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For President,

WM. JENNINGS BRYAN.

For Vice-President,

ADLAI E. STEVENSON.

MEMBERS of all three wings of the reform party may well congratulate themselves and each other over the outcome of the union state convention at Seattle last week. Never before in the history of this state has a convention assembled that had a greater task to perform than had the one under discussion and never before was a public duty better discharged than by the host of delegates that comprised the union convention. The ticket nominated, it is needless to say, is not only an exceptionally strong one, composed as it is of tried, true and capable men, but in its geographical make up it is well nigh perfect, as every important section of the state has a representative thereon. The ticket was nominated under the time honored two-thirds rule, and it may safely be taken for granted that no man was honored with a place upon it that did not have a good claim. The renomination of Governor John R. Rogers, which was accomplished after the most spirited and skillful parliamentary battle ever seen in the Pacific northwest, is a deserved and well merited tribute to our excellent governor, of whose splendid record in office every reformer in the state is justly proud. The fact that the grand old man was able to overcome the barrier in the shape of the two-third rule set up against him by his whilom political enemies, has firmly convinced those who zealously opposed him that he is unmistakably the choice of the people, and as loyal party men, therefore they bow to the will of the majority and will give the governor a loyal and hearty support, which will insure his election. The most pleasing thing about the convention, as a whole, was the air of determination to win in the coming campaign, that characterized each and every delegate. It seemed to be the unanimous opinion of all that the party could and ought to win in this state, when such great and vital interests are at stake, and all that was needed to insure a rousing victory was thorough and intelligent work all along the line from now until the votes shall be counted on the sixth day of November.

THE ways of the local correspondent of a Seattle paper are past finding out. What he means or hopes to gain by deliberately misrepresenting the people of this

community, we confess, passes our poor understanding. Although his residence in this locality has been of but short duration, it is quite reasonable to assume that he has been here long enough to know that the people of this community, or at least the great majority of them, are loyal to and believe in the State Fair. It is natural that this should be so, for the reason, as is well known, that this is the only state institution that was allotted this favored section by a reckless and profligate republican administration, which dealt out state institutions to the highest bidders. But enough of distasteful ancient history. As we said before, our people are loyal to the Fair, and have always evinced a determination to make of it a success, even against the heavy handicap of parental (state) parsimony and neglect. The people's faith in the undertaking was well founded, for it was based upon the belief that the enterprise and material interests of this great valley would in a few years suffice to make the project self-supporting—a hope that now promises to reach an early realization. This year the commission, as is well known, was sorely hampered for want of funds; but an appeal to the business interests of this city promptly brought forth a generous response, which justified the expectation of a successful Fair. And yet amid the busy preparations for the event, it remains for an overpaid local writer of the metropolitan press to announce to the world that in all likelihood there would be no Fair, and that our people were saying one to another that it was an elephant on our hands, and that we would be well rid of it. The offense given by this loquacious scribe seems all the greater when we reflect that he was chosen only a few days previously as the representative of the Commercial club, of this city, to aid in advancing the Fair project. In view of all the facts, therefore, it would seem as though the erring correspondent owes this community an apology, or at least a plausible explanation of his hostility towards the Fair.

TRUE to its reputation for going off at half cock, the misguided Republic, flies into an intemperate and unseemly rage at Candidate Splawn on account of an alleged interview, purporting to come from the latter in the "blind stagger" column of a local contemporary. Let our excited brother calm his ruffled temper and possess his soul in peace, for Mr. Splawn was guilty of no discourtesy towards his unfortunate opponent. The doughty colonel is wont to take the old lady up the street too seriously.

HARPER'S WEEKLY, which for over half a century was justly regarded as among the greatest and best of American journals, has fallen upon evil days in its old age. In its better days it was popular among all classes, because of its independence, its conservatism and its lofty re-

spectability. But that was when the princely house of Harper owned it and shaped its course. Today it is owned and controlled by J. Pierpont Morgan, who is regarded as the most cold blooded millionaire on Wall street. It was to be expected, of course, that the paper, under such management, would be intensely conservative in policy; but it is much more than that. It has become such a wild eyed and demoniac conservator of plutocracy that it plainly defeats its own object and the fair minded reader, who loved it for what it once was, now turns from it with loathing and disgust. Poor old Harper's Weekly, fallen from its high estate, well illustrates the blighting influence of sordid wealth when it usurps the throne of genius.

THE democratic ticket, national, state and county, is now in the field. Let every democrat and every reformer, whether he be a democrat or not, pull off his coat and go to work for it until the polls close. The ticket this year is one to be proud of, from the great leader of modern democracy, whose name appears at the masthead, down to the humblest candidate for a local office. It is a good ticket, not only because it is par excellence in its make up, but because it represents human liberty and the purest quality of American citizenship.

THE state ticket nominated last week at Seattle could hardly have been more wisely arranged than as it is. The democrats were given the two congressmen, one supreme judge, lieutenant governor, attorney general and three out of the four electors. The populists received the governor, one supreme judge, secretary of state, auditor, treasurer, land commissioner and one elector. The silver republicans, with their characteristic modesty, asked for only one place on the ticket, that of superintendent of public instruction, which was cheerfully given to them.

MARK HANNA is reported by the New York World to have made a lengthy stay in Gotham recently, where he was engaged in the laudable occupation of frying the fat out of the numerous millionaire trust magnates of the metropolis for the purpose of swelling his huge corruption fund. When questioned by a reporter as to how much fat he had secured, Mark, in his characteristic way, replied: "Oh, it's nobody's business how much I got."

YAKIMA extends a hearty welcome to Seattle's businessmen, who will arrive tomorrow. Seattle is the leading commercial city of the state, and Yakima is the leading agricultural city of the state. The tie between them in the nature of things, therefore, ought to be a binding and lasting one.

GREAT CONVENTION

Was the Meeting of the Reform Parties

At Seattle Last Week—A Synopsis of the Proceedings of the Great Gathering.

The state convention of the reform party which convened at Seattle last week will long be remembered by all who participated therein for the reason that it was the most exciting political gathering that ever convened in the evergreen state.

The great issue that divided the delegates, as is generally well known, was the nomination to be made for the governorship. Everything else was lost sight of in the overshadowing issue of whether the name of Gov. John R. Rogers or some one of the several candidates in the field should head the state ticket.

The democratic convention with every county in the state represented, assembled at 2 p. m. on Monday, the 27th, at Armory hall, the populist convention met at the same hour at Germania hall, while the silver republican contingent convened at Masonic hall, at the same hour.

In the democratic convention Ass't. Att'y. General Thos. M. Vance was named as temporary chairman. Mr. Vance in assuming the chair made one of his characteristically witty speeches, which put everybody in good humor.

Owing to the anxiety of the leaders of both the Rogers and anti-Rogers faction to control the convention the chairman was often placed in a difficult position where he was compelled to decide fine parliamentary points with lightninglike rapidity, but "Tommie" as he is familiarly known hereabouts, was always equal for the emergency and acquitted himself with great credit.

A particularly exciting scene was witnessed on Monday evening when nominations for permanent chairman were declared in order. Knowing that the vote would be uncomfortably close, U. S. Senator Geo. Turner was prevailed upon by the friends of Gov. Rogers to allow his name to be used in the hope that the influence of his great name would have a salutary effect in plucking victory from the jaws of defeat. The anti-Rogers people put forth as their candidate for the chairmanship, silver tongued Charlie Heifner of Thurston county, the popular insurance commissioner of the state, who made such a bit as chairman at the Spokane convention in May last. The vote which was taken amid great excitement resulted in 228 votes for Turner and 233 for Heifner and when the announcement was made the latter's partisans almost raised the roof of the old hall by their joyous shouts. Senator Turner took his defeat gracefully and in his gracious manner moved that the nomination of Mr. Heifner be made by acclamation, which was done. After the selection of the usual committees the convention adjourned until 10 a. m. Tuesday.

The populist convention was organized amid scenes of great disorder caused by the seating of the "bolting" anti-Rogers delegation from Pierce county, a result that it was claimed was achieved by the arbitrary ruling of Public Land Commissioner Robert Bridges who occupied the chair.

By mutual agreement of the three

conventions on Tuesday a joint conference committee was appointed which composed 15 members, five from each party. In the selection of the five members in the democratic convention the anti-Rogers men scored a more decisive majority than in the contest over the chairmanship, which made the governor's adherents naturally feel very downcast.

After being out for several hours the democratic conferees returned with the information that the committee had unanimously agreed in favor of the adoption of the two-thirds rule and the order of business to be pursued in the union convention, but had differed radically on the name to be placed at the head of the official ballot, the vote on every ballot having stood 10 to 5 in favor of the adoption of the name peoples' party, the silver republicans having voted solidly with the populists.

But little time was wasted in a discussion of the matter in the democratic convention, although several brief and impassioned speeches were delivered. The unanimous opinion seemed to be that as the democrats had yielded the party name in the campaigns of '96 and '98, common fairness demanded that they be given the name this year. So by unanimous vote the conference committee was instructed to go back and demand it as the requisite condition of fusion. On their return the committee reported that the other parties had at last conceded the name to the democrats, which announcement was received by the convention with hilarious applause.

The union convention consisting of 1059 delegates assembled at Armory hall at 2 p. m. on Wednesday with Robert Bridges as chairman.

The gathering was a most imposing one in appearance and very demonstrative, so much so in fact that a dozen sergeants-at-arms were required to keep order.

The nomination of two candidates for congress was the first order of business. F. C. Robertson of Spokane was nominated by Senator Turner, while J. T. Ronald of Seattle was named by Hon. James Hamilton Lewis. The convention having previously agreed to vote on but one candidate at a time the roll was called amid great excitement and revealed some startling results to the Ronald people, who were dismayed to find their candidate at the end of the first ballot in a hopeless minority.

The second ballot showed that Robertson was still farther in the lead. The roll call for the third ballot was then begun and when King county was reached the chairman of that delegation asked that they be permitted to retire to an ante room for a caucus, which was granted. The conclusion of the roll call showed that Robertson had received 702 votes which was only three less than the necessary two thirds. During the uproar that ensued the King county delegation returned to the hall and its spokesman, Col. Lewis, in a short speech moved that the rules be suspended and that both Mr. Robertson and Mr. Ronald be nominated by acclamation. After a brief debate this was done by the convention as a matter of good politics although every person present realized that such action would have the effect of squelching the congressional aspiration of Lieut. Governor Thurston Daniels and the carefully nursed boomlet of Charles S. Voorhees for the governorship.

The great event of the convention, however, was the nomination of a candi-

date for governor, which came up at the evening session. Ex-Mayor A. V. Fawcett of Tacoma was nominated by C. G. Heifner in an eloquent speech and was duly seconded by Frank Baker. State Auditor Neal Cheatham was then nominated by a delegate from Whitman county, while that veteran campaigner, Judge Godman of Dayton, named Gov. Rogers in a brief speech in which he highly eulogized the present executive.

The first ballot gave Rogers 638, Fawcett 259 and Cheatham 139. The governor's vote steadily increased on each succeeding ballot until the necessary two thirds was finally secured on the eighth, when Chairman "Bob" Bridges was compelled to announce, much against his will apparently, that John R. Rogers was the choice of the convention. The announcement was received with deafening cheers by the friends of the governor and for a while it seemed as though bedlam was turned loose in the convention hall. As the hour was now 1 a. m. the tired delegates dispersed to catch a little sleep, adjournment having been taken until 10 o'clock the following morning. On re-assembling the next day the work of the convention was speedily finished, factious opposition having ceased, which enabled most of the remaining nominations to be made by acclamation and with evident good feeling on all sides.

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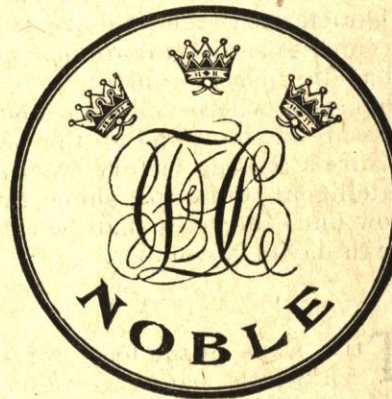
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**Commissioners are Hard at Work
On the Final Detail—The P.-I.
Correspondent Talks Rot.**

A number of prominent citizens of this city were very indignant Tuesday on discovering a half column article in the Seattle Post-Intelligencer under a North Yakima date line. The purport of the article in question was to the effect that in all probability there would be no state fair held at this place this year partly for the reason that the fair board was incompetent, negligent and extravagant and partly for the reason that the people of this county were indifferent toward the project, and suspicious of the fair management and therefore took no interest in the undertaking.

It was furthermore declared in the article referred to that the fair was considered as more or less of a white elephant on the peoples' hands and that as a matter of fact they were more anxious than otherwise to get rid of it entirely.

In view of the well known fact that arrangements were being carried out for the holding of the fair and that a meeting of the commissioners had been called for Wednesday for consultation on some important matters, people were at a loss to know what could have inspired the attack of the local correspondent of the Sound paper to send out such misleading information as "news," unless his object was to kill the fair entirely by creating a sentiment elsewhere in the state in favor of its removal.

The commission which met on Wednesday with a full attendance, took steps to counteract as far as it was possible to do so the harm done by the misleading article by demanding space from the paper that published it for the purpose of a retraction. The commissioners individually expressed their opinions pretty freely of the author of the article, as did also a number of local business men who feel interested in the fair.

The fact that the editor of the Republic, who is charged with the parentage of the article, was on Saturday evening last named by the commercial club as a committeeman from that organization to confer with the fair board at its meeting, with the object of assisting the enterprise, made the matter look, if possible, still worse for the doughty knight of the quill.

Col. Robertson was expected to have been in attendance at the meeting of the board on Wednesday for the purpose of giving the commissioners the benefit of his advice and experience in the matter of holding fairs, but unfortunately he failed to show up.

In Annual Conference.

North Yakima is in the hands of the ministers this week as a result of the holding of the Columbia river conference here.

The ministers, many of them accompanied by their wives, began arriving on Monday morning, nearly all reaching here by Tuesday. The visitors were met at the depot by the reception committee from the local M. E. church and escorted to the several residences throughout the city where their entertainment had been provided for.

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The conference was opened at the church on Tuesday evening by Bishop E. G. Andrews with prayer. Rev. C. D. Nickelson of Heppner, Ore., was then introduced and delivered a very forcible sermon.

The Wednesday session began at 8:30 a. m. with a sacramental service which was followed by a brief business session after which an adjournment was taken until 3 p. m., when the Pentecostal service was held, conducted by Rev. L. A. Johnson. At 8 p. m. a temperance rally was held, addresses being made by Revs. Deweese, Evans and Spaulding.

An interesting program has been prepared for tomorrow (Sunday) to take place at Larson's theatre. The program is as follows:

At 9 a. m., Love Feast, Rev. W. B. Carthers; 10:30 a. m., Sermon, Bishop Andrews; 3 p. m., Sermon, Rev. John Uren; 6:30 p. m., Epworth League Rally; 8 p. m., presentation of the Twentieth Century Forward Movement—Addresses by Rev. G. M. Booth, Rev. P. A. Cool and Bishop E. G. Andrews.

The conference will conclude its labors on Monday, when pastoral assignments will be made for the succeeding year.

The sheriff's office received word from Kennewick on Sunday that an ancient siwash known as old chief Ah-le or Illiwahee had been killed near there. The Indian accused of the crime is "Johnnie" a worthless renegade who is believed to have long entertained a desire to become a chief and reign in Illiwahee's stead. Deputy Sheriff Lum went down and scoured the country in a vain effort to find Johnnie. The dead man when found was horribly mangled, his head having been mashed in with a stone.

The Rockwood Creamery company, of this city, has filed articles of incorporation with the county auditor. The capitalization of the new concern is \$7500, the incorporators being O. A. Fechter, L. O. Janek and D. M. Shanks. These gentlemen this week purchased from the Hazelwood Dairy company their finely equipped creamery in this city and in the future propose to operate it.

Dr. C. T. Dulin on Friday received his commission from the adjutant general's office at Olympia, for appointment to the office of assistant surgeon of the National Guard of Washington, with the rank of first lieutenant. The doctor is much pleased at this recognition of his ability, and has been kept busy receiving the congratulations of his friends.

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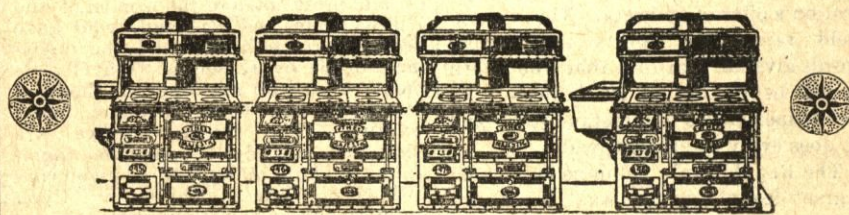
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Adlai Ewing Stevenson.

One of the open secrets of the first Cleveland administration is that, upon the retirement of Postmaster General Bissell, the Great I Am refused to promote Mr. Stevenson to the head of the department, though he had made an enviable record as first assistant postmaster general and was on every account entitled to the place. Cleveland objected strongly to Mr. Stevenson on account of the latter's position on the currency question. This was then well known, though some of our friends seem to have forgotten it more recently. Mr. Stevenson has been from the beginning of his career a strong advocate of financial reform. He was first elected to congress, a quarter of a century ago on a Weaver-greenback ticket. When silver took its place among the live issues he became a "silver man" and in this position he has remained ever since.

Mr. Cleveland's antagonism, especially on such grounds, is the best possible recommendation to the esteem of the democracy. It is no secret that the relations between the president and vice president during the second Cleveland administration were strained almost to the breaking point. The two men had nothing in common. Cleveland was a stiff-necked dictator in method and a plutocrat in principle. Stevenson was a democrat. He still is. Not a "democrat" of the assistant republican, gold-bug, monopoly-fed variety, but a Jeffersonian democrat, to whom increase in years brings increased respect for and devotion to the interests of the common people.—Washington Standard.

The Censorship.

"Edited by the censor," is the opening sentence in an associated press dispatch from Manila, reporting the failure of the native celebration of the administration's offer of amnesty. The Springfield republican asserts that "these words give fair warning that the truth is not being told in its fullness. All newspaper offices understand this and so does every intelligent reader."

The Republican's columns have held a great deal of late that was unfair and carping, but there is reason and justice and good American principle in what it says in condemnation of the continuance of the censorship in the Philippines long after all legitimate reasons have disappeared in support of the practice.

In the United States we tolerate a military or official censorship for one purpose only—to withhold from the enemy information which he might turn against our armies or our navy. Thus the American people cheerfully accept a censorship which withholds from the Chinese information that might be turned against the Pekin relief expedition. But no such valid reason is presented in the case of the Philippine islands. The insurgent armies there are routed, and the forces and authorities of the United States are concerned with the annoying task of dealing with small scattered bands of guerillas, and the important task of pacifying the islands and giving the people a strong and stable government. That being the case, nothing should be withheld from the American people, and the fact that news is withheld excites suspicion that the administration has something it desires to conceal—not from the Filipino army, because there is no Filipino army, but from the political opponents of the administration in the United States. In a

word, the censorship is directed against the American people.

Quo Vadis.

The production of this great play once seen is never to be forgotten, a play in which the audience lives the scenes with the actors, and everything else is forgotten and a keen interest felt.—N. Y. Herald.

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Fortune Telling.

When on the grain was summer's gold
And blue was summer's sky,
We went to have our fortunes told,
A witching maid and I.
The Gypsy sibyl seemed uncouth
And wierd to look upon,
And yet for each of us, in sooth,
A merry tale she spun.

Mine was a kindly horoscope;
I heard my birth above
Had hung the happy star of hope,
The lambent star of love.
The star of love that bringeth bliss,
I learned, still shed its glow.
Much more the sibyl said, but this
Was all I cared to know.

Then into Sylvia's slender hand
I saw the Gypsy peer,
And words I longed to understand
Were whispered in her ear;
While on her cheek a blush had birth
That spread in rosy fire,
As when the winter-wakened earth
Feels spring's divine desire.

We left behind the Gypsy old,
And 'neath a dusky pine
Again was that fair story told
That ended: "Sweet, be mine!"
Then Sylvia, the roguish-eyed,
Laughed in her winning way;
"That's what," triumphantly she cried,
"The Gypsy said you'd say!"
—Harper's Bazar.

Stealing Freedom's Banner.

The impudence and effrontery of the leaders of the party of empire in appropriating the American flag, which derives all its symbolism from the upholding of the sacred principles which these exponents and advocates of imperialism most condemn and repudiate, is of a verity stealing the livery of heaven to serve the devil in.

Animadverting upon this impudent monopoly of the emblem of freedom and equality by these apers of monarchy and followers of Hanna, the Chicago Chronicle says: "From McKinley down, the crators of the republican party have deemed it sufficient to wave the old flag as an answer to any indictment that is brought against the organization. They now propose to repeat the performance of four years ago and degrade the stars and stripes to the position of a McKinley and Roosevelt campaign emblem. The banners which did service in 1896 are to be resurrected and Mr. Roosevelt's portrait substituted for that of Mr. Hobart. Smaller flags will be manufactured bearing the pictures of the republican candidates. Badges and buttons will be manufactured coupling the national ensign with likenesses of the men nominated at Philadelphia."

The intelligence of the country is once more to be insulted by the impudent assertion that the republican party is the divinely constituted guardian of the flag. There is, unfortunately, no statutory method of rebuking the false pretense. Nevertheless the voters can reach them if the law can not.

The insolence of the party of empire in appropriating the American flag, the banner of the republic, for campaign purposes—employing it as the battle flag of swollen monopolists and the gonfalon of the trusts—can be and ought to be rebuked at the polls.—Kansas City Times.

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SIX LARGEST CITIES.

St. Louis is Fourth in the List,
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The race of the last decade between the Mound city and the Hub has been decided and the former leads by several lengths.

Last time they were only heads apart—some 3000 or more—and there was some uneasiness this year as to the census returns; but it's all over, and St. Louis wins.

The returns from Boston were made public Tuesday night, as follows: Total population, 560,892, against 448,477 in 1890, an increase of 112,415, or 25.07 per cent.

Baltimore, the only other possible competitor for fourth position in the roll of American cities, also has been heard from, and again takes her place after Boston.

This time Baltimore shows a population of 508,957, as against 434,439 in 1890, an increase of 74,518, or 17.15 per cent.

The six leading cities of the country are as follows:

New York.....	3,437,202
Chicago.....	1,698,585
Philadelphia.....	1,293,697
St. Louis.....	575,238
Boston.....	560,892
Baltimore.....	508,957

Brooklyn, which was third in the list, has been absorbed by New York since the last census.

The returns of the city of San Francisco were given out Tuesday. According to the official count the twelfth census shows a population of 342,782; in 1890 the population was 298,997.

These figures show, for the city as a whole, an increase in population of 43,785, or 14.64 per cent, from 1890 to 1900.

The population in 1880 was 233,959, showing an increase of 65,038, or 27.80 per cent, from 1880 to 1890.

All for the Republic.

Mr. Stevenson's nomination for vice president by the populist party in the place of Charles A. Towne of Minnesota gives additional proof of the earnest unity of purpose with which all opponents of republican imperialism are now striving to hold this government true to democratic principles and policies.

It is recognized that the issue is of such importance that all other considerations must be set aside for the time being. Mistakes of internal policy may be corrected after their commission, but the fundamental principles of the government must be held inviolate. The Republic is in danger from the machination of ambitious men who have surrendered their souls to the temptation of empire. A republic once betrayed to empire may not be restored to freedom save through revolution. To prevent the betrayal of the American republic to empire all true Americans must stand together against the imperialists.

This is exactly what those men and those parties are doing who realize the gravity of the crisis now existing in this country. No matter what their differences may be on other questions, they recognize imperialism as containing a deadly menace to American institutions. —St. Louis Republic.

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Major Crofoot Organizes a New Scheme of Gigantic Proportions and Generously Takes In His Printer on the Ground Floor.

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It was the printer with his bill for 2,000 office cards, and he knocked on Major Crofoot's office door in that half hearted way adopted by creditors who feel that they must call and yet have no faith that the bill will be paid.

"Come in, and good morning to you—good morning!" shouted the major as he sprang up and extended his hand and shook so heartily that the caller's hat was nearly jostled off his head. When the shaking had been concluded, he said:

"I have been expecting you up here every day for a week, and if you



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hadn't called today I should have sent a messenger to hunt you up. Did you remember to bring the bill?"

"Yes, sir," replied the printer as he handed it over.

"Good! Let's see. It's for \$4.50, and I pronounce it correct—absolutely correct. There never was a more correct account rendered—never in this commercial world. And now you want a check for it, of course? I must ask you to excuse me that this trifle has run so long, but when a man is dealing in millions he is apt to forget dollars." "That is all right, major," replied the printer as a soft smile stole over his face, and he began wondering why he had ever called the promoter a dead beat.

"Thanks for your confidence—your financial confidence. I like men to have confidence in me. Let me tell you, sir, that the man who puts his trust in Major Crofoot, grand promoter, gigantic originator and tremendous consolidator, loses nothing by it. Here is a bill for \$4.50. It has run for weeks and months. Instead of wearing out the stairs and pounding on my door, you have been content to let time slip along. You felt that your money was safe. You believed that I would pay on presentation. Ah, sir, but I love to witness such exhibitions of confidence—I love to do it! Let us shake hands again."

"I'm in a bit of a hurry this morning," remarked the printer as a doubt suddenly entered his mind and sent a chill up his back.

"Ah, yes, of course you are—of course—and my time is also limited, but do you know what I am going to do? Instead of debating about a bill for \$4.50, I am going to talk to you of thousands and hundreds of thousands and millions. My dear man, you have arrived at an opportune moment. It almost seems as if the hand of Provi-

dence was in it. Having displayed your confidence in the financial integrity of Major Crofoot and arrived at an opportune moment, what follows?"

"You pay the bill for \$4.50," replied the printer.

"It follows, sir—it follows as naturally as night follows day, but with a heap more cash in it—that I take you in on the ground floor. Behold those papers on my desk. I had just ceased to figure when you came in. I had finished the last line of my prospectus. Behold, sir—behold the organization of the Wide World Chicken and Infant Raising company with a capital of \$20,000,000!"

"Major, I called!"

"You called, sir—you called at an opportune moment. By calling you put it in my power to prove my gratitude in something besides words. What is the Wide World Chicken and Infant Raising company? As its name implies, the object is to raise chickens and infants. How, sir, how? Ah, that is Major Crofoot's great discovery, which has enabled him to organize a company on a basis of \$20,000,000. The discovery is not original, but we apply it as it has never been applied before. We incubate chickens, but by the million instead of the score. Take your pencil and figure a little."

"But I came up for my \$4.50," said the printer in ugly tones.

"Take your pencil and figure. Eggs can be bought for 20 cents a dozen. For 2 cents additional one dozen chickens can be produced. Four cents more and you have a dozen spring chickens worth 50 cents apiece at the incubator; total for eggs, incubating and feeding, 30 cents; total for chickens, \$6; clear profit to divide up on every dozen, \$5.70. Can Cripple Creek or the diamond mines beat it? We produce 20,000,000 dozen chickens per year. Figure it out, man, figure it out. Do you want greater dividends than 70 per cent on your capital? If you do?"

"What about this bill?" demanded the printer as he lifted it off the desk and laid it back again.

"If you do," continued the major as he walked about the room with hands crossed under his coattails, "then you shall have it. We incubate infants in

the same machines, with only a thin partition between. We take infants after they are 24 hours old—white, black or any other color and without reference to sex—and we bring them up until they are a year old at so much per week. Terms are strictly cash in advance every Monday morning, and every kid is marked on the right heel with our stamp and can't get lost or mixed up in the shuffle. While we are hatching 1,000,000 dozen eggs we are bringing up 100,000 infants. I put the number at that, but it may be a few dozen more or less. Two dollars a week for 100,000 infants is over \$10,000,000 per year. Call the expense for milk, paregoric and toast \$1,000,000, and what profit do you have left?"

"But I have come here to collect a bill."

"The \$9,000,000 profit on the infants added to the profits on the chickens gives us a dividend of \$1.20 on the dollar, and can you ask for more, sir—can you do it? Why, man, the wealth of Golconda is not in it! The De Beers diamond bonds are waste paper in comparison! And you are to share in it. You are no longer a struggling printer on the seventh floor back, but a millionaire on the first floor front. I take you in. I allot you \$100,000 worth of stock at 30 cents on the dollar, and in two weeks, if you care to sell out, I buy it at par. That's your reward for your confidence in Major Crofoot; that's what comes!"

"But I have no confidence in you!" shouted the creditor. "Pay this bill,

and you can incubate and be hanged and keep all the profits!"

"You have simply to rest easy," continued the major as he began to walk on the man's toes and drive him toward the door. "Just keep quiet for a couple of weeks, until the stock is issued. If anything was said at the present time?"

"What you pushing me for?"

"If anything was said at the present time, some one might cut in on us. Just go right back to your shop!"

"I want that money!"

"—and keep mum, and the stock will be sent to you in due time. That's it—good day—good day. Your confidence in Major Crofoot has brought its reward."

"Look here, major!" shouted the printer as he hammered on the outside of the door. "you are an old dead beat! You—you!"

The bill was shoved under the door against his toes. He picked it up, gave the door three hearty kicks and slowly went down stairs. He realized that he had been taken in on the ground floor. M. QUAD.

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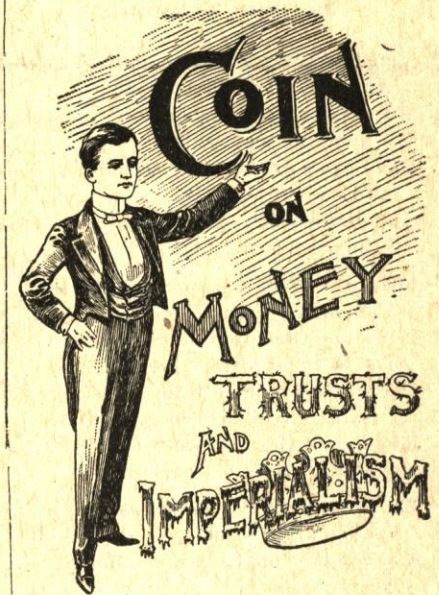
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WASHINGTON LETTER.

(From Our Regular Correspondent.)

WASHINGTON, Aug. 31, 1900.

Mr. McKinley and his cabinet, or rather the five members of it who are in Washington, have been giving a continuous diplomatic performance this week. They have been holding daily sessions—one day they held two sessions—to wrestle with communications from the imperial partners with whom Mr. McKinley has been doing business in China. The contents of those communications have not been made public, but the semi-official news disseminators say they relate to a united agreement for a settlement of questions relating to China, and that the emperor of Germany now stands obstinately in the way of an immediate settlement. That may or may not be true, but there are reasons for the belief that the emperor of Germany, or anybody else, who prevents an agreement that would necessitate a show down of the administration's Chinese hand until after the presidential election would be regarded by Mr. McKinley as an almighty good find.

Washington is entirely in the dark as to what is going on in and around Peking, as no telegrams have come through that were not more than a week old when received and they have contained little that was important.

History teaches that it is the usual thing for nations to do what their rulers had declared they would not do. Perhaps that is why so little attention has been given to the declarations of the diplomats of the allied nations as to the intentions of their respective governments in China. This government was first to declare that it wanted no Chinese territory and that it was opposed to any other nation taking any; that was followed by similar declarations from Germany and Japan, and now Russia has come forward to say that it wants nothing but peace and the preservation of the Chinese empire, and that it stands ready to give up the Chinese territory it recently seized to restore order. These have been official statements publicly made. England is said to agree with them, although no official statement to that effect has been made public and there are some rumors to the contrary. It must be apparent to the observant that if those five governments really hold the sentiments expressed by them, there would be no further talk about a general land grab in China; they have the power to compel a settlement on the lines they wish. That there is continued talk is why it is believed that these official utterances have merely been made for effect—to keep the world in the dark while the plans for cutting up China are perfected.

Representative Davey, of La., was at democratic congressional headquarters this week. He said of the republican claim of La. congressional districts: "The republican national committee were told some time ago that the second and third districts would be republican; also the sixth. I do not understand why all the La. districts were not included in the claim. Personally, I have no doubt about all six of the La. democrats being re-elected. The republicans in La. are united this year, but that will not win them any congressional seats."

The democratic campaign text-book is ready for distribution. It is a very warm book of fifty chapters, seventeen

of which are devoted to imperialism. One chapter is devoted to evidence showing the existence of a secret alliance between the McKinley administration and Great Britain; the Porto Rican legislation, which is described as "imperialism applied," gets several chapters and one of the longest chapters is given up to republican stealing in Cuba. Other chapters show the attitude of the republican party toward trusts; railroad discriminations in favor of trusts, the proposed ship subsidy job, etc. The book is a corker.

Representative Hay, of Va., who is recognized as one of the best friends of the national guard in congress, says in a signed statement on the dangers of militarism: "The republican party advocates a large and permanent standing army and it will insist upon a larger increase in the standing army, should it continue in power. Apart from the immense cost which such a military establishment would entail permanently on the government the effect of its maintenance would be to discourage the formation of national guard organizations, and to sap the military spirit of our people. This large standing army is necessarily a part of the imperial and military system which the present administration is seeking to force upon the country. It is an open secret that the people who are advocating this system desire to use these troops at home as well as abroad, for the suppression of the liberties of the people. The policy of the democratic party is to oppose militarism, and it denounces in its national platform the maintenance of a large standing army."

Representative Gaines, of Tenn., has been looking up Mr. McKinley's inconsistent record on the trust question. He finds that Mr. McKinley declared in a speech in the house, May 18, 1898, that congress had the power to crush home trusts. Mr. Gaines also asks very pertinently why Mr. McKinley has done nothing toward crushing the trusts since he became president, and why he should be a trust follower instead of a party leader? Mr. McKinley has been inconsistent on almost every important public question. He can't help it. By nature he is a wobbler.

Defeat and Victory.

The great potlatch of the representative people of the state of Washington—where many untoward things were given and taken—is at an end, and the world has lain down to rest after its labor. Everything came out all right—there is no doubt. All the means justified all the ends resorted to,—there is no doubt. The thought that all brave men entertain in going into battle is, that for one side or another, grim defeat sits by the roadside and waits. But each man believes and trusts that the spectre is not for him, and both alike thank their own particular kind of deity that in its all-wisdom the finale of the contest is hidden till the last. In the democratic contest in the state of Washington the conditions of the game were not changed. Victory came, and also came defeat. Let there be arnica brought for the soreness of those who were bruised in battle, and balm of Gilead for the feelings of those that suffered defeat. Let the west winds blow upon them and renew the hope of all such as are bowed in spirit. The day of gnashing of teeth is past and we are all now democrats.—Seattle Mail.

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STATE PRESS OPINION

The Wilson-McGraw gang are in the saddle once again and from now on will use spurs.—Ellensburg Dawn.

§ § §

We don't hear much from the republican spellbinders about "hauling down the flag" in the American Porcupine mining district of Alaska which John Hay has surrendered to England.—Aberedeen Herald.

§ § §

Death has claimed Collis P. Huntington, and his millions, accumulated by methods that, to say the least, were questionable, are left behind him and will be used to corrupt legislation and crush the poor. Truly can it be said "The evil that men do live after them."—Tacoma Sun.

§ § §

King county fared better than it anticipated or would have received had the anti-Rogers forces controlled the situation. It has five places on the state ticket: Congressman, two supreme court judges, superintendent of instruction and one elector. Not so bad for a county which never knew when to get right, eh?—Seattle Review.

§ § §

A vivid example of trustism, such as has originated and flourished under republican rule, was given the people of Shelton the other day, when the agent of the spool-cotton thread trust visited our merchants and forbade them any longer to sell six spools for 25 cents. The trust will not sell thread to dealers except by agreement to retail it at five cents straight. So if you buy a hundred spools you pay a hundred nickles for it.—Shelton Tribune.

§ § §

The alienation from the republican party or the absolute repudiation of its national ticket by such men as Ex-Speaker Reed, Senator Wellington, of Maryland, Ex-Representative Henry U. Johnson, of Indiana, Webster Davis, of McKinley's cabinet, Ex-Governor Boutwell of Massachusetts, and Edwin L. Godkin, of the New York Evening Post, evidently means much toward democratic success. Such a defection from the ranks of the republican party of its eminent thinkers and former leaders argues that there is something rotten in the state of Denmark.—Chehalis Advocate.

Gems From Bryan's Speech of Acceptance.

"The democratic party is in favor of the expansion of trade. It would extend our trade by every legitimate and peaceful means; but it is not willing to make merchandise of human blood."

"Destiny is the subterfuge of the invertebrate, who, lacking the courage to oppose error, seeks some plausible excuse for supporting it."

Forcible Christianity, if planted under American flag in the faraway orient, will sooner or later be transplanted upon American soil. If true Christianity consists in carrying out in our daily lives the teachings of Christ, who will say that we are commanded to civilize with dynamite and proselyte with the sword?"

"If it were possible to obliterate every word written or spoken in defense of the Declaration of Independence, a war

of conquest would still leave its legacy of perpetual hatred, for it was God himself who placed in every human heart the love of liberty."

"Sympathy for the Boers does not arise from any unfriendliness toward England. This sympathy is due to the fact that we believe in the principle of self-government and reject, as did our forefathers, the claims of monarchy."

"Who will draw a line between the natural rights of the Cubans and the Filipinos? Who will say that the former have a right to liberty and the latter have no rights which we are bound to respect?"

"The government which relies for its defense upon its citizens is more likely to be just than one which has at call a large body of professional soldiers."

"In a monarchy the king gives to the people what he believes to be a good government; in a republic the people secure for themselves what they believe to be a good government. The republican party has accepted the European idea and planted itself upon the ground taken by George III, and by every ruler who distrusts the capacity of the people for self-government, or denies them a voice in their own affairs."

"It is not necessary to own a people in order to trade with them."

"The command, 'go ye in all the world to preach the gospel,' has no Gatling gun attachment."

Politics and Prosperity.

Republican Committeeman Manley launches the big figures of this country's exports for the last four years as a campaign document in favor of the reelection of McKinley.

This means, if "logic is logic," that if Mr. Bryan should be elected either our farmers would stop sowing and reaping and providence would stop sending the rain and the sunshine, or that Europe would go hungry. It means that our miners would stop delving and our oil wells stop flowing, or that the foreign home supply of these products would in some miraculous way be suddenly increased to stop our exports if Mark Hanna and McKinley are not given another term.

"Joe" Manley and all others concerned in vote-getting ought to remember that the American people are not destitute of common knowledge and common sense. The man with the hoe and the men with the pick, the drill, the axe and the hammer do a thousand times more for the nation's prosperity than all the politicians put together.—N. Y. World.

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LOCAL HAPPENINGS

The Yakima National bank front was adorned this week by a fresh coat of paint.

The hotels of this city have been almost overrun with transient travel this week.

The Christian Endeavor Society of the Presbyterian church was entertained on Tuesday evening at the parsonage by Rev. and Mrs. Condit.

Regular communication of Syringa Chapter No. 38, O. E. S., Saturday evening, Sept. 8th, at 7:30 sharp. All members please take notice.

On account of the conference meetings of the Methodist church there will be no services at the Presbyterian church next Sunday. An exception will be made with respect to the Sunday school which will be held as usual.

C. H. Bartlett & Co. have shipped from Yakima during the months of July and August 129 cars of hay and have now on hand several hundred tons more which they desire to ship as soon as they can procure the necessary cars.

Auditor Kelso has issued the following marriage licenses: On Monday to Amos Darnelle and Mrs. Susan E. Crane. On Wednesday to Alex D. Sloan and Mrs. Clara Jean Ellis, A. J. Handley and Miss Cora M. Pointer, R. J. Hickok and Miss Leona Dunbar.

Manager Fournier of Larson's theater has had a force of men engaged this week in making some minor improvements in the handsome new play house. The aisles have been carpeted and several changes made about the stage. Mr. Fournier intends moving his family here from Spokane just as soon as he can obtain a residence.

C. H. Bartlett and Walter Gervais on Wednesday purchased from W. L. Steinweg three lots on Natchez avenue, the consideration being \$1500. These gentlemen purpose constructing residences on the property. Mr. Bartlett will begin the construction of his building at once, as he has found it quite impossible to rent a suitable house in town.

There should be no vacant seats at Larson's theater next Tuesday night when "Quo Vadis" will be the attraction. The moral lesson taught by "Quo Vadis" is an excellent one, the downfall of paganism and the substitution of the cross for pagan antiquity is a hypothesis once seen never to be forgotten. The company present the play in a capable manner.

The "Natchez" meat market located in one of the new Current buildings on South Second street opened up for business on Thursday morning. The proprietors of the new establishment are Messrs. Phirman and Miller, the former hailing from The Dalles and the latter from Goldendale. These gentlemen come to this city well recommended as good business men and we bespeak for them a fair share of the public patronage. Their announcement will be found in another column.

A rear end collision between two freight trains occurred in the Northern Pacific yards in this city Saturday night in which a caboose and two flat cars were badly demolished. The accident happened some time after midnight. A freight train had arrived from the east and was standing on the main track,

when a second freight, going in the same direction, ran into, and made kindling wood out of one end of the caboose, threw two flat cars from their trucks and otherwise demolished them.

The merry-go-round men who have been doing a lively business on Second street, pulled up stakes on Monday and moved their whirling arrangement outside the city limits. They complained bitterly about the hardship they were subjected to in the matter of a city license, having been compelled to pay \$15 per day, while the amount exacted from them at Ellensburg they say was but \$2 per day. A good many citizens think that the city-dads ought in the interest of justice and sound finance reduce the present fee by about one half.

A young Indian who worked at odd times for L. B. Rinehart and was allowed to sleep in that gentleman's barn in the rear of Coffin Bros. store, skipped out on Saturday night taking with him a fine bred young mare of Mr. Rinehart's, as well as the necessary saddle, bridle and spurs, which the young rascal secured by breaking open the locker door. Mr. Rinehart now has the officers on the lookout for the thief. He is believed to have gone to Wenatchee.

Mrs. Rinehart of the Wonder has been fortunate to secure the services of Miss Eugenia Beaudry of Chicago, who comes to this city highly recommended as an artist in fashionable millinery. Mrs. Rinehart wishes to inform the ladies of North Yakima that she considers herself fortunate in securing Miss Beaudry's services, who was acknowledged to be one of the most skillful trimmers in St. Paul and Chicago.

The North Yakima Furniture Co. have been fortunate in securing the services of Mr. Fred E. Shaw a scientific upholsterer from Portland. Mr. Shaw will in all probability become a fixture with the firm and as he is an adept in his line of work those needing upholstering work done will do well to embrace this opportunity. An old lounge or settee can often be made to look nearly as good as new if taken in time.

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L. A. HAMMOND.

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A Great Truth.

"I wouldn't do your kind of work even if I could," said Rubberfoot Bill, the sandbagger. "This here thing of gettin a man's confidence an then throwin him down is too low for me." "It ain't me they have the confidence in," explained Greengoods George. "It is theirselves they are so sure of. See?"
—Indianapolis Journal.

In Size.

Willie Good—Pa, our teacher says that "collect" and "congregate" mean the same thing.
Rev. Good—Well, you tell your teacher that you have information that there is considerable difference between a congregation and a collection.
—Baltimore American.

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John Milton's Portrait.

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Told on Kentucky Legislators.

A member of the late legislature from southern Kentucky was invited one evening to participate in a Welsh rabbit lunch at the Capitol hotel. Diking himself out, he awaited the hour. With that prince of good fellows, Tutt Burman, he walked into the dining room, where coffee and rabbits were served standing. After partaking of one or two and a cup of coffee, he remarked to Tutt: "This is no rabbit. It's nothing but fried cheese and light bread." It is useless to say that member never attended any more lunches.

On another occasion the assembly balls or germans, which were given every Tuesday night, attracted the attention of a mountain member, and he asked, "Whar are all them people goin that are goin up stairs?" Some one remarked up to the german. "The— you say. Do they let the Dutch dance here?"—Owenton (Kv.) News.

Where They Marry to Kill Time.

One strange feature of Australia social life is the perfectly casual way in which men marry for no ostensible purpose except the purpose of vanishing wearily around the corner immediately after the ceremony. In a Sydney case now on hand the husband, it is alleged, married in 1894 and shortly afterward made his tired, indifferent exit around the corner and never came back. In 1896 he married again and immediately faded away up the street. He never lived with his second wife. When he was arrested on a charge of aggravated harassment, he offered no explanation whatever. Apparently he only did it because a fellow must do something.—Sydney Bulletin.

A French Way to Cure Baldness.

A French surgeon announces a novel cure for baldness, which, however, is only within the reach of the wealthy. The first thing is to find some poor, starving wretch with a fine head of hair of the color which the patient desires. The former having consented to part with his hair for a stipulated sum, the doctor scalps the pair delicately and applies the hairy scalp of the subject to the bald client, and vice versa. With luck the graft is said to be a success.—

Another Mystery.

"The study of the occult sciences interests me very much," remarked the new boarder. "I love to explore the dark depths of the mysterious, to delve into the regions of the unknown, to fathom the unfathomable, as it were, and to"—

"May I help you to some of the hash, professor?" interrupted the landlady.

And the good woman never knew why the other boarders smiled audibly.—Chicago News.

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Chickens, per lb	7c
Turkeys, live	10c

GRAIN.

Wheat, Blue stem	49
Wheat, club	46
Oats, per ton	\$19 00
Barley, per ton	.....	\$14 00
Corn, per bu	.....	56
Flour, Puritan, per sack	.....	95
Blue Bell, per sack	.....	90
Flour, 3x Baker, per sack	.....	80
Whole wheat flour	.....	95
Hay, Timothy, baled, per ton	.....	\$12 30
Hay, Alfalfa, baled, per ton	.....	\$7 00
Hay, Clover, baled, per ton	.....	\$9 00

PRODUCE.

Butter, ranch, per roll	.....	45c
Butter, creamery, per roll	.....	55c
Cheese, native	.....	15c
Eggs, per doz	.....	20c
Wool, per lb	.....	8@11c
Hops	9@10 1/2c
Apples, per box	40@50
Potatoes, per ton	\$10
Peaches, per box	25@50
Plums	20@25c
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Pears	40@50c
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PERSONAL MENTION

Nick McCoy is home again from Oregon.

W. J. Reed was an Ellensburg visitor on Thursday.

G. H. Moulton left for Spokane the first of the week.

Mr. and Mrs. F. M. Spain are Sound visitors this week.

W. N. Granger was in the city from Zillah on Tuesday.

W. A. Privett, of Ellensburg, has been in the city this week.

Judge Erwin left again for the Klondike country on Wednesday.

Wm. McMillan of Ellensburg spent Sunday with friends in this city.

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Cox returned home to Medical Lake on Saturday.

O. V. Carpenter and son were Puget Sound visitors during the past week.

S. J. Lowe and Wm. Steward left Monday for a trip up Bumping lake.

Lee Cody and party returned home on Sunday from their trip to Mt. Adams.

Mrs. A. L. Dilley is entertaining her sister, Miss Maud Dustin, of Goldendale.

H. L. Tucker and family came in on the morning train Tuesday from Spokane.

J. F. Parsons left Tuesday for Baker City, Ore., to inspect some mining properties.

Mrs. J. W. Thomas and son Reed are home from Spokane where they spent the summer.

Miss Elizabeth Pryor left Tuesday morning for Ellensburg where she will enter the normal school.

Guy Grafton made a flying trip to Chehalis on Wednesday for the purpose of closing a big hop deal.

Miss Nellie Rogers left for Prosser on Sunday to begin her new term of teaching in the city schools of that place.

Mrs. A. B. Ross and child arrived on Wednesday afternoon from Shanghai, China, for a visit of several months with relatives.

Mrs. John Ditter and Mrs. Frank Nagler and children are home from Port Townsend, where they spent the hot weather.

James Baird ex-county auditor at Ellensburg, was in town on Wednesday. Mr. Baird has recently returned from the Klondike.

Fair Commissioners Matt Bartholet and F. D. Schnebly were down from the "burg" on Wednesday to attend the meeting of the board.

H. J. Snively returned home on Tuesday morning from Seattle where he remained over after the convention to look after business matters.

Deputy Marshal Dilley accompanied by R. A. Grant, took four federal prisoners to Spokane on Monday to stand trial on the charge of bootlegging.

Editor Lotz, of the Shelton Tribune, was in the city the first of the week to visit his brother-in-law, David Longmire, who is ill at the hospital.

Frank Bartholet arrived home on Saturday morning from San Francisco, where he left his wife and young son

who will remain to make a visit of several weeks with the lady's sister. Mr. Bartholet says that he enjoyed the sea trip immensely.

Messrs. Lund, Strobach, Garrett and Medill returned on Saturday morning from the democratic state convention at Seattle.

David Longmire, the well known pioneer of the Wenas, who is at the hospital undergoing treatment for typhoid fever is reported to be convalescing.

Mrs. E. S. Yeates and daughters, Mrs. T. W. Davidson and Miss Belle Yeates, returned this week from Seattle, where they have been visiting for several weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Vessey returned home on Wednesday from Portland. They concluded not to extend their visit to California as they originally intended.

Prof. Plumb, A. E. Howard and F. H. Marble brought their families home on Sunday from the upper Natchez where they had been in camp for the past six weeks.

Mrs. C. W. Brown and two sons arrived in this city Friday afternoon of last week from Boston, and will visit with the lady's parents, Mr. and Mrs. James Lemon, for an indefinite period.

John Lynch was in town the first of the week from the Cle Elum mining district. He reports that the tunnel that he has been engaged in driving on the "Lynch group" during the past year is now in about 300 feet.

A. H. Wilgus made a flying trip over from the Sound the first of the week to look after some business matters. Mrs. Wilgus and children will return soon to Yakima, as they are not much enamored with the Sound country.

Mrs. C. D. Murane was in the city Tuesday greeting old friends. She arrived on No. 3 in the morning from Austin, Minn., and left in the afternoon for Seattle, from which port she will sail for Alaska to join her husband.

E. W. R. Taylor and family have returned from a pleasant week spent in camping out on the south fork of the Abtatum. Mr. Taylor vouches for the fact that he caught a trout in that stream that measured 18 inches in length.

Mrs. Foster and daughter, Miss Anna, who have been living in Seattle for several months, returned on Thursday to again take up their residence here. Mr. Foster, it will be remembered, died at the soldiers' home a few weeks ago.

Albert Pitman the young man who has been running a sale stable in the rear of Coffin Bros. store, and who has been quite ill recently, was taken back to his home at Umatilla, Ore., by his father, who came after him the first part of the week.

S. C. Henton accompanied by his family came over from Cohasset beach on Monday. Mr. Henton who has been in the Klondike country for nearly three years was warmly welcomed by his many friends on his arrival. He contemplates returning to Dawson during the coming winter.

Hon. D. W. Sloan of Cumberland, Maryland, and Mrs. Agnes Whelan of North Baltimore, Ohio, who were here to attend the marriage of their brother A. D. Sloan on Wednesday, left on the following day with D. Sloan and wife for a visit at the home of the latter in Roslyn.

The Hop Situation.

Hop picking is now the order of the day, the work having commenced in some of the earlier yards the first of the week. By next Monday, however, picking will become general in most of the yards. Some growers fear that there is liable to be a scarcity of pickers as later advices from the Sound indicate that not so many will come as was expected, besides the customary number of Indian pickers are not in evidence.

The growers naturally feel elated at the upward trend in prices and look for a further raise, nearly all being provided with ample funds to harvest the crop they show little disposition to contract at present offerings of 13 and 13½ cents. The only sales that we have heard of this week were 50 bales by Barth and Eglin and 4½ tons by the McPhee brothers at 12½ cents. These contracts were made early in the week.

Don't fail to see Quo Vadis presented at Larson's theatre next Tuesday evening. The company is said to be a good one and carry an ample supply of scenery to exhibit the great drama at its best.

J. C. McCrimmon whose desertion of populism and adhesion to republicanism has lately been announced, has been busily engaged during the past few days in making a poll of this city for the use of the republican campaign committee. Mr. McCrimmon justifies his recent change of front with the argument that it don't pay a man in these degenerate days to be a reformer.

Only a small crowd turned out at the meeting of the local republican club on Tuesday evening. The orators of the occasion were N. S. Brand and Will Thompson. The latter is said to have established a reputation as a spellbinder in his maiden speech.

The 17 year old son of Robt. Kershaw sr., of the Natchez, has been seriously ill for some time, but is now believed to be improving.

The fusion central committees of this county will meet today to organize and select a campaign committee.

Three coaches of hop pickers arrived on the train from the west on Thursday afternoon.

Thomas Lund has had men at work this week in beautifying the interior of his popular resort, The Alfalfa.

What the People Say.

WASHINGTON MEDICAL DISPENSARY:—Gentlemen:—No words of mine can express the gratitude I owe you for saving me from worse than a living death. I had suffered from rheumatism for four years and have tried doctors and medicine without end. I could not use my right shoulder for over eight months and my joints were all so stiff and swollen that I could hardly walk. I had almost given up in despair when I was advised to try your new and original treatment. You can imagine how I feel now. After two weeks of your treatment I now have the entire use of my right arm; the stiffness and swelling is out of my joints and I feel like a new man. I have been working daily for over two weeks and can truthfully say that I am a cured man. Your system of treatment is a boon to suffering humanity. I can be seen at Snively's ranch one mile west of town at any time. Yours, N. A. NELSON.

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Ordinance No. 298.

An Ordinance to amend sections 1 and 10 of Ordinance No. 265 entitled, "An Ordinance relating to licenses," approved April 5, 1898.

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

SECTION 1. That section 1 of Ordinance No. 265 entitled, "An Ordinance relating to licenses," approved April 5, 1898, is hereby amended to read as follows: "Section 1. That it shall be unlawful for any person, or the officers and employees of any firm, corporation or company to engage in, prosecute or carry on any business, trade, profession or occupation within the corporate limits of the City of North Yakima, for which a license is required without having first procured a license therefor as hereafter provided; and any person and the officers and employees of any firm, corporation or company who shall violate any of the provisions of this Ordinance shall be deemed guilty of a misdemeanor, and upon conviction thereof shall be fined not less than five dollars nor more than three hundred dollars for each offense."

SEC. 2. That section 10 of Ordinance No. 265 entitled, "An Ordinance relating to licenses," approved April 5, 1898, be amended to read as follows: "Section 10. The license fee for each riding gallery commonly called a merry-go-round shall be fifteen dollars per day; provided however that if a license for such riding gallery or merry-go-round is taken out for ten days or more, the license fee therefor shall be ten dollars per day."

SEC. 3. This Ordinance shall be in force and effect from and after five days after its passage and publication.

Passed the council the 3rd day of September, 1900; approved the 4th day of September, 1900. GEO. S. HOUGH, Attest—H. B. DOUST, Acting Mayor.

[SEAL] City Clerk.

Call for Warrants—General Fund.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT the undersigned city treasurer of the city of North Yakima, Washington, will pay on demand, all warrants drawn on the general fund of said city up to and including No. 488, dated January 18th, 1898; that interest will cease on said warrants on the 12th day of September, 1900.

Dated Sept 3, 1900. A. E. Howard, City treasurer of the City of North Yakima, Washington.

Proposed Amendment to the Constitution.

STATE OF WASHINGTON, OFFICE OF THE SECRETARY OF STATE, OLYMPIA.

To Whom it May Concern: In obedience to an act of the legislature approved March 13, 1899, entitled as follows: "An act providing for the constitutional amendment conferring power upon the legislature to exempt certain property from taxation," there is herewith published for the consideration of the voters of the state of Washington the following proposed amendment to the constitution of said state:

"SECTION 1. It is proposed to amend section (2) two of article seven (7) of the constitution of the State of Washington by adding thereto the following proviso:

"And provided further, That the legislature shall have power, by appropriate legislation, to exempt personal property to the amount of three hundred (\$300.00) dollars for each head of a family liable to assessment and taxation under the provisions of the laws of this state, of which the individual is the actual and bona fide owner."

"SECTION 2. That at the general election to be held in November, 1900, the amendment hereinbefore mentioned in section 1 shall be submitted to the qualified electors of the State of Washington for their approval, and there shall be printed on each of the ballots provided for said election the words 'For proposed amendment to section 2 of article 7 of the constitution in relation to taxation.' 'Against the proposed amendment to section 2 of article 7 of the constitution in relation to taxation.'"

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed the seal of the State of Washington, at Olympia, this twentieth day of July, Nineteen Hundred.

WILL D. JENKINS, Secretary of State for the State of Washington.

At said election each elector desiring to vote in favor of the adoption of said proposed amendment should place an X upon his ballot opposite the words "For the proposed amendment to section 2 article 7 of the constitution, in relation to taxation." Each elector desiring to vote against the adoption of said proposed amendment should place upon his ballot an X opposite the words "Against the proposed amendment to section 2 of article 7 of the constitution, in relation to taxation."

WILL D. JENKINS, Secretary of State.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS.

IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF William Rowe, deceased. Notice is hereby given by the undersigned administrator with the will annexed of the estate of William Rowe, deceased, to the creditors of and all persons having claims against said deceased, to present them with the necessary vouchers within one year after the date of this notice to said administrator at his office in the City of North Yakima, Washington.

Dated August 25th, 1900. B. L. BAKER, Administrator with the will annexed of William Rowe, deceased. aug25sep15

NEWS OF THE WEEK

Queen City Business Men Coming. City Council Meets.

Imperialism at Cape Nome—The Sloan-Ellis Marriage—Court and Miscellaneous News.

At the meeting of the governing board of the commercial club on Saturday evening a communication was read from the Seattle chamber of commerce to the effect that a party of 50 or more business men of that city contemplated visiting this city in a body at an early day for the purpose of looking over this valley and viewing its products.

The proposition was received with much enthusiasm by the members of the local organization and a motion was passed to invite the gentlemen to come at their earliest convenience and share the hospitality and partake of the many good things which Yakima has to offer just at this particular season of the year.

A motion was passed for the appointment by the chair of an executive committee consisting of five members of the club, who are expected to take sole charge of the arrangements to entertain the visitors. Chairman Horsley named as such committee Messrs. Larson, Miller, Hall, Fechter and Donald.

A telegram received on Tuesday announced that the visitors would arrive about 50 strong on Sunday afternoon. The program of the committee for their entertainment consists principally of drives through the irrigated sections adjacent to the town and a "smoker" at the club rooms on Monday evening where a marvelous display of Yakima's fruits and other products will be placed on exhibition.

The party will return to Seattle on Tuesday.

The Council Meets.

Councilmen Hough, Keck, Reed, Taylor and Shaw transacted the business at the session of the city council Monday evening. In the absence of Mayor Redman Councilman Hough presided.

The ordinance requiring certificates from physicians in case of deaths before a permit could be issued for interment in Tahoma cemetery, passed at the last meeting of the council, was returned by the mayor without his signature. His honor thought this a proper matter for state legislation, inasmuch as a great many of the cemetery lot owners were residents of the country and often deaths occurred where no physician was in attendance; if the state law was defective, the legislature was the place to seek relief—not the city council. The matter was laid over until next regular meeting.

The committee to which the Selah avenue opening was referred, handed in a report which was laid on the table.

Ordinance No. 265 was amended so as to reduce the merry-go-round license to \$15 per day provided that a license is taken out for less than ten days; if for more than ten days, the license is fixed at \$10 per day.

A resolution was adopted regulating the construction of sidewalks on the west side of Second street.

A committee consisting of Sinclair, Keck and Reed was appointed to confer with property owners along Yakima

avenue regarding the formation of a drainage district.

Officers' monthly reports were accepted and a big batch of bills acted upon, after which the council adjourned.

Imperialism at Nome.

J. E. Merwin and others who have recently returned from Cape Nome are unanimously of the opinion that imperialism is about as much in evidence at Cape Nome as in the Philippines or any other place.

They say that a poor man's rights do not count there when weighed against the desires of the rich. A few wealthy men there they say, prominent among whom is Charles D. Lane, the California millionaire, have hogged practically the whole country presumed to contain mineral wealth, some of these men unlawfully holding several hundred claims each, which they obtained by the most glaring fraud. Still they are protected by the strong hand of the U. S. government and on every occasion when the poor prospector's interests conflicted with those of the rich men the former invariably got the worst of the deal and if the poor devil offered to make trouble in defense of his rights he was promptly arrested and thrown into the guard house by the soldiers.

Imperial government was so much in evidence in fact that it completely disgusted many of the prospectors who were republican in politics and converted them to democracy, among this class being Mr. Merwin himself who wants no more Hannaism in his and is free to say so. Dale Thorp says a straw vote on president was taken on the boat coming down, which resulted in 40 for McKinley to 300 and some odd for Bryan, a great many of those voting for the latter candidate stating that they had always been republicans, but henceforth would never affiliate with that party again.

Joined in Matrimony.

Mr. Alex D. Sloan and Mrs. Clara Ellis were quietly married at the residence of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. K. Sinclair, on Natchez avenue, at 8 o'clock on Wednesday evening.

The ceremony was performed by Rev. J. H. Condit, pastor of the Presbyterian church, in the presence of the relatives of the happy couple and a few personal friends.

After the ceremony the party sat down to an elegant repast after which the evening was spent in a most agreeable manner. The list of presents received embraced a number of articles of great value.

The newly wedded couple have taken up their residence on North Third street.

Those present were Mr. and Mrs. H. K. Sinclair, Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Sinclair, Dr. and Mrs. Geo. W. Sloan of Roslyn, Hon. D. W. Sloan of Cumberland, Maryland, Mrs. Agnes Whelan of Baltimore, Rev. and Mrs. J. H. Condit and Dr. R. N. Gorden of this city.

New Suits Filed.

The following new suits were filed this week with Clerk Allen of the superior court:

N. L. Burton vs. Yakima county and W. B. Dudley, treasurer—tax adjustment.

K. W. Dunlop vs. Jno. W. Thomas, E. O. Keck and J. B. Braden—action to set aside conveyance.

Mary V. Lape and L. D. Lape vs. Kate Brown, D. S. Sprinkle and Nellie E. Sprinkle—ejectment.

"QUO VADIS."

North Yakima to Witness a Production of this Great Play.

The first complete scenic production ever offered to a Yakima audience, will be the initial production of the dramatization of Sienkiewicz's famous novel. Mr. Sheridan Jenkins, the scenic artist of the Third Avenue theatre was engaged for over two months painting the scenery and those who have witnessed it claim that it is superior to any ever painted for this masterful production. The scenery will not only be on a scale of grandeur never equaled by any traveling attraction, but the company will be a phenomenal one, embracing leading actors and actresses from five distinct companies especially selected for this play.

Larson's theatre will doubtless be crowded to witness this production when it appears here next Tuesday.

Have your eyes tested free by DR. ARNOLD at the WASHINGTON MEDICAL DISPENSARY.

For all kinds of horse feed go to the Yakima Mill company's store.

The Studebaker Goods.

I have just received a new carload of the world famous STUDEBAKER buggies and hacks. If you need a buggy, hack or phaeton don't fail to examine the merits of the STUDEBAKER. This well known company has a reputation to sustain and consequently their goods represent thorough and honest workmanship. A STUDEBAKER buggy therefore will look well and render good service when buggies of an inferior make are worn out and gone to rack. It is always a pleasure to show my goods. Call and examine them. I do all kinds of wagon and buggy repairing at my shop, corner of Front and Chestnut streets. North Yakima. One block south of depot.

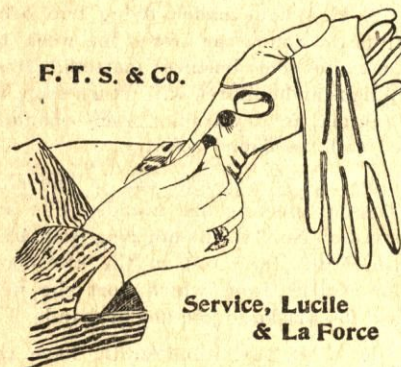
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Reduced Rates to Portland.

The Northern Pacific railway company will sell tickets to the Portland fair on Sept. 9, only, tickets good for either trains Nos. 1 or 3 to Portland and return at rate of \$9 for round trip. Tickets to be limited for return trip leaving Portland not later than train No. 4 of Sept. 12th.

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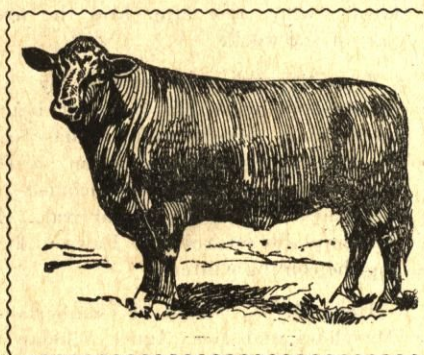
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We have opened the "Natchez Market" on South Second St., and it will be our aim to buy and sell first class meats of all kinds at

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We treat all customers alike, and strive to please all who come to see us. A trial order will convince you that we mean what we say, and that our prices are as low as possible.

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