

"New to the Line, Let the Chips Fall Where They May."

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"JACK" SPLAWN FOR GOVERNOR

FIRE FIENDS WORK OVERTIME AT TOPPENISH

Citizens Alarmed by Three Days of Consecutive Blazes Which Destroy Warehouse of Galbraith-Bacon Co.

Several fires, thought to have been of incendiary origin, occurred at Toppenish last week. One of the fires resulted in the destruction of the Galbraith-Bacon warehouse. On Thursday, Friday and Saturday nights there were small blazes.

Various reports were circulated concerning the fires, and it was rumored here on the streets that if the culprit could be found a mob would lynch him without mercy. The reports of the fires appear to have been exaggerated according to a letter received here from Mayor Grant, of Toppenish, who has set forth the facts as they occurred. The letter follows:

"A pile of hay belonging to Everett Bohanon was burned Thursday night and entirely destroyed. The same night a small pile of hay belonging to the Galbraith-Bacon company, also caught fire but was extinguished before any damage occurred. On Friday night another pile of hay belonging to the Galbraith-Bacon company caught fire, destroying both the pile of hay and the warehouse of the company.

Similar in Origin.
"All three of these fires were similar in their origin. On the next afternoon a small smoldering fire was discovered in the manure pile near the old school house barn. This fire was quickly extinguished by D. S. Pape, manager of the Robinson warehouse. There was no fire in the school building. Sunday afternoon a small coal shed belonging to Mrs. Flora Wright was set fire by her little son and another boy who were playing with candles on the inside. This fire did no damage except to destroy a small outhouse."

Mayor Grant goes on to say there was no fire either in the Robinson warehouse or in the barn of the Washington Nursery company. He says the police officers know the school house barn fire and the outhouse fire of the lady had no connection with the hay fires.

Cause of the Fires.

The mayor does not believe the fires are the result of factional fights. He says the saloon question could have nothing to do with the fires and adds that the saloons are still running and have never been closed except as provided in the Toppenish city ordinances.

The mayor admits that special precautions have been taken to prevent other fires, and that everything possible is being done to apprehend the person of setting the three fires in the hay stacks. The town officers believe says the mayor, that the haystack fires were started either by some lunatic or by hoboes who it is known made their bed in these hay piles.

New Fire Equipment.

The Toppenish city council has purchased a gasoline fire engine that will throw two streams of water through 500 feet of hose with one inch nozzle, 125 feet with a pressure of 125 pounds at the nozzle. The council has also purchased 1000 feet of hose and two new hose carts. These, says the mayor, will be operated from a series of wells located every 500 feet throughout the town. The mayor says the wells will furnish plenty of water for fire fighting.

ATTEMPT MADE TO KILL PLEAS BOUNDS

Well Known Yakima Man Is Target for Six Pistol Shots Fired by John Collins—Bounds Wounded in Hip.

As the result of a dispute over water rights between John A. Collins and Pleas A. Bounds last Sunday morning, the latter was shot in the hip by Collins, who stood off a distance of 15 feet and emptied his six-shooter point blank at the well known Yakima man. Only one of the bullets took effect, and attending physicians say that unless unexpected complications arise the wounded man will be up soon. For the present he is confined at St. Elizabeth's hospital.

The men are the owners of neighboring ditches in the vicinity of Wapato. They have had trouble before over the water which irrigates their ranches, and it is said that Bounds gave Collins a sound thrashing, and Bounds does not claim to be a fighting man either.

The shooting affray of last Sunday morning occurred between the hours of 8 and 9 o'clock on neutral ground. Collins declares that Bounds approached him holding a shovel in his hand in a threatening manner conveying the impression that he was going to assault the former. After warning him to stop, which he says Bounds refused to do, he then drew his gun and defended himself by shooting Bounds.

Bounds declares that he was on his way to the headgate of the ditch to let more water in for irrigation, when he met Collins and his hired man. Collins waited until Bounds got up within a distance of 15 feet and then without further warning pulled a gun and began shooting.

Collins came to North Yakima and gave himself up. He is now in jail, and is very much undecided whether he wants to get out on bail, or prefers to remain in jail.

The preliminary hearing will be held as soon as Mr. Bounds is able to be present to offer testimony.

PREDICTS GREAT PEACH CROP

North Pacific Authority States Yield Will Exceed That of Last Year.

George Moline, the representative of R. P. Ober, the head of the refrigeration service of the Northern Pacific road, has been making an investigation of the peach crop for this season and as a result declares that there will be an increase of at least 50 per cent over that of last year.

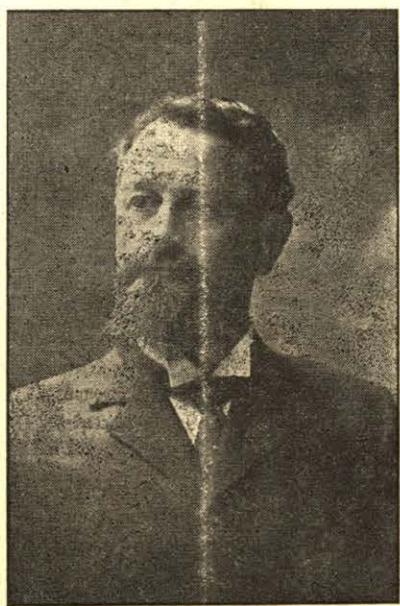
"We only handled 25 cars per day last year," said he yesterday, referring to the subject, "but this season we are making arrangements to move about 450 cars altogether, which will mean about 40 cars a day."

The ideas of Mr. Moline are substantiated by several of the most prominent growers in the valley, and altogether the outlook for ample returns from that source is quite reassuring.

Soda Springs is becoming a very popular resort for North Yakimans. At the present time there are about 75 people camped on the grounds around the spring.

YAKIMA PIONEER GOES TO WAR

Overwhelming Demand Made Upon Him by the People of This State Forces His Declaration of Candidacy for the Governorship.



HON. A. J. SPLAWN
Democratic Candidate for Governor

Hon. A. J. Splawn, more commonly known to North Yakimans as "Jack" Splawn, is a candidate for governor. His declaration of candidacy was filed at Olympia on Tuesday, July 28, following a meeting of prominent democrats in Tacoma on Monday night, July 27. At this meeting, which was called by George P. Wright, chairman of the state central committee, much enthusiasm was worked up in the interests of Mr. Splawn, and so strong were the demands made upon him to become an active candidate for governor that the Yakima man was compelled to yield to the popular clamor. It is a plain case of the office seeking the man. Mr. Splawn has many other interests that could keep him occupied, but it appears in the very outset that the democratic party of the state must have him for its standard bearer, and he apparently has no other alternative. He is, therefore, doomed to be the next governor of Washington, the present incumbent to the contrary, notwithstanding.

Mr. Splawn was also present at the meeting in Tacoma. He came home Tuesday night and was on the streets bright and early Wednesday morning receiving the congratulations of democrats and republicans alike.

"Good for you, Jack; you'll certainly get my vote, if I am a republican," is a sample of the greetings given the old pioneer.

"If all the counties were like Yakima," said Jack, "and I could feel sure that all will cast their ballots like Yakima is going to do, there would be nothing to it except a landslide."

The announcement that Jack Splawn had definitely decided to become a candidate for the nomination of governor on the democratic ticket has caused consternation in the camps of other democratic aspirants whose principal hope for securing the nomination lay in the possibilities of Splawn not filing his declaration. There is hardly any question about Jack Splawn beating down all opposition in the primaries, and it is confidently believed that he can win the governorship notwithstanding the tremendous republican majority to be overcome.

"Cut down the taxes" and "We want a cheaper state government" will probably be among the campaign slogans to be adopted by the democratic party and advocated by Mr. Splawn in his tour of the state.

In the event of Mr. Splawn getting the nomination it is a settled fact that he will certainly make one of the hottest campaigns ever experienced in the history of the state.

Something About Splawn.

"Jack" Splawn, who becomes a leading candidate for the democratic nomination for governor by his action of Monday is one of the best known men of the Yakima valley and has an acquaintance that is state wide.

He came to the Yakima country when a young man, and is one of the real pio-

neers of the country, having seen it grow from a sagebrush desert to its present wonderful state of cultivation and development.

In recognition of his pioneer days he has been chosen as vice president of the county pioneer association and presided at its first annual picnic a short time ago. His remembrances of pioneer days and knowledge of Indian life are being combined by him in a history.

Since electric railroads were first thought of he has been promoting the plan to have an electric system through the Yakima valley, which placed him as the first president of the Yakima Valley Transportation company, which now has his scheme under way.

His activity in the cattle business has made him the leading cattle man of the state, as is shown by the fact that he is president of the Washington State Live Stock association and is the owner of the largest thoroughbred Hereford herd in the northwest.

Selection as president of the Tieton Water Users association, the auxiliary of the reclamation service in building the great Tieton canal, indicates his leadership in moves for irrigation under government control. He was one of the men who supported the plan and secured the co-operation of the government in taking over the great irrigation schemes in the Yakima country and bringing them to success.

Politically he has always been a leader of the democratic party and has been honored by selection as senator from the district that included Yakima and Kittitas counties. He was a strong factor in the state legislature, and has always been a strong party man. A democratic county convention without "Jack" Splawn would have seemed out of tune and he has seldom missed a state convention, and attended many of the national gatherings.

He has been a director of the Washington State Fair and held other offices of high importance.

His connection with financial matters of the country has always been of considerable importance and at present he is a director of the Yakima Trust company and a stockholder in several corporations.

Attorney Floyd Hatfield has filed his declaration of candidacy for prosecuting attorney of Yakima county. Mr. Hatfield is a candidate on the democratic ticket. He is considered one of the brightest young men practicing before the Yakima county bar.

Tom Fisher's net loss as a result of the fire which temporarily put him out of business was \$4,000, according to the report of the fire adjusters, who completed their work the first of the week. Mr. Fisher has moved his injured harness effects to the old Methodist church building at the corner of Chestnut and South Third streets, and will hold a fire sale.

PROHIBS CONDEMN LOCAL OPTION HERESY

Take Slap at Republican Party For Its Action in the State Convention—A Connivance at the Rum Infamy.

A few members of the prohibition party in this county assembled at the courthouse last Saturday afternoon and talked over matters with reference to the action to be adopted by the cold water people in the approaching campaign.

As a matter of fact the meeting at the courthouse was inaugurated by the prohibition county committee for the purpose of handing the republican party in Yakima county a large, juicy lemon on its local option stand.

Touching upon this particular feature of the republican platform adopted by the state convention, the following resolution was passed at the meeting last Saturday afternoon:

Whereas, A strong effort is being made by the friends of the liquor party to deceive those who are looking for the ultimate triumph of the prohibition principles by offering them a sop which they call local option; and,

Whereas, It is evident that if the friends of prohibition are true to themselves, this year the great state of Washington will join the ranks of those of the other states who have come boldly to the front in the suppression of this atrocious traffic; be it

Resolved, That the prohibitionists of Yakima county strongly condemn the local option heresy as a partnership with the saloon interests and a connivance at the rum infamy; a step backward into the sin and slime that we have been wallowing in, and we warn all those who are thinking of taking this disastrous step to stop and consider that this local option business, if passed, will defeat for years any efforts for a state prohibition; and, be it further

Resolved, That this resolution be printed in all the local papers and a copy furnished to each minister of the gospel with the request that he read it from his pulpit.

Dr. Goodenow Returns.

Dr. N. H. Goodenow returned this week from Chicago where he has been for six months reviewing a course in a prominent medical college along the lines of his profession. The doctor makes a specialty of the eye, ear and nose.

Hon. H. J. Snively attended to professional business in Seattle and Tacoma this week, and incidentally presented himself at the democratic meeting held in Tacoma last Monday, at which time Hon. A. J. Splawn decided to become a candidate for governor. Attorney Snively returned home Wednesday night.

BRYAN-SPLAWN CLUB ORGANIZED FOR CAMPAIGN

Temporary Organization Makes Richard Winsor Jr., President, George A. McAulay, Secretary and Joe Stephenson, Treasurer.

A meeting of democrats was held in the courthouse Monday night for the purpose of organizing a Bryan-Splawn club in the event of Mr. Splawn deciding to run for governor. While the meeting was in progress messages were received from Tacoma announcing the fact that Jack was in the race to stay. This announcement was the signal to get down to business, and immediately afterwards a temporary Bryan-Splawn club was organized with Richard Winsor, Jr., president, George McAulay, temporary secretary, and Joseph Stephenson, treasurer. A committee was appointed on constitution and by-laws, composed of Richard Strobach, chairman; John Morrissey and E. V. Lockhart.

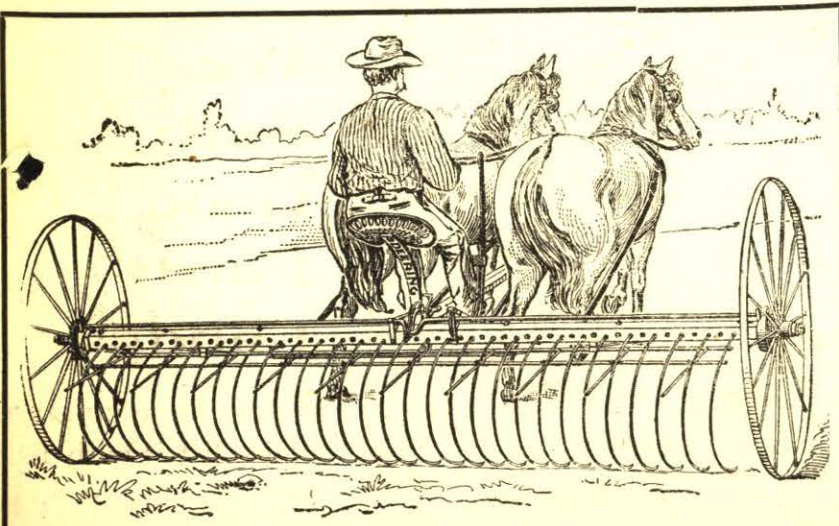
A rousing meeting was called for Friday night at which time it is expected a great crowd of democrats will turn out. The Democrat unfortunately goes to press too early to get the proceedings of the meeting. A permanent organization will be effected, however, and Hon. Jack Splawn's race for the nomination will receive an impetus calculated to awaken interest throughout the state in the candidacy of the Yakima man.

BRYAN WILL MAKE FEW CAMPAIGN SPEECHES

Candidate Greatly Pleased With Responses to Appeal for Funds.

Lincoln, July 29.—The first authentic outline of Bryan's campaign plan was secured today from one close to him. A few prepared speeches will be made at central points before the first of October. During the month of October the candidate expects to remain at home and assist in the educational work of the campaign through the discussion of public questions in the form of interviews, signed articles and letters. Much satisfaction is expressed by Mr. Bryan over the responses made to his appeal to the democratic newspapers of the country to open subscription lists. The special today fund already amounts to considerable. Money is coming in steadily.

Mrs. F. M. Rossiter and Mrs. Arthur Henry have returned from Puget Sound where they spent two weeks of the heated season.



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Great
JULY SALE
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Sizes 32, 34, 36, 38, 40 inches bust measure.

In order to clean up stock preparatory to receiving our fall goods we have commenced a tremendous July Clearance Sale on Summer Goods. Nothing is kept back—all must go. Come and reap the benefit.

All our Tulen Silk reduced to.....39c
All our Paris Tissue reduced to.....19c
All our Kato Pongee reduced to.....12 1-2c
All our Silk Waists reduced 25 per cent
All our Net Waists reduced 25 per cent
Ladies' Dress and Walking Skirts reduced to \$3.98, \$4.75 and \$6.25; regular \$5.00, \$6.00 and \$8.00.
Ladies' extra heavy Silk Gloves; double tipped fingers; reduced to 98c and \$1.59; regular \$1.50 and \$2.00.

WARNER'S RUST-PROOF CORSETS sold here at sale prices
NEW IDEA PATTERNS only 10c

J. J. MACDONALD, 8 South Second St.

THE EMPORIUM NEWS

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VALUES

The class of merchandise we sell and the VALUES we are giving are the two vital points which interest you as an economical shopper and us as successful merchants. We have too much at stake to offer you merchandise at a price without the value. The Emporium is a store for all the people all the time and where you can buy "the same goods for less money, better goods for the same money."

In the Dry Goods Department

16-Button Length Lisle Gloves

in black, white, tan and brown; sizes 6 to 8½; the kind that gives satisfaction; regular 95c grade; our price for Friday and Saturday is..... **59c**

16-Button Length Silk Gloves

in black, white, tan, pongee, light and Copenhagen blue; any size; all our \$1.50 and \$1.75 grades, Friday and Saturday pair..... **99c**

Our Sale of Fancy Silks

still continues, as we are going to clear up the lot, which means that we have sacrificed the price, which continues at...ONE-HALF

We have condensed our Wash Goods

line into only five lots—this means that we have cut all of our—

8 1-3 and 10c grades to..... **5c**
12 1-2 and 15c grades to..... **7c**
20c grade to..... **12c**
25c and 35c grades to..... **16c**
45c to 75c grades to..... **27c**

In the Ladies' Suit Department

SPECIAL! SPECIAL!

Wool Suits

Every Wool Suit in the house at a price—Novelty and plain colors; all new goods and styles. In this lot includes everything up to \$20; Friday and Saturday..... **\$6.95**

Silk Suits

Every Silk Suit in the house at a price—check stripes and plain colors; a good selection of patterns and sizes. All suits up to \$20.00; Friday and Saturday; each..... **\$6.95**

Lingerie and Mull Dresses

Every Cotton Dress in the house at a price—soft materials, and light weight; for summer or evening wear. All dresses up to \$20.00; Friday and Saturday..... **\$6.95**

In the Clothing Department

25 Two-Piece Suits

in Homespun, Worsted, Tweeds and Cassimeres, in plain, fancy, stripes and checks; values from \$10.00 to \$15.00; special..... **\$3.95**

25 Two-Piece Suits

in Worsted and Cassimeres; single and double breasted; greys and mixtures; values \$15 to \$20; special..... **\$6.75**

Knox Straw Sailors

The line is broken, but we can still fit you out in most any size. The price has been \$4.00; now..... **\$3.00**

Suit Cases

We have just received a shipment of telescopes and suit cases and can now supply you with most any size and at any price—in the Telescopes..... 50c to \$1.75
Suit Cases..... \$1.45 to \$19.00

In the Shoe Department

Ladies' Brown and Grey Oxfords

Ladies' Canvas Oxfords in gray and brown; medium heel; regular \$1.50; all sizes; sale..... **98c**

Ladies' Oxfords; Guptil's Make

in plain kid and patent kid; turn sole; all sizes and widths; regular \$3 00; sale..... **\$1.95**

Men's Oxfords

In velour calf, vici and patent colt; narrow and wide toe; regular \$3.50; sale..... **\$2.65**

Misses and Children's Shoes

in tan Russia calf, suitable for country wear; sizes 8½ to 2; regular \$1.75 and \$2.00; sale..... **\$1.23**

Boy's Shoes

Good solid Shoe for boys; suitable for all around wear; sizes 9 to 2; Friday and Saturday..... **\$1.23**

Grover's Shoes

Soft Sole Shoes for tender feet; complete stock in a variety of styles and sizes.

WEEKLY MARKET REVIEW

Eastern Washington timothy of this year's growth has begun to find its way to the Sound and last week two carloads sent from Toppenish to Seattle brought a retail price there of \$16 a ton. Seattle quotations at this time are \$13 to \$14 a ton for timothy, buying prices, f. o. b. Seattle, with an increase of \$3 a ton for jobbing prices. For alfalfa the buying prices, also f. o. b. Seattle, are \$10.50 with an increase of \$2.50 for jobbing prices. One result of the fires at Toppenish and Mabton, which destroyed hay owned by the Galbraith-Bacon company and by the Bannan company, has been to send representatives of those firms into the market to make purchases, and dealing may soon be anticipated. The hold-over stocks of these people have been destroyed and they are now up against the necessity of providing for their shortages.

Make the Farmer Hold.

Evidences continue to multiply to the effect that while the hay crop of the Yakima valley does not this year equal the superior yield of a year ago it is still a large crop and an excellent one and will be marketed at fair figures. It also begins to be apparent that the farmer will be given the privilege of carrying it for some time to come as will be the case in other lines of produce unless the present conservative methods of dealing are abandoned. Buyers last year stocked up pretty liberally and in doing so ran the prices up to a point which left no profit after the slump, with the added charges for storage, etc. In the slower dealing this year the result of the experiences of last year will be that the buyer will go more cautiously and allow the farmer to carry his crop as long as possible.

Fruit Moves Freely.

Not counting express shipments North Yakima is at the present time sending out four or five carloads of mixed

fruits a week. Despite all predictions the year has not started in as badly for the growers as many people had anticipated. Cherries sold fairly well and present fruits are finding a market at paying prices. Early apples are both fairly good and fairly remunerative. Buyers are paying cash, 75 cents to \$1 for a hundred pounds in bulk, and there is money in that. Bartlett pears will soon make their appearance and they, too, will sell for cash. In addition the cannery is now in operation and that means a good thing to the grower who has no other outlet.

Mention of the cannery recalls the fact that canned fruits are now selling at about 30 per cent less than has been the case for five years past. The situation at present is that they are so low they should be within the reach of everyone unless the difference disappears before they reach the consumer.

Tomatoes Are Doing Well.

Tomatoes are reported by local growers to be doing excellently. Some very fine Yakima tomatoes are on exhibit today in the grocery stores of this city. One Selah grower, who has about 1000 plants, reported today that they are all doing well and that so far as he had been able to learn other growers of the district are having good success. Incidentally it may be said that experts are on the trail of the tomato blight, said to be a fungus growth in the interior of the plants and are at work on a seed bed treatment, which it is hoped, will prove effective.

There is little doing in the retail market different from a week ago. Butter has been advanced five cents per roll and is now selling at 65 cents. Eggs are firm at 30 cents, retail.

General quotations follow:

RETAIL MARKETS

Flour.

Yakima Best, per sack..... **\$1.40**
Prosser Best..... **1.35**
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Dutch Mill, hard wheat..... **1.30**

Graham..... **1.30**
Whole Wheat Flour..... **1.35**
Yakima Kite..... **1.20**
Barnes' Best Special..... **1.35**

Salt Meats.

Sacked ham..... **22c**
Skinned ham..... **20c**
Dry salt sides..... **14c**
Bacon..... **18c**
Breakfast bacon..... **25c**

Produce

Butter, creamery, per roll (2lbs)..... **65c**
Butter, ranch, per roll (2lbs)..... **55c**
Cheese, native..... **25c**
Eggs, per dozen..... **30c**

Meat.

Cows, No. 1, per 100 lbs..... **\$2.50@2.75**
Steers..... **3.50@3.75**
Fat hogs, best..... **6.50**
Hogs, dressed..... **8**
Wethers, dressed, per lb..... **9**
Lambs, dressed, per lb..... **11**

Poultry

Chickens, per lb..... **10@12**
Turkeys..... **13@15**
Ducks..... **8@10**
Geese..... **9@10**

Wool.

Eastern Washington, per lb..... **12c**

Fruit, Wholesale.

Apricots, per lb..... **5**
Raspberries..... **1.50@1.75**
Apricots, per lb..... **5**
Apples..... **50c to 75c**
Peaches..... **35c to 40c**
Early pears, per lb..... **1c to 1½c**
Squash, summer..... **5**

Specials—Retail

Lettuce, bunch..... **5**
Tomatoes, per lb..... **20**
Sweet Corn, per dozen..... **15**
Green onions, 3 bunches..... **10**
Rhubarb, per lb..... **5**
Green Peas, per gallon..... **20**
Turnips, 3 lbs..... **10**
String beans, per lb..... **10**
Green Apples, per lb..... **4**
Pineapples..... **20@25**
Beets, bunch..... **5**
Raspberries..... **10**
Cantaloupes..... **10**
New Potatoes, per lb..... **2**
Potatoes..... **15.00**

Hay—Prices Paid Producers.

Hay..... **7.00@9.00**
Alfalfa..... **12.00@13.50**
Timothy, per ton..... **10.00@12.00**
Wheat hay, per ton..... **28.00**
Oats..... **28.00**

INCREASE IN TAX COLLECTIONS \$180,000

The annual report of the county auditor, now nearing completion, shows that the total receipts of the county during the year ending June 30 last were \$800,844.43 and that the total disbursements during the same period were \$666,205.26, leaving a balance on hand July 1 of \$134,638.17. The balance on hand at the beginning of the year was \$230,489.41.

The total taxes collected during the year amounted to \$485,623.37, as against \$304,355.13 collected during the year ending June 30, 1907. The total receipts during the year ending June 1, 1907, were \$810,578.39, the larger sum being accounted for by the payment that year of a considerable amount by Benton county in settlement of the claims resulting from the division of the county, the sale of \$166,083 worth of county bonds and other items not properly classed as revenue.

Exhibit Shows Progress.

Taking these items into consideration it is clear that Auditor Crocker's exhibit for the year just closed is most satisfactory, showing a steady increase in revenue. The expenditure is shown to have increased by \$86,116.38.

Of the total cost of the superior court during the year the state repaid \$4,099.05 on account of the costs of felony cases in which convictions were had, and the state school apportionment amounted last year to \$32,239.27.

Following is a summary of the receipts and expenditures during the year:

Receipts

Balance July 1, 1907..... **\$230,489.41**
Tax collected..... **485,067.19**
Personal property tax on transient property..... **556.18**
Interest on tax collected..... **5,174.90**
Tax advanced on platted property..... **1,492.75**

Poll tax collected..... **1,520.00**
Auditor's fees collected..... **10,426.45**
School tax paid by Benton Co..... **7.68**
Clerk's fees..... **6,346.97**
Sheriff's fees..... **2,896.81**
Treasurer's fees..... **3.00**
Interest on treasurer's daily balances..... **3,088.96**
State school apportionment..... **32,239.27**
State's portion felony cases..... **4,099.05**
State apportionment forest reserve..... **445.49**
Sale of school bonds..... **8,400.00**
Sale of school registers..... **32.35**
Sale of old lumber, etc..... **880.95**
Proceeds sale of estrays..... **306.35**
Bounty repaid by state..... **1,710.50**
Hunters' licenses..... **896.00**
Tuition various S. D..... **602.10**
Interest on school warrants investment..... **459.62**
Examination fees..... **180.00**
Donations for road purposes..... **386.23**
Fines J. P. court..... **657.16**
Costs J. P. court..... **482.69**
Money found on body of W. H. Claws..... **75**
Refund care county charges, drugs also..... **23.30**
Partial payment rent of farm..... **235.00**
Advertising fees repaid..... **8.10**
Saloon license..... **1,000.00**
Board of prisoners..... **12.70**
Moving siphon..... **36.35**
Refund of duplicated warrants..... **169.68**
Contributions for police protection Wapato..... **144.15**
Freight charges repaid..... **64.96**
Use of council chamber..... **146.66**
Cancelled insurance premiums..... **41.40**
Excess legal tender..... **75.05**
Tax rebate on drainage dist Proceeds damaging school property..... **1.45**
Donation S. D..... **25.25**

Disbursements.

Remitted state treasurer..... **\$ 47,899.93**
Remitted municipal taxes..... **54,370.87**

Warrants redeemed..... **525,705.61**
Interest on warrants redeemed..... **8,321.52**
County bond redeemed..... **1,000.00**
School bonds redeemed..... **975.00**
Interest on county bonds..... **9,485.00**
Interest coupons school bonds..... **16,042.38**
Advanced on platted property guaranty..... **1,638.95**
Paid Benton Co. treasurer school tax..... **767.00**
Balance on hand July 1, 1908..... **134,638.17**
Total..... **\$800,844.43**

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\$200,000 INCREASE IN PERSONAL PROPERTY

According to the assessment rolls prepared by County Assessor John W. Sindall and his assistants personal property has increased in Yakima county by nearly \$200,000 during the past year. The increase in realty values is much greater, but the books are not yet closed up and figures regarding this branch of the assessor's work cannot be published at this time. The showing made, however, in personal property must be very gratifying to those who are interested in the progress of the county. The assessed value of personal property listed for taxation in 1907 was \$3,610,690. That included among other items the valuation placed upon Northern Pacific right-of-way, upon the North Yakima & Valley railroad, the Sunnyside branch of the Northern Pacific and upon the Western Union Telegraph company's property. These items are excluded from the assessment of the year because of the enactment by the legislature by which the assessment of this class of property is placed upon the state authorities, but notwithstanding this the assessment of personal property this year totals up \$5,013,895, from which must be deducted \$1,198,060, exempted under the laws of the state from taxation.

Big Increase Shown.

The exclusion of the property of the public corporations from the assessment rolls accounts for a falling off of about \$282,020, the amount of the assessment of the railroads and telegraph company last year, and if this amount is added to the assessment there would be a total of \$5,295,905, showing an increase over the assessment of last year of \$1,685,215, an increase which is not equalled by any county in the state of Washington. But this is for personal property alone and the showing made in realty will have this thrown in the shade.

One of the features of the assessment rolls is the falling off in live stock. Irrigation is changing the country and personal property keeps pace with the change. Where 10 years ago there were 1000 horses today there are but 500; the sheep also are a vanishing population and horses are much fewer than they were in the days when John Edwards was a range rider. It will be news to the old timers to learn that Assessor Sindall only can locate 5,402 horses in Yakima county and not many head of cattle more than 10,000. The mules number but 118.

Forty-one Autos.

Among the various items of personal

property it is noted in the assessment rolls that there are 41 automobiles in the county but a large number of people who lately have acquired the gas wagons made their investments after March 1 and therefore are exempt from taxation this year. Probably there are over 100 automobiles in the county at this time.

One important item must not be overlooked in the consideration of the comparative assessments of this year and last year, namely the exclusion of the assessment of moneys and credits by the statute of last year. This item accounted in 1907 for about half a million of dollars. This year it is not included in the assessment rolls, although the state tax commission decided by a majority vote that the law was unconstitutional. As a result of the action of the commission some counties have assessed moneys and credits and some have not. John Sindall obeyed the law and did not assess this form of property.

Taking all these facts into consideration the showing made is highly satisfactory and demonstrates the rapid increase in the material wealth of the county.

FRUIT GROWERS OF NACHES ORGANIZE

The fruit growers of the Naches valley have decided to organize an association and put in an exhibit at the state fair this fall. In the Upper Naches W. D. Thompson is gathering together the exhibit of apricots and early peaches. In the Lower Naches W. L. Wright is looking after the exhibits. If any of the fruit men in the valley have fruit which they think worthy of exhibit, they are invited to see either of these men. The fruit growers have not yet had a formal meeting to organize but one will be called within 10 days and all ranchers of the valley will be invited to join. It is the intention to exhibit as the Naches Valley as a whole, under a name yet to be adopted and go in for the grand prize for the largest and best exhibit at the fair. As the time is short in which to get the early peaches and apricots, it was decided to call for these fruits before organizing. An effort will also be made to get some cherries as some from the valley are known to be in cold storage.

The men interested in forming the association include Le Roy Pease, W. D. Thompson, W. C. Clark, J. A. Wheeler, Henry Sedge, E. R. Pence, Samuel and Will Allan, of the Upper Naches, and W. L. Wright, John Dobie, Walter Rowe, John D. Gammons, J. E. Boyle, A. H. Bair, Ed. Kershaw and W. L. Purdin, of the lower valley. Every man seen by the men interested in forming the association has been very much interested and has agreed to join in and send his best fruit. They all feel that the Naches can sweep the board if it goes after it in earnest.

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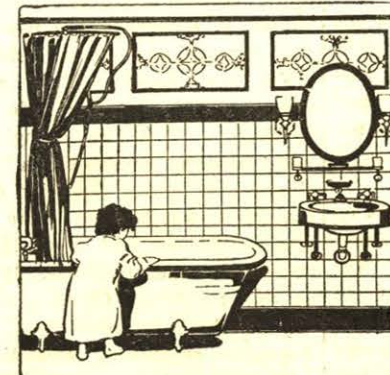
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EASTERN PRESS OPINION

Declaring for the ticket the Columbus (Ohio) Press-Post says: "But Mr. Bryan could not have achieved his re-nomination by dictation. He had none of the powers at his command which are essential to make a dictator invincible, even if he were thus inclined. His popularity with the people rests on a more secure foundation, else it would not survive two defeats and be stronger than before."

The Buffalo (N. Y.) Courier, edited by Mr. Connors, squarely indorses the ticket and prints this interesting item: "The Utica Observer, formerly opposed to Mr. Bryan, is in line this time. The only newspapers of any prominence calling themselves democratic that will be against him in the campaign are those sheets which, owned and dictated by Wall Street, pretend to be democratic in order to act as betrayers. The public has them all spotted now, and their influence is nil."

The Indianapolis News (rep.) says: "We think that Mr. Bryan is stronger with the people than he ever was before, and that the republicans will make a great mistake if they assume that he can easily be defeated. For the man is quite as popular as he ever was, has quite as strong a hold on the affections of the people and yet he has grown in wisdom and is, we believe, less radical. It is certain that the old Bryan scare has largely passed away. He will this year be voted for by thousands of men who, 12 years ago, would as soon have voted for Haywood. Many men saw in the republican convention what they believed to be evidence of a retreat. To these the democratic candidate and the democratic platform will make a powerful appeal."

Even the New York World—in its issue of July 13—is moved to say: "There are faults in the Denver platform, but it shows a great improvement over the platform of 1896 and the platform of 1900. It shows a very great improvement over many of Mr. Bryan's speeches during the last two years. Without modifying any of the criticism which it has made against certain planks, the World believes that the committee on resolutions is entitled to great credit, that the national convention is entitled to great credit and that Mr. Bryan himself is entitled to great credit for a definition of party policies which contains so much that is good and avoids so many disastrous blunders of the past."

The Philadelphia Record, which opposed Mr. Bryan in 1896 and in 1900, says: "Under a deep sense of the responsibility therein involved, the Record has determined to support the candidates of the democratic party. There is a drift in both parties away from safe constitutional moorings. But of immediate and vital issues that divide the political opinion of the nation the democratic party is the most firmly rooted in the faith of the fathers. For 30 years the Record, day in and day out, has striven for tariff reform. It will fight on under the lead of Bryan, who believes the protective principle not only unjust but unconstitutional. It will fight on for unfettered trade and equal rights under whatever leadership the war is waged, in the belief that the good of the masses is deeply involved in the result."

The New York Tribune (rep) warns its leaders against over-confidence, saying: "Mr. Bryan undoubtedly owes his nomination to the support of the great mass of the democratic voters. These voters prefer radicalism to conservatism and Bryan to any other possible democratic leader. Recognizing this fact the Tribune has never considered Mr. Bryan a pitiable weak candidate. He is obviously stronger as a vote getter than Judge Parker was in 1904 or than any other democratic nominee would be this year who owed his selection to conservative influences. Republicans will do well not to consider the campaign of 1908 a walkover."

COL. BOARDMAN'S WAII

Editor Boardman, of Puyallup, like most of his republican brethren of the quill, is rather sensitive and thin-skinned on the subject of panics. It makes him hot under the collar for any democratic newspaper to even mildly intimate that the present serious financial depression should be known in history as the "Roosevelt panic." This, says Bre'r Boardman is merely

"democratic claptrap." And then he points the finger of scorn at the democratic party for precipitating the "Cleveland panic" in 1893. In this connection the brilliant and versatile Col. Boardman says:

"That was a panic resulting directly from the enforcement of democratic policies, a democratic congress having repealed a protective tariff law enacted by the republicans and threatening to destroy the financial system of the government. The democrats all but did it, too, the circumstance still being fresh in the minds of the people of the issuance of \$260,000,000 worth of bonds in the time of profound peace, of millions of workmen being out of employment, factories closed and penury and misery spread broadcast from one ocean to the other and from the Canadian line to the gulf. It is also well remembered that there was no relief from this terrible condition of affairs until after the inauguration of President McKinley in March, 1897, who, backed by a republican congress, brought order out of chaos, restored confidence and initiated an era of prosperity the like of which the country has never before seen."

Tut, tut, brother, it is not well that you should thus do violence to history. It is true enough that the worst panic of modern times burst upon the country during the reign of Grover, the great. But it came before that eminent statesman had more than fairly warmed the executive seat. It came not as the result of Cleveland's election, but as the fruit of a long period of damnable republican legislation.

That panic began early in June, 1893, while republican legislation and republican policies were yet in full force. The Wilson tariff legislation, of which our mistaken contemporary complains, was not passed for more than a year after the beginning of the panic and to blame the Wilson tariff law for the panic is like convicting a man of a crime before he is born. Other fallacies in the Boardman argument are also plainly apparent, and it is hardly necessary to point them out.

The truth is that the three panics that the country has undergone since the close of the civil war are fairly chargeable to the republican party and the operation of its unwise policies. Certainly that party was in full power in 1873, again from 1889 to 1893, the unfortunate period that brought on the so-called Cleveland panic. But in 1907, when the present panic started, the republican party was not only in full power, but it had grown drunken with it. It will have to accept full responsibility for the present depression, even though its editors and its spellbinders are forced to squirm.

That party has never failed to claim all the credit for any faint evidence of prosperity we have enjoyed. Why in the name of justice then should it try to escape responsibility for hard times under Republican auspices?

It will not escape it. The present campaign will amply demonstrate that fact.

BRYAN CONQUERED THEM

A correspondent of the Denver News, who has recently been investigating political conditions in Nebraska, reported that public sentiment in that state is now very much more favorable to Mr. Bryan than ever before. This correspondent was informed by a number of prominent republicans of Nebraska that Bryan would undoubtedly carry his home state this year by a handsome plurality. He was also assured that the heretofore hidebound republican city of Lincoln would certainly for the first time give a majority vote to her leading citizen this year. The old partisan bitterness against the great Commoner seems to have died out in his adopted state, says this writer. The sentiment now is that Bryan has reflected great honor on Nebraska and has put Lincoln, as it were, on the political map. However, the changed feeling is due in the main to the personality of the man. His genial ways and his unfailing good nature have had the effect of winning over to his cause at last many who have bitterly opposed him in the past. One of his republican neighbors put it this way: "In spite of the fact that I have bitterly opposed him he had always treated me well and d— me if I don't vote for him this time."

Certainly this change of feeling towards him in his own home, where people know him best, is a personal triumph for Mr. Bryan. Certainly it is evidence of the real greatness of the man. For years, ever since he was first elected to congress many of Bryan's republican neighbors have evinced a mean and intolerant spirit towards him. This was due, says this Denver correspondent, to the fact that Lincoln, the capital city of Nebraska, is peopled largely with a class of petty republican politicians who have long lived directly or indirectly off the state, being connected with the many institutions of the state located at Lincoln. It is this class of petty politicians and time servers who feared that Bryan's success in Nebraska meant their own downfall, who have opposed the Commoner so viciously in past years.

But under the genial personality of Bryan and perhaps a greater belief in the principles he represents the old antagonism has now largely died away.

HE DON'T EXPLAIN

Senator Sam Piles delivered a long speech in Seattle one evening last week in explanation of why he is opposing Jones and supporting Ankeny for reelection. It was a long-winded talk and Senator Sam told his Seattle friends of what great obligation he is under to Senator Ank—and how impossible it is for a high-minded gentleman in his position to repudiate the obligation. Senator Sam's oration in fact was a soul-stirrer and is said to have brought tears of sympathy to many a hardened eye among the veterans of King county politics.

But Senator Sam's explanation neither went far enough nor deep enough to satisfy many inquiring minds in this state. It was supposed that the junior senator would shed a dazzling light on that famous King county agreement, the sanctity of which Boss McGraw is so much impressed with. Instead of spending so much of his flowery rhetoric on unimportant details the little senator should have read to his select audience the full text of that iniquitous King county agreement, and if necessary the ex-sheriff could have supplied him with a copy. Without a recital of that famous agreement the much advertised speech of the little senator was flat and unprofitable. It was not calculated to convince anybody except such as were determined to be convinced.

If Senator Piles had no more convincing reasons to give the public for Ankeny's re-election than he uttered in the Moore theater address it should be a matador of supreme indifference to Mr. Jones and his friends whether the junior senator goes on the stump or not. As for Piles' speech as studied between the lines it betrays an anxious desire on the part of the Seattle man to continue present conditions which permits him virtually to cast two votes instead of one in the United States senate.

The spectacle of Taft, the presidential candidate of a great party, journeying to Oyster Bay to submit to his chief for his O. K. or rejection, the speech of acceptance he had prepared certainly will not elevate the g. o. p. nominee in the estimation of intelligent people. Certainly there is no precedent in the political history of this country for such an act of subservience. Not even Van Buren, the protege of Jackson, ever was accused of like servility to his chief. And Mr. Taft himself gave out the information as to the object of his call on the president and the fact that the latter had fully O. K'd his speech of acceptance. Such innocence on the part of a presidential candidate is certainly refreshing. However, that trip to Oyster Bay is not calculated to make votes for the heavyweight candidate.

The New York World presents the results of an interesting poll. It finds that only one of 82 delegates who attended the meeting of the Central Federated union in the University Settlement recently was in favor of Taft, and he is a life-long republican. Fifty-three said definitely that they would support Bryan, and among the sixteen who were non-committal two-thirds showed a strong leaning toward him. A number who previously belonged to the independence league will join either the democratic or the socialist party this year. The result

of the poll follows: Taft 1, Bryan 53, Debs 11, independence league 1, non-committal 16; total, 82.

Mr. Bryan has publicly announced that the net earnings of the Commoner during the presidential campaign will be given to the democratic campaign fund. Certainly the presidential nominee is doing his part to insure a successful campaign. The net earnings of the Commoner is said to be not less than \$30,000 per annum.

MABTON.

Frank Martin had business in Sunnyside Friday.

Roy Graham of Wenas is visiting relatives here.

Joe Phillips went to Seattle Friday to visit with his family who are there.

Jesse Stewart entertained his friends, Miss Bertha Hulse and Miss Cronk of North Yakima, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Bassett and child, who have been visiting relatives here, returned to their home in Borup, Wash., Saturday. Misses Hazel and Reba Martin accompanied them.

Dr. J. F. Scott and J. Clift of North Yakima had business here the fore part of the week.

Mr. and Mrs. Rogers and Miss Louise Wallace are here from their home in Iowa visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. M. L. West.

Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Price and daughter, Miss Ruby, left Wednesday for western Oregon, where they will make their future home.

H. A. Young transacted business in the Belma district Thursday.

T. W. Howell went to Liberty, Wash., Thursday to join his family who are camping there.

Mrs. H. E. Baker and children went to Ellensburg Thursday where they will visit with friends during the warm weather.

Mrs. T. C. Grewell of Satus is in town this week, quite ill.

L. H. Shattuck had business in North Yakima the latter part of the week.

Miss Doll Desmond visited with her friend, Miss Roxine Shuman of Sunnyside Saturday and Sunday.

Mrs. Charles Scott and daughter Thelma went to Bickleton Thursday for a visit with the family of Barney Beckner.

Mrs. C. W. Smith visited relatives in Sunnyside Saturday.

Irvin Launse visited friends in North Yakima Sunday.

Dr. C. B. Alexander made a business trip to Sunnyside Saturday.

PARKER.

Fruit packing is in full blast in Parker.

The little babe of Mrs. J. F. McCurdy is slowly improving.

The social given by the Parker Sunday school was well attended. We hope to see more people at the Sunday school hereafter.

Mr. Severance has undergone an operation in North Yakima and at present writing is very low.

Mrs. Drew Chidester and little child, left for their home in Tacoma last Saturday.

Mrs. Dan McDonald is on the sick list this week.

Miss Pearl Mellis returned from Cle Elum last Sunday evening on No. 6, where she has been the past three months.

Rev. and Mrs. Sanford of Wapato were callers in Parker Friday.

George Mason purchased a buggy last week. "Actions speak louder than words," George.

Mr. and Mrs. Alvia Scott of Spokane, after visiting in Parker for a few days, left for Spokane on No. 4 last Monday.

Word was received from Joseph Coebens last Saturday stating that they were just starting from the east for Gridley, Cal.

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Phil Hinote, While Working for Northwest Light & Power Co., Comes in Fatal Contact With Live Wire.

Tuesday afternoon at fifteen minutes to five, Philip Hinote, a lineman who had been in the employ of the Northwest Light and Water company for the past two months, while engaged in the transfer of a primary feed wire to a new pole at the corner of C and Front streets, met death in a shocking manner, being instantly electrocuted a few minutes after ascending the pole.

Hinote, in company with S. J. Fields, another lineman, was detailed to attend to the work by Foreman Thomas Cave, who stood on the ground supervising the job. The two men had barely climbed the pole, when Fields, hearing Cave shout something, but not catching the remark, turned and to his horror saw that Hinote's body was stiffening in the agonies of the cruel current of 2300 volts, while smoke issued from his mouth and the sickening odor of burnt flesh emanated from the body where the left side and right arm had come in contact with the powerful fluid.

Realizing from his knowledge of the dangerous profession only too well what had happened, Fields as quickly as possible attached a tackle and ropes to the body of the unfortunate man and lowered him to the ground, but it was at once seen that the vital spark had been quenched, and the victim probably never knew what killed him.

Hinote came here from Seattle and immediately secured work with the company, being a man of years of experience in the business, and had intended to bring his wife and child here in the course of a few days to reside here permanently. In fact, he had about completed arrangements for the occupation of a tent for present needs for his family and the arrival was about four months of hours. He was about 40 years of age as near as could be learned and had no other relatives in this part of the country, judging from the meagre information possessed by his working mates and the officers of the company. The address of the wife was not even known last night, and the manager of the company, G. S. Arrowsmith, was trying for several hours to get the address of the woman by means of the long distance telephone.

The body was removed to the Flint & Shaw undertaking parlors where it lies in default of instructions from the family. A search of the effects of the dead man at the North Coast rooming house, where he had lived, revealed nothing in the shape of information as to the address of his wife.

First Fatality for Company.
Speaking of the calamity last night Manager Arrowsmith remarked: "This company has been doing business in this city for 16 years and this is the first serious accident of any nature that we have had in all that time," which certainly makes an enviable record as compared with those of other concerns in the same line of business.

Late last evening communication with the wife was effected by telephone and the body was ordered to be shipped today.

Coroner Frank, after viewing the remains and hearing the story as related by the eye-witnesses, decided that no inquest was necessary.

HOPS ARE DOING WELL BUT OUTLOOK IS POOR

Present Prospects Are That Yakima Will Produce About 7000 Bales.

Hops are doing splendidly in and about the North Yakima district this year. Those yards which have been cultivated with any degree of attention have made a fine growth and give every indication of a good yield. The situation, however, is that many of the growers have neglected cultivation and cannot, and do not, therefore expect more than a two-thirds yield. Where an estimate was made some time ago that the outside possible yield of the Yakima district this year would be something in the neighborhood of 9000 bales it is now considered that the maximum limit is more of an approach to 7000 bales, provided that all the hops are picked. Nothing of particular moment has occurred to encourage the growers. There was at one time a slight stiffening of the conditions governing contract making but this did not continue and reports which come in from other growing sections indicate that a good yield will mark the season. Latest Bohemian and Bavarian reports are to the effect that the yield there will be large and the prices low.

George Bosdet, who is cultivating 40 acres and giving them as much attention as if he was certain that hops would be at 30 cents, says his yards are looking excellent though he will not admit that he is delighted to have hops of that much, or only, acreage. Reports from the Cowiche and other valleys are that the growth is good there. One or two of the Selah yards have reported considerable early handicap because of the wind and a consequently reduced production. This is all it is possible to say of the hop situation at this time. Later developments will govern the picking operations.

WHITE GIRL HELD CAPTIVE BY JAP

Yakima Jap and Elsie Preston Are Charged With Statutory Crime.

Elsie Preston, who has gained somewhat of a bad reputation in North Yakima, is again in trouble, this time in Portland, Ore. Playing her old-time matrimonial game, she consented to elope with G. Kageyama, a wealthy Japanese who owns a lodging house over the Royal cafe, this city. The two left here about two weeks ago, bound for Portland. Elsie persuaded the enamored Jap to buy her jewelry and other finery before they reached Portland. After he had done this the Preston woman announced her intention of returning to Yakima instead of being married to the Jap. Before she could execute her plans, Kageyama looked her in a Japanese lodging house in Portland and she was not released until Sunday last, when she was rescued by a detective. Concerning the affair, the Oregonian says:

Eloped With a Jap.

G. Kageyama, a Japanese with a mission education, and Miss Elsie Preston, daughter of an American farmer, living at Yakima, Wash., are sojourning in the city jail as the sequel to a romantic elopement from Yakima, a week ago. When the two were arrested, the Japanese had the girl imprisoned at a Japanese rooming house at Sixth and Couch streets and was holding her against her will until she reconsidered a sudden change of mind about marrying him. Although they eloped with the plan of being married in Portland or at Vancouver, Wash., Kageyama says the girl changed her mind after securing at his expense a \$50 dress and other finery, which cost him about \$100.

The pair say they left Yakima early last week because of strong opposition to the match. Kageyama is the owner of a Yakima boarding house and considerable money. He left his place to get along as best it might with the young woman with whom he had long been in love.

Girl Was Kept a Prisoner.

Passersby at the Japanese boarding house here saw the girl three successive days from a window and observed that she seemed in distress. The matter was reported to the police and Detective Price invaded the place Sunday, breaking in the door. The girl begged him to take her away from the place, saying she was being held against her will. Her meals were carried to her, she said, by a countryman of Kageyama's who was careful to lock the door after each visit with food.

Kageyama, an intelligent Japanese of 25, explained in excellent English that he wished to marry the girl, that she had promised to marry him and that they left Yakima for that purpose. But no sooner had he bought her the \$50 dress, a pair of shoes and some cheap jewelry, than she told him she had changed her mind and was going back to Yakima. Feeling that he had been wronged, he locked her up to give her time to change her mind, he said.

The elopers were arraigned in the municipal court yesterday forenoon, on a statutory charge, to which both entered pleas of guilty. Later, however, at the instance of friends of the girl, the plea was withdrawn in her case and a trial asked for today.

NORTH COAST FILES DEEDS FOR A MILLION

That the North Coast means business was shown Saturday when deeds for a round million dollars worth of property within the city limits of Spokane were filed in that city, the total number of documents comprising no less than 114.

This means that virtually the legal obstacles to the entrance of the road into Spokane have been obliterated, and that construction will go ahead in the very near future with redoubled vigor. Furthermore, as every road crossing in the city with one exception is either above or below grade, a condition which is unparalleled in the west, the company will therefore maintain the most popular line as far as the residents are concerned, all of which will naturally have a tendency to facilitate their getting in soon.

Work Near Kiona.

There are at present about 22 miles graded east of Granger and Kiona, which, however, is not continuous, and some on the Tekoa branch. In addition to this, the right of way has been secured from this city to Kennewick, and for the past month there has been a locating party of engineers under the lead of Mr. Bogue, who started from that place and are now working up the Columbia river. Just for what purpose these men are working is an unknown quantity as far as the general public's knowledge is concerned, and of course there are various rumors in connection with the subject, but apparently the most reasonable of these is the one that the road is going to connect with one or all of the roads north of here including possibly the Canadian Pacific.

Speaking of the proposed route, cost, and other details, President Robert Strahorn said yesterday in Spokane:

"Some important and expensive features are the two Columbia river bridges costing about half a million dollars each. One of these is on the Spokane-Seattle line near Ringgold bar, and the other is on the Seattle-Walla Walla line just below the mouth of Snake river.

"There is also a high and long bridge across the Snake river on the Spokane-Walla Walla line, near the mouth of the Palouse. About eight miles of Palouse canyon, down which this line must run

to descend to the Snake river, is not only one of the most magnificent stretches of canyon scenery in the world, but also an enormously expensive avenue for a railroad. It is said that this section will cost close to \$200,000 a mile. A scene of wonderful sublimity is enjoyed where the line passes Palouse falls.

"The Cascade mountain crossing from the headwaters of the Tieton on the east side to the head of Cowlitz river on the west involves a three-mile tunnel and some wondrous mountain scenery, on the west side especially, where for many miles at a stretch the vast snow white bulk of Mount Rainier is in full view. The cost of the entire system of some 700 miles is estimated at about \$40,000,000.

"An important feature from an economical as well as scenic standpoint is the manner in which the North Coast road traverses the arable area east of the Cascade range. The great wheat fields of the Big Bend and Palouse are traversed on their richest zones and occupying the north side of Yakima valley for much of its length the North Coast goes through the orchard land par excellence. The line is laid through vast timber and coal belts from a short distance west of North Yakima to the Sound and Portland, but in the Cowlitz and Naches valleys passes through many miles of the finest farming lands."

Notice of Time Appointed for Hearing Final Account and Petition for Distribution.

In the Superior Court of the State of Washington, in and for Yakima County.

In Probate.

In the Matter of the Estate of Mary V. Curtis, deceased:

A. W. Curtis, administrator, of the estate of Mary V. Curtis, deceased, having filed his final account in said estate and therewith his petition asking for distribution of said estate to the parties entitled thereto and for his discharge.

It is ordered that Monday, the 17th day of August, 1908, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon of said day in the courtroom in North Yakima, Yakima County, Washington, be and the same is hereby appointed as the time and place for the hearing and settlement of said account and petition for distribution.

And the clerk of the above entitled court and said administrator are hereby directed to give notice of such hearing by causing notices to be posted in at least three public places in Yakima county, Washington, and by causing said notices to be published for four consecutive weeks in the Yakima Democrat, a newspaper printed and published in North Yakima, Yakima county, Washington, and of general circulation in said Yakima county.

Dated this 10th day of July, 1908.

E. B. PREBLE,

Judge.

Notice is hereby given pursuant to the above entitled order of the above entitled court that the final account of A. W. Curtis, administrator of the estate of Mary V. Curtis, deceased, has been returned and filed in the above entitled court and his petition for final distribution of said estate has been filed with said court and that Monday, the 20th day of July, 1908, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, in the court room in North Yakima, Yakima County, Washington, has been duly appointed by the above court as the time and the place for the hearing of said petition and the settlement of said account, at which time any person interested in said estate may appear and file objections and exceptions in writing to said account and petition and contest the same.

In witness whereof each of the undersigned does hereby set his hand and seal this 14th day of July, 1908.

(Seal.) J. LENOX WARD,

Clerk of Said Superior Court.

A. W. CURTIS,

Administrator of the Estate of Mary V. Curtis, deceased.

July 17-4t

SUBJECT--"Home Trading."



Booster Says:

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WATER RUNS A MONTH TO TRAVEL TEN MILES

Wet Stuff Drops Through Hanford Soil Like Water Through a Sieve.

Herman Hatfield and Bernard Wilkinson are in town from their ranch on the Columbia river. Herman says the spud crop looks promising and he believes potato prices will be good this year. There is much activity on the river, according to the boys. Nearly every night some stranger comes along and wants to "put up" in the boys' cabin. Hanford and White Bluffs are full of life and the country looks as promising or more so than it did when it was first opened for settlement.

The Hanford irrigation canal has been in operation for a month but the water so far has only got ten miles through the canal, says Mr. Hatfield. The soil of course is being given its first watering by artificial means, and the wet stuff drops through the soil much as it would through a sieve.

The company at Hanford has found that the canal is too small to carry the stream of water that is daily pumped from the river. The pumps throw up a five-foot stream and this is carried to the canal through pipes. On several occasions the banks of the canal have given away, letting the water flood the adjoining farms. This difficulty will be remedied, however, by the canal being made wider.

Although the recent rains appeared to be a God-send to the Columbia farmers, it has been found since that the many acres of potatoes planted are suffering, evidently from too much water. Many of the vines are undergoing their second growth and, of course, this will be detrimental to the quality of the spuds.

Notice to Tax Payers.

Notice is hereby given that on Monday, August 3rd, 1908, the annual session of the Board of Equalization will open in the County Commissioners office in the Court House at North Yakima Washington, for the purpose of equalizing the 1908 taxes.

Complaints, if any, must be made at this meeting, as the County Commissioners are not authorized by law to alter tax after the close of this session. Witness my hand and seal this 17th day of July, 1908.

WILBUR CROCKER,

County Auditor.

STATE SCHOOL LAND RENTED TO RANCHERS

Five and Ten Cents per Acre for Whole Sections in the Selah Valley.

Large areas of state school lands were today leased by County Auditor Crocker according to the terms of the state land act. The Selah Ranch company took a lease of a whole section in the Selah valley, paying rent at the rate of 5 cents per acre. The best price was obtained, however, from William Ludwig, who paid rental at the rate of 10 cents per acre for a whole section.

The section taken by the Selah company is 14-15-16 and that taken by Mr. Ludwig is 30-11-21.

The lands recently were advertised for lease and the bidding was done on the courthouse steps this afternoon. Only three bidders were present but the price secured is considered satisfactory.

The land owned by M. McF. Stewart near Outlook was sold by the sheriff this afternoon in settlement of a judgment for \$2400 and was bought in by an attorney representing the judgment creditor.

CANNON RETURNS HOME

Hon. Miles Cannon, The Emporium magnate, has returned from a very pleasant vacation trip through Oregon and Idaho. Mr. Cannon says the Yakima valley is by far the most prosperous section of any country through which he passed. Things will begin to hum in the dry goods circles now since the Emporium manager has returned home.

FOR SALE—A few hundred apple, peach, pear and cherry trees; some asparagus; 105 South First street. P. H. How.

Dr. N. H. Goodenow, eye, ear, nose and throat, and the fitting of glasses. Removed from the Mullins Building to 304-305 Miller Building. Office phone, 4286; residence phone, 2266.

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CITY AND COUNTY NEWS

Brief Record of Local Happenings for the Week in North Yakima and Vicinity.

Ed. Gunn, who is with a reclamation survey party in the Wide Hollow valley, killed a rattler Tuesday that had 18 rattles. The snake was one of the largest ever killed in that part of the valley.

The Baptists of this city were happily surprised Sunday morning when Pastor F. C. Whitney announced from the pulpit that the latest gift to the new church building was a \$5000 Kimball pipe organ presented by Mrs. B. F. Barge.

Winifred Cowles, formerly clerk of the Yakima city school board, and who was convicted of embezzlement about two years ago, has been paroled from the penitentiary. Cowles took money belonging to the district and was arrested when he returned from a hunting trip in the hills.

Among the prisoners paroled by the state board of control is Peter J. Leslie, the young blacksmith who endeavored to cash a forged check in Yakima City while he was under the influence of liquor. Leslie's case was favorably reported upon by the prosecuting attorney, Edward Mitchell and Thomas Parks have been finally released.

Harold J. Doolittle, of the U. S. Reclamation service, has been promoted and transferred from the Tieton project to Oregon, where he will have charge of another branch of the service. Mr. Doolittle is well known here. His many friends will be gratified to learn of his promotion and wish for him continued success.

Produce shipments west from North Yakima are being made by the various commission houses and the Horticultural Union. Mixed cars are the prevailing fashion; apples, peaches, cots and potatoes with a little honey and any other thing necessary to fill out, being the contents of the cars. The shipping business is on. The Pacific Produce company has sent out two cars within a week and is preparing a third. Cars are also being made up by the Horticultural Union, the Thompson Fruit company and J. M. Perry. The Pacific Produce company received today a carload of onions from Walla Walla, splendid looking onions at that, which will be disposed of locally.

Copa De Oro, the Nutwood Wilkes stallion owned by Mrs. L. G. Bonfilio, of Los Angeles, Cal., which was a race winner at North Yakima last year, has entered a larger field this year and last week raced at Peoria, Ill. He was in a stake race for 2:07 pacers and there were 10 competitors, declared by the Horse Review to be the "classiest that ever took the word on a western track." In the first heat Copa broke directly after the word, but paced around the outside of such horses as Star Patch, Major Mallow, Hal R. and others and won his heat in 2:06 1/4 and did the same thing in the second heat. The Review says that "Copa De Oro is really a high class horse and none can doubt it after witnessing this race."

To the Voters. (Paid Advertisement.)

I hereby announce myself a candidate for the office of sheriff of Yakima county at the coming Republican primaries.

JOS. H. LANCASTER.
June 8-Sept. 8.

FUN AT KACHESS

Masquerade Ball Held at Log Cabin Inn Affords Amusement to Guests

Word has been received from Miss Ida Sharkey, who, with a party of girl friends is spending an outing at Captain and Mrs. J. W. Gale's ideal summer resort, Kachess Lodge, that on Monday night, the 27th, the guests at the lodge participated in one of the most enjoyable masquerade balls that is possible to imagine.

The big living room of the Log Cabin Inn was decorated in a manner displaying a sense of artistic temperament on the part of the young ladies who had charge of this particular feature. Miss Zelah Fraser and Miss Sharkey were members of the decorating committee. The woods had been searched for miles around to secure the most beautiful maple boughs, ferns and wild flowers that abound in this vicinity, and these were used to beautify the living room where the ball was held.

An invitation was extended to the Moore camp to attend the function, and Captain Gale went over in his launch Dorothy and brought the whole crowd back with him. The dance was strictly a fully costumed affair and the characters represented reflected great credit upon the persons who appeared in their respective roles.

Among the characters were "Sis Hopkins," "Cholly and the Bride," "Happy Holigan," "Teddy Bear," "Rickey Rax and Fluffy Ruffles," "Two Little Girls in Blue," "A Japanese Man and Maid," "The Ghost," "The Summer Girl," "The Lady of the Directoire," who was especially good; "Mary Jane," "Buster Brown" and many others.

The music was furnished by Gale's orchestra, one of the most entertaining musical organizations to be found anywhere in the Cascades. Mrs. Gale served the guests with delicious refreshments and it was a late hour, or rather in the wee sma' hours of the morning, before that tired feeling began to creep slowly over the funmakers.

Kachess Lodge is now one of the liveliest places to be found anywhere in the state. Boating, fishing and mountain climbing occupy the attention of the pleasure seekers during the day, while in the evenings the guests assemble around the big fireplace, tell stories, play cards, sing and pound the piano. Everybody is congenial for only the most respectable people are admitted to Kachess Lodge.

JUDGE DILLON SAYS

CITY BONDS INVALID

E. H. Rollins & Sons Wires Decision to Mayor Lombard—Another Election Will be Necessary.

North Yakima bonds voted to pay for the street paving which is half completed, are now declared to be invalid. It will be necessary to hold another election at which time the bonding question will again be voted upon. That it will carry is, of course, a foregone conclusion.

The following telegram was received by Mayor Lombard Wednesday evening of this week:

"Chicago, Ill., July 29, 1908. H. H. Lombard, Mayor, North Yakima, Wash. Have just received opinion of Dillon & Hubbard declining to approve validity of \$150,000 bonds under present election, also owing to requirement that act be printed on back they advise there can be no bonafide holders. Mailing original opinion today. (Signed)

"E. H. ROLLINS & SONS.

The bond trouble arose over technicalities in framing the ballots and in printing the bonds. The council neglected to specify what the money should be expended for and in addition failed to print on the back of the bonds the act. This latter omission, as the telegram indicates, makes no bona fide holders of the bonds. The bonding company and the council had much argument over the validity of the paper and it was finally decided that Judge Dillon should be made a special arbiter of the difficulty. The election will require that the use of the money be specified on the ballots. About \$30,000 of this money is for the purpose of cleaning up outstanding bonds; about \$40,000 for the purpose of paying for street intersections and the balance for paying outstanding current expense warrants.

At the next meeting of the city council an ordinance will be passed calling for another election. This may be held in 30 days and will take place as soon as the law will allow.

In the meantime the work of paving will probably go ahead despite the lack of money.

WORD OF HOPE

FOR THE FRUIT MEN

There is a word of hope for fruit growers in a letter received by a North Yakima business house within a day or two from one of the largest of the eastern dealers in the fruit which has made Yakima famous. The letter is written in a more hopeful tone than the majority of those made public of late and is as follows:

"Blue letters from the east are going into the west. The prospects of the fall are being painted very dark. Personally we do not agree with these gloomy forebodings. We do not look for high average prices for either apples, pears, prunes or peaches this fall. There are too many of them in the country for that. Neither do we look for the 'less than freight' prices which some have been predicting. Present prices on all fruits are at bedrock and have been for some months but the consumption is large and will increase. So don't chop down your orchard just yet.

Ship Only the Best Fruit.

"It will be in our opinion a very shortsighted policy to ship east an ordinary grade of either apples, peaches, prunes or pears this season.

"If not over two thirds of this year's western crop is packed and that the best two thirds, and the other third destroyed, canned or dried we will predict more net money for that two thirds than if all were shipped.

"Cannot you get the 'pack' just a little better; leave out just a few more ordinary looking, green, wormy or small specimens and get just a little better package than former seasons? If you can there will be no 'sold for freight' or red ink sales.

"In our opinion there is considerable promise in this year's crop provided it is well handled at both ends of the line."

SHERMAN MAY WITHDRAW.

Health of Vice Presidential Candidate Causes Friends to Be Anxious.

Washington, July 25.—Although there is strong opposition from the party leaders to the withdrawal of James S. Sherman from the second place on the republican ticket, it is understood that his health is so poor that he will be forced to drop out of the race.

In the event that Sherman declines the nomination the national committee will be forced to fill the vacancy. This will cause complications, as New York might claim the place, while the west and middle west would be sure to fight for the right of succession.

As soon as he is strong enough Sherman will undergo an operation at Johns Hopkins hospital in Baltimore. His condition after this operation will determine whether or not he will remain in the race.

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