich leads and the number of them that radiate out from a given point.

Concerning the labor troubles that have recently been the cause of so much disturbance, Mr. Hunter stated that the cause of the strikes was due mainly to politics and not so much to the operation of the eight hour law, that has lately come into vogue, as was supposed. While some of the larger mines were shut down at present both in the Slocan and Rossland districts, it was only a question of a short time when they would all be in active operation again.

Among the more developed properties of the Sandon district—a district which may be defined as lying within an area eight miles square, may be mentioned the Payne, Last Chance, Star, Noble Five, Rambler, Sovereign, Madison, Ruth, Donnelly, Rico, Miller Creek, Ivanhoe, Sunshine, Queen Bess, Silver Right, Wakefield Bosum, Molly Gibson, Slocan Boy, Lucky Jim, Ajax and several others, each meriting a probable valuation of from \$50,000 to \$1,500,000.

Next to these come perhaps about twenty younger properties under continuous development and promising to rank in the course of a little time among the more prominent of the above mentioned class. The balance of the area stated is practically all staked and held by annual assessment—the owners waiting on circumstances favorable for development or on the influx of outside capital.

The ore with few exceptions is a silver lead, the silver averaging perhaps 100 ounces to the ton, and the lead about 60 per cent. The Monitor as an exception carrying a certain additional value in gold.

The basin is reached by transportation lines, the Spokane Northern to the southeast and the Canadian Pacific to the northwest, the terminus of each being practically at Sandon.

The characteristic formation comprises strata of slate, lime, quartz, quartzite etc., all on the border of a southern area of granite rocks and in

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interruption of frequent dykes of porphyry. The leads are frequently varied as regards composition, hardness, permanency etc., and in general carry their chutes of economic value in detached and more or less massive bodies.

The School Entertainment.

The work on the school entertainment for the 23rd and possibly the 24th, is progressing finely. About 100 pupils will take part. Rehearsals and drills are good discipline for the children and will be extensively helpful in their future school work, and should be liberally patronized by the public. Funds are much needed to purchase special helps for the grades. C. W. McCurdy, Supt.

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The Treatment and Cure of Female Diseases.

(Extract from the United States health report, Feb. 1, 1899.)

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LATE GENERAL NEWS

During the progress of the builders strike at Chicago, non-union workmen have been given police protection.

The national house of representatives by a strictly party vote on the 9th, unseated G. A. Robbins of Alabama, democrat, and seated the republican contestant Aldrich.

The senate on the 9th, began the consideration of the Porto Rican tariff bill.

An epidemic of smallpox is reported to be ravaging Hinds county, Miss., and 150 deaths have already occurred.

Hon. E. J. Phelps, who was minister to England during the first Cleveland administration, died on the 9th at his home in New Haven, from an attack of pneumonia.

The explosion of a fuse factory at Pompton, N. J., on the 10th, caused the death of four persons and the serious injury of a number of others.

A Manila advice of the 10th states that thirteen Americans were killed in a recent engagement with the natives on the island of Panay.

The annual report of the Indian commissioner, which was made recently, shows that the total Indian population of the country is 297,905.

Gov. Beckham, the democratic claimant to the Kentucky governorship, has issued an order for the organization of a complete militia force.

The army of Field Marshal Roberts reached and occupied Bloemfontein on the 12th. The Boer army is said to be falling back in disorder on Pretoria.

Fourteen persons were burned to death by a tenement house at Newark, N. J. on the night of the 12th.

Reports of wonderfully rich gold strikes are reported from the coast of Siberia opposite Cape Nome.

Congressman Young, democrat of Virginia unseated by the republican majority of the house of representatives on the 12th and the seat given to Wise, the contestant.

The republican senatorial caucus held on the 13th, developed an entire lack of harmony on the Porto Rican question.

Presidents Kruger and Steyn of the South African republics, have formally sued for peace.

Public School Entertainment.

Following is the program of the Maschon entertainment to be given by more than one hundred pupils of the public schools on March 23 and 24 at Mason's opera house.

PART I.

Poem in Pink... 2nd and 3rd grade girls
Dumb Bell Drill... 6th and 7th grade boys
Recitation... Cora Doust
"Sleep Kentucky Babe".....
Saunders Quartet
Long Wand Drill... 5th and 6th grade boys
Concert Recitation... 5th grade boys
Street Waifs... All grades
Good Night Drill... 1st grade girls

PART II.

Ladies Quartet...
Mesdames Horsley, Scow, Baker and Willis
Pictures of Poppies...
5th and 6th grade girls
Song Reign... 4th grade girls and boys
Recitation... Anita Lesh
Indian Club Swinging... 8th grade boys
Vocal Solo... Warren Erwin
Tambourine Drill... 8th grade girls
Song—"I Want My Presents Back"
..... Introducing animated notes

THE BELGIAN HARE.

A New Industry for the Yakima Valley.

A new industry is promised for the Yakima country and while it is yet in its infancy if it develops according to the expectations of its promoters, it may yet become a very important one for this valley, as the climate and conditions are said to be peculiarly adapted for the development of it.

This new industry is that of breeding and growing the Belgian or English hare for the market, which the enthusiastic advocates of the little animal claim will soon develop into a most profitable business for the average Yakima rancher.

Dr. Gordon of this city, who has investigated to some extent the possibilities of profit in the growing of the hare as well as the quality of the meat thus afforded, stated to THE DEMOCRAT this week that he felt sanguine that the hare, especially in these times of high priced meat might be made a most profitable article of commerce for many people in Yakima, as well as afford a cheap and most tempting delicacy for tables of those who might not care to engage in the business of growing it for the market.

Already there are quite a number of these innocent looking little creatures in this valley and the number is increasing very rapidly. Dr. Gordon, himself, has a little herd of thirteen, including the young, while Sydney Noble and H. J. Snively, each are the owners of a pair. Out at Artemesia, J. W. Peck, who by the way was the first to introduce the little animal in Yakima, is the owner of quite a number as is also W. T. Clark, his neighbor.

The meat of the hare, especially when from from three to six months old, broiled is said to make a dish fit for the gods and to far surpass chicken of the same age. When older than six months the meat should be broiled the same as chicken or turkey.

The animal produces very rapidly, a single doe, it is said, at a conservative estimate will produce within a year 250 pounds of meat, the actual cost of raising which is comparatively little as the hare will live, flourish and grow fat on waste produce and barring meat, will eat anything given it. Alfalfa and cabbage leaves are with them a choice article of diet. So it will readily be seen that the cost of raising them is very little. At three months, the young hare will weigh from three to four lbs. and sell readily at about 50 cents.

A man in Los Angeles is said to have made \$15,000 in three years by growing the little animals for market.

The February number of the "Puritan" gives an exhaustive account of this new industry and persons desiring special information on the subject, would do well to peruse it.

Banker Routs a Robber.

J. R. Garrison, cashier of the bank of Thornville, Ohio, had been robbed of health by a serious lung trouble until he tried Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption. Then he wrote: "It is the best medicine I ever used for a severe cold or a bad case of lung trouble. I always keep a bottle on hand." Don't suffer with Coughs, Colds or any Throat, Chest or Lung trouble, when you can be cured so easily. Only 50c and \$1.00. Trial bottles free at L. O. Janek's drug store.

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YAKIMA SHEEP GROWERS

To Send a Delegate to Washington, D. C.

A delegation of local sheep owners, consisting of Messrs. Cameron, Coffin, Frazer and Cleman, waited on the governing board of the Commercial club, while in session last Saturday evening and asked for the financial support of the club for the purpose of aiding the Wool Grower's association in defraying the expense of sending a delegate to Washington at as early date as possible for the purpose of bringing pressure to bear upon the secretary of the interior department and the administration generally, in order to secure a reversal of the secretary's order of last September, in which he peremptorily ordered the sheep off the Mt. Ranier Forest Reserve. Mr. Cameron, who was spokesman for the delegation, stated he had received a letter that day from Congressman Jones, which stated in effect that the outlook was not overly good at this time for a reversal of the order, intimating that Secretary Hitchcock was taking a very decided stand in the matter. This information had a rather alarming effect on local sheepmen and at a council held during the day they resolved to take measures at once to protect their interests.

They were informed that the governing board had no authority to appropriate any funds of the club for such a purpose, but were assured of individual support of the scheme by some of the members present.

The delegation stated that they had as yet, not determined whether it would be best to send a politician or a representative sheepman. That was a question they would determine later, after they had received a reply from Congressman Jones. It is stated by those who are assumed to have inside information, that in case it is definitely decided to send an envoy back to the national capitol in the interest of the sheepmen, that the man selected will in all probability be Col. L. S. Howlett.

Made a Hit With "Ma-Schon."

One of the most unique and pleasing performances ever witnessed at the Bellingham opera house, was presented Saturday night by the order of Ben Hur, under the able management of Miss Potter. The noteworthy features were the various drill; club swinging, posing, tableaux, dumb bell exercise and cake walk. The Highland Fling, danced by Miss Effie Speirs, was applauded to the echo, and the vocal numbers by Mr. and Mrs. Trimble were well received. There was plenty of color and activity throughout and the audience was pleased with every number.—New Whatcom Blade.

The "Poetry of Motion" and color was delightfully portrayed at Ranke Hall last night by a dozen little maids of about eight summers each in the number called "Poem and Pink." The little ladies in their pink costumes, with beautifully decorated hoops presented a very pleasing picture and they performed in a manner which reflected great credit upon their teacher, Miss Potter.—Seattle News.

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Try some of that Cle-Elum coal, sold by A. J. HANDLEY.

Railroads.

Charles B. Spahr, author of "The Present Distribution of Wealth in the United States," says that for the \$4,650,000,000 shares of railway stock now in existence the original investors paid no more than \$465,000,000, or only 10 per cent of their face value. A railroad that pays three per cent is actually paying thirty per cent upon the real invested capital.

J. F. Hudson, in his book, "Railways and the Republic," shows that the New York Central and Hudson River railroad has watered its stock to the tune of \$53,507,000.

With all the mismanagement and the enormous waste, it is shown that the

railroads last year could have made both ends meet if they had carried every passenger absolutely free.

This item has been going the rounds but is reprinted to make the following point: It is assumed that so great a sum of money paid to the transportation companies, and to all other trusts, for that matter, is conclusive evidence of a high state of prosperity which enables the people to get the money to pay out. The fallacy lies in this: Why is it necessary for the people to pay out the money immediately they get it or earn it? The only prosperity is where the money earner can save enough beyond his actual living expenses convert into wealth as do the railroads and

trusts. Earning money and spending it all for living expenses is not prosperity but mere existence. The trusts have monopolized all of the income producing wealth, and nothing is left the others. This is the reason why the domination of the trusts is called "slavery."

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NORTH YAKIMA, WASHINGTON.

WASHINGTON LETTER.

(From Our Regular Correspondent.)

WASHINGTON, March 9, 1900.

Uneasiness reigns in the McKinley camp for various reasons and especially because of a rumor that Ben Harrison, who has been jumping all over the republican wobbling on the Porto Rico tariff question, is going to be boomed as an anti-McKinley and anti-English republican candidate for the presidential nomination. The story as it comes to Washington, is that Harrison is sure of the Indiana vote in the convention to start with; that he is reasonably sure of the Minnesota vote, if Mr. McKinley continues his present pro-English attitude towards the war in South Africa, and has supporters in many other states. It is too soon to say how much there is in this alleged Harrison boom, but he isn't the sort of man to say or do anything without an object, and it is difficult to see what other object he can have in thumping the McKinley policy, as he has been doing recently, than to try to get the presidential nomination for himself.

When Mr. McKinley signs the gold standard bill, which will make the rich richer and the poor poorer, which was passed in the senate and house this week, as reported from the conference committee, he will cancel one of the heavy obligations he incurred to the moneyed interests of the country during his campaign for election to the presidency.

Senator Lodge is usually a good talker, although always radical in his ideas, but he couldn't do himself justice in his speech in favor of the bill giving Mr. McKinley authority to govern the Philippines as he pleases, which ought properly to be called: A bill making William McKinley czar of the Philippines. It is not easy to tell the senate that it should give one man autocratic power over the lives and fortunes of millions of poor devils who were bought and sold without their consent. If congress ever passes this bill the people of this country will sorely regret it.

Senator Kyle, of South Dakota, who attends the republican caucus and votes with that party on all questions involving politics, dodged the gold standard bill by absenting himself without, having secured a pair, when the vote was taken on the report of the conference committee on the gold standard bill. The report was, of course, adopted. The vote was practically the same as that on the gold standard bill which passed the senate several weeks ago.

Senator Hear has given notice of his intention to offer an amendment to the diplomatic and consular appropriation bill, providing for the payment of \$250,000 to Liliuokalani, formerly Queen of Hawaiian islands. This amendment is likely to be strongly opposed, as it should be. The dusky ex-queen has spent the greater portion of her time in Washington for several years past and has made no secret of her motive—lobbying for a congressional appropriation in her behalf.

Although officially announced by the Navy Department that the reason Admiral Watson has been detached from the command of the Asiatic station and ordered home and Admiral Remey ordered to proceed to Manila and take command of the Asiatic station, is that Watson's health is bad, it is known that there are other and more important reasons for the change. Watson has had

trouble with the bureau of navigation, and had such a stormy time with the officers under him that he was several months ago temporarily relieved from command of the fleet, for the purpose of allowing things to cool down a little, but the order relieving him was not made public either in Washington or Manila.

The attempts of republicans to shift responsibility for the disgraceful exhibition given the country by the passing of the Porto Rico tariff bill by the house would be amusing if the matter were not too serious to laugh over. The wrangling among republican senators over the bill, which is now before the senate, has almost reached the fighting stage. A caucus is to be held to try to patch up matters by amending the bill to the extent necessary to get the votes to put it through the senate. The sugar and tobacco trusts, which are credited with having compelled the republicans to make this disgusting exhibition, are said to have no objection to any amendments that may be made to the bill so long as the tariff on Porto Rican tobacco and sugar is not disturbed, and if they don't object Mr. McKinley won't.

Senator Mason is stirring things up in the senate again. He wants the committee on foreign relations discharged from further consideration of his resolution containing an expression of the sympathy of the senate for the Boers, which has been in its hands since December 6, and he says he is going to keep on hammering at it until something is done to give the senate an opportunity to vote on the question. He says the senate would adopt the resolution if a vote could be taken.

Glass on the Bed Rock.

The discovery of a piece of glass in bed rock fifteen feet under ground is puzzling the miners on 43 below on Bonanza. William McKenzie was down in a drift shoveling the buckets with waste and pay gravel, when his pick struck something which glittered in the candlelight.

It was lying on the bed rock about fifteen feet below the surface. Upon examination it turned out to be a piece of thick glass, transparent as a lens, fully a sixteenth of an inch thick and 2x3 inches in dimensions. R. C. Nesbit, who has a lease on the claim for two years and employs seven men, among whom is McKenzie, vouches for the truth of the foregoing facts.

The question now arises, how did this glass get under the surface of the ground fifteen feet, imbedded in the gravel of the Bonanza creek bed? The finder, McKenzie, will take an affidavit that neither he nor anyone else placed it there to deceive or hoax the public. The question is, what is its origin and who put it there?—P.-I.

A Fiendish Attack.

An attack was lately made on C. F. Collier of Cherokee, Iowa, that nearly proved fatal. It came through his kidneys. His back got so lame he could not stoop without great pain, nor sit in a chair except propped by cushions. No remedy helped him until he tried Electric Bitters which effected such a wonderful change that he writes he feels like a new man. This marvelous medicine cures backache and kidney trouble, purifies the blood and builds up your health. Only 50c at L. O. Janek's drug store.

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Col. William Jennings Bryan, in his speeches in the east, used many illustrations to fortify points in his remarks. Here are some of his favorite illustrations, which always met with hearty indorsement:

LINCOLN AND HANNA.

Between Lincoln and Hanna there is a gulf fixed, as wide as the gulf that separated Lazarus in Abraham's bosom from Dives in torment—a gulf so wide that a man cannot admire Lincoln's memory and follow Hanna's doctrines.

GRAND LARCENY AND PETTY LARCENY.

Cicero said to his son: "Don't go into the retail business; that's vulgar." It is easy to send a man who steals a little to prison, but try to convict a man who steals a million and see what a job you have. We want the law so executed that the man who steals a large amount shall wear the same kind of striped clothes that a poor man wears who steals a small amount.

THE STATUE OF LIBERTY.

What shall we do with the statue of liberty in the harbor of New York if we surrender the spirit of liberty? Shall we send it back to France and say that we are no longer in the liberty business? I am in favor of giving liberty to the Filipinos and helping them to erect a statue of liberty in Manila Bay.

THE INCOME TAX.

I helped to draw up the income tax bill. I voted for it. A judge of the United States supreme court changed his mind and the law was declared unconstitutional. I was told that if the democratic congressmen favored the income tax all the rich democrats would leave the party. I did not believe it, but I did not know the rich democrats then. My reply was that the poor republicans would leave their party on the issue, but it seems I did not know the poor republicans.

CANNOT DRAFT POCKETBOOKS.

We have found out that in time of war we can draft the citizen but not the pocketbook. Our government can take a poor boy from his widowed mother and place him in front of cannon, but our government cannot secure a revenue from accumulated wealth.

REPUBLICANS AND TRUSTS.

The republicans dare not destroy the trusts, for where would they get their campaign fund? They will need more money in the coming campaign than in the last fight, and Heaven knows they had plenty in 1896.

OPTION ON THE FIGHT.

Whip the Filipinos? Of course we can whip the Filipinos. Spain was at it for 300 years, and then we stepped in and paid \$20,000,000 for an option on the fight. The republicans say that the trade will follow the flag. Republican syndicates follow the flag. The Americans who will go to the Philippines will not go there to work the land. They will go there to work the Filipinos.

PARTY FEALTY AND PUBLIC GOOD.

A party is a means to an end, and not an end in itself. Parties are for public good, and a party is deserving of the

support of a citizen only so long as he believes that the party is the best means by which he can serve his country.

THE DOLLAR ABOVE THE MAN.

The republicans are placing the dollar above the man. If a man mentions the plain people today he is called a demagogue, and yet Lincoln used to talk of them, and he was a statesman then. But the republicans have changed their definition of a statesman. According to them a statesman is a man whose ear is trained to catch the slightest pulsations of a pocketbook or a Wall street ticker, and a demagogue is a man who listens to the heart-beat of humanity.

PRICE ON AMERICAN BOYS.

Republicans, I dare you to set a price upon an American boy as measured by Oriental trade. When a boy dies for liberty his mother rejoices, but what American mother wants to raise boys at so much a head to sell to the government, to be exchanged for trade in the Philippines? Oh! that the men who want those islands should go there and purchase them with their own blood instead of sacrificing the blood of other people!

CORPORATE-MADE MAN.

The corporate man is a man-made man. He is stronger than the natural made man. When God made man He breathed into him a soul and a conscience, but when the corporate man was made he was not given any soul, so that if he can escape punishment here he need not worry about the hereafter.

On the Rocks.

Having passed the Puerto Rican tariff bill, the republican party now finds itself saddled with responsibility for legislation against that territory, which was annexed to the United States with the specific guarantee that it would receive just treatment as a part of our Union, and would be revived and rejoiced with the stimulus of an American market in place of the Spanish market which was taken from it.

This discriminating legislation is probably doomed before the supreme court as unconstitutional, but the republican party has placed itself on record as false to national pledges and false to its own conception of duty as declared by its president only a few months ago.

From a partisan standpoint, however, it mattered very little what the misleaders of the g. o. p. chose to do in this Puerto Rican dilemma. Their position is not simply difficult, but hopeless, and they have only themselves to blame for it. Between the Scylla of Puerto Rican free trade—with its manifest peril to the imperial and expansion planks of their battered craft—and the Charybdis of unconstitutional and unjust treatment of this poor little island—which had welcomed our flag so joyfully and cause to mourn so bitterly—the party leaders had a hard choice. That they have chosen the fatal rock last named is sad for the islanders, but not for the opponents of unwise expansion, imperialism and high tariff. The once grand old party is now upon the rocks, and it will take a better wrecking company than the Hanna crew, a more heroic and expert Hobson than McKinley, to get her off.—Sumner Herald.

What's Your Face Worth?

Sometimes a fortune, but never, if you have a sallow complexion, a jaundiced look, moth patches and blotches on the skin, all signs of Liver Trouble. But Dr. King's New Life Pills give clear skin, rosy cheeks, rich complexion. Only 25c at L. O. Janeck's drug store.

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STATE PRESS OPINION

Protection for trust products has come to be a matter of building forts for robbers.—Whatcom Blade.

§ § §

The populist and republican parties of Tennessee have effected a fusion on a state ticket. Carry the news to the old lady who presides over the destinies of the ever-howling P.-I.—Ellensburg Dawn.

§ § §

Cushman switched so suddenly yesterday that the editorial page was not in harmony with the news columns. After a visit to the White House Mr. Cushman returned and announced he had decided to hold his nose and vote for the Puerto Rico tariff.—Tacoma News.

§ § §

President McKinley could not afford openly to repudiate that part of his last message demanding free trade for Puerto Rico, but all the same the tip went out from the White House to the caucus, and the members who spoke for the president have not been called down. The president has readjusted his views on the Puerto Rican question.—Spokesman-Review.

§ § §

J. R. Lee, the Penawawa fruit man, was in the city during the week. He said the promise for a fruit crop was never better since the first tree was planted on Snake river. The mild winter has brought the tree through in the pink of condition. He called attention to the fact that two fruit failures in succession has never been known on the river, and, as last year was in a sense a failure, a bountiful yield might with confidence be looked for.—Colfax Gazette.

§ § §

Seattle went republican at the city election Tuesday, as was to have been expected. It is a hard, cold fact, however regrettable it may be, that Pacific coast communities decline to be governed on a Sunday school plan, and wise political managers never ignore facts, be they ever so distasteful. Looking at the Seattle election from this distance it appears like a case of too much Blithen.—Aberdeen Herald.

§ § §

Senator Foster has "heard from the people" and he announces that he will not push his iniquitous grazing land bill. Here was a scheme to turn all the vacant grazing lands over to monopolists, and Foster was equal to the scheme. The people, as soon as they learned what such a measure meant, rose up in arms against it. When will people have sense enough to vote for their friends instead of their enemies? Men like the Tacoma statesman care very little for the common herd.—Vanconver Register.

§ § §

The senile young man, Cushman, had to make himself ridiculous before the people in congress would deign to notice him. There are two kinds of notoriety. The kind enjoyed by men who are truly great, and the kind enjoyed by moral, physical and mental freaks. Cushman, at least, does not belong to the first named class; yet he has certainly gained a little notoriety.—Seattle Mail.

§ § §

A cheerful liar is one who lies cheerfully and pleasantly. A malicious liar is one who lies with the intent to injure, vide the editorial appearing in a very

local paper of this city, saying that James Hamilton Lewis had begged the president for an appointment. The facts are that McKinley offered to appoint Mr. Lewis on the Philippine commission and in return was informed by Lewis he was not in accord with the administration views on the Philippine question. The president, of course, could not then consistently appoint Mr. Lewis, and that was all there was to it. Some editors know just enough to know how to make an ass of themselves and no more.—Ellensburg Localizer.

Flags and Assets.

In his speech at Kimberly Saturday, Cecil Rhodes, the African diamond king, after announcing to share holders of the De Beers mines that despite the war the company's yearly profits are over \$10,000,000, made this remarkable assertion: "We have done our duty in preserving and protecting the greatest commercial asset in the world—her majesty's flag."

Now for comparison listen to Gen. Grosvenor of Ohio, "President McKinley's mouthpiece" in congress, last Thursday:

"We have got the Philippines on our hands and I will tell you what we shall tell the people of this country. We will say we have acquired title to the Philippines and Porto Rico.

"We are going to make all the money out of the transaction we can by enlarging our trade with the oriental countries, and we are going to enbalm the doctrines of the declaration of independence upon the statute books of the Philippines just as quick as we think the time has come to do it, and we are not going to do it one minute before, if all the democrats on God's earth go howling that we have got to do it."—Chicago Chronicle.

It is announced by Comptroller Coler that the Metropolitan Traction company had acquired and would operate the underground Rapid Transit tunnel.

According to the terms of the contract the company will reap a net income of \$3,000,000 from an expenditure not to exceed \$7,500,000 for equipment, or nearly 50 per cent profit. Ten cents will be charged on express trains, five cents on locals, with an additional charge of three cents for a transfer to surface lines.

All this suggests municipal ownership.—New York World.

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TIME TABLE—NORTH YAKIMA

	EAST-BOUND.	ARRIVE.	DEPART.
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No. 58.—Local Freight		9:00 a.m.	11:00 a.m.
	WEST-BOUND.		
No. 1.—Pacific Mail		5:20 a.m.	5:20 a.m.
No. 57.—Local Freight		3:30 p.m.	4:00 p.m.

Get Permits at Local Ticket Office for Local Freight Nos. 57 and 58.

LOCAL HAPPENINGS

There will be regular morning services at the Congregational church each Sunday until a permanent pastor is chosen.

Rev. A. J. Bailey of Seattle will occupy the pulpit at the Congregational church at both the morning and evening services tomorrow.

Marriage licenses were granted on Saturday to S. Huntington and Miss Effie Bierly, of this city and on Monday to Frank Ryan and Miss Rothie Johnson of Sunnyside.

Mrs. Tina Scott, the postmistress at Kiona, has filed her claim with the department amounting to \$47.50, which represents the amount taken from the Kiona office by burglars one night last week.

Two very excellent illustrations appear in the current number of the Century magazine from the pen of Balfour Ker, who now resides with his bride in New York. The work is of a very excellent character and shows that the young man possesses the soul of an artist.

The breaking of the ground for the new warehouses of the Yakima Mill company and J. N. Perry, began on Monday, the Mill company having purchased the lease held by the Lombard & Horsley Furniture company, arrangements were made for the latter to use a portion of the building when completed.

Among the nine unclaimed bodies of the dead of the First Washington regiment that left San Francisco on Wednesday for interment at Olympia, were those of Frank Smith and George B. Reichert of Company E, who enlisted at Camp Rogers. The unfortunate dead will be given a military funeral by the state authorities tomorrow.

Frequently the question is heard among our citizens, "Why is it that the Railway company does not put up a sign on the depot giving the name of the station?" We do not know why it has not been done, but presume that it is merely because the matter has been overlooked by the company's officials. It certainly ought to be done. An inexpensive sign, conveying to the traveling public the name of a town or city, does a remarkable amount of good in the way of advertising a town. Owing to the fact that strangers passing through are so apt to get North Yakima confused with Yakima City, a sign is particularly a necessity here.

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O. Norling of Ellensburg, was taking in the town on Tuesday.

Mr. Wm. Whitfield, senior member of the firm of Whitfield & Son, who operate a woolen mill at Lanark, Ill., has been in the city this week looking over the field with the view of locating a woolen mill in this city. It is said that he is very favorably impressed with the advantages offered for such an enterprise here, but deems it advisable not to do anything for the present, owing to the uncertain status of the wool growing industry in this section just at the present time.

Representative Jones has notified Register Reed of the land office that the department has made the desired change in the boundaries of the North Yakima and Waterville land districts. The change made throws a number of townships contiguous to the town of Roslyn on the north, into this district and in return gives the Waterville office jurisdiction over several townships in Douglas county bordering on the Columbia river. The change is made for the convenience of the settlers in those particular localities.

A new party of Dunkards arrived from the east last week, the most of whom will join the colony near the town of Sunnyside. The most of the newcomers are from Lanark, Ill., while the remainder are from different points in Iowa. The party which numbers thirteen heads of families are said to be highly pleased with the prospects of the Sunnyside districts and have mostly purchased land in that locality and having in most instances brought their goods with them from the east are ready to settle down and begin farming operations this spring.

Sheriff Tucker returned on Sunday from Coulee City, where he went some days previously on the strength of a telegram from the sheriff of Douglas county, informing him that George Wesley alias Leonard, had been arrested at that place. Wesley is the man who hired a team and buggy from Liveryman Grewell of Prosser, in order to drive as he said, to White Bluffs, and never returned. Mr. Tucker found that the man arrested at Coulee was the wrong man and consequently had the trip for nothing. Wesley is apparently still at large with the officers of at least half a dozen counties on the lookout for him. He is said to be a very slick customer.

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LOCAL AND PERSONAL

Attorney Englehart visited Ellensburg on Wednesday.

Judge Erwin returned from the Sound Wednesday night.

Read the spring announcement of Ditter Bros. in this issue.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Redden of Pendleton, Ore., are visiting in the city.

Christian Stoffer's artesian well in the Wenas, is now down 400 feet.

S. Dilley of Goldendale, has been the guest of his brother A. L. Dilley for the past week.

Dr. Fletcher has gone to Chicago, where he expects to remain for about two months.

Dr. Baker is said to have abandoned his idea of moving to Whatcom, and will remain in this city.

Dr. Giddings returned on Saturday from Hot Springs, where he has been rustivating for some time.

G. B. Pope and J. Howard, sheep buyers from St. Paul, arrived on Friday and are quartered at the Bartholet.

Metcalf, the paint and wall paper man, has an interesting announcement to make to the people of Yakima in this issue.

Henry Kampeter returned from the Sound on Wednesday night, where he has been for several days engaged in selling spuds.

E. W. Dooley and C. H. Willfong returned this week from a trip through Douglas county where they purchased a large number of horses.

Owen Jones, a prominent business man of Hoquiam, who has been the guest of his brother-in-law John Sawbridge, for several days, left for home on Tuesday night.

Next Wednesday evening the local lodge of K. P. will hold its tenth anniversary celebration. A most entertaining program will be arranged. Grand Chancellor Davis will be present and deliver an address.

Col. Howlett among his numerous public duties, finds time occasionally to sell a block of mining stock. The Buster Creek Mining Company, whose property is located 15 miles from Nome City, has requested the colonel to place their stock on the market here.

Gilbert P. Hann aged 46, who resided on the west side, died on Sunday morning of consumption. The funeral occurred on Tuesday. The deceased was a member of the Holland colony here, having only arrived in Yakima last September. He left a wife and nine children, the most of whom are quite young, to mourn his loss.

Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Wright of Fruitvale, celebrated their twenty-fifth or silver wedding anniversary on Wednesday evening, by inviting a large party of friends to celebrate the occasion with them. The evening was most enjoyably spent by those in attendance, who one and all carried away with them a most pleasant memory of the event. Most delicious refreshments were served.

Shoes, Shoes, Shoes.

We have a broken lot of shoes of all kinds that we are selling at greatly reduced prices. Call and examine them. tf

E. O. KECK.

Contractor McKivor, who is grading Third street, is doing some most excellent work on that thoroughfare. The fill is quite a heavy one in places in order to bring the whole street up to grade, but large number of teams are employed and the work will probably be finished the coming week. Mr. McKivor has had 25 years experience as a grading contractor and certainly knows how to make a good road bed.

The Yakima lodge of Elks held their annual election of officers on Thursday evening. The following were chosen for the ensuing year: Exalted ruler, W. H. Hare; Esteemed Leading knight, H. B. Rigg; Esteemed Lecturing knight, W. L. Lemon; Esteemed Loyal knight, M. S. Scudder; secretary, F. L. Chandler; treasurer, A. L. Dilley; Tyler, R. J. Carry. There was a large attendance of members. Two visiting brethren were entertained; Messrs. Gay of Seattle and Miers of Ellensburg, who both addressed the lodge.

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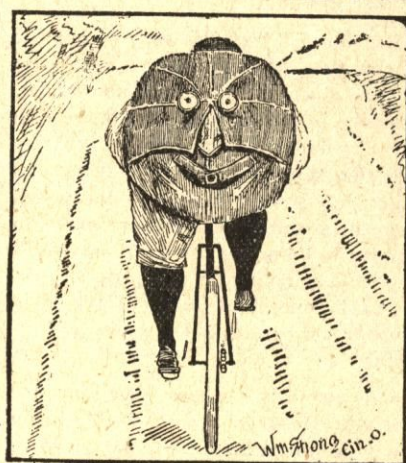
...COFFEE...

A. B. PEARSON

THE DEMOCRAT received a letter on Friday from Hon. Thomas Maloney of Spokane, who states that Mr. Bryan and party will arrive here on the regular train on the morning of the 31st and will remain for 24 hours. The Northern Pacific Company has granted a fare of one and one-fifth for the round trip from all points within 100 miles of this city. Senator Turner, Mr. Maloney and other prominent men will accompany Mr. Bryan through the state.

The Thomas bankruptcy case occupied the attention of Referee Taggard and a number of local attorneys this week. K. W. Dunlop has been appointed trustee in the case.

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The president according to editorial comment, says the Chicago Times-Herald, is generally held to have yielded unwisely for expediency's sake; held to have sacrificed his views and abandoned the principle enunciated in his message, only to save the republican party in the house from sore humiliation.

This is the view of the press. Semi-authoritative statements have been widely printed to the effect that the president still adheres to the sentiment in his message. He is credited with saying that if he had the message to write over again he would, as before, urge it as 'our plain duty' to give free trade to Puerto Rico.

In that case one thinks, "If so soon I was to be done for, I wonder what I was begun for." But what is there to restore the rigidity of the executive's spinal column, cauterized into disintegrated fragments by the trust molar? Is McKinley a mere puppet in the hands of the avowed enemies of the interests of the people, or does he rely upon providence to give him nerve? There are those who believe that providence watches men and protects the people, and that the ancient divine right of kings has been transformed into popular sovereignty.

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Veal, dressed	7@7 1/2c
Hogs, dressed	\$5 00@5 50
Mutton, prime	4c

POULTRY.

Chickens, per doz	\$3 00@4 00
Turkeys, live	.....	10 1/2c

GRAIN.

Wheat, blue stem	.....	46
Wheat, club	.....	43
Oats, per ton, new	.....	\$22 00
Barley, per ton	.....	\$17 00
Corn, per bu	.....	56
Flour, Puritan, per sack	.....	80
Blue Bell, per sack	.....	75
Flour, 3X Baker, per sack	.....	85
Whole wheat flour	.....	80
Hay, Timothy, baled, per ton	.....	\$14 30
Hay, Alfalfa, per ton	.....	\$7 00
Hay, Clover, per ton	.....	\$8 00

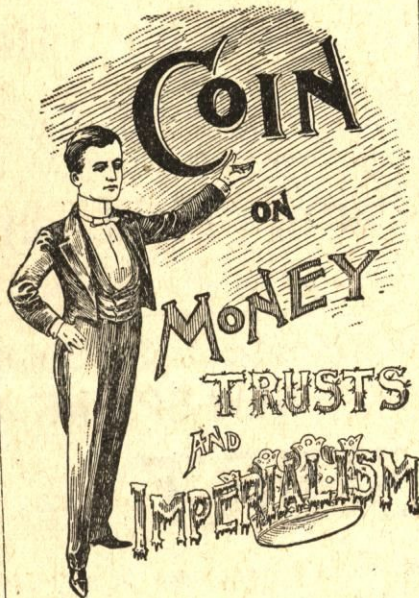
PRODUCE.

Butter, ranch, per roll	40c
Butter, creamery, per roll	60c
Cheese, native	15c
Eggs, per doz	12 1/2c
Wool, per lb	8@11c
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Notice to Contractors.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT the City of North Yakima will let a contract for grading West Yakima avenue from the west line of Kittitas avenue in said city to the west line of blocks 410 and 411 in said city, said last mentioned line being the west boundary line of said city of North Yakima.

All of said lots and lands being according to the plat of said city now on file in the office of the county auditor of Yakima county, Washington.

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

Sealed proposals for the contract for the above proposed improvement will be received by the city clerk up to the time the bids are opened, on the 19th day of March, 1900, at 7:30 o'clock p. m.

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

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

The city council reserves the right to reject any and all bids.

Dated at North Yakima, Wash., this 7th day of March, 1900. H. B. DOUST, City Clerk.

Assessment Notice.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT the assessment roll for Local Improvement District No. 17 in the City of North Yakima, Washington, has been certified to me for collection and that unless the assessments in said assessment roll contained are paid to me within thirty days from the date of the first publication of this notice, to-wit: Within thirty days from the 10th day of March, 1900, the same will become delinquent and be collected in the manner provided by law and the ordinances of said city. Dated at the office of the city treasurer in North Yakima, Washington, this 10th day of March, 1900.

A. E. HOWARD, City Treasurer.

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Assessment Notice.

Notice is hereby given that the assessment roll for Local Improvement District No. 19, in the city of North Yakima, Washington, has been certified to me for collection, and that unless the assessments in said assessment roll contained are paid to me within thirty days from the date of the first publication of this notice, to-wit: within thirty days from the 10th day of March, 1900, the same will become delinquent and be collected in the manner provided by law and the ordinances of said city.

Dated at the office of the city treasurer in North Yakima, Washington, this 10th day of March, 1900. A. E. HOWARD, City Treasurer.

26-4

Notice of Sheriff's Sale.

IN THE SUPERIOR COURT OF THE state of Washington, for the county of Yakima. Under and by virtue of an execution, decree of foreclosure and order of sale issued out of the superior court of Yakima County, State of Washington, on the 13th day of February, A. D. 1900, in a certain action wherein Martin Rozell, obtained a judgment and decree against Oscar Vansycle and Elizabeth Vansycle, and each of them on the 4th day of December, A. D. 1899, for the sum of one thousand dollars, with interest thereon at the rate of eight per cent. per annum from September 21, 1893 until paid, and costs of suit taxed at \$22.00, I am commanded to sell all that certain lot, piece, or parcel of land situated in the County of Yakima and State of Washington, and particularly described as follows, to-wit: Commencing eleven (11) chains north of the southwest corner of the northeast quarter (ne 1/4) of the southwest quarter (sw 1/4) of section five (5), in township twelve (12) north of range nineteen (19) east of Willamette Meridian, and from thence north twenty-one (21) rods, thence east twenty-three and one-half (23 1/2) rods; thence south twenty-one (21) rods; thence west twenty-three and one-half (23 1/2) rods to said place of beginning, together with all and singular the tenements, hereditaments and appurtenances thereunto belonging or in any wise appertaining. Notice is hereby given that on Saturday, the 24th day of March A. D. 1900, at the hour of 1:30 o'clock in the afternoon of said day, at the front door of the court house, in the city of North Yakima, in said Yakima county, I will, in obedience to said execution, decree of foreclosure and order of sale, sell the above described property, or so much thereof as may be necessary to satisfy said judgment and decree, with interest thereon and costs, to the highest and best bidder for cash, lawful money of the United States. Dated this 13th day of Feb. 1900.

H. L. TUCKER,

Sheriff of Yakima County, Washington.
By J. W. SINDALL, Deputy.
Snyder & Preble, attorneys for plaintiff 5t

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PURELY PERSONAL

H. J. Jenks of Prosser, was in the city on Monday.

W. H. Burrell of Prosser was in town on Wednesday.

Receiver Allen is spending this week at his home in Spokane.

W. W. Fish, the capitalist of Elmira, N. Y., is again in the city.

Nelson Rich of Prosser, was a Yakima visitor the first of the week.

C. R. Harris, the groceryman, is a sufferer from lagrippe this week.

Attorney Snively attended court at Ellensburg the first part of the week.

Editor Maxwell of the Prosser Record, came up on Saturday to get a taste of city life.

R. L. Pace and W. H. Norman of Outlook, were county seat visitors the first of the week.

Abby Jordan has returned from Sumpter, Ore., which he thinks is a greatly overrated camp.

Rev. J. T. Eshelman of Tacoma, came over on Monday night and spent several days with friends in this city.

Mrs. Robert Elwood of Ellensburg, and son, are the guests of the lady's father, Mr. Samuel Chappell and family.

Miss Haully of Portland, arrived on Monday night to take charge of the trimming department in the Conolly millinery store.

Frank Sinclair, wife and little girl returned on Tuesday night from Edmonds, where Mrs. Sinclair has been for some time.

Archie McPhee of the Natches, who has been at Seattle for several months attending a business college, returned home on Friday.

Mrs. J. N. Mull is spending a couple of weeks in Seattle, visiting her son and daughter who are attending a business college in that city.

Frank A. Dunn, editor of the Sentinel at Cheney, Wash., stopped off in Yakima over Wednesday, while on his way to the Sound. This office acknowledged a pleasant call.

D. C. Stone and Ole Nelson, who have been trapping in the mountains all winter, came down on Saturday bringing with them over fifty fine pelts, mostly of martin with some beaver.

J. B. George, the popular Sunnyside merchant was doing business in the city on Thursday. Mr. George states that the influx of new settlers into the Sunnyside this spring is greater than ever before.

Mr. James B. McAllister who resides with his son-in-law, A. E. Erickson, had a joint birthday party with his daughter, Mrs. Erickson, on Wednesday. It is rather a strange coincidence that father and daughter should have the same birthday anniversary.

THE DEMOCRAT is in receipt of a letter from R. I. Watson in which he states that he had arrived safely at his old home at Itta Bena, Miss., and that he was enjoying life among old friends and relatives, whom he had not seen for many years. Mr. Watson intimates that he will return to Washington during the present year.

Census Supervisor Austin Mires of Ellensburg, was in town on Thursday on business pertaining to the census.

W. A. Stewart and family of Seattle, who expect to settle in Yakima, are the guests of the Hotel Bartholet this week.

J. B. Current is rejoicing over the arrival of a bouncing boy that came to take up his residence with him on the 8th.

Frank Liggett returned yesterday morning from Spokane and the Palouse country where he has been engaged in the insurance business. He will probably remain here.

A party has been made up here recently that expects to leave for Cape Nome about May 1. The following persons have made up their minds to try their luck in the new bonanza: J. H. Hathaway and son Art, J. E. Merwin, Dale Thorp, Hub Pratt, A. Popovich and John Scott. Ed Merwin will take in a number of his gold saving machines, while Dale Thorp will ship in several tons of potatoes.

NOTICE

The Democratic Central committee for Yakima county is hereby called to meet at North Yakima, Saturday March 17, 1900 at 2 o'clock p. m., over the North Yakima Furniture store, to make provision, jointly with the people's party and silver republican committees for the reception, entertainment and address of Hon. William J. Bryan on March 31, 1900.

E. B. PREBLE,
Chairman,
Attest: J. D. MEDILL, Secretary.

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J. C. McCORMICK,
Chairman,
Attest—A. L. FLINT, Secretary.

Tony Kroeber, now in Dawson has written to relatives in this city that he has found lately a very valuable nugget in the shape of a bran new boy, weight 10 pounds.

United States Attorney W. R. Gay and Lawyer Graham of Seattle, were in the city on Thursday engaged in taking depositions in an important divorce case.

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J. L. Lasswell this week sold his stock of groceries and notions to W. H. Stutsman. Mr. Lasswell intends moving back to his Natches ranch and resume farming.

Mrs. James W. McAllister and two children, returned on Wednesday night from a four months visit with relatives on Grays Harbor.

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