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RECENT events in the Philippines bear out the charges made from time to time by the anti-imperialistic press relative to the deliberate and willful suppression of military news by General Otis' press censor at Manila. The complaint recently made by the correspondents of American newspapers, to the war department, which for the want of a better name is called a "round robin," reveals a state of facts as to the censorship and the suppression of news, that to say the very least reflects serious discredit on every person responsible for it. The correspondents assert that their reports to their respective papers have been so mutilated by the blue pencil of the censor as to be almost unrecognizable by their authors. Defeats or repulses suffered by our troops, have been turned into over whelming victories by the conscienceless young man acting as censor under the direction of General Otis. All this lying and wholesale misrepresentation of our situation in the Philippines, has been done for a purpose and that purpose unquestionably was to deceive the American people as to the true state of affairs with the view of commanding support for the new policy of conquest inaugurated by the administration. The correspondents declare that they were forbidden the privilege of sending home the same news that was published freely at Manila, which proves that such a strict censorship was exercised over their dispatches as a political rather than a military necessity from the administration stand point. How do the American people like to be thus gulled, deceived and fed on cheap lies? Do they enjoy being treated as though they were fools or irresponsible children? The truth of the correspondents charges is not denied at Washington. The information is vouchsafed, however, that General Otis will be left to deal with the rebellious correspondents in his own way which probably means that they will be speedily suppressed, just the same as their dispatches were, if not severely disciplined. Americans are as yet but novices in aping the imperialistic customs of Europe. A dreadful mess has been made of it in this case. It leaves a bad taste in the peoples mouths. It is not improbable that by next year they will be ready to spew up the whole new system that is being rammed down their throats and return to purely American principles.

OUR esteemed contemporary the Republic is the kicker this time in school matters. The organ fairly tears its hair

and foams at the mouth at the proposals advocated by the new school board. The board of directors after mature consideration of the vexed problem has concluded to ask the people of the district to grant them the sum of \$4500 with which they propose to build a two story annex to the Columbia building which will contain two rooms, one above and one below, which together with a new roof on the building will make the structure safe and secure. The board also proposes to build a small frame structure in each of the two extreme ends of the district, which are intended for primary pupils. This latter proposition is also a move in the right direction. The Fairview people especially are entitled to a suburban school. It has been but little short of an outrage to compel those people to pay heavy taxes for the maintenance of the city schools and at the same time deny them a fair share of the benefits. It is impossible under existing conditions for them to keep their little children in school while living at such a distance. If they do not get a suburban school, the south enders will probably demand a division of the district which would raise an embarrassing issue and which move if successful would naturally increase the rate of taxation in the city. The board has adopted the wisest and safest course out of the difficulty and their proposal ought to carry at Monday's election. The Republic's position is again wrong on the question and no person ought to be misled by the sophistical arguments advocated by it in opposition to the plan.

SEATTLE did herself proud in entertaining the State Press and National Editorial Associations that gathered within her gates last week. To say that the newspaper men were royally entertained in the Queen city is to say the least putting it mildly. No trouble or expense was spared by citizens of that city to make the occasion a pleasant and agreeable one for the editors. The badges worn by the visitors were a passport wherever they went in viewing the wonders of the beautiful city on Elliott Bay. Especial thanks are due to the Seattle Press Club for the hospitality and un-failing courtesy with which they treated their visiting brethren of the quill. The street car companies also placed the pencil pushers under great obligations by extending to them the freedom of their several lines. It is no wonder that Seattle is a good town with every prospect of becoming one of the leading cities of the nation. It is because she has the right kind of people to make a great city—especially newspaper people. All honor to Seattle the coming Queen of the Pacific.

ALGER at last has resigned. President McKinley at last quite evidently mustered sufficient courage to call for his resignation and got it. Nobody will believe

that Alger tendered it voluntarily. That is not Alger's way. At any rate the American people will breathe easier, now that Alger is to quit. They will also note the fact that he was not kicked out of the cabinet until long after he had become a festering sore in the side of the administration. "Pious" William did not remove him until he discovered that Alger was going to kill him politically. He is to be congratulated any way that he has at last shaken off his "old man of the sea," even though his motive in doing so was undeniably a selfish one.

YELLOW journalism was a subject pretty thoroughly discussed at the recent meeting of the State Press Association. Editor Mays of the Pomeroy Independent with his characteristic vigor charged the leading papers of the state, especially those of Seattle with being to yellow in their tendencies, to much inclined to sensationalism in fact. While there may be some reason for brother May's sharp criticism of the Seattle press, we are loath to regard him as an unbiased judge of what constitutes yellow journalism, from the fact that he dabbles in it a little himself without seeming to know it.

THE Yakima Republic man evidently feels aggrieved at the Washington State Press Association, judging from the lugubrious wail which he sends forth to the world in the last issue of that great family journal. Could'n't have been that Colonel Rob—didn't get an invitation to attend the meeting near the brewery for the purpose of explaining his particular graft? Hardly that, for the organ over the way was well represented at the conclave by two bright stars in the journalistic firmament. Speaking of newspaper grafts—well we decline to particularize.

THE people of Washington extend the glad hand to Ex-Governor McGraw, who returned from Alaska this week with an alleged fortune. While there are many things about the former governor, in his character of a politician which we do not like, yet we cannot but admire the splendid pluck and nerve which he exhibited two years ago, when he discovered that he was ruined politically and financially. He deserves his good luck and the people of Washington rejoice thereat.

GOVERNOR ROGERS says, it is preposterous to talk against expansion. The governor might benefit himself by heeding a little friendly advice, not to talk too much for it. The thinking people of these United States, and especially of this state, have not passed final judgment on this question yet.—Tacoma News.

The point is well taken. By the way, would it not also be preposterous to renominate his excellency and place him upon an anti-expansion platform?

WASHINGTON LETTER.

(From Our Regular Correspondent.)

WASHINGTON, July 14, 1899.

Democrats have good reason to regret the fright of the single gold standard republicans because of the warnings uttered by such republicans as Senators Thurston, of Neb., and Chandler, of N. H. Ever since the eastern republicans began the movement to try to put through single gold standard legislation at the coming session of congress democrats have been heartily wishing that they would succeed in doing so, because of the marked advantage it would be to the democratic candidate for president. Senator Chandler was the first to tell his party associates that they were playing with political dynamite. Then came Senator Thurston, who has presided over two republican national conventions and who is much more influential, if not so talkative, than Chandler. Thurston makes it very plain that Mr. McKinley never would have been elected if that international bimetallic bluff had not been put in the republican platform and worked for all it was worth by the McKinley stumpers in the West and Middle West. He also intimated that he didn't care a continental about silver himself, but would take no part in helping his party to invite defeat. He expressed the belief that the effort would not succeed in congress, although he was not so confident about the national convention of his party, of which he said: "The eastern states have a large representation in the convention, and we know the colored delegates can be won over." Of the probabilities in congress Mr. Thurston said: "With the narrow republican majority in the house and the moderate views of a good many republican senators, I really do not look for very much in the way of financial legislation between now and the presidential campaign." Next to putting it into a law, democrats would like to see the republicans put the single gold standard into their national platform.

Ex-Senator Pugh, of Ala., now in Washington, doesn't wear any cushions on his political views, nor does he believe in trying to win by pussy-foot methods. He said of the next candidate and platform of the democratic party: "I believe that William J. Bryan is the wisest and most reliable democratic statesman living and that he is now better established in the confidence of the American people and stronger than he ever was, and can be elected after he is nominated, as he will surely be, by the next democratic national convention. As to the democratic platform, let it be the Chicago platform, with additional declarations against the manifold trusts growing out of the existence of the gold standard and prohibitory tariff duties; also in favor of a vigorous prosecution of the existing war in the Philippines, until peace and order is established and the governing power of the U. S. is fully recognized; also that peace and order is to be established, not for territorial expansion or dominion of the U. S., but for the sole purpose of securing to the people of those islands better and more stable government, with all the rights, liberty and privileges they show themselves by trial to be capable of exercising and enjoying in condition of independent self government."

Although the scheme to give this country a standing army of 100,000 men was defeated in the last congress, the idea has not been abandoned by Mr. McKinley. The word has been passed

among the republican leaders to try to work up public opinion in the vicinity of their homes, in favor of a large standing army, so that when Mr. McKinley repeats his recommendation to Congress for a larger standing army it will seem to be backed by the sentiment of the country. A large standing army will be as dangerous next winter as it was last, and for that reason will be opposed by the Democrats. Whenever this Government has any real need for fighting men it is easy enough to get as many volunteers as may be asked for. Consequently there cannot be any good reason for maintaining a large standing army, while there are numerous reasons—all good—for not placing such a temptation before an unscrupulous administration.

The presence of a G. A. R. committee composed of big guns of the organization, in Washington, for the purpose of investigation the pension office, has naturally been the subject of much gossip and speculation, as to whether the committee really intended to investigate or was merely engaged in preparing a coat of whitewash to prevent the threatened defection of G. A. R. men in Kansas, and other states, because of their dislike to the way Commissioner Evans has managed the office. Of course, everybody knows that the committee has no official status, whatever, and no more right to examine pension office business than would a similar committee from the Sons of Jerusalem, or any other organization. Yet, Commissioner Evans has received this committee with indications of pleasure, and told its members that his office was open to them from top to bottom.

Secretary Alger now says that he will not resign this year, but doesn't know what he may do next year. Humph! The last time he said he would stay until the close of the administration. Perhaps he doesn't know what he will do.

What's in a Name?

In a Chicago pool room raid seven women were captured who gave their names as Smith. Fifty more of the same name escaped, it is said. Oh, Smith, what crimes have been committed in thy name!—Springfield (Ill.) News.

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Mutton, prime	3c

POULTRY.

Spring Chickens, per doz.	\$2 00@2 75
Turkeys, live10c

GRAIN.

Wheat, blue stem	.....	51
Wheat, club	.....	48
Oats, per ton, new	.....	\$23 00
Barley, per ton	.....	\$21 00
Corn, per bu.	.....	55
Flour, Puritan, per sack	.....	85
Blue Bell, per sack	.....	80
Flour, 3x Baker, per sack	.....	75
Whole wheat flour	.....	85
Hay, Timothy, baled, per ton	.....	\$9 00@10 00
Hay, Alfalfa, per ton	.....	50
Hay, Clover, per ton	.....	70

PRODUCE.

Butter, ranch, per roll	.....	35@40c
Butter, creamery, per roll	.....	50c
Cheese, native	.....	17c
Eggs, per doz	.....	17c
Wool, per lb.	.....	8@11c
Cabbage	.....	2 1/2c
Hops	.....	12@12 1/2c
Apples, per box	75c@1 50
Blackberries, per crate	\$1 25@1 50
Raspberries, per crate	\$1 00@1 25
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It is high time for Ellensburg to roll over and break this Rip Van Winkle snooze. Is there anything being done on the ditch proposition, or any attempt made to get any new industry? Our eastern neighbor—North Yakima—is not snoozing. And why? Because the people are up and doing, and through their efforts and liberality the place is going steadily ahead. There is no good reason why this city shouldn't be away ahead of Yakima. No rivalry exists between the two places, therefore in making this statement we are not prompted by the green-eyed monster known as envy. That city deserves all it is getting, and what it may get in the future. It remains for Ellensburg to pull up the slack, or give it up.—Ellensburg Localizer.

Glorious News

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

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PERSONAL

Mrs. C. S. Wenner is visiting relatives in Portland.

Tim Linch and wife went to Seattle last Sunday.

Frank Snipes is visiting relatives in Seattle this week.

Thos. Lund left on Tuesday for a visit to San Francisco.

Mrs. Geo. Graham and daughter are summering at Westport.

Lawyer Guthrie left on Friday night for a short visit to Spokane.

Alex. McCreedy returned from Wenatchee the first of the week.

Attorney Whitson returned from Spokane the first of the week.

Matt Bartholet and daughter visited friends in Ellensburg this week.

Thomas Lund left on Tuesday for a two weeks visit to San Francisco.

Mrs. S. O. Morford returned from a weeks visit to Seattle last Sunday.

Mrs. Albert Saylor and daughters, Ella and Mabel went to Seattle last Sunday.

Dr. Gunn left for the sound on Wednesday morning on State Fair business.

Congressman Jones left on Sunday with his family for an outing on Willapa Harbor.

J. D. Cornet and family and Mrs. G. A. Graham and daughter have gone to Westport.

H. W. Wheeler of New York arrived on Sunday to visit his son Frank at Fruitvale.

E. G. Krider clerk of the State Supreme Court was a Yakima visitor on Saturday.

John Sawbridge and O. Libby returned from a business trip to Waterville on Wednesday.

Mrs. Vestal Snyder and two children left on Wednesday for a visit to relatives in Portland.

Fred Parker and G. W. Carry are rustivating this week up in the Fish Lake country.

J. Schlottfelt of Ellensburg, was looking after property interests in Yakima on Saturday.

James Daugherty and family and Mrs. Wm. McMillan will leave on Saturday for an outing on the Nile.

J. P. Peck, on his way to Bozeman Mont. stopped off Wednesday to visit his fine ranch in the Moxee.

Revenue collector R. K. Nichols returned home Tuesday from a two weeks trip to Okanogan county.

Mrs. C. W. Austin on Wednesday joined her husband at Roslyn, where they will spend a few days in visiting.

G. C. Wallace who left here last week, will visit relatives in Colorado and Michigan before his return in August.

D. L. Crowder was on the street this week for the first time since meeting with his accident over two months ago.

P. R. Lance of Spokane, government inspector of post offices was in the city Thursday and Friday looking after the matter of a new site for the post-office.

Prof. Barge and family, Miss Meyer and Alex McCreedy and Miss Meyer left this week for an outing at the seashore.

Mr. and Mrs. William Bennett and family left on Thursday for the Nile, where they will go into camp for a month.

J. M. Thomas and family left on Thursday for an outing on the Swauk, where Mr. Thomas will look after his mining property.

The mother and niece of G. M. McKinney, are visiting with that gentleman and his family. They reside at Harrisonville, Mo.

Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Weed will leave next week for their outing at the seashore. They will join the Yakima colony at Westport.

John Cleman and family accompanied by Miss Lucy Nichols and her friend Miss Wayne, left on Monday for an outing at Bumping Lake.

Mrs. J. A. Mabry and two daughters and Mr. and Mrs. Harry Moran and son and daughter have gone to Westport for the summer.

A. J. Krandell, formally in the bakery business on Yakima Avenue, but now residing in Lewiston, Idaho, was in the city during this week.

J. M. Murchie returned on Wednesday from the Dalles, bringing with him his wife. Their infant child died last week at their home in the Dalles.

J. B. Furman district agent of the New York Life Insurance Co., accompanied by Mrs. Furman left to day on a two weeks pleasure trip to the coast cities.

H. B. Scudder returned from Westport on Thursday, where he settled his family comfortably for the heated season. He says that the temperature there has so far been delightful.

Mr. E. C. Peck, father of Mrs. E. G. (the latter marrying without changing her family name) who has been visiting his daughter and son-in-law for a couple of weeks, left last Sunday evening on his way home at Racine Wis. Mr. Peck is a splendid specimen of physical manhood, and withal something of a traveler for he has trod the soil of every state in the union excepting that of Wyoming, and he much regretted that it was not convenient for him to pass through that state on his return.

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Warm Weather

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Local News

The new building of J. M. Murchie on the avenue is fast being hurried to completion.

Groceryman Oliver picked a gooseberry out of a box Monday that measured over three inches in circumference. He had it preserved.

Contractor A. F. Switzer is putting an imitating stone facade on the I. X. L. Building, which finishes the improvements on that structure.

The Christian Endeavor Societies of the city will hold union services for a few Sundays, beginning next Sunday at the Christian Church.

The firm of Fechter & Poole have bought the warehouse and commission business of Fred Pennington and will conduct the same in the future.

P. T. Contine of the Selah last week shipped to Seattle the first car of the new crop of Timothy hay. The price received was \$10 per ton on board cars here.

F. A. Alexander and family left Monday for Yakima Wash. where Mr. Alexander has engaged in business and where the family will hereafter reside. —Corvallis Or. Times.

Mrs. Susie Kussman the retiring Noble Grand of the local lodge of Rebekah's was presented with a beautiful gold jewel, an emblem of the order, at the meeting of the lodge on the evening of the 14th.

Elmer Shaw, who was bound over to the Superior court by Justice Wilgus of Prosser, for stealing a saddle from John Brown of that place, was brought to this city on Monday and lodged in the county bastille.

The local lodge of Masons had quite a "blowout" on Saturday evening, the reason for which was the "elevation" of deputy sheriff Lum to the degree of Master Mason. The lodge will not meet again until after the heated season.

J. A. Adams the popular proprietor of the N. Y. store is now comfortably located in the Larsen building on the avenue. He has greater bargains than ever to offer in his line. Read his new announcement in this issue.

Prof. McBride who has recently been deposed by the school board from the principle-ship of the Columbia school, has through his attorneys Jones and Guthrie, taken an appeal to the county superintendent Plumb who will hear evidence in the case next Thursday.

Treasurer Hough of the Fourth of July committee reports \$99.89 on hand. It is very refreshing to know that there is a surplus instead of a deficit. The committee will probably meet this evening to wrestle with the problem of how to dispose of it.

The school directors of this district have called an election for the 24th inst to allow the qualified electors to vote on the proposition to levy a four mill tax to raise \$3,000 to build an addition to the Columbia school house and \$750, each for two wooden school houses to be located at the south and north ends of the district, provided the sites for said houses are donated. The election will be held at the Central school house in the afternoon of said day.

Read the announcement of L. G. Zenovich in this issue. He has recently removed to the Fechter building on the avenue and has largely increased his stock of general merchandise.

It has been definitely announced by General Otis by cable, that the Washington regiment will sail from Manila on Aug 10th. This being the case the boys will probably reach home some time in September, in time it is hoped for the State Fair.

Post-office inspector Lance on Thursday opened the bids, which were three in number for a post-office site. The bids were as follows: owners of Syndicate building \$540 rental per annum. A. F. Switzer (for a brick building to be erected on First st.) \$576. Ditter Bros. offered a location in a new one story building to be erected by them nearly opposite the present post-office for \$624 yearly rental. It is believed that the inspector will recommend the latter bid as being the best under all the conditions. The lease will be entered into for a period of five years.

Sheriff Tucker returned on Thursday from a trip to the Columbia river, where he went in response to a telegram from the postmaster at Kennewick, who stated that a bottle had been found in the river that contained a note stating that the writer was laying at Priest Rapids with a broken leg and that unless help should reach him soon he inevitably perish. The sheriff made a thorough search in that vicinity but succeeded in finding no cripple. The assumption is that some "smart Aleck" perpetrated a raw joke on a sympathetic public. The fool killer evidently ought to visit that section.

The Noble Dramatic Company are filling a week's engagement at Mason's Opera House this week and have delighted large and appreciative audiences at each entertainment. The company is made up of good material, each member being an artist in his or her line.

"Our Strategist" was put on Monday evening, "Gold King" Tuesday, "Reuben Glue" Wednesday, "East Lynne" Thursday, and "Kathleen Mavourneen" Friday. The engagement will be concluded to night with the presentation of "Lucky Ranch". A "Matinee" will be given this afternoon. "East Lynne" was especially well presented. Mr. and Mrs. Noble as Archibald Carlisle and Lady Isabelle won golden opinions from the audience for the artistic and pathetic manner with which they portrayed the leading characters of that great play. Their support throughout was excellent. While the attendance was good throughout the week, it is a matter of regret that so many of our theater goers are out of the city and have thus missed a whole week of rare entertainment.

Plenty of money to loan at 7 per cent per annum, to be returned in monthly installments, on city real estate. F. W. Griffin at First National Bank, North Yakima.

FOR SALE CHEAP an almost complete set of household goods in good condition. For further particulars inquire at this office.

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T. G. REDFIELD,
Graduate Optician.

Toppemsh Items.

W. L. Shearer has in course of erection, a fine feed and livery stable. This additional improvement gives our town a good appearance.

George W. Olney (Indian) contemplates making an extended trip to the Okanogan country with a view to locating there a future home.

The Indians are still having a hy-yu time celebrating the white man's Fourth horse racing and gambling.

Wild grass haying has commenced in full blast. Wheat harvesting will soon commence. A large yield is expected by the jubilant farmers and hi-yu chikamon.

Moses Strong contemplates a trip to The Dalles, Oregon, to secure a force of Indian hop-pickers for the Moxee hop yard.

Franklin P. Olney will take a five weeks trip to the mountains taking his family with him, having leased his growing crops to W. L. Vanostran for the season. Mr. Olney is the owner of a very fine ranch of over 600 acres.

Mr. Allen has moved into John Hogan's building on the McAuliff ranch.

Grain harvesting has commenced. Binders, headers and mowers are in the fields hard at work and will be for perhaps ten days yet.

The alfalfa hay crop is about ready for the sickle again, this warm weather and water makes it grow.

Warm weather. Very warm—too warm, makes a man sweat to talk or eat and drink—even to think.

There is an Indian farmer here (name unknown) who has about as fine a garden as ever a man would like to look at. Surely the dusky son of the forest has fallen into the ranks of his civilized pale faced brothers.

There will be a very large yield of wheat, barley and oats, the main crops being raised by white farmers.

Mr. Allen, our blacksmith, is now living on the Doctor French ranch, he and his son-in-law having separated and dissolved business relationship.

Luwe's Wife Sues for Divorce.

A dispatch from Cheyenne, Wyoming, dated July 15th, says: Mrs Anna Luwe has filed an application in the Laramie county district court for a divorce from Frank Luwe, who is now in Cowiche, Yakima county, Wash. Mrs. Luwe alleges in her petition that her husband was cruel to her; that he did not provide her with the necessaries of life and that he deserted her.

Luwe was until recently a resident of the northern part of this county. His neighbors accused him of cattle stealing, and when a warrant was issued for him on the charge Luwe fled to Yakima county, Wash., where he was placed under arrest. Requisition papers were issued and Deputy Sheriff Golden went to Washington for Luwe but was prevented from bringing him back on account of some defects in the papers. It is understood here that Luwe is now with his brother at Cowiche.

He Fooled the Surgeons.

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

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Try some of H. J. Rand's choice spring lamb. Columbia Market.

City Council Meeting.

Board met at usual hour, all members present except Wilgus. Minutes of last meeting read, corrected and approved.

Report of finance committee on water supply for cemetery, recommending the same be furnished by private parties, received and accepted.

Report of city engineer on grading of Natches avenue read and referred to committee on streets.

Report of city treasurer for the quarter ending June 31st, 1899, received and accepted.

Resolution of intention to construct side walk on First street from Yakima Avenue to Walnut street passed.

Also resolution for same on Sixth street passed.

Ordinance passed to construct side walk on Front street from B to C passed.

Resolution to grade Yakima Avenue at the approaches to railroad track passed and matter referred to street committee with power to act.

Discovered by a Woman.

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

Notice—Sheriff's Sale of Real Estate

In the Superior Court of Yakima County, State of Washington.

CLARK G. CRANDALL, Plaintiff,

vs. DARIUS C. STONE, MARY E. STONE AND JAMES B. MAUZEY, Defendants.

Special Execution. No. 2,058.

By virtue of a special writ of execution, order of sale and decree of foreclosure issued out of the above entitled court in the above entitled cause on the 20th day of July, 1899, to me directed and by me received on the 20th day of July, 1899, upon a judgment therein rendered on the 15th day of July, 1899, in favor of said plaintiff and against said defendants, Darius C. Stone and Mary E. Stone, for the sum of fourteen hundred and fifty dollars, with interest thereon from July 15, 1899, at the rate of 7 per cent per annum until paid; the further sum of \$80.00 as attorney's fees, and the costs of this action taxed at \$10.75, and a decree of foreclosure rendered therein, directing me to sell the premises hereinafter described, to satisfy said judgment, interest, attorney fees, costs and increased costs, I have levied upon said premises, pursuant to the command therein contained.

Notice is hereby given that in accordance to said command I will, on Saturday, the 19th day of August, 1899, at the hour of 2 o'clock p. m. of said day, at the front door of the court house, in the city of North Yakima, Yakima county, state of Washington, sell at public auction, to the highest and best bidder, for cash, the following described real estate, situated in Yakima county, state of Washington, in said decree, execution and order of sale directed to be sold, to-wit: The fractional southwest quarter (sw¹/₄) of the northwest quarter (nw¹/₄) of the northwest quarter (nw¹/₄) and the west half (w¹/₂) of the fractional northwest quarter (nw¹/₄) of the northeast quarter (ne¹/₄) of section six (6), township twelve (12) north of range twenty (20) east, together with the water right of seven hundred and forty (740) inches from the artesian well situate upon section thirty-one (31) township thirteen (13), north of range twenty (20) east, or so much thereof as may be necessary to satisfy said judgment, with interest, attorney's fees, costs and increased costs.

Dated at North Yakima, this 20th day of July, 1899. H. L. TUCKER, Sheriff of the County of Yakima, State of Washington.

By J. W. SINDALL, Deputy. Date of first publication: 21st day of July, 1899.

IRA M. KRUTZ, Attorney for the Plaintiff.

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ORDINANCE NO. 281.

An Ordinance establishing a Local Improvement District for the construction of a sidewalk in the city of North Yakima and providing for the construction of such sidewalk and for the assessment of the cost thereof on the property benefited by such improvement and for the collection of such assessment.

Whereas, the City Council has heretofore, by resolution duly passed, declared its intention to improve certain streets in the city of North Yakima, in said resolution particularly described, by the construction of a sidewalk thereon, which resolution was duly published as by law required; and whereas, the owners of more than one-half of the front feet of the property affected by said proposed improvement have not filed a protest against the same, as provided by law and said resolution, and the time for filing such has expired; and whereas, the city council, by resolution duly passed, voted to proceed with said work and improvement; Now, therefore,

The City Council of the City of North Yakima do ordain as follows:

SECTION 1. That for the purpose of making said improvement and assessing the cost thereof on the property benefited, a local improvement district, to be known as Local Improvement District No. 10, is hereby established and created, including within the limits thereof the following described lots and parcels of land, to-wit: Lots 17, 18, 19, 20, 21, 22, 23, 24, 25, 26, 27, 28, 29, 30, 31 and 32, of and in block No. eight, of the city of North Yakima, Washington, according to the plat of said city now on file and of record in the office of the county auditor of Yakima county, Washington.

SEC. 2. That the east side of Front street in said city be improved by the construction of a sidewalk in front of said lots and land, between the southwest corner of lot No. 32 block No. 8 and the northwest corner of lot No. 17, block No. 8, according to said plat and that said sidewalk be constructed in the following manner, to-wit: Said sidewalk shall be eight feet in width and be laid with planks two inches thick and eight inches wide and eight feet long, resting on three stringers, four inches by six inches, and be laid in the same grade as now located and marked out by the grade stakes and notes of the city engineer. All material used to be good No. 1 common fir lumber.

SEC. 3. That the cost and expense of the construction of said sidewalk shall be taxed and assessed upon all the property in the local improvement district established by section 1 of this ordinance, which costs shall be assessed in proportion to the number of feet of said lots and lands fronting upon said sidewalk and included in said improvement district and in proportion to the benefits derived by the construction of said sidewalk, provided that the expense of constructing said sidewalk in the space formed by the junction of two or more streets or where one street terminates in another, and of street crossings, shall be paid by the city of North Yakima.

SEC. 4. That the committee on streets and ditches of the city council of the city of North Yakima, are hereby constituted a board of assessors for the purpose of assessing the cost and expense of construction of said sidewalk on the several lots and parcels of land included in the improvement district hereinbefore established.

SEC. 5. That immediately upon the completion and acceptance of said sidewalk when constructed, by the city council or its authority, it shall be the duty of the committee on streets and ditches to subscribe and take an oath for the faithful performance of their duties as such assessors and proceed to assess the cost and expense of constructing said sidewalk upon all the property in the local improvement district herein established in proportion to the number of feet of said lots and lands fronting on said sidewalk and included in said local improvement district, and in proportion to the benefits derived by the construction of said sidewalk: Provided that the expense of constructing said sidewalk in the space formed by the junction of two or more streets or where one street terminates in another, and of street crossings shall not be included in the cost assessed against the property included in said improvement district.

SEC. 6. It shall be the duty of said committee on streets and ditches to prepare an assessment roll which shall contain a description of each lot or parcel of land included in said local improvement district, together with the name of the owner, if known, if not, to be so stated, and the amount of the assessment against such lot or parcel set opposite the description, and in making such assessment the decision of a majority of said committee shall be deemed the decision of the committee.

SEC. 7. On the completion of said assessment roll said committee shall forthwith file the same with the city clerk, and thereupon said city clerk shall cause the same to be published for two weeks in the newspaper doing the city advertising, together with a notice that said assessment roll is on file in his office subject to the inspection of all persons interested and that at the first regular meeting of the Council after such last publication to be held on a day and hour to be named in said notice, any person feeling aggrieved by reason of such assessment may appear before the City Council and be heard with a view to the amendment of the same. The Council at the time and place designated in said notice may amend and revise said list if necessary to render the same fair and equitable, and may raise the assessment without further notice than herein provided and may adjourn from time to time until the work of amendment and revision is completed.

SEC. 8. The City Clerk shall note on said assessment roll opposite each description any change or amendment made by the City Council in such assessment and shall thereupon deliver to the City Treasurer a certified copy of said assessment roll as revised or amended by the City Council.

SEC. 9. Upon the receipt of such assessment

roll it shall be the duty of the City Treasurer forthwith to publish notice in the newspaper doing the city printing, for two consecutive weeks, that a certified copy of said assessment roll is in his custody and that unless such assessments are paid to said city treasurer within 30 days from the first publication of said notice, the same will be delinquent and collected according to law.

SEC. 10. It shall be the duty of the City Treasurer to report at the first meeting of the City Council to be held after such assessment becomes delinquent, to the City Council, what portion of said assessment has been paid, by whom paid, what portion is delinquent, together with a description of the lots or lands upon which said assessments are delinquent included in the said local improvement district together with the names of the owners, if known, and thereupon it shall be the duty of the City Attorney under the direction of the City Council to enforce by proper proceedings the lien of said assessment upon the lots or lands in said local improvement district against which the assessments have not been paid.

SEC. 11. When assessments are collected by the City Treasurer the same shall constitute a special fund to be known as "Local Improvement District No. 10 Fund" and the same shall be applied in payment of the cost of the improvement herein provided for and to no other purpose and on presentation of any warrant or warrants drawn against said fund the treasurer shall take up said warrant or warrants drawn against the same out of any moneys in said fund in the order of the issuance of said warrants, or endorse on the back thereof the date and amount of any payment made, if not paid in full.

SEC. 12. As soon as said sidewalk is completed and accepted by the city it shall be the duty of the Mayor and Clerk to draw a warrant or warrants in favor of the contractor payable out of the special fund created by Section 11 of this ordinance for all that portion of the cost of said improvement assessed against the lots and lands in said local improvement district, which said warrants shall bear interest at the legal rate from and after the time when assessments herein provided for become delinquent, and the City of North Yakima shall be in no manner liable for the payment of said warrants if it uses due diligence in collecting the assessments properly applicable to the payment of the same, and at the time of issuing the foregoing warrants the Mayor and Clerk shall also issue a warrant, payable out of the current expense fund, for that portion of the cost of said improvement chargeable to the city under the provisions of this ordinance.

SEC. 13. All assessments levied under the provisions of this ordinance shall bear interest from and after the same become delinquent at the same rate as general municipal taxes.

Passed the Council July 17, 1899.

Approved July 17, 1899.

O. A. FECHTER, Mayor
H. B. DOUST, City Clerk.

Summons by Publication.

In the Superior Court of the State of Washington for Yakima County.

The City of North Yakima, a municipal corporation, Plaintiff,

vs. R. W. Sample and Sample, wife of the said R. W. Sample Defendants.

The State of Washington to said defendants, R. W. Sample and Sample, wife of said R. W. Sample: You and each of you are hereby summoned to appear within sixty days after the date of the first publication of this summons, to-wit: within sixty days after the 8th day of July, 1899, and defend the above entitled action in the above entitled court and answer the complaint of the plaintiff and serve a copy of your answer upon the undersigned, attorney for plaintiff, at his office below stated; and in case of your failure so to do judgment will be rendered against you according to the demand of the complaint, which has been filed with the clerk of said court.

That the object of this action is the recovery by plaintiff of a decree against defendants for \$24.54 with interest at 15 per cent per annum from September 21, 1898 and the further sum of \$50 attorneys fee in this action and for plaintiff's disbursements herein and decreeing that one-third of said sums respectively and of said disbursements be decreed a lien upon lot 10 in block 32 in the city of North Yakima, in Yakima county, Washington, according to the plat and survey of said city now of record in the office of the county auditor of said Yakima county, Washington, and that one-third of said respective sums and of said disbursements be decreed a lien upon lot eleven in said block thirty-two in said city of North Yakima according to said plat and survey, and that one-third of said sums respectively and of said disbursements be decreed a lien upon lot twelve in said block thirty-two in said city according to said plat, and decreeing that said liens be foreclosed by the sale of said lots respectively as prescribed by law; that said defendants be barred of all right or interest in each of said lots; that the purchaser be let into possession and that said plaintiff be authorized to bid at said sale; and to effect said sales for said purposes. Said liens arising to plaintiff in virtue of its having constructed sidewalks fronting said lots respectively and assessed the costs and expenses thereof against said lots respectively in pursuance of the statutes of said state and ordinances of said city in such cases provided.

VESTAL SNYDER,

Attorney for said Plaintiff and City Attorney of said North Yakima.

P. O. address, North Yakima, Yakima County, Washington. 42-6t

NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS.

Notice is hereby given that the city council will let a contract for the construction of a sidewalk along the east side of Front street in said city between the southwest corner of lot No. 32 in and of block No. 8 and the northwest corner of lot No. 17, in and of block No. 8, all of said lots and blocks being according to the plat of said city on file in the office of the county auditor of Yakima county, Washington.

Said sidewalk to be eight feet wide and to be laid with planks two inches thick, eight inches wide and eight feet long and surfaced on one side, resting on three stringers, four inches by six inches; said sidewalk to be firmly braced and supported and laid in a good workmanlike manner, on the grade marked out and established in front of said lots and blocks as the same appears from the grade stakes and the data of the survey thereof on file in the office of the city clerk; all material used shall be good common fir lumber. The contractor shall perform all labor and furnish all material.

Sealed proposals for the contract for the above improvement will be received by the city clerk up to the time the bids are opened on the 7th day of August, 1899, 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 such 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 surety 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., July 17, 1899. H. B. DOUST, City Clerk.

RESOLUTION.

Be it resolved by the city council of the city of North Yakima, that said city intends and hereby declares its intention to improve Natches avenue in said city by grading the east side of said avenue between Spruce street and D street in said city in front of blocks 107, 108, 109, 110, 111, 112, 113, and by grading the west side of said avenue between D street and Yakima avenue, in said city, in front of blocks 87, 88, 89 and 90. All of said streets, blocks and avenues being in accordance with the plat of said city now on file and of record in the office of the county auditor of Yakima county, Washington.

Said avenue to be graded to the grade marked out and established in front of the lots and lands hereinafter described as the same appears from the grade stakes of the city engineer.

That the estimated cost of said improvement is \$500.00; that the cost of the same is to be assessed against the property abutting on said avenue, and included within the following assessment district, to-wit: Lots 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15 and 16 in block No. 107; lots 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15 and 16 in block No. 108; lots 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15 and 16 in block No. 109; lots 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15 and 16 in block No. 110; lots 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15 and 16 in block No. 111; lots 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15 and 16 in block No. 112; lots 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15 and 16 in block No. 113; lots 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7 and 8 in block No. 87; lots 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7 and 8 in block No. 88; lots 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7 and 8 in block No. 89; lots 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7 and 8 in block No. 90; all of said lots and blocks being in accordance with the plat of said city of North Yakima.

That protests against said proposed improvement may be filed in the office of the city clerk of said city of North Yakima at any time before the 7th day of August, 1899.

That the city clerk give due and legal notice of said proposed improvement.

Passed the council July 3, 1899.

Approved July 5, 1899. O. A. FECHTER, Mayor.
H. B. DOUST, City Clerk.

Contest Notice.

Department of the Interior, United States land office, North Yakima, Washington June 30, 1899.

A sufficient contest affidavit having been filed in this office by Robert E. McGinley, contestant, against Homestead entry No. 2014, made January 12, 1894, for sec 17, township 8 north, range 23 east W. M., by Arthur H. Dawson, contestee, in which it is alleged that said Dawson has wholly abandoned said tract and changed his residence therefrom for more than six months since making said entry and tract is not settled upon and cultivated by said party according to law; and he asks to be allowed to prove said allegations and that said homestead entry No. 2014 be declared canceled and forfeited to the United States and that said Arthur H. Dawson is not in the military or naval service of the United States or holding any federal position thereunder. Said parties are hereby notified to appear, respond and offer evidence touching said allegation at 10 o'clock a. m. on Wednesday, August 9, 1899, before the Register and Receiver at the United States Land office in North Yakima, Washington.

The said contestant having, in a proper affidavit, filed June 8, 1899, set forth facts which show that after due diligence personal service of this notice cannot be made, it is hereby ordered and directed that such notice be given by due and proper publication.

WALTER J. REED, Register.

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RESOLUTION.

Be it resolved by the city council of the city of North Yakima that said city intends and hereby declares its intention to improve First street in said city by the construction of a sidewalk along the east side of said street between the northwest corner of lot No. 1, in and of block No. 31, and the southwest corner of lot No. 23, in and of said block No. 31, being along and in front of lots No. 1, 32, 31, 30, 29, 28, 27, 26, 25, 24 and 23, of and in block No. 31, all of said lots and blocks being in accordance with the plat of said city, now on file in the office of the county auditor of Yakima county, Washington.

Said sidewalk to be 12 feet in width and to be laid with planks two inches thick, eight inches wide and 12 feet long, surfaced on one side, to be laid dressed side up, and resting on four stringers, four inches by six inches, said sidewalk to be laid on the grade marked out and established in front of the lots and lands hereinafter described, as the same appears from the grade stakes, placed by the city engineer; all material used to be good number one common fir lumber.

That the estimated cost of said improvement is \$200; that the cost of the same is to be assessed against the property abutting on said sidewalk and included within the following assessment district, to-wit: Lots 1, 32, 31, 30, 29, 28, 27, 26, 25, 24 and 23, of and in block No. 31, all of said lots and lands being in accordance with the plat of said city of North Yakima.

That protests against said proposed improvement may be filed in the office of the city clerk of said city of North Yakima at any time before the 7th day of August, 1899.

That the city clerk give due and legal notice of said proposed improvement.

Passed the council July 17, 1899.

Approved July 17, 1899. O. A. FECHTER, Mayor.
H. B. DOUST, City Clerk.

[SEAL.] City Clerk. 44-2t

RESOLUTION.

Be it resolved by the city council of the city of North Yakima, that said city intends and hereby declares its intention to improve Sixth street in said city by the construction of a sidewalk along the west side of said street between the northeast corner of lot No. 2, in and of block No. 109, and the southeast corner block No. 112, being along and in front of lots 1 and 2, in block No. 109, and lots 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6 and 7, in and of block No. 110; fractional lots 1, 2 and 3, and lots 4, 5, 6, 7 and 8, in block 111 of and in the city of North Yakima, Washington, according to the original plat thereof now on file and of record in the office of the county auditor of Yakima county, Washington, and fractional lots 6, 7 and 8, of block 111, of and in Huson's Addition to the city of North Yakima, Washington, and lots No. 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7 and 8 of and in block No. 112. All of said lots and lands being in accordance with the plat of said city and the said addition thereto, now on file and of record in the office of the county auditor of Yakima county, Washington.

Said sidewalk to be eight feet wide and to be laid with planks two inches thick and eight inches wide and eight feet long, surfaced on one side, to be laid dressed side up, and resting on three stringers four inches by six inches, said sidewalk to be laid on the grade marked out and established in front of the lots and lands, hereinafter described, as the same appears from the grade stakes placed by the city engineer, filed with the city clerk, by the city engineer. All material used to be number one common fir lumber.

The estimated cost of said proposed improvement is \$400; that the cost of the same is to be assessed against the property abutting on said sidewalk and included in the following assessment district, to-wit: Lots 1 and 2 in block 109; lots 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6 and 7 in block No. 110; and fractional lots 1, 2 and 3, and lots 4, 5, 6, 7 and 8 in block 111; and fractional lots 6, 7 and 8 in Huson's addition to the city of North Yakima, Washington; lots 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7 and 8 in block No. 112; all of said lots and blocks being in accordance with the plat of said city, and the said addition thereto, as the same appears on file and of record in the office of the county auditor of Yakima county, Washington.

That protests against said proposed improvement may be filed in the office of the city clerk of said city of North Yakima, at any time before the 7th day of August, 1899.

Passed the council July 17, 1899. O. A. FECHTER, Mayor.
H. B. DOUST, City Clerk.

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Contest Notice.

Department of the Interior, United States Land Office, North Yakima, Washington, July 20, 1899.

A sufficient contest affidavit having been filed in this office by James W. Turner, contestant, against timber culture entry No. 1532, made May 12, 1890, for NW 1/4 section 8, township 10 n, range 23 e., by John Emmitt Harbour, contestee, in which it is alleged that said entryman failed to plow five acres the first year after entry was made; that he failed to plow five acres the second year after entry; that he failed to cultivate the first five acres; that he failed and neglected to plant trees or tree seeds at any time since the entry was made; that the original growth of sage brush is on the land; and is in its wild state; that no improvements of any kind are on the land, said parties are hereby notified to appear, respond and offer evidence touching said allegation at 10 o'clock a. m. on August 21, 1899, before the register and receiver at the United States land office in North Yakima, Washington.

The said contestant having, in a proper affidavit, filed July 20, 1899, set forth facts which show that after due diligence personal service of this notice cannot be made, it is hereby ordered and directed that such notice be given by due and proper publication.

WALTER J. REED, Register.

July 22-aug 19

State Press Association Meeting.

The members of the Washington State Press Association, who met at Seattle last week in their 13th annual session will doubtless always remember with pleasure the occasion which brought them together.

About 150 newspaper men of the state assembled at Seattle on the 11th and 12th and every incoming train and boat coming into the Queen City on those days was met at the depot or landing by members of the reception committee of the Seattle Press Club by whom they were piloted to the club's handsome quarters in the Chamber of Commerce building. Here every visitor was informed as to the arrangements made for his comfort and entertainment.

The sessions of the association were limited to the forenoons of each day, the afternoons being reserved for sight seeing and pleasure excursions.

A great deal of important business was transacted at the meetings which took place at the Third Avenue Theater, which included the election of a large number of new members and the election of a new set of officers as well as eight delegates to the next session of the national editorial association which meets next year in New Orleans.

Tuesday afternoon was spent by such members as were on the scene in street car riding over the various lines of the city. The following afternoon, Wednesday, a large party took the cars for the new State University, which institution occupies a lovely site above an arm of Lake Washington. The party was met at the station by President Graves and staff and escorted through the mammoth building, which is a very large, handsome and substantial structure. Work on the two dormitories authorized by the last legislature has not yet been begun, owing to the difficulty of procuring the foundation stone.

At 5 p. m. most of the party were at the Northern Pacific depot to welcome the arrival of the members of the national association, who came from Tacoma in their special train of 10 coaches. Two hours later both associations under the escort of the Seattle Press Club took cars for Lake Washington, where four large pleasure boats were boarded for what proved to be a most lovely moonlight ride on the lake, which all the members enjoyed exceedingly. The party landed finally at the Madison street wharf and crowded into the commodious pavilion at that place where refreshments were served, after which considerable speech making was indulged in and many delicate compliments swapped between hosts and visitors. After the conclusion of the exercises the large party returned to the city. Thursday promptly at noon both associations accompanied by a large crowd of people (who by some hook or crook managed to secure badges and passes) boarded the large and elegant steamer Queen and proceeded to Port Orchard to inspect the giant battleship "Iowa." Arrangements had been made two days previously by Lieut. Wyckoff with Captain Ferry, of the "Iowa" for the privilege of boarding the battleship on that day, but much to the chagrin of the former gentleman, the privilege was revoked by the surly captain on the arrival of the excursion party there, on the plea that the ship was engaged in taking on a cargo of coal and that he had no time to entertain visitors. Many of the Easterners in the party who had never before seen a battleship expressed keen disappointment

at their failure to get aboard, but were obliged to ease their minds by politely "cussing" the discourteous master.

On the return to Seattle the jolly party broke up, most of the national association people departing on the 5 o'clock boat for Victoria and most of the state association departing for their homes. All in all the occasion was a very pleasant and agreeable one. The Seattle press club, the Chamber of Commerce and the people of the Queen City generally are entitled to and no doubt received, the warm and heart felt thanks of every visitor for the royal manner in which they were entertained while in that wide-a-woke city of the Sound.

Another Visit from the Fire Fiend

About 10 O'clock last Sunday morning fire was discovered in the upper story of the old Ward building on first street. Responding to an alarm, the fire department was promptly on hand and in a short time had checked the progress of the fire and by noon the last spark was extinguished. The lower story of the building, comprising two stores, is occupied by A. E. Kinsey and A. B. Pearson, grocers. The loss of the former was adjusted at \$200. That of the latter on his stock is not yet ascertained.

The loss on the building was adjusted at \$387.

Mr Pearson occupied the rooms over his store as a residence and lost on furniture about \$300 on which there was no insurance.

The rooms over Mr. Kinsey's store were occupied by I. M. Krutz as a law office and G. H. Moulton and Chester Walton for lodging purposes. The loss of each was only nominal, caused by water, and neither were insured. The fire originated from an effort at fumigation. The building is the property of Mrs. J. K. Ward.

To the Public.

Having leased the Guiland house, corner of First and Chestnut streets and thoroughly renovated and re-furnished it, I am now prepared to furnish the traveling public with good accommodations at very reasonable prices. The rates will be \$1 per day for board and lodging, or either can be obtained at proportionate prices. A fair share of the public patronage is solicited. H. A. Small Propr. Board and lodging per week \$5. 43-4t

FARMERS—Now that the haying season is on, you should have the best tools to be had. Before purchasing your machinery call and examine the celebrated BUCKEYE mower and HOLLINGSWORTH TIGER hay rake. For sale by FAWCETT BROS.

The Mikado makes a specialty of furnishing ice cream to picnic parties and socials.

Watches from \$1.00 up, at Keene's.

If you cannot get away to the mountains to avoid that tired feeling so prevalent during the summer heat, drink Yakima mineral water fresh from the mountains, and thus avoid it. 41-3t

Take a look the carload of brand new Studebaker buggies, carriages surries and spring wagons just arrived at Schorn's.

Try THE DEMOCRAT office for fine job work.

ANNOUNCEMENT.

Having opened up a new and complete stock of shelf and heavy hardware in the Co-Op. store building, I desire to announce to the public that I am now prepared to furnish everything needed in that line. Having bought my stock for cash, I will sell only for cash and will accordingly give my customers the benefit. My expenses are light and I can afford to make you low prices. Call and see me. D. R. BARTON.

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THIRD—Because our groceries are fresh and clean and pure. Nothing allowed to become shelf-worn.

FOURTH—Because our price are lower than any other grocer who sells good groceries.

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