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### CITIZENS' TICKET NAMED.

Mass-Meeting at City Hall Tuesday Evening Places a Ticket in the Field for the City Election.

A mass meeting of citizens of North Yakima was held at the city hall Tuesday evening and placed in nomination a full ticket to be voted upon at the city election which is to be held Tuesday Dec. 2.

F. C. Hall was chosen chairman of the mass meeting and G. S. Courter secretary. W. A. Lee was named for assistant secretary.

The convention soon got down to business and but little time was wasted. A. J. Shaw was nominated unanimously for the office of mayor, no other name being presented.

E. O. Keck was nominated by acclamation to succeed himself as councilman-at-large.

The names of councilman Aikins and R. N. Harrison were presented for the office of councilman from the first ward. Mr. Harrison withdrew his name and Mr. Aikins was named by acclamation.

For councilman from the second ward to succeed A. J. Shaw, Thomas Fisher was nominated by acclamation.

For councilman from the third ward W. B. Holden, A. F. Switzer, S. O. Ewing and Chas. Krause were placed in nomination. Mr. Krause, however, withdrew. A ballot was taken with the following result: Holden 31, Switzer 36, Ewing 4 Krause 3. Mr. Switzer was declared the nominee. This was the only office on which there was a contest.

For the office of city attorney, Vestal Snyder was nominated by acclamation to be his own successor.

For city clerk H. B. Doust was likewise nominated to succeed himself, as was also Charles R. Donovan who for the past year has very acceptably filled the office of city treasurer. Dr. P. Frank was also re-nominated for the office of city health officer.

On motion the chairman and secretary were instructed to file the ticket nominated as "The Citizens Ticket." Those officials were also given authority to fill any vacancies that might occur. The mass convention then adjourned.

### Every Democrat's Plain Duty.

In view of all this it is the plain duty of every democrat to gird himself, keep alive his zeal and increase his determination for victory as never before. What may come to pass in the coming two years is now shrouded in uncertainty, but the prospects for democratic success are bright and promising. The tide of popular disapproval has set against the party in power. The people are resolved that a curb shall be put on monopoly, a check upon class favoritism. They have grown weary under a tariff that yields its heaviest bounties in profits taken from their own pockets upon the pretense of protecting industries that are gigantic enough to embrace the world and underbid all competitors in foreign markets. They will no longer support a trade policy that creates and enriches trusts, combinations and, while increasing wages by dimes, enhances the cost of living by dollars. From now until the next election, therefore, it is the duty of every democrat to make straight the paths of national policy and legislation—the straightness that is found only in fundamental democratic principles—and invite the masses to find refuge in these from either peaceful robberies or the wreckage and ruin of a republican panic.—Sumner Herald.

### Hugh Political Joke.

Wilson's pretense that he is still in the senatorial contest is developing into a hugh political joke. He is cruising around the state, trying to drum up a corporal's guard of dull witted followers, with the evident intention of putting them in a corral at Olympia and using them for trading purposes. These he hopes to deliver to the senatorial candidate who will give him the largest consideration.

It is beyond comprehension that even a corporal's guard could be found willing to lend themselves to this undignified undertaking. If Wilson stood as the champion of any principle, or any important measure, it could be understood that here and there a devoted believer in that principle or measure would be willing to ride with him into the last ditch of political disaster. But it is notorious that Wilson stands for nothing but Wilson, and it is incomprehensible that even a handful of deluded fellows can be found who will invite the state's laughter by identifying themselves with his effort to shove in and grab something.—Spokesman-Review.

### "Hello Bill," Nov. 25th.

Farce comedy, in the true sense of the word, does not imply the grotesque, the peroxide soubrette, the flannel-mouthed Irish mope and the rag-time melody, such as is nowadays dished up to a long suffering public and labeled as farcical comedy; farce comedy in the true sense of the term is a comic play in which the fun arises from the humor attached to the lines and situations where the fun is of the honest and spontaneous type, and not dragged in from the burlesque and variety stage. Such a farcical comedy is "Hello Bill," which makes its first appearance at Larson's theater next Tuesday Nov. 25th.

### FOR A RESERVATION CANAL

Irrigation Inspector Code Here to Report on the Proposition.

Mr. W. H. Code, who is irrigation inspector in the Indian service, is in the city and will remain here perhaps for two or three weeks. Mr. Code has come here at the instance of the Interior department to examine into and make a report on the feasibility and estimated expense of constructing a canal through the reservation as recommended by Agent Jay Lynch and Engineer W. H. Redman.

The DEMOCRAT is reliably informed that Mr. Code, who, from long experience, is an expert in irrigation matters, is already thoroughly impressed with the merits of the proposition and will in all probability make a report to Secretary Hitchcock in which he will advise construction of the canal and will point out the many advantages that will accrue as the result of the building of the big ditch.

This proposed reservation canal, if built upon the plans drawn by Engineer Redman, would be 44 feet wide at the bottom and would be designed to irrigate at least 50,000 acres of as fine land as can be found in the Yakima valley. The proposed ditch has its intake at Union Gap and would carry about the same amount of water as does the Sunnyside canal.

The last congress appropriated the sum of \$150,000 for the purpose of constructing irrigation canals on Indian reservations. The greater part of this amount is said to be, as yet, unexpended and Agent Lynch hopes to have a portion of the appropriation set aside for use during the coming year on the Yakima reservation.

Mr. Code has stated, in effect, that this is the most feasible and cheapest proposition on a big scale that he has seen on any of the reservations visited by him.

### Death of Judge Bland.

The venerable Judge William Bland, as the result of sickness incident to old age, died at the residence of his daughter, Mrs. Edward Henderson, on the Ahtanum, last Saturday, Nov. 15. The funeral, which was held Monday, was largely attended.

Judge Bland was born in Indiana in 1825. He crossed the plains to Oregon in 1847. After having lived in the Willamette valley for over twenty years, he moved to this county, settling in the Ahtanum in 1869.

Mr. Bland was one of nature's noblemen, and was highly respected by all who knew him. The deceased leaves a family of six children to mourn the loss of a kind and loving father.

### Nursery Agents.

Traveling nursery agents seem to be working our farmers this season, each one having some special humbug. All I have seen are selling budded apple trees on common seedling or French crab seedling stock. These trees are likely to live until we have a test winter when the root, being tender, will kill and leave a hardy top without a root. A farmer should know that the tree is budded above ground and unless planted very deep cannot root above the bud so as to have a root as hardy as the top, without which it must go to the brush heap the first winter that the ground is bare and the temperature falls to 40 degrees. Another trick is to have some fine story; one sells peaches on black walnut roots so they are hardy. Another says the heart of the tree is the life of it and if grafted it soon dies. He also says budding does not break the heart connection, therefore his trees are long lived. Another has grapes grafted on wild grape roots, making the top hardy so that layers from these are as hardy in root and top as the wild grapes.—The Ranch.

### Death From Morphine.

Mrs. Laura Brower, wife of J. T. Brower, died Monday evening about 7.30, from the effects of an over dose of morphine. It is said that Mrs. Brower had been in the habit of using the drug when attacked with severe headache and neuralgia. During a severe sick spell Monday morning she took what proved to be a fatal dose. Medical aid was summoned and everything possible done for the unfortunate woman but without avail.

The remains were embalmed and were taken to the former home of the deceased, Mendocino county, California, by the bereaved husband.

Mrs. Brower had a large circle of friends in this city. She resided with her husband in the lesser Cadwell building.

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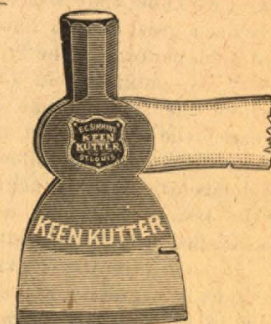


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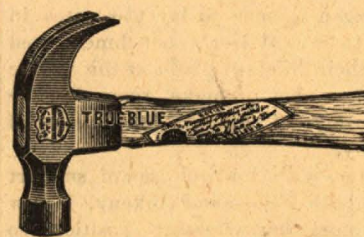
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The democratic party is so constituted that it needs a good lecture once in awhile and the most opportune time seems to be after an election. Below we publish an excerpt from the Davenport Tribune which we consider especially to the point and this paper endorses every word of it. The DEMOCRAT, it is needless to say to any of our old time readers, believes in fighting if it has anything to fight for and we know that old mother democracy has a great deal to battle for if she even holds her own. The Tribune, by the way, is published in Lincoln county where the stay-at-home democrats defeated the mayor part of the party ticket. The quotation follows:

"If the democratic party is inclined to profit by the lesson taught, it will no longer be satisfied with the position of a trailer. It must have the courage of its convictions, be aggressive and able to force them in all sincerity before the people so that they will carry the respect of good intentions and with it the desired support at the polls. There must be no more waiting to see what our opponents propose to do, we must do the timely act ourselves."

"This has been the weakness of the democrats—too negative. Positive action must be the battle cry, and give or seek no quarter on any issue that we may promulgate. To do this the democratic party of the state of Washington must commence for the next great battle today. The smoke of the late battle has cleared, and we can now count our loss, and thereby profit by the lesson taught. Apathy has been declared to be one of the principal causes of defeat. This is partially true. Who is to blame? Was not our party lukewarm and non-aggressive? While the republicans sounded their slogan in every city, town and hamlet, the leaders of democracy were sulking in their tents, and the people in many parts of the state heard only one side at the public rostrum. The republican party has so managed to subsidize the press that it, by a large majority, is found advocating republican principles. Special editions during the campaign is all very well, but it is the fifty-two little sermons a year which counts in the long run. This, too, should be one of the lessons learned—support your party papers, build them up so that the proprietors can do justice to the principles they advocate and not be kept down to a mere pittance of a bare existence."

EDITOR WILHELM, of "The Coast," a very bright and readable magazine published at Seattle, is said to have been threatened with a suit for libel and thereby hangs a tale.

Mr. Wilhelm, who up to a few months ago was an ardent disciple of Blackstone, quit the law and sought a more congenial occupation in the flowery fields of literature. He purchased the Coast from the two ladies who had originated it and who were making a plucky fight to keep it out of the journalistic boneway, and started in. It might be added, in passing, that the new owner is making a financial success of the venture too.

It is as a writer of readable fiction, however, that Mr. Wilhelm has made his greatest hit. "The Triumph of Michael Sears," a serial story of the publishers own make, is now running in the Coast and has created quite a furore in the wicked city on Elliott Bay. Michael is represented as a nice, clean, Sunday school young man who has come out from the east and located in Seattle to practice law and grow up with the town. Some people with whom he was associated plotted the young man's downfall and through the old familiar trick of showing him the town brought the young man into disgrace, from which of course, as a proper hero he duly emerged after he succeeded in sobering up.

Wilhelm, while using anonymous names, describes the characters in his story and the different hell-holes below the "dead line" with such accuracy that some people have got offended and through a firm of attorneys have notified the author that they construe his story as a libel upon themselves. They have also warned the young man not to continue the publication of the yarn.

It is remarkable how susceptible some people are, when they see their own lives depicted in print under different names. It would seem as though a man with ordinary prudence under such circumstances would keep still and not let the world know that he is a fool, as General Grant used to say.

In last Sunday's issue, the Tacoma Ledger, under glaring head lines, purported to give a history of the senatorial election of 1899. The Ledger, of course, did not publish all the dirty details of

that terrific battle among the republican politicians, but it does print some of the salient facts in the case.

The friends of ex-senator Wilson have claimed persistently that articles of agreement had been signed when the treaty was arranged between Foster and Wilson four years ago as a result of which Wilson threw his strength to Foster, which resulted in the election of the "merry ha ha" statesman to the senate and the defeat of the luckless Ankeny.

Foster's friends have claimed repeatedly that there was no agreement in existence whereby their man had promised to support Wilson in his fight for Judge Turner's seat and that Foster had wiped out his obligation to Wilson at the time by drawing a large check in Wilson's favor for the express purpose of paying the campaign expenses of the Spokane man on the basis of Wilson's own figures. The Ledger, however, published the following which is believed to be from the original copy of the agreement held by Mr. Wilson:

"OLYMPIA, Jan. 31, 1899.  
Fifth. If it shall transpire that John L. Wilson's friends should desire to present his name as a candidate for U. S. Senator it is agreed that A. G. Foster will contribute the assistance of himself and friends to Mr. Wilson's election."  
(Signed) A. G. FOSTER.

"Witness, JAMES WICKERSHAM."  
Since making the above agreement Senator Foster is believed to have entered into an offensive and defensive alliance with Levi Ankeny against Wilson. After his own election was secured he gave Wilson the "ha ha" and began at once to lay the wires in order to have Wilson's henchmen fired from their different places at the public crib in order to make room for the supporters of himself and those of Ankeny.

Foster, with his promises of support out to both Wilson and Ankeny, is now in a most embarrassing position, so embarrassing in fact, that he has suddenly slipped out of the state and hid himself away to Washington in order to avoid the coming storm.

There will doubtless be things doing two years hence, when Foster comes up for re-election.

The city council of North Yakima ought not to grant a franchise to operate an electric system on the streets of this city without due and ample consideration. Nor should the council grant any franchise at all without fully safeguarding the interests of the people, not for to day only, but so long as the franchise may run.

Some people are apt to view this matter of giving away a public franchise, with fifty years to run, as though it were an every day matter of business. It is not so. Instead it is a proposition fraught with both good and evil for the people who will inhabit this city for half a century to come. If its operation affected only the people of today it would not be so bad, but generations yet unborn will be bound by this proposed franchise, if it be granted and will be compelled to pay tribute to the men who own it.

The indiscriminate granting of public franchises, by hundreds of cities in this country, during their period of infancy, has in a great many cases brought the people to grief in after years. In fact it is not necessary to go away from home to find evidence of the truth of this statement.

The DEMOCRAT, however, does not wish to be understood as being opposed to the granting of a street railway franchise at this time under proper safeguards. This town is going to need a street car system in the not distant future and the system if established, will be an important factor in the growth of the city. But we are opposed to the ordinance in its present form for the reason that the same is vague and indefinite and to loosely drawn.

That journalistic baby, the Washingtonian, accuses this paper of "reviving the sheep issue." No neighbor, we are not doing anything of the kind, for that issue, like the poor is always with us. However, we said nothing against sheep grazing in our last issue, so the venerable sage of the Washingtonian really has nothing to be angry about. The mere mention of sheep in this paper seems to put the infant, across the way, into convulsion fits.

What we did do was to mildly criticize Supt. Sheller for stating in his report that the forest reserve was being over grazed and then to turn about and recommend to his superior officer that the number of sheep to be admitted next year be reduced by 15000 and the number of cattle by 200. We also criticized the secretary of the interior for his undue haste in issuing an order for grazing in the reserve next season, while a case is pending in the U. S. court questioning his authority in the premises. Moreover, he ought not to have issued such an order without giving the vast irrigation interests of this valley a chance to be heard on the subject.

If our contemporary were as free to discuss this vexed question as we could wish, there might be some profit in argument. But, unfortunately, such is not the case.

ALL this talk about democratic members of the legislature voting for this or that republican candidate for U. S. senator, is disgusting to simon pure democrats.

We always hear a good deal of this trashy sort of talk just previous to a legislative session but almost invariably it ends in nothing. A democrat who is true to his principles cannot afford to mix up in these republican family rows and if he does do it he is pretty sure to lose standing in his own party. At any rate that was the fate of Campbell, Foss and other so-called democrats who voted for Ankeny a few years ago. Ever since these men have been politically dead, beyond resurrection.

If the republicans should elect Levi Ankeny to the U. S. Senate it would be a public misfortune. A man who admittedly has no claim to such a high distinction, save that which his wealth gives him would certainly reflect no credit either on his party or on his state. With two rich nonentities like Foster and Ankeny in the senate the proud young state of Washington would be in a pitiable condition indeed.

The King county delegation to the legislature has a candidate for U. S. senator, a candidate for the presidency of the state senate, two candidates for speaker of the house and several candidates for most of the minor jobs to be passed around by the new legislature. As usual, the Seattle crowd of politicians will act the hog and will probably succeed in getting what the boy shot at.

The Pasco News-Recorder in its last issue, gave up the ghost after a hard fight for existence lasting six years. We commiserate with Bro'r. Giezen-tanner for his loss. His paper was simply starved to death by the very people who received many favors from it and were in duty bound to uphold it.

The new legislature when it convenes will have to meet in an old building at Olympia, formerly used as a store, but latterly as the supply house of the state militia. This is because the contractor has not been able to get the legislative wing of the new capitol building finished in time, owing to the non arrival of the necessary steel.

Now is the time of the year for our delinquent subscribers to call and show their good faith by their works. Contrary to what many people seem to think, it does take money and a considerable amount of it to keep even a small paper going.

PRESIDENT ROOSEVELT and Governor McBride, according to custom, have named Thursday Nov. 27 as the day for national thanksgiving.

**Farmers Institute at Sunnyside.**  
A farmers institute will be held at the town of Sunnyside, lasting over Tuesday and Wednesday Nov. 25 and 26. A good deal of interest is being taken and a large attendance is expected.

Prof. E. E. Elliott and Prof. O. L. Waller of the state agricultural college are expected to be present and address the institute on a variety of subjects that interest the farmers.

Senator elect Spawn and Representatives-elect Dunn and Hare have been invited to attend and deliver speeches.

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**Executors Sale.**  
The executors of the White estate on the 3rd day of December, will sell at the White ranch in Wide Hollow, four miles west of North Yakima, 32 head of dairy stock, consisting of cows, calves and bulls. Also two head of horses and two brood sows. This herd of dairy cattle is one of the best in Yakima county, being nearly all high bred Jerseys. Sale will be by auction for cash or approved notes. Sale will commence at 10 A. M. Free lunch will be served at noon.

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**Best Liniment on Earth.**  
I. M. McHany, Greenville, Texas, writes, Nov. 24, 1900: "I had rheumatism last winter, was down in bed six weeks; tried everything, but got no relief, till a friend gave me a part of a bottle of Ballard's Snow Liniment. I used it, and got two more bottles. It cured me and I haven't felt any rheumatism since. I can recommend Snow Liniment to be the best liniment on earth for rheumatism." For rheumatic, sciatic, or neuralgic pains, rub in Ballard's Snow Liniment, you will not suffer long, but will be gratified with a speedy and effective cure. 25c, 50c and \$1.00 at Fred L. Janek.

Steel burned and strawberries frozen in the same dish next Monday by liquid air. That is only one of the wonderful things that will be done. Better attend. Larson's theatre Monday night.

Lost—A shepherd dog yellow with brown hair on back, answers to name of Jack. Will pay reasonable reward for his recovery. HUGH PURDIN, WENAS.

## A Kick on the Street Railway Franchise:

EDITOR DEMOCRAT:

With no disposition to impugn the motives of our councilman, and in fact, believing that they were prompted only by a desire to do what appeared to them to be for the best interest of the community, I am afraid that in their zeal to promote such interest they enacted a very dangerous, if not vicious ordinance, in the one passed last Wednesday evening, granting Mr. Joseph F. McNaught a franchise to operate a railroad or a system of railroads, for the purpose of transporting passengers, freight and mail, upon every street in the city except Yakima and Natches avenues. The advocates of the measure laid much stress upon the improbability of such a system of street railroads proving profitable—and hence would never be built, but that the franchise was merely to satisfy some timid capitalists in New York who are being enlisted in the Sunnyside, Natches and Ahtanum electric road system. This may be true, but I am afraid that in furnishing Mr. McNaught this enticing bit of bait, with which to land some Wall street fish, we have laid ourselves liable to a very sad awakening.

Besides indications are now very favorable for our having the long felt want of another railroad filled at an early date, and then of course, the street that such a railroad would need to come into town on, would doubtless be the one McNaught "or his successors or assigns" would find absolutely indispensable to their railroad business, and the citizens would probably be called upon to subscribe to a bonus to get such street out from under this franchise, which the council was persuaded meant nothing. It is a good deal like a man going upon another's bond or endorsing a note "merely as a matter of form." It sometimes proves very bad form, for the endorser.

The giving away of a 50 years franchise is at the best a doubtful expedient, and discontinued by all economic students.

Trusting that the bait furnished Mr. McNaught, will not land this community as the fish or sucker that will be caught

I am, Yours Truly,

RICHARD STROBACH.

## Special Council Meeting.

At the special meeting of the city council Wednesday night, Mayor Fechter and Councilmen Reed, Wyman, Moran, Liggett, Keck and Aikins were present.

The Second street paving difficulty was announced by Keck as settled and that Councilman Aikins had been put in charge of the work to represent the city.

After some discussion the ordinance granting a franchise to J. F. McNaught to build and operate a system of electric railways in the streets of this city, was passed in a modified form.

The council, on the suggestion of the mayor, repealed the ordinance licensing drays.

After electing the necessary officers to conduct the municipal election, Dec. 2, the council then adjourned.

## The "Belshazzar" Contata

A large audience was highly delighted Wednesday night with the presentation by home talent at Larson's theater Wednesday evening of that old, but ever popular Contata "Belshazzar." The house was packed from pit to gallery with a good natured crowd anxious to see and hear.

Yakima is a town that is justly noted for its beautiful and cultured women and certainly its reputation in that line was fully sustained by the large company of queenly women and pretty girls who graced the stage with their presence Wednesday and Thursday evenings.

Mr. L. O. Meigs, as Belshazzar, the king, and Mrs. Louis Lesh, as Nitocris the queen, carried their difficult parts through perfectly. Geo. S. Vance, as Hananiah, and Warren E. Erwin, as Daniel, the prophet, received many compliments and hearty applause for their splendid work.

A large number of other are entitled to special mention but space forbids in this issue. The concert was repeated Thursday night to a fair sized house.

## Notice to Contractors.

Notice is hereby given that the city of North Yakima will let a contract to improve FIRST street in the City of North Yakima, between the north line of A street to the south line of E street in said city by the construction of a sidewalk on the west side of said street, said sidewalk to be eight feet wide, and to be laid with planks two inches thick and eight inches wide, surfaced on one side, resting on three stringers four inches by six inches said planks to be laid surface side up; all material used to be No. 1, good, common fir lumber said sidewalk to be laid on the grade marked out and in all respects in accordance with the plans, specifications, details, drawings and grade and notes of the city engineer relating thereto, which are now on file and of record in the office of the city clerk, subject to the inspection of all persons interested.

Plans and specifications can be seen at the office of the city clerk of said city. Sealed proposals for the contract for the above proposed improvement will be received by the city clerk up to the time the bids are opened, to-wit: on Dec. 1, 1902, at 7:30 o'clock p. m.

All bidders will be required to deposit with their bids a certified check for \$10,000 on some bank in the city of North Yakima, payable to the order of the city treasurer, as security that said bidder will enter into a contract with said city in case such contract is awarded to him. The contractor will be required to enter into a contract and give a bond with approved sureties, as required by laws of 1897, page 57, within three days after notice from the city clerk that the contract has been awarded to him.

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

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Resolution to Vacate a Portion of Seventh Street.

Whereas, a petition has been presented to the City Council of the City of North Yakima, praying for the vacation of all that portion of Seventh Street in said City, according to the plat thereof on file in the office of the County Auditor of Yakima County, Washington, lying between the north and south boundary lines of the southwest quarter of the northeast quarter of section 19 in township 13, north of range 18, E. W. M., and east of a line drawn parallel to and eighty feet easterly of the westerly line of said Seventh street; and,

Whereas, said petition is signed by the owners of more than two-thirds of the private property abutting upon the part of such street so sought to be vacated; now, therefore,

Be it resolved, by the City Council of said city that Monday, the 15th day of December, 1902, at the hour of 7:30 o'clock p. m., be and the same is hereby fixed as the time when said petition shall be heard and determined, and the city clerk is hereby directed to give due and legal notice of said hearing in the manner provided by law.

Passed the council Nov. 17, 1902.  
Approved Nov. 17, 1902.  
Attest: O. A. FECHTER, Mayor.  
H. B. DOUST, City Clerk.

Resolution.

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE CITY COUNCIL of the City of North Yakima, that the said city intends and hereby declares its intention to improve FOURTH street in the city of North Yakima, between the south line of Yakima avenue and the north line of Race street in said city, by grading said Fourth street between said points, said street to be graded in all respects in accordance with the specifications, details, drawings and grade notes of the city engineer relating thereto, which are now on file and of record in the office of the city clerk, subject to the inspection of all persons interested.

That the estimated cost of said improvement is \$2300.00; that the cost of the same is to be assessed against the property abutting on said street and graded within the following assessment district, to-wit:

Lots 12, 13, 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, 19, 20, 21 and 22 in block 71.  
Lots 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7 and 8 in block 72.  
Lots 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7 and 8 in block 73.  
Lots 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7 and 8 in block 74.  
Lots 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7 and 8 in block 75.  
Lots 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7 and 8 in block 76.  
Lots 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7 and 8 in block 77.  
Lots 1, 18, 19, 20, 21, 22, 23, 24, 25, 26 and 27 in block 91.

Lots 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15 and 16 in block 92.  
Lots 8, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15 and 16 in block 93.  
Lots 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15 and 16 in block 94.  
Lots 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15 and 16 in block 95.  
Lots 6, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15 and 16 in block 96.  
Lots 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15 and 16 in block 97.

All of said lots and blocks being in accordance with the plat of said city of North Yakima, Washington.

That protests against said proposed improvement may be filed with the City Clerk of the City of North Yakima at any time before the 1st day of December, 1902, at the hour of 7:30 o'clock p. m. of said day.

That said clerk give due and legal notice of said proposed improvement by publishing this resolution in the official paper of said city.

Passed the council Nov. 17th, 1902.  
Approved Nov. 18th, 1902.

Attest: O. A. FECHTER, Mayor.  
H. B. DOUST, 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 FOURTH street in said city, by grading said Fourth street from the north line of Yakima avenue to the south line of H street, said grading to be done and completed according to the plans and specifications, details and drawings made by the city engineer relating to said improvements, and in accordance with the grade marked out and established on the line of the lots and lands herein proposed grading by the city engineer of said city.

Said plans and specifications being now on file and of record in the office of the city clerk and open to the inspection of all persons interested.

That the estimated cost of said improvement is \$2700 and that the cost of the same is to be assessed against the property abutting on said sidewalk, and included within the following assessment district, to-wit:

Lots 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7 and 8, in block 63.  
Lots 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7 and 8 in block 64.  
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Lots 12, 13, 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, 19, 20, 21 and 22 in block 70.  
Lots 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15 and 16 in block 83.  
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Lots 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15 and 16 in block 89.

Lots 1, 18, 19, 20, 21, 22, 23, 24, 25, 26 and 27 in block 90.

All of said lots and blocks being in accordance with the plat of said City of North Yakima, Washington.

That protests against said improvement may be filed with the city clerk of said city of North Yakima at any time before the 1st day of December, 1902.

That the city clerk give due and legal notice of said proposed improvement by publishing this resolution in the official paper of the said city.

Passed the council Nov. 17th, 1902.  
Approved Nov. 18th, 1902.

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

Notice to Contractors.

Notice is hereby given that the city of North Yakima will let a contract to improve FIRST street in said city, between the north line of D street and the south line of F street in said city, by the construction of a sidewalk on the east side thereof, said sidewalk to be eight feet in width and to be constructed of planks two inches thick and eight inches wide, resting on three stringers four inches by six inches, all material used to be No. 1, good, common fir lumber, said planks to be surfaced on one side and laid surface side up.

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

Sealed proposals for the contract for the above proposed improvement will be received by the city clerk up to the time the bids are opened, to-wit: on the 1st day of December, 1902, at 7:30 o'clock p. m.

All bidders will be required to deposit with their bids a certified check for 100 dollars on some bank in the city of North Yakima, payable to the order of the city treasurer, as security that said bidder will enter into a contract with said city in the manner provided by law and the ordinances of said city in case such contract is awarded to him. The contractor will be required to enter into a contract and give a bond with approved sureties, as required by laws of 1897, page 57, within three days after notice from the city clerk that the contract has been awarded to him.

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

H. B. DOUST, City Clerk.

Ordinance No. 338.

An Ordinance fixing the salaries and compensations of certain officers of the City of North Yakima, Washington.

The City Council of the City of North Yakima do hereby enact as follows:

Section 1. The following salaries and compensations are hereby fixed and established for the several officers herein designated to be paid to said officers hereafter elected or appointed in said city for their official services each month:

City Clerk, \$50.00 per month.  
City Attorney, \$50.00 per month.  
City Marshal and Street Commissioner, \$75.00 per month.

Section 2. All ordinances and parts of ordinances inconsistent with this ordinance, are hereby repealed.

Passed the council Nov. 17, 1902.  
Approved Nov. 18, 1902.

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

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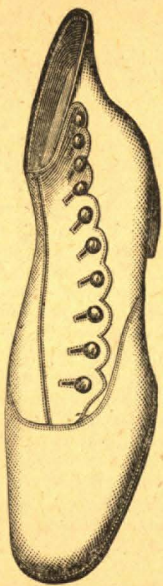
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Lot No. 3, 60 pairs Men's \$2.50 and \$3.00 shoes in Vici Kid, Box Calf, Kangaroo and Seal grain, at \$1.90

Lot No. 4, 50 pairs Men's \$3.50 and \$4 shoes, Patent Leather, Vici Kid, Box Calf or Velour Calf at \$2.65

Lot No. 5, 100 pairs Fine Shoes made by M. A. Packard & Co., sold the world over for 5 and \$6 in patent kid, patent calf, velour calf, vici kid and box calf in single and double soles, with or without leather lining, at \$3.89

Lot No. 6, 60 pairs Men's light vici kid dancing pumps, hand turned, reg \$1.50 and \$2 values, sale price 95c

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Lot No. 7, 50 pairs high cut men's shoes, regular \$4 and \$5. Sale price \$2.98

Lot No. 8, 100 pairs men's short line of shoes, thrown in at 99c

Children's and Ladies'

Lot No. 9, 75 pairs child's kangaroo calf, box calf and kid shoes, regular \$1.25 values at 75c

Lot No. 10, 75 pairs misses' kangaroo calf, kid and box calf shoes, regular \$1.50 and 1.75 at 99c



Children's and Ladies' Shoes

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Lot No. 11, 60 pairs Misses Kangaroo Calf, box calf and vici kid shoes in light and heavy soles, patent and stock tips, reg \$1.75 and \$2 \$1.45

Lot No. 12, 40 pairs boys' heavy calf, seal grain shoes, regular \$2. Sale price 1.25

Lot No. 13, 39 pairs boys' seamless shoes in box calf, kang. calf and oil grain, reg \$2.25 values at 1.45



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98 pairs Ladies' Fine Shoes in Vici Kid and Velour Calf, regular \$2.50 and \$3, go at \$1.45

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Lot No. 16, 95 pairs Kangaroo Calf, Kid and Box Calf Shoes, regular \$2 and \$2.50, go at 1.45

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The eastbound local, it seems, for some reason had stopped in Union Gap. It was closely followed by a through freight moving at a high rate of speed, no flagman had been sent back to warn the approaching train and it came on

under full head around the bend crashing into the rear end of the local with the result that the caboose and 13 cars were derailed. Some of which, it is said, rolled down the embankment into the river.

Fortunately, no one was hurt, the engineer and fireman after reversing the engine, jumped for their lives. The crew and passengers on the local were on the lookout and took advantage of the opportunity to get themselves out of harm's way.

Pingree and Mosby.

When Hazen S. Pingree was coming into prominence in Michigan politics, he was in Washington one night and strolled through the corridors of Willard's hotel, which he had not visited since war times, when it was the popular rendezvous of the city, political, military and otherwise. A friend introduced him to Colonel Mosby, the old guerrilla chieftain.

"Why, hello, colonel," said Pingree in his bluff, offhanded way, just as if he was in the habit of meeting Mosby every day. "I have not seen you for 25 years, but I remember very well the last occasion when we met."

"Ah," said the Virginian politely, "what incident recalls it to your mind? I really fail to remember you, much to my regret."

"Oh, well," said Pingree, "you would not be so apt as I to remember the day. I was captured by your men, and, happening to be wearing a very good, nearly new uniform, you confiscated it on the spot and gave me your old ragged buttonnits. But that's all right. All's fair in love and war, I know. Let's have a cigar."

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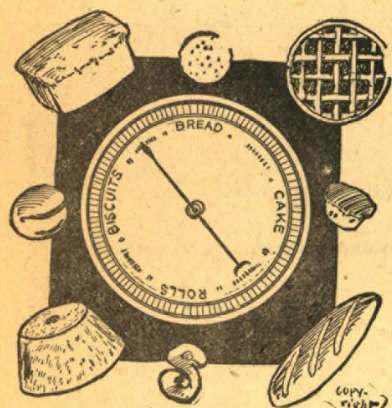
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Geo. Gandy has been a sound visitor this week.

J. L. Smith, of Portland, is in town for a few days, on business.

John Reed was in the city Wednesday and Thursday from CleElum.

M. B. Miles left for New York Wednesday on a business trip.

J. M. Hayden returned the first of the week from a visit to Sunnyside.

Attorney Whitson left on a business trip to the sound Thursday night.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. S. J. Cameron, of Nob Hill, Saturday Nov. 15, a son.

N. J. Beckner of Mabton returned Wednesday from a visit to the sound.

Indian Commissioner Hoyt was in town the first of the week from Montana.

D. L. Crowder of this city has been admitted to practice in the U. S. court.

Mr. and Mrs. John G. Miller returned Sunday from their wedding trip to the sound.

Mrs. B. W. Pickett left recently for Oklahama City, Okl., on a visit to her father.

Coffin Bros. have purchased the stock of the Blue Grass grocery from L. D. S. Patton.

Congressman Jones and family left Thursday for Washington, D. C., for the winter.

The Musical Club met Thursday evening at the residence of Mrs. Alex Miller.

The school enrollment Monday was 1210 as compared with 1001 for the same date last year.

The fire department boys are arranging to give a masked ball at the armory on Xmas night.

J. J. Wiley is said to be now slowly convalescing after his long siege of typhoid fever.

The much needed plank cross walks are being put in across the business streets this week.

Thomas Lund has been on the sick list this week, suffering with an acute attack of neuralgia.

County Treasurer-elect E. G. Peck has moved into his handsome new residence on Fourth street.

Chas S. Fell, who has assumed charge of the "Echo" at CleElum, visited with his family here over Sunday.

G. A. Graham has accepted the position as district agent of the Prudential Life Insurance company.

Don't fail to vote today at the school board election. The polls will be open at the Central school from 1 to 7 P. M.

Fred Chandler expects to go to Tacoma about Dec. 1 to take a position in the office of internal revenue collector Crocker.

Farmers coming into town all have the same story to tell—muddy roads. In fact, the wheels of their vehicles tell the story.

Union Thanksgiving services will be held at the Christian church Thursday, Nov. 27, at 10:30 a. m. Rev. J. J. Ticker will preside.

Chas H. Shellhammer and Miss Nettie R. Fulkerson both of this city, secured a license to marry from the auditor Wednesday.

Senator-elect Splawn returned Saturday morning from Coulee City whither he went to deliver a herd of 19 young Hereford cattle which he had sold there.

The G. A. R. will hold a camp fire at I. O. O. F. hall this afternoon. The members of the Relief Corps will be present and all old soldiers and their families are invited.

Messers Melrose and Brown are building an ice house 50x60 ft. on the Crory property on the side track and expect to fill the same with ice from the Selah pond this winter.

Tim Manahan, formerly of this city, but for the past year a resident of Walla Walla county, stopped off for a day Thursday to visit old friends while enroute home from the sound.

Wise & Company have been given the contract to make the repairs on M. Shorn's new residence, caused by fire recently. The insurance companies adjusted the loss by the payment of \$1700.

Mr. and Mrs. Guy Allen left Friday of last week for Los Angeles where they will spend the winter. It is hoped that the balmy air of southern California will restore the young man to his usual health.

Next Monday will be motion day in the superior court at which time a jury will be selected for Dec. 8. As the docket is quite a long one the coming jury term, it is thought, will occupy about two weeks.

Mrs. E. L. Davies, the good samaritan of the Spokane Home Finding association, came in on a flying trip Monday, having brought a bright two year old boy who has been adopted by Mr. and Mrs. E. B. Moore.

W. N. Granger and family of Zillah, are home again from their extensive trip east. They were in St. Paul, New York and Washington. They also visited Mr. Granger's mother and sister, who reside at Buffalo N. Y.

Representative-elect Hare returned Saturday night from the sound cities. "Doc" denies the soft impeachment that he is in the race for the speakership, but says that he expects to secure some good committee appointments.

Of the 17 men charged with bootlegging, taken to Walla Walla last week, 14 were convicted and three acquitted, among the latter being Ex-Deputy Marshall Wilhite. The 14 men convicted were given sentences varying in length from four to eighteen months.

Mrs. M. B. Ferris, aged 30 years, died at her home on N. Natchez avenue Thursday, from quick consumption. The remains were shipped to her former home in California. The deceased was only very recently married to Mr. Ferris, an employe of the Yakima Mill company.

M. Hansen, western manager of the Coe Commission company, is here this week with the intention of installing a branch of that house in this city. This company deals in government, municipal and other securities, grain and stock. It has branches in numerous cities of the country.

A man giving his name as Miller, claims to have been forcibly ejected from a moving freight train at Wenas siding while stealing a ride Monday. The result of Miller's sudden contact with terra firma is a broken arm and leg. He was brought to this city on a later train and turned over to Dr. Frank as a county charge. He was taken to the hospital where the injured members were set. The man stated that he was financially broke, but an investigation revealed the fact that he had the sum of \$17 on his person.

"Hermann, the celebrated magician," had a good house Tuesday evening, notwithstanding the inclement weather. The numerous tricks deftly performed kept the audience interested and amused to the fall of the curtain. An ex-mayor of this town, who kindly lent his derby hat to the professor for experimental purposes, evidently thought that he had a new hat coming when he saw his head gear so fearfully abused. He got it back again, however, safe and sound from the ceiling after being shot out of a miniature cannon.

### Two Naughty Girls.

Two mischievous girls who are of a church choir in a country town figured recently in a laughable incident which is quite good enough to bear repeating, says an exchange. Some way known only to themselves, they became possessed of the minister's Sunday morning sermon and thereupon began selecting songs in harmony with the theme. On Sunday morning they were on hand bright and early looking innocent enough to deceive a brace of Pinkerton detectives. One of them seated herself and played "Faint yet pursuing" which was sung as a voluntary. Then the minister arose and consulting the list which had been given him called for number 362. The choir sang "Almost Persuaded." The minister arose, announced his theme, "Courtship and Marriage," read the lesson and called the next song. The choir sang "Triumph at last" and the congregation began to look amused. After prayer sing 201, said the minister, and in his petition asked that the spirit of levity which possessed some of his hearers be banished. Then the choir sang "Hasten, Lord, the Day" and everyone laughed. Even the minister had difficulty in stifling down a smile when the choir struck up "Behold, the bridegroom Cometh," and the congregation became positively hilarious as the organ pealed out the opening note "What shall the Harvest Be?" And through it all those wicked girls preserved their expression of saintly innocence and afterward said it was the most peculiar coincidence they ever heard of.—Ex.

### Another Convention, Tonight.

Early in the week, bills were circulated calling for ward caucuses for Friday evening to elect delegates to a city convention to be held at the city hall this evening. This convention will nominate candidates for the different city offices to be voted on Monday Dec. 2. The call is signed by L. O. Janeck, W. L. Steinweg, W. B. Dudley, Alex Miller, Geo. Donald, A. B. Weed and Robert Scott.

The movers in the matter, while all republicans, deny that a partism issue is to be made, but state that their object is, if successful, to stop gambling and restrict the saloon privileges. It is generally understood that the convention this evening will endorse the attitude of Mayor Fechter against gambling and will present the mayor for reelection. The convention will also probably nominate W. B. Dudley for councilman-at-large and John J. Rudkin for the office of city attorney.

### Mishap at Power House.

The dynamo at the power house which makes the "juice" for the incandescent circuits, burned out suddenly about 10:30 Friday night of last week and so far as all house lights are concerned, the city has since been in darkness.

The new dynamo after months of delay, fortunately arrived here that morning. A force of men was put to work immediately to get the monster machine in position. It is thought that everything will be in readiness to start up the new dynamo today or tomorrow.

## CITY COUNCIL PROCEEDINGS.

Second Street Paving Job Threshed Over.  
Expert Engineer McCullough Reports on Proposed Drainage System.

At the regular semi-monthly meeting of the council Monday night the mayor and all members of that body, except Moran were present. The minutes of the preceding meeting were read and approved.

A communication from city engineer Marble was read in which that official notified the council that he would have nothing further to do with the second street paving, owing to the serious differences that existed between himself and contractor McKivor. The matter was considered at some length by the council during which Mr. McKivor was heard; the contractor declaring he was endeavoring to do the work according to the specifications and at the same time to do it in the best possible manner. The clerk read protests from a number of property owners on that street to the effect that if the paving was not done according to specifications they would refuse to pay their assessments thereon. The whole matter went over until Wednesday night in order to give the council an opportunity to closely inspect the work.

The matter of grading Fourth street was then taken up and two resolutions were passed for the grading of that thoroughfare its entire length. In order to satisfy the property owners of that street it is proposed to form two improvement districts with Yakima avenue as the dividing line.

An ordinance was read giving Joseph F. McNaught an exclusive franchise to operate a street car system on any or all the streets of North Yakima except Yakima and Natchez avenue, the ordinance providing that in case an electric system was not completed by Nov. 1905, that ordinance should be void. On motion of Reed, the ordinance was laid over. An ordinance was also read and laid over fixing the compensation of the plumbing inspector.

A resolution was passed providing for the vacation of a strip of ground on Seventh street, the mayor stating that the previous action taken by the council being illegal.

Draymen Tucker and Walker addressed the council and requested that the drayage license fee of \$20 paid by them be returned, as the ordinance to license drays had not been enforced and other men were engaged in the business without paying the required fee. Referred.

Bids were opened from Dingle & Dimmock and D. T. McDaniel for grading both Wenas and Kittitas avenues. The former bid of \$1 per lineal foot was accepted. McDaniel's bid equaled about \$1.15 per foot.

Engineer McCulloch then read his exhaustive report on a proposed drainage system for the city, making verbal explanations from time to time. After the report was read and discussed at some length the council adjourned.

### Escaped From Jail.

Frank Clayton who was in the city bastille for 20 days on the charge of being "drunk and disorderly," made his escape Tuesday night by filing his way out. A case knife in the possession of the prisoner was converted into a saw by the ingenious fellow and by the exercise of patience and hard labor finally succeeded in sawing two of the iron bars off by means of which he escaped.

Another man who was in the cell with Clayton at the time and on a similar charge refused to take advantage of the situation and remained in the cell. Clayton has not been apprehended.

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