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For treasurer, the name of H. H. Lenon of North Yakima was presented and there being no other nominations, Mr. Allen received the honor by acclamation. The nominee, who was a delegate from the second ward, was called upon and accepted in a few well-chosen words. For assessor J. A. Orchard of Wapah, was nominated and vouched for by a man who would make a competent and honest assessor. Mr. Orchard, like

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OFFICIAL PAPER OF NORTH YAKIMA.

The senatorial issue is now fairly joined in Yakima county. It is Levi Ankeny versus George Turner. While the three republican legislative candidates have not pledged themselves publicly to vote for Mr. Ankeny, in the event of their election, yet, as the DEMOCRAT has previously pointed out, it is a very fair and reasonable inference that they will do so. None of them will assert that they will not vote for the Walla Walla millionaire, while many of their party supporters are free to state that the nominees in this county are favorable to Mr. Ankeny. One thing at any rate seems certain, and that is that Messrs. Englehart, Hare and Dunn are none of them favorable to the candidacy of John L. Wilson. At the same time, as is well known, they feel no interest in the senatorial aspirations of the Seattle candidate, Mr. Preston.

These facts, taken in connection with a good many straws which are being wafted about on the political wind, has led the DEMOCRAT to believe that the Yakima republican contingent, if elected, will certainly vote for Levi. We do not wish to be unfair, however, to our republican friends. If our assumption as to their attitude does them an injustice, the gentleman named can easily enter a denial. In case such denial is made, the DEMOCRAT will cheerfully publish it, and confess itself mistaken.

The democratic legislative ticket, particularly, should gratify every democratic voter and be acceptable as well to a majority of the voters of the county. Messrs. Splawn, Gilbert and Hedger are all men who are well qualified to act the part of legislators. They are honest, capable men, and if elected will serve the people to the best of their ability. They are all farmers; at the same time they are all good business men who are broad enough in their mental vision to understand thoroughly the needs of the people of this section in the matter of new legislation.

These men were none of them open and avowed candidates for places on the ticket; they did not pack the primaries, plan the slaughter of party leaders opposed to them or use any other questionable means to secure a nomination. On the contrary, with each of the nominees it was plainly a case of the office seeking the man and not the man the office. In the event of their election they will none of them have any selfish object in view and they can be trusted to serve the people to the best of their ability. They are all men of character and standing, and no one would have reason to feel that they would "sell out" or in any way betray the interests of their constituents.

The two regular party organizations of this county have now met and placed their respective tickets before the people and the question as to who shall be elected to fill the various positions is now up to the voters.

The democratic party has good reason to feel proud of its ticket, for it is certainly an excellent one in its entirety. Each and every man who has been placed upon it is worthy and qualified to discharge the duties of the office for which he was nominated. In every instance the nominees are men who are well and favorably known to the people of the county and who enjoy the respect and confidence of their neighbors.

The DEMOCRAT believes that the convention made no mistakes in the selection of candidates this year and that this view of the matter will be ratified by a majority of the people of Yakima county at the polls next November.

The democratic county convention, which assembled in this city last Saturday, was probably the most harmonious political gathering that ever met in this part of the state. The best of feeling prevailed, and each and every delegate seemed to be animated with a common idea, which was to do the very best that could be done for the party and for the people of the county.

There was no clashing, no jangling in the convention as has so frequently been the case in former years. It was a veritable love feast. In a few cases candidates willingly sacrificed their own ambitions in deference to the will of the convention. The unselfishness displayed by the unsuccessful candidates is worthy of note and should, and doubtless will, be remembered in the future by the party in this county.

Col. Boyle found himself short of "ad" matter for his classical journal and was obliged to piece out with a flaring announcement of the local democracy's one-ringed circus, which by the way, was pulled off last Saturday. The colonel used up a good deal of valuable space in discussing the show, but probably figures on getting even by sending in his bill to the Woolgrowers' association.

On the republican ticket the town of North Yakima gobbled 10 of the 14 nominations. On the democratic ticket this city asked for and secured only 4 of the 14 nominations, giving 10 to the country precincts. This in an object lesson in fairness that our republican friends would do well to profit by in the future. A word of praise is due the democrats in town in this connection for the unselfishness they displayed in order to atone for the ravenous appetite exhibited by many of their republican fellow-townsmen.

Gov. McBride is certainly entitled to great credit for the splendid fight he made and won in the republican state convention for a declaration in favor of a railroad commission. The governor made a gallant fight against what seemed to be overwhelming odds and carried his point; yet it is doubtful if he has gained anything substantial. The governor has won the first round and has merely succeeded in waking up the railroad lion, McBride was successful in getting his plank into the platform only by a narrow majority. A great many of those who voted with McBride were not at heart for his plank. Some delegates voted for it because they were under instructions to do so; others voted for it because they feared the disastrous effect it would have upon the party in case the governor was defeated after having made the issue so clear.

The fight for a railroad commission will now be transferred to the legislature, where the governor is very likely to be knocked out unless the democratic party comes to his rescue. The difference between the parties on this question is that the democrats are sincere in regard to it, while a very large element in the republican party is not. The democrats will support the governor on this proposition, although his candidacy, Gov. McBride, was too strong a partisan to consent to the passage of a railroad commission bill in the last legislature that was designed to place the appointing power in the hands of the late Gov. Rogers.

The nomination of F. H. Plumb for county superintendent of schools and that of W. B. Mathews for commissioner from the third district, are particularly gratifying to a great many people in this county, irrespective of party. Both of these gentlemen have served the people of this county heretofore and left behind them excellent records. To say that the county never has had a better or more satisfactory school superintendent than Prof. Plumb is but stating what most of the people of this county know to be the truth. As for Mr. Mathews, the taxpayers have reason to remember his former term of service, for he saved them many a dollar. When Mr. Mathews was elected commissioner in 1896 he had but little knowledge of the duties of that office, but he promptly set himself to work to learn them. Being possessed of a calculating and receptive mind, he soon mastered every detail of the work in hand and became an accepted authority on all matters pertaining to the county's finances. It was his custom to scrutinize all bills closely, and it is safe to assert that he saved the county a heavy drain in this manner. Mr. Mathews also stood for rigid economy—something that is now needed very much in the transaction of public business here.

These two men, on account of their splendid ability and valuable experience, ought to be and doubtless will be elected again. The first named should be chosen for the welfare of the public schools; the second for his well known fidelity to the interests of the taxpayers.

The splendid, manly qualities of Senator Turner were again well illustrated at Tacoma this week. Delegates of several of the Sound counties went to him and begged and implored him not to insist on the convention adopting a plank favoring an appointive railway commission. In case that he would so consent his petitioners declared that they could undertake to pledge him a large bunch of legislative votes from certain west-side counties, which are already in open rebellion against the policy of Governor McBride.

Senator Turner's reply is characteristic of the man. To one and all of these requests he replied: "My friends, I would be glad to have such support as you offer me, but I cannot accept it at such a price. By doing so I would not only violate my own honest convictions of what is right, but I would be betraying the confidence and the interests of a large body of my constituents; and that I never will consent to do."

The Sound delegates retired disappointed and chagrined. Nevertheless, they could not but appreciate the splendid manhood of him who had turned them away. They were sadly disappointed, yet they professed their loyalty to him and assured him of their continued support.

How noble and self-sacrificing is this spirit of Turner's in comparison with that displayed by his opponent, Levi Ankeny, in the legislature two years ago when he made an infamous bargain with the railroads, wherein he agreed to discontinue fighting them in return for railroad support. All honor to Senator Turner! He is a prince among men.

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STATE DEMOCRATS

In Convention Declare for Appointive
Railway Commission and Nominate a Splendid Ticket.

TURNER RECEIVES OVATION

The Ticket.

For U. S. Senator—
HON. GEORGE TURNER of Spokane.
For Supreme Judge—
JAMES B. REAVIS of Yakima.
For Congressmen—
GEO. F. COTTERILL of King,
O. R. HOLCOMB of Adams,
FRANK B. COLE of Pierce.

The democratic state convention, which met in Tacoma this week, was one of the most enthusiastic and largely attended gatherings of the state democracy that has ever assembled. The convention met in the Tacoma theater at 11 a. m. Tuesday and adjourned shortly before midnight. It was a lively convention from start to finish, and oratory was at a discount before the session was over.

An overwhelming majority of the convention, under the leadership of Senator Turner, favored the majority report of the committee on platform which declared emphatically for an appointive railway commission. The minority report opposed the commission idea and favored the passage of a maximum freight rate bill. When driven from this position by debate in open convention the opponents of an appointive commission then rallied in favor of an elective commission. After the vote was taken, however, on the motion to adopt the minority report, which was defeated by the vote of 404 to 115, the enemies of the commission plan subsided and for the most part took their medicine gracefully.

After the adoption of the platform nominations were declared in order. James B. Reavis, formerly of Yakima, was nominated for supreme judge by acclamation, as was also Geo. F. Cotterill of King, O. R. Holcomb of Adams and Stephen E. Barron of Okanogan county. The latter two gentlemen being present were invited to the platform, and Cotterill made a red hot speech of acceptance which aroused the convention to a high pitch of enthusiasm. Mr. Barron, on being introduced, acted like a wet blanket on the vast assemblage. The Okanogan statesman is a comparatively new figure in state politics, and but few of the delegates knew him. In his attempted speech of acceptance Barron proved a disappointment to the convention. Under the glare of the limelight he faded and his knees shook under him like a man in a fit of ague. He mumbled a few words that nobody could understand and retired from the stage in confusion. The delegates, naturally enough, all pitied the poor fellow, but they firmly resolved that he should retire from the ticket. Two hours later Mr. Barron filed his resignation with the state central committee and the same was accepted. The following day the committee met and substituted the name of Frank B. Cole for that of Mr. Barron on the ticket. Mr. Cole was the democratic candidate for mayor of Tacoma last spring, and was formerly city treasurer of that city. He is a fine orator and a famous wit who is extremely popular all over the state. There is no question but what his selection is a most happy one, which greatly strengthens the ticket.

The Yakima delegation was organized by the selection of Thomas Lund as chairman. J. C. Liggett was placed on the committee on credentials. T. D. Quinn on permanent organization and J. D. Medill on platform. W. A. Cox was elected state central committeeman. The Yakima delegation was entirely harmonious, and voted as a unit for an appointive railway commission.

Assignment of Teachers.

The city schools will open next Monday, and the school board, with Prof. Jolley, has made the following assignment of teachers for the different buildings:

LINCOLN BUILDING—HIGH SCHOOL.
Mrs. Ella Stair, principal; L. M. Scroggs and Miss May, assistants; Miss Shannon and Miss Hale, 7th and 8th grades; Mrs. J. H. Needham, 2nd grade; Miss Moore, 1st grade.
The 1st, 2nd and 3rd grades will be taught in the old Baptist church building, on N. Second street.

CENTRAL BUILDING.
Principal, A. C. Schwartz, 8th grade; Miss Bullen, 7th grade; Miss Gilman, 6th grade; Miss Patterson, 5th grade; Miss Carrie Young, 4th grade; Miss Jungst, 3rd grade; Miss Larson, 1st grade.

COLUMBIA BUILDING.
Principal, Miss Mead, 7th grade; Miss Pierce, 6th grade; Miss Sherwood, 4th grade; Miss Ballinger, 2nd grade; Miss Mary Young, 1st grade.

Sold for Taxes.

Treasurer Dudley sold last Saturday at public auction at the front door of the court house about 150 pieces of property on which the accumulation of several years' taxes was due. The property sold was located principally in and about this city. On Saturday morning the commissioners in session passed a resolution giving property owners on what is known as the MacCrimmon tract in this city until October 1 to meet their taxes. If not paid by that date the property will be sold by the treasurer October 11.

An Important Meeting.

On October 2nd representatives from the various commercial bodies of Seattle, Tacoma, Ellensburg and other cities will visit North Yakima to discuss with our Commercial club the most feasible plans for putting into effect the provisions of the new national arid land law and securing some of its benefits for the irrigable lands of this state not yet covered by ditches.

Hoppicking is progressing rapidly. In some of the yards picking will be finished this week; in most of the other yards it will be finished next week. In nearly all the yards the yield is reported as falling short of last year. D. E. Lesh says the Moxee Co.'s yield is 25 per cent. short. The price still remains at about 23 cents per pound.

Old newspapers for sale at this office. 25c per hundred.

THE WINNING TICKET.

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most of the other nominees, was nominated by acclamation. In a short but spirited speech of acceptance Mr. Orchard pledged his best efforts in behalf of the ticket, and prophesied its election at the polls.

For school superintendent, F. H. Plumb, the well-known schoolmaster and efficient former superintendent, was named by acclamation. He accepted the honor in a fitting speech, at the conclusion of which he was given a hearty ovation.

For prosecuting attorney, Hon. E. B. Preble was named, as was also lawyer S. H. Mason. Before the roll call by precincts was half complete Mr. Mason withdrew his name and moved to make the nomination of Judge Preble unanimous, which was done with a will.

For commissioner from the first district four candidates were placed in nomination as follows: V. D. Ritter and J. J. Miller, both of the Wenatchee, John Backer of the Selah, and J. F. Kauffman of the Natchez. The first ballot resulted in Ritter 60, Miller 7, Backer 26, and Kauffman 25. Mr. Ritter having secured a majority of all the votes cast, was declared the nominee.

For commissioner from the third district E. P. Greene of Kennewick in a neat speech nominated J. E. Timmerman of that precinct, while M. V. Cochran of Rattlesnake, named former commissioner W. B. Mathews of Prosser. The completion of the roll call showed that Mathews had received 80 votes to 40 for Timmerman, whereupon Mr. Greene moved to make the nomination of the former gentleman unanimous, which was done.

For coroner, Dr. Dulin, Thomas Lund and H. R. Garrett, all of this city, were nominated although the latter two declined. Dr. Dulin was named for the office by acclamation. Being called upon for a speech, the nominee accepted and wittily remarked that if the corpse was delivered to him on the third day of November that he would sit upon it, which provoked a good deal of laughter.

For the office of surveyor, H. J. Snively presented the name of M. S. Liggett as that of a man who was a competent civil engineer, and Mr. Liggett was declared the nominee by acclamation, which completed the ticket.

The roll of precincts being called for members of the new county central committee, the following gentlemen were named from the respective precincts: E. B. Marks, Ahtanum; Sam White, Sed Rock; Paul Luwe, Cowyche; John Sandmeyer, Fairview; F. Garrett, Fruitvale; Frank Emigh, Kennewick; T. G. Redfield, first ward, W. A. Cox, second ward, and J. C. Liggett, third ward; John Goodwin, Parker; H. W. Creason, Prosser; M. V. Cochran, Rattlesnake; H. J. Taylor, Selah; John Palmer, Kiona; Frank Martin, Mabton; John Rodman, Moxee; J. F. Kauffman, Natchez; Scott Stevens, Nile; George Stevenson, Nob Hill; William Hitchcock, Sunnyside; Isadore Mondor, Tampico; J. L. Banks, Toppenish; David Longmire, Wenatchee; Charles Campbell, Yakima City, and W. F. Brown, Zillah.

After the completion of the roll call and the handing in of precinct nominations on the suggestion of the chairman three cheers were given for the ticket, after which on motion the convention adjourned.

W. A. Personens of Seattle is here this week on a visit to his sister, Mrs. D. E. Lesh.

Mrs. Ella Stair returned home Wednesday night from a two months' visit to her sister in Hawaii. She reports a pleasant visit and a delightful voyage.

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The bridges on the road to Soda Springs having been repaired, the Yakima Bottling Works pipe line is again in running order and the Natural Mineral Water from the Springs is for sale everywhere. 41tf

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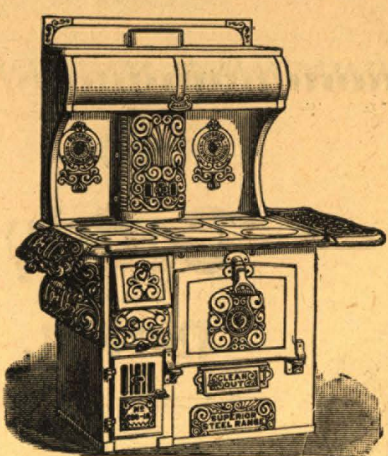
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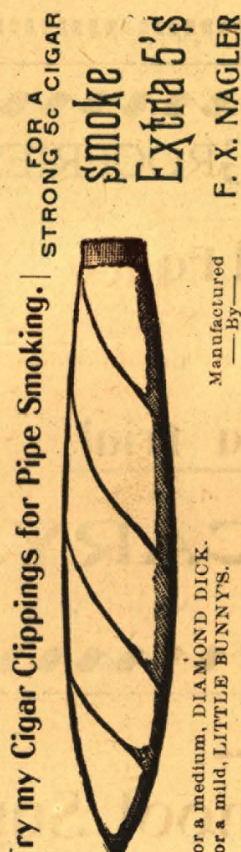
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TRAIN WRECK NEAR EASTON.
Head-End Collision Between Two Freight Trains—Three Men Reported to Have Been Killed.

A disastrous wreck on the N. P. road occurred four miles west of Easton on Thursday afternoon about five o'clock, caused by a head-end collision between two freight trains. As a result of the violent impact, three men, an engineer, a fireman and a brakeman are reported killed. Several cars of both trains and the east-bound engine are said to have rolled down a steep embankment and been consumed by fire.

To make matters worse, another east-bound freight, without warning of impending danger, came down the grade. On seeing the wreck ahead, the engineer applied the air-brakes, but for some reason the brakes would not work satisfactorily and another impact resulted, the engineer and fireman jumping to save their lives.

By reason of the wrecks all trains from the west were necessarily delayed Thursday night and Friday.

Read the announcement of Hayden & Emery, the new real estate firm, in this issue. It may interest you.

Dingler & Pusch is the firm name of the new jewelers and watch repairers who open up today in the Hotel Yakima block. Two gentlemen are brothers in-law and come from Seattle. Read their opening announcement in this paper.

Jas. Stuart, who has the contract for building the bridge across the Yakima at Selah gap, has all the piles driven and so much of the frame-work done that he expects to complete the job in good shape within twenty days, unless some retarding accident occurs.

Edward Dabree was before Justice MacCrimmon Thursday on a charge of petit larceny, in taking a watch belonging to F. C. Alexander, on the Moxee. Dabree claimed that he had found the article in question, but admitted that he knew to whom it belonged. The fine and costs totaled up even \$15.

E. S. Yeates desires to inform the public that he has reopened a shoe shop at No. 5 West Yakima avenue, adjoining the West Avenue hotel, where he will be pleased to meet old patrons, and others, desiring any kind of shoes made, either for ladies or gentlemen, and will repair to a limited extent. 1-t

Raised from the Dead.

C. W. Landis, porter for the Oriental hotel, Chanute, Kan., says: "I know what it is to suffer with neuralgia; indeed I did, and I got a bottle of Ballard's Snow Liniment and I was 'raised from the dead.' I tried to get some more, but before I had 'deposited' my bottle, I was cured entirely. I am tellin' de truth, too. 25c, 50c and \$1 at Fred L. Janek's."

We have concluded to offer our entire line of Ladies' and Children's Cloaks at cost at the new store. This is a great opportunity to save money. 1-2t

C. F. Swain this week sold his 5-acre tract in the school section to a new owner; consideration, \$3000. 20

Get an estimate from Bruenn the contractor on that new house. 20

Beach & Bowers have surrounded themselves with the greatest list of star artists ever in one organization.

Great saving in carriages. The finest quality of rigs, from the Dunlap Carriage Co., at from \$15.00 to \$25.00 less than ever before offered in this market. 44-tf

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Old papers for sale at this office.

Devoured by Worms. Children often cry, not from pain, but from hunger, although fed abundantly. The entire trouble arises from inanition, their food is not assimilated, but devoured by worms. A few doses of White's Cream Vermifuge will cause them to cease crying and begin to thrive at once, very much to the surprise and joy of the mother. 50c. at Fred L. Janek's.

LOVE AMONG SAVAGES.

Ability to Stand Torture a Test of Masculine Devotion.

Among the Arabs of upper Egypt the youth who proposes to a girl must submit to a whipping at the hands of all her male relatives, and, says a dry narrator, "if he wishes to be considered worth having he must receive the chastisement, which is sometimes exceedingly severe, with an expression of enjoyment."

Not infrequently it is the maiden herself who imposes the test. The Sakalava girls of Madagascar make their lovers stand at a short distance from a clever spear thrower and catch between the arm and side every weapon flung at them. If the youth "displays fear or fails to catch the spear, he is ignominiously rejected, but if there be no flinching and the spears are caught he is at once proclaimed an accepted lover."

Worse than this is the trial enforced upon their suitors by the Dongolowe girls. When in doubt as to the respective merits of two rivals, the young lady fastens a sharply pointed knife to each elbow; then, seating herself between her lovers, she drives the blades slowly into their thighs, and the hero who takes the greatest length of steel without a murmur wins the bride.

Major Mitchell in his "Expeditions Into the Interior of Eastern Australia" says of the natives on the river Darling that all their ideas of fighting are associated with the possession of guns or wives and that after a battle the wives "do not always follow their fugitive husbands from the field, but frequently go over, as a matter of course, to the victors." "None but the brave deserve the fair" is a maxim well understood of most barbaric races. — Chambers' Journal.

Burden Bearers of the East.

In the east the camel today, as in the days of Solomon, is the principal beast of burden in peace and in war. Across the pitiless desert he strides, his great pack nodding as he swings along. Down the old, old trail that winds through the hills of Lebanon, blinking they come in pairs, bringing cedars to the sea. But the most remarkable of all freighters is the eastern hamal, the human burden bearer. All or nearly all the freight of Constantinople is handled by the hamal. He wears on his back a regular pack saddle, thin at the top, where it rests on his shoulders, and thick at the bottom, where it ends at his hips. A broad band circles his forehead, and when he leans forward the saddle presents a flat, level surface. — Munsey's Magazine.

Cheap.

Lover—You are getting prettier every day.

Sweet Girl—Just now I am living on brown bread and water to improve my complexion.

"How long can you keep that up?"

"Oh, indefinitely."

"Then let's get married." — Exchange

The Chinaman's Dress.

Those who understand the subject have to admit that when it comes to the question of rational dress the Chinaman has very much the best of it. American clothes are not made for the performance of much stooping or do-little gymnastics, but the Chinaman, in his loose, easy fitting clothes, is as free to stoop, jump, run or turn hand-prings as a small boy in bathing. In a Chinese suit of clothes you can lie down and sleep with the same amount of comfort that you can stand up and walk.

Comets of the Past Century.

During the nineteenth century 235 new comets were discovered as against 12 in the eighteenth century. The nineteenth century also beheld a greater number of large and brilliant comets than did its predecessor. The finest of these were the comets of 1811, 1843, 1858, 1881 and 1882. In the year 1800 only one periodical comet was known, Halley's. Now many are known, of which at least 17 have been seen at more than one return to perihelion.

Bound to Enjoy Himself.

"Now, dear," said mamma, giving final instructions to Elsie, who is going to take tea with a playmate, "when you are asked if you will have something, you must say, 'Yes, thank you,' and if you don't want it you must say—"

"Oh, you needn't bother about that." Elsie interrupted. "I don't expect to refuse anything." — Philadelphia Press.

Two Faced Babies.

"Not that deceit is a born instinct, but some babies must be two faced in the cradle."

"Oh, that's not possible."

"I don't know. I know a child that looks like its rich aunt when she comes on a visit and is the exact image of its rich uncle when he happens to be there." — Exchange.

No Difficulty.

Phillips Brooks once gave a new version of the Jonah story to a wondering skeptic, who said he doubted whether a whale's throat was large enough to swallow Jonah. "There was no difficulty," said the bishop; "Jonah was one of the minor prophets."

A Long Wait.

Katrine—I was reading this morning of a man who cooked his own breakfast for 15 years.

Max—He must have been very hungry when he finally got it done. — Bombe.

A medical journal declares that lentils are not only richer in proteids than peas or beans, but are also more digestible.

The only two great European capitals that never have been occupied by a foreign foe are London and St. Petersburg.

A Handsome CHINA CLOSET



or glass china closet for your dining room, in either city or country, makes a rich and pleasing furnishing, and keeps you from hiding your fine glassware and delicate china behind wooden doors.

Your China, glass, and other pretty things are ornaments when displayed in one of these oak or mahogany closets.

Look at our stock

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NEW JEWELRY STORE.

To the Public

We beg to announce that we open today, Sept. 20, for business with a fine line of

Watches, Jewelry, Silverware,

Clock and Optical goods, and extend an invitation to inspect our stock.

We make a specialty of repairing fine watches and jewelry.

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HOTEL YAKIMA BLOCK.

Influenza.
It is very well known that the influenza is not an exclusively modern complaint, but I am not sure whether a curious reference to it by Bower, the continuator of Fordun's chronicle, has been noted. Writing of the year 1420 he says that among those who died in Scotland that year were Sir Henry St. Clair, earl of Orkney; Sir James Douglas of Dalkeith, Sir William de Abernethy, Sir William de St. Clair, Sir William Cockburn and many others, all by "that infirmity whereby not only great men, but innumerable quantity of the commonalty, perished, which was vulgarly termed le Quheue [le Quheue a vulgaribus dicebatur]" (Bower, xv, 32.) Now, "qu" in Scottish texts usually represents the sound of "wh" (properly aspirated.) Therefore it seems that in the fifteenth century the influenza was known as "the whew," just as it is known in the twentieth century as "the flue."

I have refrained from quoting at length Bower's explanation of the cause of the epidemic, but there seems little doubt that the disease was identical with that with which we are so grievously familiar. — Notes and Queries.

Barometric Bees.
Whoever observes these interesting insects finds it easy enough to foretell exactly the kind of weather to be expected. At least this is the opinion of many raisers of bees.

Generally the bee stays at home when rain is in the air. When the sky is simply dark and cloudy, these busy workers do not leave their dwelling all at once. A few go out first, as though the queen had sent out messengers to study the state of the atmosphere. The greater number remain on observation until the clouds begin to dissipate, and it is only then that the battalions entire rush out in search of their nectar.

A bee never goes out in a fog, because it is well aware that dampness and cold are two fearsome, redoubtable enemies. We do not mean, however, that the bee is a meteorologist in the absolute sense of the word. Its cleverness consists in never being taken unawares, for it possesses untiring vigilance. Often one may observe the sudden entrance of bees into the hive when a dense cloud hides the sun and even though the rain is not in evidence. — St. Louis Globe-Democrat.

His Present Fad.
"You don't seem to be buying many rare books nowadays," said Perkins to Jimpsonberry. "Got tired of collecting?"

"No," replied Jimpsonberry. "Changed my hobby, that's all. My boys have grown some in the past seven or eight years, and I've taken up the fad of collecting derby hats and trousers and shoes and other things of that kind. I have a splendid collection of school bills, too, I'd like to show you." — Harpers' Bazar.

We have concluded to offer our entire line of Ladies' and Children's Cloaks at cost at the new store. This is a great opportunity to save money. 1-2t

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Formerly a member of the staff of Asbury Methodist Hospital, Minneapolis, Minn. Office, Keshaw block. All cases promptly attended, night and day.

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Summons by Publication.
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The State of Washington to the said George W. Bird and Martha T. Bird, his wife, defendants:
You are hereby summoned to appear in the Superior Court of Yakima County, state of Washington, on the 18th day of August, 1902, 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 attorneys for plaintiff at their 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. The object of said action is to obtain judgment against defendant, George W. Bird upon a certain promissory note, dated April 1st, 1901, for the sum of five hundred twenty-five dollars, with interest thereon from the 1st day of October, 1901, until paid; the further sum of \$4.00, taxes paid upon the premises hereinafter described, with interest thereon from the 1st day of October, 1901, until paid; the further sum of \$32.40 paid for grade assessment upon said premises by plaintiff, with interest thereon from the 1st day of August, 1900, until paid, all at the rate of six percent per annum; for \$85.00, costs and for the costs of said action; and to foreclose a certain mortgage executed by the said George W. Bird on the 1st day of April, 1901, to secure said amounts, and on the said premises and to order the sale of the proceeds of the sale of said premises and the application of the proceeds to the satisfaction of said amounts and for a deficiency judgment against the said George W. Bird for any amount which may remain after the application of the proceeds of said sale to the satisfaction of said amounts, and to foreclose the equity of redemption of the defendants and each of them in and to said premises.

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Our Clubbing Offer.

Until further notice the YAKIMA DEMOCRAT will club with the following papers at the rates annexed. Delinquent subscribers to the DEMOCRAT in order to take advantage of any of these offers must first pay up to date.

The DEMOCRAT and The Commoner, \$1.65
The DEMOCRAT and N. Y. Thrice a Week World, 1.65
The DEMOCRAT and St. Louis Republic (semi-weekly), 1.50
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The DEMOCRAT and Campbell's Illustrated Journal (monthly), 1.35

Follow the crowd and go to Westport to spend the hot weather. Round trip tickets now on sale, good to return until Sept. 30, only \$8.20.

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For Sale.
160 acres of land in Rattlesnake, known as the Bowlin ranch. Inquire of Mrs. A. Street, Lowe block, N. Yakima. 52-2t

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YAKIMA MARKET REPORT.
CORRECTED EVERY FRIDAY.

LIVE STOCK.

Steer Beef.....\$3.50@3.75
Cow Beef.....\$3 @ \$3.25
Hogs, dressed.....4 @ 4.50
Hogs on foot.....\$4 @ 4.50
Mutton, prime.....\$3 5/8 @ 4.00

POULTRY.

Chickens, per lb.....6 1/2 @ 7c
Turkeys, live.....100

GRAIN.

Wheat, Blue stem.....57
Wheat, club.....55
Oats, per ton.....\$18.00
Barley, per ton.....\$17.00
Corn, per bu.....80
Hay, Timothy, baled, per ton.....\$9.50
Hay, Alfalfa, baled, per ton.....\$8.00
Hay, Clover, baled, per ton.....\$8.00

PRODUCE.

Potatoes.....\$10.00
Butter, ranch, per roll.....45c@50c
Butter, creamery, per roll.....55c
Cheese, native.....25c
Eggs, per doz.....25c
Wool, per lb.....80@11c
Hops.....21c
New Potatoes, per ton.....\$10.00
Hay, Clover, per ton, new.....\$ 7.00
Rye Grass.....\$7.50
Grain Hay.....25c@30c
Peaches, per box.....45c@50c
Apples.....40c@50c
Cucumbers per doz.....8c
Green Corn.....8c

TIME CARD
OF
TRAINS
NORTH YAKIMA.

*Daily +Daily except Sunday.

WESTBOUND ARRIVE DEPART

No. 1—North Coast Limited via Seattle.....*2:00 p m | *2:00 p m
No. 3—Portland and Selah.....*5:10 a m | *5:10 a m
No. 5—Portland.....*8:38 a m | *8:38 a m
No. 57—Local freight.....*2:45 p m | *4:15 p m

EASTBOUND

No. 2—North Coast Limited.....*5:40 a m | *5:40 a m
No. 4—St. Paul and east.....*9:51 p m | *9:51 p m
No. 6—St. Louis, east.....*1:20 a m | *1:20 a m
No. 58—Local freight.....*4:15 a m | *5:45 a m

Get Permit at Ticket Office for Trains 57 and 58.

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NOTICE OF ELECTION.

Notice is hereby given that a special election will be held in the city of North Yakima, State of Washington, and in the territory hereinafter described on the 29th day of September, A. D. 1902, at which election will be submitted to the qualified electors of the city of North Yakima and to the qualified electors residing in the territory hereinafter described the following proposition: Shall the following described territory be annexed to the city of North Yakima and be made a part of the corporate limits of said city, to-wit:

The southwest quarter of the southeast quarter of section eighteen, township thirteen, north of range nineteen, E. W. M.

At such election qualified electors of said city of North Yakima and of said territory so proposed to be annexed are invited to vote at such election on the proposition of annexing said territory to the said city of North Yakima and shall place upon their ballots the words "For Annexation" or "Against Annexation" or words equivalent thereto. Said election shall be held at the following polling places in said city of North Yakima, to-wit:

In first ward as bounded and described in the ordinances of said city of North Yakima, at the building occupied by the U. S. Land Office.

In the second ward at the Court House in said city in the court room thereon.

In the third ward at the City Hall of said city.

In the territory proposed to be annexed above described at the residence of James Sharp.

The polls will be open at such election on said 29th day of September, A. D. 1902, at each said polling place between the hours of 9 o'clock a. m. and 7 o'clock p. m. And the following persons have been designated and appointed to hold and conduct said election, to-wit:

In the first ward above described, Inspector, W. H. Redman; Judges, Marshall Souder and John Mull; Clerks, Harry Coome and J. A. Taggard.

In the second ward above described, Inspector, H. B. Doust; Judges, W. N. Dixon and C. M. Hauser; Clerks, W. W. Robertson and A. E. Poole.

In the third ward above described, Inspector, Charles Badger; Judges, W. N. Dixon and C. F. Krause; Clerks, A. K. Sinclair and Robert Scott.

In the territory to be annexed and above described, Inspector, John Sawbridge; Judges, James Greene and T. R. Fisher; Clerks, A. K. Jolley and J. H. Wiley.

Witness my hand and the seal of said city hereto affixed this 19th day of August, A. D. 1902.

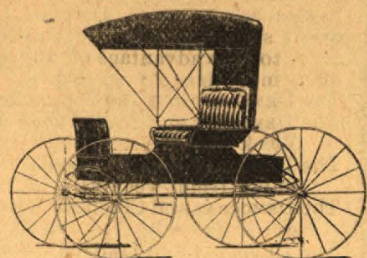
H. B. DOUST,
[SEAL] City Clerk.

Resolution of Intention.

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE CITY COUNCIL of the City of North Yakima, Yakima County, State of Washington, that said city intends and hereby declares its intention to improve WENAS AVENUE in said city between the south line of West D street and the north line of West Spruce street, in said city, according to the plat thereof, now on file in the office of the County Auditor of Yakima county, Washington:

The said grading to be done according to the plans and specifications, details and drawings, said avenue to be graded between said points 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 along the route of said proposed grading by the city engineer of said city.

150 SETS OF... Driving Harness



of all kinds AT A BARGAIN is what we have just bought, and we have decided to make prices on them never before equaled. We have also just unloaded a full car of

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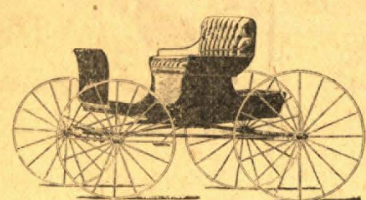
of all descriptions and have marked them at prices that cannot be duplicated. We have never misrepresented anything to you, and you will see that we have not this time, when you examine our stock and get prices on these bright, fresh, new goods.

We still have a few Potato Diggers, Stoves, Ranges, Pumps and Windmills in stock.

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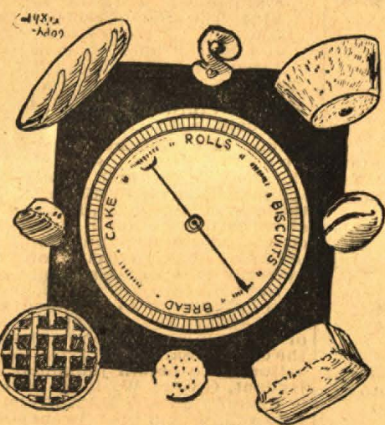
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Schorn's Big Yellow Corner

One Block South of Depot.

The Local Round-Up.

Born, at Tampico, Friday, Sept. 12, to Mr. and Mrs. Ed Slavin, a son.

A marriage license was issued Wednesday to Dennis LeDeau and Miss Lynn LeMay.

Dr. P. Frank has been selected as chairman and C. M. Hauser secretary of the new republican county central committee.

W. J. Shuck, lately of Portland, has purchased and taken possession of the Imperial hotel, established by C. M. Bartlett.

The members of the fire department will be sorry to learn that Driver Lynch of the chemical. He has been succeeded by Sam Bunce.

A basket social will be given on the lower Natchez next Thursday night for benefit of the new parsonage of the First Congregational church.

A railroad engineering corps is reported to be making a survey for a new line of road from Satas, on the reservation, to Lyle, in Klickitat county.

The three-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Brunell, of Nob hill, died Thursday. Interment was made Friday in the Catholic cemetery.

Judge Taggard on Thursday bound over to the superior court in \$500 one John Whaley, charged with indecent exposure. In default of bail, the defendant was committed to jail to await his trial.

The city delegates to the democratic county convention last Saturday named G. H. Moulton and S. H. Mason for justices of the peace and J. P. Mayer for constable.

County Commissioner Horsley and Auditor Kelso returned Saturday night from Olympia where they had been for a week to represent this county before the state board of equalization.

John Michels is building two new cottages on South Fourth street. Mr. Michels has recently purchased two lots in the Capitol Hill addition on which he contemplates constructing a fine residence.

Del Hiseock finished picking his hops Tuesday and the Moxee company Wednesday. Picking was finished Thursday in the big Stone yard in the Selah, now the property of the Yakima National bank.

A large quantity of scenery was this week removed from the old Mason opera house building to the fair grounds, where it will be used during the State Fair by a vaudeville company of Japanese from Portland.

The first consignment of lumber to be used in increasing the capacity of the Congdon ditch arrived here this week. Mr. Bannister, the engineer in charge, says that active work will commence on the big undertaking about October 1st.

Allen & Matthews, contractors, have begun work on a dirt canal to take the place of the big flume around the bluff below Zillah on the Sunnyside canal. This work will necessitate the removal of over fifty thousand feet of gravel and dirt.

The new Wisconsin block on Yakima avenue, being built by A. E. Howard for Mayor Fechter and Ditter Bros., is now nearing completion. It is a handsome structure and adds very much to the appearance of Yakima's principal thoroughfare.

The Yakima Valley bank opened up for business last Monday, with President Miles Cannon, Cashier Stanley Coffin, Assistant Cashier E. E. Streitz and Bookkeeper F. C. Hall in their places. The business of the bank starts out very satisfactorily.

While walking along the railroad at Prosser last Monday, E. F. Benson met with a painful accident. Stumbling over a spike, he was thrown on the rail and lost two front teeth and had a thumb dislocated, necessitating a trip to this city for surgical treatment.

The Yakima Gun club, having been requested by other gun clubs of the state to hold a shoot at the State Fair this fall, has decided to have it provided suitable arrangements for prizes can be made with the commission, and it is likely the event will take place.

Ties are being laid on the spur from the N. P. main line down H street to the yards of the Cascade Lumber Co. The company is now doing business in the new headquarters building near the mill site. Considerable lumber has already been unloaded on the company's grounds for the construction of the buildings.

Wesley W. Beeks, through his attorney, Graves & Englehart and S. H. Mason, has begun suit for divorce from his wife, Eliza A. Beeks, the defendant being represented by H. J. Snively. The divorce case is presumed to be a sequel to the alleged stabbing of "Dude" Minner at the Beeks home in this city on the night of July 4th.

Thomas Lund this week purchased from the N. P. Railway company 36 acres of land in the suburbs of the city. The property is located just below the bench adjacent to West Walnut street. It is a valuable piece of property and the purchaser has since been offered several hundred dollars for his bargain. Mr. Lund intends to reserve a portion of the tract for a permanent base ball park.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles H. Hinman of Moxee avenue lost their infant son by death Monday morning. The little fellow was left in bed while the family was at breakfast and at that time he seemed to be in good health. When Mrs. Hinman returned to the bedroom she found him dead. From all indications the physician summoned was of the opinion that death ensued from an attack of heart failure.

A concrete walk is being laid on the avenue from the Lombard & Horsley block to the Hotel Yakima corner. Mayor Fechter is also laying a new walk of the same material in front of his property occupied by Maillon & Co.'s store. The pavement was finished in front of Shallow's new building this week, and work will begin next Monday on the fifty feet in front of the new Ditter-Fechter building.

Personal.

Editor Boyle of the Washingtonian is doing the Sound.

S. J. Cameron returned home Wednesday night from Seattle.

W. J. Jewell has removed with his wife to Tacoma, where will go into business.

Mrs. L. V. Janek and children have returned from a visit with relatives in Everett.

Mrs. E. Whitson and daughters returned Saturday from a summer's outing at Long Beach.

Mrs. Alex Miller and daughter have returned from Long Beach, where they spent the summer.

James Biggam and wife returned last week from a protracted visit to their old home in Scotland.

Mr. George Gandy was taken suddenly very seriously ill Thursday, but is now reported improving.

J. Elgin Baxter returned home Saturday from Pendleton, Ore., where he had been visiting for a week.

Mrs. C. E. White and little son arrived home Tuesday from an extended visit with relatives in Wisconsin.

Mrs. S. Wenner, mother of Mrs. Stanley Coffin, left Wednesday morning on a visit to her children in Chicago.

Judge J. A. Taggard returned Thursday from Spokane, where he was in attendance as a witness upon U. S. court.

Jimmie Donald arrived home Thursday from Chelan county, where he has been for several months looking after his sheep.

Misses Roberta McPhee and Janie Young went to Ellensburg Monday to resume their studies in the State Normal school.

President Splawn and Secretary Gunn of the State Fair commission have been visiting the Oregon State Fair at Salem this week.

Miss Daisy Owens, who resigned her position in the city schools, left last Saturday to take a position in the public schools at Everett.

Jos. G. Heim, the well known banker of South Bend, is here, a guest at the Yakima, to inhale the pure air of Yakima for a few days, which he finds gives him ready relief from asthma.

Thomas Lund and J. D. Medill returned Wednesday night from the democratic state convention. W. A. Cox reached home a day later. All the other members of the Yakima delegation lingered for a few days longer to visit friends and see the sights in the Sound cities.

The many old-time friends of E. P. Greene in this city were glad to welcome him back to the county on his appearance here as a delegate from Kennewick to the democratic county convention last Saturday. Mr. Greene is now editing the Kennewick Courier, which is one of the liveliest county newspapers in the state.

City Council Meeting.

At the regular meeting of the city council last Monday evening, a bare quorum was present—Aikens, Keck, Wyman and Moran—in addition to the mayor and clerk.

A license was granted F. B. Shallow to conduct a saloon in his new building, corner Yakima avenue and Front street. Thomas Lund was also granted a renewal of license for his saloon on the corner opposite the depot.

A request from Mr. Mallette for permission to build a frame annex to his building on Front street was disallowed as being in violation of the fire ordinance.

Resolutions were adopted, and are published elsewhere in this paper for the grading of Wenas and Kittitas avenues.

The marshal was instructed to employ men to sprinkle the newly graded and macadamized streets with hose, using the fire engine if necessary.

The mayor said he had received answers from several authorities regarding a drainage system for the west side. City Engineer Marble expressed the opinion that it would not be a difficult matter to drain that part of town as it has a natural fall toward the river. On motion of Mr. Wyman, the mayor was instructed to correspond further with Engineer McCulloch, at Lewiston, Ida.

In the matter of securing accommodations for visitors to the state fair, the city clerk was instructed to advertise for rooms for visitors. This was deemed expedient, as the State Fair commission had requested the city to take charge of the matter of insuring accommodations for guests during fair week.

State Fair Items.

All those intending to enter in the woman's and culinary departments are requested to come in early next week.

The bands signifying their intention to take part in the band contest for the \$200 prizes are Prosser, Ellensburg, Roslyn and Kent.

Supt. Matt Williams has been busy all week cleaning the grounds and getting things in shipshape for the fair. He will put straw on the road leading from this place to the grounds and will use the city fire engine to lay the dust.

Mrs. Jay Lynch of Fort Simcoe has signified her intention to make an exhibit of Indian basket ware. She has a very large collection that is worth considerable money, and its display at the grounds will make quite an interesting feature.

The entries for the fat man's race are coming in pretty fast. So far, those who will contest this event are: C. I. Douglas and W. H. Johnson, North Yakima; Charles Grimes and "Black Frank," Ellensburg; George Clay and "Tree Top Bill," North Yakima.

A. J. Splawn, president of the commission, went to Salem, Ore., the first of the week, to look after the bringing of the herds from that place here. He reports that over 200 head of stock will be brought from that point alone, and to accommodate them a number of new stalls have been ordered constructed.

But one more week remains till the opening of the fair, which promises to be one of the best ever held, even far

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outliving that of last year in every respect. The most noteworthy thing this year, that augurs well for the success of the event, is the double number of attractions that will be on the grounds. The speed program is large and the exhibit of live stock will be more than thrice that of any other year, while the pavilion will be full of exhibits of all kinds.

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As the dull season in the real estate market is drawing to a close, permit us to suggest that if you want to sell, now is the time to list your property with a live, wide awake, hustling firm.

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VINTON & GORDON.

The Tivoli Opera Co. appeared before a large audience at Larson's Tuesday evening in a comical musical sketch titled "The Serenade." Some appointment was expressed that Toyman was not produced, but company, which is a large and good one, made an excellent impression on lovers of light opera.

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