

## CITIZENS PETITION STATE LEGISLATURE

**A. Y. P. Mass Meeting Held in Commercial Club Rooms Indicates Intention of Citizens to Make Favorable Showing at Exposition.**

A mass meeting of business men from different sections of Yakima county, which was called by the A.-Y.-P. committee, assembled in the Commercial club rooms Wednesday evening. President Alex Miller called the meeting to order and after a booster talk in which he dwelt on the great importance of a creditable county exhibit at the A.-Y.-P., surrendered the chair to County Commissioner Lemay.

Mr. Lemay called on the A.-Y.-P. committee for a report, which was read by W. N. Irish, the secretary. The report detailed the experiences of the committee at Seattle last week and the decision arrived at in regard to quarters on the grounds and in the agricultural building for county exhibits. In brief the committee recommended the erection of a Yakima county pavilion at a cost of \$10,000, in addition to the use of the space allotted by the exposition officials in Agricultural hall, 36x17 feet in dimensions. The dimensions of the proposed county building would be 60x35 feet, two stories high, a handsome design of which was submitted. The committee figures that the sum of \$30,000

will be required to cover the cost of the proposed building and suitable exhibits.

How to raise that amount of money was the problem discussed by the meeting at length and with considerable warmth. Most of the speakers thought that the county should furnish the money, or the greater part of it, in spite of the assurance given by other speakers that it is useless to look to the county commissioners for a greater sum than has already been appropriated by special levy, which amounts to \$8216.

Attorney John Lynch and A. B. Weed contended that the legislature might be induced to pass a special act authorizing the county commissioners to levy an additional one-half mill tax for 1909, which they estimated would furnish \$16,000 additional. A resolution was finally passed asking the legislature to pass such a special law, although a number of speakers vigorously opposed it.

A resolution offered by A. B. Weed to collect by public subscription \$15,000 for special advertising in the east was dropped, it being the sense of the meeting that financial arrangements should be made for the county A.-Y.-P. exhibit first.

## BUSINESS OF CITY DADS BRIEFLY TOLD

**Ordinance Authorizing Purchase of Linbarger Property on South First Street Passes the Council—City Must Erect Hall Within Three Years.**

The city council, in regular meeting Monday night, passed an ordinance authorizing the purchase of the Linbarger property, at the corner of South First and Walnut streets as a city hall site. The ordinance stipulates that the city must build thereon within three years, or reconvey the property to Linbarger and wife on the re-payment of the purchase price, \$6000 with interest. The ordinance, it appears, was passed by unanimous vote of the council, so that the deal will now be concluded regardless of the mayor's opposition.

The ordinance providing for a city weighmaster, being found defective, was laid over.

An ordinance was passed providing for the purchase of three additional sprinkling wagons, which makes four wagons which the city will operate on the streets the coming season. The street and ditch committee was authorized to consider the purchase of automobile sprinkling carts.

The old problem of sanitation and scavenger work came up for discussion. S. Washburn, the former scavenger, having resigned his position on account of conflict with city officials, the matter of a successor was discussed. John J. Sandmeyer was willing to assume the position on condition that the city guarantee the salary, instead of being obliged to look to individual patrons for compensation. Mr. Sandmeyer from past experience, explained how impossible it is to do the scavenger work without loss when having to depend on patrons alone for compensation, as many absolutely refused to pay. It is understood that the city has since made the arrangement with Mr. Sandmeyer to do the work on the basis of a guaranty of salary.

### Billy Sunday Indorsed.

Jimmy Durkin, of Spokane, the saloon keeper who made an independent and sensational campaign for governor at the recent election, has indorsed Billy Sunday, the baseball evangelist. Durkin declares that Sunday is "the goods—and all wool." The saloonist who invited the Spokane ministers to place snakes in his saloon window as a warning to the bibulous, (which they did) is entranced with Sunday's English. Following is a specimen of how the baseball evangelist gives a unique translation of the bible story of David and Goliath:

Sunday, in telling the story of David and Goliath, made a big hit. Here it is: "And so David's pa comes up to him where he was working in the field and says: 'Dave, better go up to the house, your ma's anxious about the other boys fighting in the army; hasn't heard from them by phone or anything and she'd like you should look them up.' So Dave hops on a trolley and hikes to the front and stays there with his brothers over night."

"In the morning old Goliath comes out in front of the Philistines and dares the Israelites to fight him. 'Who's that big stiff making all the big talk out there?' asks Dave.

"'Why, that's the head cheese, the big noise,' says his brothers.

"'Why don't some one soak him?' asks Dave.

"'We've all got cold feet,' says the Israelites.

"'You fellows make me tired,' says Dave, and he pikes out to the brook, gets four pebbles in his shepherd's sack, slams one at Goliath and soaks him in the coco between the lamps, Goliath goes to the mat, takes the count, and Dave Pokes him in the slats, chops off his block and the whole Philistine gang skidoed."

The exhortation of Sunday is certainly unique, but is it of the sort to give to the young men who go to hear the sensational revivalist? "The head cheese," "The big noise," "Soak him in the coco," "Chops off his block." Isn't that a bit worse than pigeon English? Some ministers say it doesn't matter so long as Sunday gets results. But what kind of results would he get in the employment of such slang?—Washington Standard.

H. M. Helliessen, the well known lumberman, and associates, have purchased 100 acres of land near a proposed North Coast townsite, about 1½ miles from Prosser, which they intend to improve this spring by planting out a large commercial orchard.

## OLE HANSON'S BILL PASSES STATE SENATE

**It Will Become a Law Soon and Means the Eradication of Race Track Gambling in This State.**

Ole Hanson's anti-race track gambling bill passed the state senate by unanimous vote Wednesday without an emergency clause. It had passed the house a week earlier and will surely become a law, as no doubt is expressed but that the acting governor, Mr. Hay, will sign it. The bill as passed prohibits pool selling, book making for conducting places where bets are made at or near any public racing track. The penalty for violation is jail or penitentiary service for felony.

The senate is still wrangling over the local option bill, which passed the house 10 days ago. The liquor interests, of course, concede that a local option bill of some kind is sure to pass, but they emphatically object to the pending county unit bill, unless cities of the first, second and third class shall be exempted and permitted to vote on the saloon question as separate units. The liquor men claim that they will be able to control the action of the senate on this point and they appear to be reinforced with a strong lobby.

Acting Governor Hay on Tuesday announced the appointment of L. Mohundro, of Seattle, to succeed A. W. Engle, as state bank examiner. The change was made, it is said, at the request of Gov. Cosgrove, who had promised Mohundro the place. There is some doubt as to the latter's confirmation by the senate.

Rev. Billy Sunday, the sensational revivalist, accompanied by 110 Spokane boosters for local option, stormed Olympia most furiously Sunday and Monday. Rev. Sunday vigorously demanded the passage of the county unit local option bill without amendments, and threatened all legislators who opposed it with political death. He is said to have made a deep impression at Olympia in favor of the bill.

## TWO GREAT ARTISTS WITH W. S. C. GLEE CLUB

**Pullman Boys Will Appear at Yakima Theatre Next Wednesday Night, February 10.**

On next Wednesday night, February 10, the Washington State College Glee club will appear at the Yakima theatre in a very unique and entertaining performance. One year ago this same aggregation of singers and fun-makers visited this city and were received enthusiastically by a large and appreciative audience at the Yakima theatre. Because of the excellent performance and the general good behavior of the college boys while here, they became extremely popular with everyone, and their visit here next week is looked forward to with unusual pleasure.

The Pullman Glee club is featuring this year a very fine violinist, Lionel Gittelson, and a great tenor singer, Karl V. Tunberg. These artists are noted in their respective lines, and will prove great drawing cards.

Real enjoyment, however, will be had in the magnificent male chorus, the college quartet, and college songs of the Pullman boys. The Washington State college is an institution in which Yakima people should take especial pride. Many residents of this city are graduates of Pullman, and at the present time there are in the neighborhood of two dozen Yakima boys and girls attending college there. It is the duty of all Yakimans to boost for Pullman and help the glee club along.

A narrow escape from a serious collision between a street car and an incoming passenger train was averted by about five seconds Tuesday night. As a result the conductor and motor man was suspended from duty for 30 days by General Manager Rankin of the trolley line. President Elliott of the Northern Pacific stood on the depot platform at the time and therefore was fully impressed as to the risks that are run at that crossing. The motorman claimed that coming from the west he was unable to see the coming train because of a string of freight cars standing on the switch.

Richard Strobach has acquired a body of land north of town on the bluff between the Yakima and Naches, which he is figuring on irrigating by a pumping plant if suitable arrangements can be made for a water right. The land, once under water, would unquestionably be valuable.

## INDIAN DANCES TO PISTOL BULLETS

**J. J. Matulys, Government Detective, Startles Town of Toppenish by Acts of Misconduct Unbecoming an Officer.**

J. J. Matulys, a man who has been in the employ of the government at Toppenish, whose particular business has been to spy out on bootleggers, sneak around the corner and arrest a poor drunken Indian occasionally, so it is said, and also to make seeming efforts to suppress blind pig traffic, was unfortunate in getting into a little trouble last week, which does not reflect any credit upon his standing in the community.

A warrant was issued for the arrest of Matulys and had he not left Toppenish suddenly the federal detective would have been placed in jail or placed under bail for his appearance to answer a charge of disorderly conduct.

Matulys, while somewhat under the influence of liquor, thought to have a little fun in one of the Toppenish saloons. He pulled a gun in the presence of a crowd and compelled a poor uneducated Indian to dance for the benefit of the crowd. If the Indian would not shuffle his feet fast enough Matulys would take a shot at the redskin's feet. Fortunately none of the bullets took

effect, except to keep poor Lo continually on the move. Soon after this escapade Matulys realized the gravity of his conduct and forthwith left the town. A warrant was immediately issued by the Toppenish authorities for his arrest. He came to North Yakima last Saturday morning and apparently kept in hiding.

An effort was made by the friends of Matulys, particularly some of his political friends in authority, to keep the matter hushed up, but these efforts proved fruitless. A man by the name of Cone, a federal detective, on last Monday went to Toppenish and paid a \$20 fine for Matulys and it is now hoped that the prosecution will be dropped.

This is the same Matulys who last fall prior to election came out in a printed statement in the Toppenish Review in which he criticised Sheriff John Edwards and the late sheriff's office for its conduct in handling the illicit liquor traffic on the reservation. Ex-Sheriff Edwards always maintained that Matulys was an irresponsible and unreliable person, and it would seem from the recent conduct of the man that the position taken by Mr. Edwards is correct.

## A NEW DEPOT FOR NORTH YAKIMA CERTAIN

**President Howard Elliott of Northern Pacific Visits City and is Entertained at Commercial Club Rooms.**

President Howard Elliott of the Northern Pacific and party paid a visit to North Yakima Friday of last week. The Elliott party arrived from Spokane on a special train about 3 p. m., going to the Hotel Yakima. At the hotel a number of citizens called after the party's arrival to pay their respects to President Elliott, whom they found to be a most engaging gentleman who is most kindly disposed towards Yakima.

At the Commercial club Friday a large assemblage of business men numbering 200 or more, gathered to welcome Mr. Elliott. President George Donald of the Commercial club, presided, and introduced President Elliott, who talked most entertainingly and instructively for perhaps half an hour.

Mr. Elliott reviewed the business of railroading at length and described some of the problems that had to be met. He said that the Northern Pacific employed an army of 10,000 men in this state and is probably the heaviest taxpayer.

payer. He said that his company had done its part to aid in settling the state and would continue to do so.

Getting down to local matters President Elliott said that the Northern Pacific would build this year in this city a commodious new passenger depot—one that would cost in the neighborhood of \$60,000 and would be modeled closely after the new depot at Billings, Mont. This announcement brought forth hearty applause.

Mayor Armbruster, being called on, made a short talk. He begun by extending a hearty welcome to President Elliott and party. The mayor then said that he would admit that the railroad had been good to North Yakima, but at the same time insisted that North Yakima had likewise been good to the railroad. He then referred to certain concessions that the city is asking from the Northern Pacific, particularly sewer right of way under the tracks and the opening up of streets.

President Elliott while here assured Secretary James of the Commercial club of the willingness of his company to co-operate with the club in every way possible in the matter of judicial advertising for the Yakima valley.

Mr. Elliott made a good impression here. He is a plain spoken man, genial in manner and he puts on no airs.

The board of county commissioners has been in session all of this week.

## RECLAMATION ACT IS CONSTITUTIONAL

**Such is Decision of U. S. Court of Appeals Handed Down This Week Which Dissents From Judge Whitson's Position.**

Attorney Ralph Williamson received a wire from San Francisco Tuesday informing him that the U. S. court of appeals had decided the ouster case of the United States vs. Chris Hanson in favor of the government, thus overruling the decision of U. S. Judge Edward Whitson of the eastern district of Washington, who tried the case here last summer. It is said that the decision of the court of appeals, the full text of which has not been received here yet, entirely upholds the constitutionality of the reclamation act as passed by congress. However, the constitutional point was not raised in Judge Whitson's court by H. J. Snively, attorney for the defendant, Hanson.

The history of this case is generally well known locally on account of the tremendous importance of the issue at stake, and the amount of newspaper notoriety given it. Briefly, however, these are the facts:

In 1892 Chris Hanson "squatted" on 160 acres of unsurveyed public land on the shores of Lake Keechelus, above Easton. He did this under a provision of the U. S. land laws giving a squatter 30 days preference right to make a homestead filing on public land after the official acceptance of a survey and the land thrown open to entry. On this assumption Hanson established a home and made substantial improvements on the land, believing that it would be his eventually. Three years ago the reclamation service entering this field decided to convert Lake Keechelus into a vast reservoir and by building a dam greatly increase its volume thus submerging what are now shore lands. Accordingly Hanson and other "squatters" were notified to vacate, the reclamation people, it is said, offering them each a small sum in payment for their improvements. Some accepted the terms, while others, Hanson among them, refused, holding that they had acquired an equity in the land by a just construction of the law. Being again notified

to move, Hanson began a court defense, retaining H. J. Snively as his attorney. As previously stated, Judge Whitson in passing on the case, decided that Hanson had, by compliance with the land laws and regulations, acquired an interest in the land and that if the federal government desired possession of same it would have to secure it through condemnation proceedings the same as though the land was in private ownership. Mr. Snively did not raise the constitutionality of the reclamation act until after the government attorneys had appealed the case to the U. S. court of appeals at San Francisco.

Attorney Snively is dissatisfied with the San Francisco opinion and says that he will appeal the case to the highest tribunal, the U. S. supreme court. He says that his client is a poor man who has spent the best years of his life in making a home on the land in question, which, though unsurveyed, was through no fault of his and that for the government to step in at this late day and arbitrarily dispossess him of it would be a gross perversion of justice.

Should the highest court declare the law unconstitutional the effect, of course, would be to promptly stop all further irrigation work under the reclamation act, which would be a calamity indeed to all affected districts throughout the west.

Mr. Snively says that he was loath to raise the point of constitutionality and would not have done so had the officials of the reclamation service pursued a more liberal policy towards the squatters.

Even though the case goes on appeal to the U. S. supreme court, it is unlikely, attorneys say, that it would be taken up inside of a period of two or three years.

### Cornett-Powell.

Mr. John D. Cornett and Mrs. Ida Powell, both well known residents of this city, were quietly married in the presence of a few invited friends by Rev. S. J. Kennedy at the Presbyterian manse, Wednesday evening, at 8 o'clock. The newly wedded couple after receiving numerous congratulations left on the night train for Spokane to spend their honeymoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Cornett will continue to reside in this city and will probably be at home to their friends after today.

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**WEDNESDAY FEBRUARY 10**

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Don't you want to hear 'em sing,  
Hear 'em make the welkin ring?"

Then don't forget the date of the entertainment which Manager Fred Schaefer, of the Yakima Theatre, declares will be the best show at his playhouse during the month of February.

## WILL TREBLE

### CANNERY CAPACITY

Frank McKeon, manager of the local plant of the Bussell Canning company, says he has been in the canning business for 24 years and for the 24th successive year he has received the annual report of a mid-winter crop failure. Despite this fact Mr. McKeon is pushing plans for a reconstruction of the plant here to the end that its capacity may be greatly augmented. The capacity of a cannery is the capacity of its cookers, and two immense retorts for this purpose are to be added to the present equipment.

#### Huge Daily Capacity.

Last season, working at not more than 50 per cent of its capacity, the cannery was able to use up 30 tons of peaches during each day for that crop. With the cookers to be added this year the valley will not be able to produce enough fruit of any kind to congest it. There is no need of going into figures in this connection. Mr. McKeon says that anyone who doubts it need only furnish the fruit and watch it

travel through the building and into the tins.

#### Better Conditions This Year.

Various reasons will contribute this year towards a different set of conditions at the cannery. Principal among these may be mentioned the fact that the operations last season were a success, both from the viewpoint of the operators and that of the growers who sold the fruit which went to make up the pack. Operations were late in starting and the pack did not cover as great a variety of fruit as it easily might. Despite this, however, successful work was done and the fact illustrated that the cannery is an important feature in a fruit growing district and of great benefit to the producer.

#### Enhanced Valley's Reputation.

That Mr. McKeon made good his assertion that the manufactured fruit of this valley must uphold the reputation of the green fruit is demonstrated by the fact that not half a carload of the extra grade pack remains in the warehouse but all has found a market at excellent prices. Unquestionably the pack won favor with the trade and the extra peaches and pears bearing the Yakima brand are carrying the name and the fame of this valley in quarters the green fruit would never reach.

## Solving the Labor Problem.

This matter of a trebled capacity to the plant is interesting in view of the fact that last year operators of the cannery, in mid season, found themselves short of help. Their normal working crew last season was about 125 women and they declare themselves to be delighted with the cleanliness and skill of these assistants, but they want more of them. Provision for these will be made in ample time. The needs of labor here are great and outside help must be brought in. Tents, and perhaps cottages, will be provided. Tent homes certainly this season, the more substantial buildings in years to come. These tents will be occupied by the numerous expert cannery workers who are pleased to follow the crop from district to district and put in their skill and their time where the need is the greatest and the remuneration the highest.

#### When More Plants Will Come.

What the result of this effort will be is hard to calculate. The pack today at the cannery here is declared to be the equal of the best California factories. When growers here are prepared to furnish peaches of the clingstone varieties which have made the canned peaches of California famous, as the growers of that state can now furnish them, it is a certainty there will be more canneries in the Yakima country and more canneries are what are sought.

Mr. McKeon says that for the best grade fruit, which is what the pack should be, the cream of the orchard is wanted and will be taken when it can be obtained. In this connection he points out that the interests of the grower and of the canneryman are almost identical. They are so closely allied, at least, that each must look upon the other as his friend and the grower must understand that the canneryman is as anxious for a market for the fruit of the valley as is the orchard owner.

#### Will Make an Early Start.

With easier financial conditions all along the line this year, with a splendid corps of trained workers in the field as a nucleus for the army of help needed, with a better understanding established with the growers, the prospects are of a pack of greater diversity than ever before. An early start, perhaps in June, is anticipated. The plan is to begin with the berries and handle all the fruits as they come, going right down through the list to the latest and then switching over to vegetables. It will be remembered that the cannery last season worked for some time on a special pack of potatoes. There is a growing market for these and time may be when almost unlimited work in this direction may be done for the Alaskan market, for example.

This then, is the situation at present with respect to the second largest manufacturing plant in this valley. It is preparing to do more work than ever before in its history; to employ an increased number of hands, to buy treble the quantity of fruit of other seasons, to operate for a longer period and on a greater variety of products and to see to it that the reputation of the valley shall in no way suffer at its hands.

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## DIVORCE IS GRANTED TO PROMINENT COUPLE

A decree of divorce was given this morning by Judge Preble in the superior court to Laura B. Davis from Thomas A. Davis. The custody of the children is given to the mother, the property division which was made at the time of the commencement of the action is approved, and the father is given permission to visit the children at proper and suitable times. The litigants bear their own expenses of the action. Mr. Davis is a well known property holder and owner of the Rio Grande building on West Yakima avenue. He is a marble worker and has been a candidate for councilman and for school director.

The findings of fact show that the plaintiff and defendant were married at Fort Scott, Kas., on February 25, 1884, and have continued as husband and wife up to the present time.

#### Settled Aversion Shown.

It is also found that during the greater share of the married life the defendant habitually behaved toward the plaintiff in a manner to indicate a settled aversion to the plaintiff and to permanently destroy her peace and happiness, causing her great mental suffering, and making it impossible for the parties to live together as husband and wife. It is also found that the defendant has wrongfully accused the plaintiff of infidelity, and caused her to perform such manual labor as to permanently injure her health.

There are three minor children, Ruth M. Davis, Ora A. Davis and T. Roy Davis, and the custody of these children is given to the plaintiff.

#### Property Was Divided.

Before the commencement of the ac-

tion the couple were possessed of community property to the value of about \$55,000. This was divided so that the plaintiff retains property to the value of \$35,000, and the defendant the remainder, or \$20,000.

It is ordered that the plaintiff provide for her own separate care and support, and for the education of the children.

It is also ordered that neither of the parties to this action contract marriage with a third party within a period of six months from this date.

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are obtained by the invention by Hiram Percy Maxim of a silencer, so constructed that it can be affixed to any gun made without rebuilding or interfering with the principles governing the action of such gun."

The silencer is a simple device for screwing on the muzzle with a series of vortex chambers into which the gas is diverted and in a whirling motion in a plain perpendicular to the original line of flight behind the bullet. The motion gradually diminishes until complete inertia results, reducing by actual test the sound of a gun's discharge by 97 per cent. Captain Church's account in The National Guard Magazine is the first authentic account of the invention published by express permission of the inventor.

## AT WORK NEAR KENNEWICK.

Large Crew Engaged on Pole Line of Strahorn Power Company.

A part of the working outfit of Charles L. Lull of this city, who has the contract for putting up the poles for the Strahorn electric power line from North Yakima to Kennewick, has been sent to the camp near Kennewick. The outfit consisted of two mammoth wagons, carrying a cook house and a bunk house, with accommodations for 24 men. There is also a crane derrick with the outfit. Eleven horses were used in hauling the big outfit. There is another outfit of the same size, which comprises the camp at Kennewick. The camp will employ about 35 men. Mr. Lull will rush the work of putting up the poles at the rate of about two miles a day.

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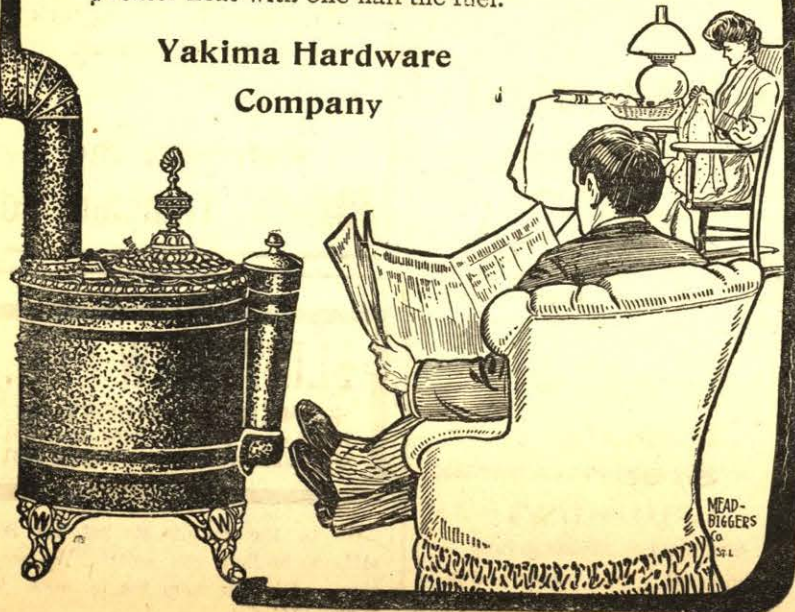
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### OUR WASHINGTON LETTER

Washington, D. C., Feb. 2.—There was  
a time an unwritten law in the senate  
that new members of that body should  
be like children, seen but not heard, but  
the precedent has been so shattered by  
a few roaring youngsters like La Fol-  
lette and Beveridge and others that  
there was only a mild sensation this  
week when Senator Cummins, of Iowa,  
delivered his maiden speech on the sub-  
ject of postal savings banks. The new  
senator was not hazed as he would have  
been in the old days by speaking to  
empty seats or having to endure irrele-  
vant interruptions, but held a fairly  
large number of his colleagues in their  
places and was declared by them later  
to have acquitted himself like a veteran.

Representative Rainey, of Illinois, in-  
troduced a little sensationalism into the  
proceedings of the house Tuesday by  
a speech in which he accused the pres-  
ident of a misstatement of facts in his  
special message to congress concerning  
the Panama canal in 1906 and an attack  
on Mr. Cromwell for his connection with  
affairs in Panama as general counsel  
for the Panama canal company. He  
closed his speech with a promise or a  
threat to finish Mr. Cromwell up at some  
later date and said: "When I am  
through with this man Cromwell the  
president and the president-elect are  
welcome to all that is left of him." Mr.  
Rainey went back 400 years into the  
history of Panama, brought it up to  
date and concluded with a prediction for  
the future in which the United States  
is to wreck itself on the same rocks  
which founded the French canal  
scheme. Mr. Cromwell was characterized  
as the "nation's despoiler" and he in-  
sinnuated that the president-elect has  
been a party to schemes on the isthmus  
which have been of profit to Mr. Crom-  
well, his personal friends and Charles  
P. Taft, his brother. Sensations have  
become so common in congress of late  
that they have lost their edge and so  
many have had a hand in the pastime of  
spanking the president that a charge  
against the president-elect is regarded  
as a mild affair.

An elderly white-haired man who has  
spent the most productive part of his  
life on a sheep ranch in Montana, the  
benign Senator Carter, of Montana, is  
responsible for the proposition to have  
a road about 200 feet wide from the  
front door of the White House to the  
battle field of Gettysburg with spaces  
along it allotted to each state which  
will be called upon to erect groups of  
statuary on monuments suitable as a  
Lincoln memorial. The proposition sounds  
well. A national memorial to the great  
president is desirable and such a high-  
way might well embody the artistic and  
patriotic sentiment of the people, but  
carried out it might result in such an-  
other group of statuary horrors as may  
be seen in the rotunda of the capitol or  
in some of the squares of Washington.  
Nothing short of physical violence, it  
seems, can eradicate from the American  
mind the love of equestrian statues,  
and the thought of 50 miles of war  
heroes careering and cavorting on im-  
possible horses is one to make the most  
stoical apprehensive. Of course the au-  
tomobiles of New York, Philadelphia,  
Baltimore and Washington are charged  
at the idea of a road surpassing that at  
Daytona for motor racing but artists  
and architects are flooding their mem-  
bers in congress with appeals to leave  
the decision about the adornment of the  
road to those who know something of  
art. Three propositions are before con-  
gress for the construction of a proper  
memorial to Lincoln. One provides for  
the road to Gettysburg, another for a  
monument upon a location south of the  
Washington monument and the third for  
a memorial arch or peristyle between  
the new Union station and the capitol.  
It has also been suggested that the Cap-  
itol grounds be extended and suitable  
monument be placed in them as a  
memorial. D. H. Burnham, the dis-  
tinguished architect, has cabled from  
Europe that a peristyle and a monu-  
mental architectural treatment of the  
entrance way to the Capitol in no mat-  
ter whose name it is erected is demand-  
ed by artistic requirements and it would  
certainly seem to the lay mind a better  
solution of the disturbing problem than  
a half buried statue on the river front  
or even an imitation of an Applan way  
to Gettysburg.

The president, who is not the only ad-  
vocate of large families, but also the  
friend of children, has appeared twice  
this week at the convention which has  
for its object the betterment of the  
condition of dependent and orphan  
children in this country. In his speech  
of welcome to the delegates among  
whom were such widely known philan-  
thropists as Theodore Dieiser, of New  
York, Judge Ben Lindsay, of the Juve-  
nile court in Denver, Judge Julian Mack,  
of Chicago; Miss Jane Addams, of Hull  
House, and many others taking an  
active part in social betterment, the  
president expressed his deep interest in  
the work of looking out for the child-  
ren and urged that "there can be no  
more important subject from the stand-  
point of the nation than that of taking  
care of the children."

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honor of being made a mason at sight.  
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to Cincinnati on February 18 for the  
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### TOWNSHIP ORGANIZATION

It develops, as The Democrat has sus-  
pected, that there exists in the east  
end of this county a very considerable  
sentiment in favor of the township or-  
ganization system for Yakima county  
instead of the proposed alternative of  
county division, for the purpose of form-  
ing a new county below Union Gap.

As this paper has previously pointed  
out, township organization, especially if  
it be put on such a basis as is in vogue  
in Illinois, would give the people of  
the different communities of this county  
a very considerable degree of home rule,  
and that is what the people want. Un-  
der that system each township would  
elect its own assessor, its own highway  
commissioners and its own supervisor.  
The pay of all these petty officials, of  
course, is small, but the custom is to  
fill these township positions with men  
of public spirit in the community who  
take pride and personal interest in its  
welfare, and with such men the salary is  
scarcely a consideration at all. It is  
needless to add that there are such men  
in every community, for if there were  
not a representative form of govern-  
ment in this country would be virtually  
impossible.

Local government should interest the  
average citizen even more than state or  
national government. It is the local  
government that collects from him al-  
ways the major portion of the direct  
taxes that he is forced to pay; it is the  
local government that either gives or  
denies him such needed facilities as  
schools, roads, bridges, etc. Not only  
that but it operates the machinery of  
justice and regulates for the citizen so-  
cial evils and it fixes his tax rate. Cer-  
tainly it is that the closer Mr. Average  
Citizen can keep in touch with his local  
government and influence it along the  
right lines the happier he is apt to be.

Township organization is a long step  
in the direction of home rule. It gives  
to every community the right to settle  
its own local affairs and to each its  
proper proportion of money for public  
improvement, conditioned on the amount  
of taxes paid. Each township has its  
representative on the board of super-  
visors, a sort of local legislature that  
meets two or three times a year and  
exercises jurisdiction over all county af-  
fairs.

It is the best system of local govern-  
ment yet devised in this country and  
has endured the test of time in a num-  
ber of the older states. In Illinois a man  
who would advocate its disuse in order  
to return to the old commissioner sys-  
tem would probably be regarded as a  
fit candidate for the insane asylum.

Township organization is a good thing.  
Let us have it here in Yakima county.  
There is already a law on the statute  
books of this state that permits any  
county to adopt the township system  
by majority vote. At the recent elec-  
tion the people of two counties in this  
state, Clarke and Spokane, voted to  
adopt the township system and are now  
being reorganized under it.

Why can't we do it here in Yakima?

### A FOREIGNER'S WAR STORY

A German naval writer has just per-  
petrated on the public a book entitled  
"The Japanese-American War of 1909." This interesting, if prejudiced, writer  
has scheduled such a war to begin in  
April and to conclude in August of this  
year with the Japs victorious in every  
battle on land and sea, and in possession  
of our entire western coast, as well as  
the Philippines. At the outbreak of the  
war, says this highly imaginative Ger-  
man, the Americans were taken com-  
pletely by surprise and were dumfounded  
to find a Japanese army of 100,000  
trained soldiers, who had been disguised  
as laborers, ready to begin hostilities.  
The first work of this army was to  
destroy all rail connections between the  
Atlantic and Pacific and to capture San  
Francisco and Seattle, placing Japanese  
military governors over each. Finally  
the American government succeeded in  
getting an army of 100,000 men across  
the Rockies but at a point known as  
Hilgard, Ore., at the base of the Blue  
mountains the terrible Japs fell upon  
the defending army and routed it horse,  
foot and dragoons. After this momen-  
tous battle the American government,  
fearing further disorder, sued for peace.  
This was granted by the Japanese gov-  
ernment on the following terms, which  
were gladly accepted by the beaten  
Americans:

Payment of a cash war indemnity of  
two billion dollars; acknowledgement of

Japanese suzerainty over the states of  
Washington, Oregon, California and Ne-  
vada, and the permanent cession of all  
American possessions in the Pacific.  
Truly, a staggering price, concludes this  
self-satisfied writer, for what else could  
the Americans do?

No doubt the wish for such a con-  
summation was father to the thought  
with this particular German, but that it  
reflects the views of any considerable  
number of Germans is unbelievable.  
Foolish as the story may seem to Amer-  
icans, yet it shows plainly what is  
running in some men's minds, and con-  
tains food for sober thought among the  
people of this country. Otherwise such  
a sensational and ridiculous story would  
be too silly for re-production.

President Elliott, of the Northern Pa-  
cific, who made a most clever talk to  
the Yakima business men recently, is  
apparently a diplomat as well as a high  
class railroad executive. No doubt but  
that fact was fully recognized by Jim  
Hill when he picked out Mr. Elliott for  
his present high position. After hearing  
Mr. Elliott one might be led to think  
that his big railroad is having a mighty  
hard time to keep out of the bankrupt  
court, instead of being, as it is, one of  
the best paying roads in America. True  
enough, it was bankrupt twice, in  
1887 and again in 1893, but that was  
under the old management and before  
the days of its reorganization. To say  
that the old crowd of stockholders were  
pretty well cleaned out is to state the  
case only mildly. However, the North-  
ern Pacific throughout its whole history  
has done as much or more than any  
other single agency to settle up this  
great northwest, and president Elliott  
has a right to claim credit for it.

Ole Hanson's anti-race track gambling  
bill got through the house all right,  
thanks to Ole's prodigious energy and  
talking ability, but it struck a snag the  
first thing in the senate by being re-  
ferred to that legislative cemetery, the  
committee on judiciary. But the "Crazy  
Norwegian", as the enemies of the bill  
call him, still keeps up the fight and  
public sentiment ought to sustain him.  
If senator Cameron wishes to truly re-  
present his constituents on that issue  
he will vote to pass that bill, no matter  
what his individual views may be on  
the subject. Racetrack gambling must  
go.

The new state administration, who-  
ever is responsible for it, is clearly a  
factional one. It is said that every ap-  
plicant for a public job who journeys  
to Olympia to see Crown Prince Howard  
is invariably asked the question, "Did  
you vote right," which means did the  
hungry one vote for Cosgrove as first  
choice at the primaries. Of course they  
all answer that they did. But the prince,  
young as he is, knows the ways of po-  
liticians, and never takes the applicant's  
word for it. To be merely a republican  
spoilsman is not enough. The lucky one  
must be a Cosgrove spoilsman.

Senator Newlands, of Nevada, must be  
a very popular man in that state. Hav-  
ing been the popular choice for sena-  
tor he was re-elected the other day  
by a solid vote and without opposition,

even the republican members voting for  
him, although in no wise bound to do  
so. But that was not all. After thus  
honoring Senator Newlands the legisla-  
ture subsequently passed a joint resolu-  
tion presenting the name of Newlands  
as a democratic candidate for the presi-  
dency in 1912. Surely Newlands must  
be a great man to get such a send-off  
as that from his home people.

Terrific demands are being made on  
the present legislature for appropri-  
ations and if all were to be granted the  
aggregate would be over \$10,000,000,  
which is about twice as much as the es-  
timated revenues of the state for the  
preceding two years. The worst thing  
about the situation is that the persons  
representing these different interests and  
institutions invariably club together and  
then hold a mighty club over the law-  
makers. But the legislature should re-  
sist their demands and go slow, for the  
people of this state are already over-  
burdened with taxes.

President-elect Taft has succeeded well  
so far in keeping his own counsel in  
regard to the make-up of his cabinet.  
Apparently T. Roosevelt has not been  
consulted at all as to its choosing and  
in consequence is somewhat piqued at  
his protégé. This fact is made evident  
by the announcement that he has made  
that he will not accompany the new  
president to the White House after the  
inauguration, a courtesy that every out-  
going president is supposed to show his  
successor. There is no doubt but that  
Roosevelt feels offended for some cause.

If Acting Governor Hay has any re-  
spect for the office that he holds he will  
not consent to take his orders from the  
little coterie of politicians who have  
attached themselves to Governor Cos-  
grove. As the Post-Intelligencer well  
says, the acting governor should be gov-  
ernor only by the constitution and the  
statutes, for the people will hold him  
responsible. The truth is that Governor  
Cosgrove and his friends, in order to win  
at the primaries, peddled out all the  
offices in advance, and now the hungry  
ones are all at the pie counter.

Criticism of Senator Cameron's po-  
sition on the local option issue now before  
the legislature hardly comes with good  
grace from the local option radicals of  
his own party. They knew, or had every  
opportunity to know, what his decided  
opinion was on that question, before they  
sent him to Olympia to legislate for  
them. Instead of concealing his opinion  
on that subject he openly expressed it.  
Being triumphantly elected the senator  
has the right to assume that a majority  
of the voters in his district indorse his  
views. If not, why not?

The legislature seems to be almost  
overwhelmed by the woman's suffrage  
lobby and it would not be surprising if  
the law-making body should yield finally  
to the demand for the submission of a  
proposed constitutional amendment to  
give women the right to vote in this  
state. After all why should they not  
vote? We are grinding out thousands  
of new citizens every year from the  
sum of Europe. Yet we refuse the bal-  
lot to those who are the salt of the

earth—the wives and mothers of the  
nation.

Rev. Billy Sunday, with a delegation  
of 120 Spokane boosters, visited Olympia  
this week and the Rev. Billy emphatic-  
ally informed the legislators that it is  
their duty to pass the county unit local  
option bill. "Those of you who don't  
vote for it," declared the baseball evan-  
gelist, "should take a good look at this  
old town of Olympia before you leave,  
because you will never see it again." The  
Rev. Billy may not be highly ornamen-  
tal, but he is pungent and he has the  
ability to sway the minds of men.

Young Mr. Cosgrove, son of his father,  
appears to believe that he by right of  
heredity is at least the acting governor,  
a sort of crown prince, or regent, as it  
were. This audacious young man is  
reported to be very exacting. While  
his official status is merely private sec-  
retary to the acting governor, Hay, the  
real relations of the two is said to be  
directly the opposite, the latter being  
in the humiliating position of taking  
his orders, regarding appointments at  
least, from his private secretary.

Gov. Mead, having been relieved at  
last from his high post, has gone back  
to Bellingham again to make a living  
for himself and family. He has time  
to reflect now that public honors are a  
fleeting thing and in the last analysis  
not so satisfying as he had once thought.  
Truth to say the now ex-governor was  
but a mere accident in the whirligig of  
state politics and probably ought to feel  
satisfied that he had his day at any  
rate. However, we wish him happiness  
and prosperity in private life.

Word comes from Olympia that Hor-  
ticultural Commissioner Huntley is  
slated for removal and that his place  
is to be filled by a well known Walla  
Walla politician of the Ankeny faction.  
From the standpoint of the fruit grow-  
ers of the state such a change, we think,  
is to be deplored. That is a position  
that ought not to be regarded as politi-  
cal spoils to be trafficked in. The fruit  
growers of the state, who feel a personal  
interest in that office, should make a  
most emphatic protest.

The current issue of The Coast, a pop-  
ular Seattle magazine, contains the best  
and most comprehensive description of  
North Yakima and the Yakima valley  
that we have yet seen. It is also pro-  
fusely and beautifully illustrated. The  
number is a credit to Editor Wilhelm as  
well as the several local contributors  
who assisted him in its makeup.

If Mayor Armbruster has anything to  
offer in the way of a solution of the  
city water problem he should announce it  
to a waiting public. The mayor has  
harped on that subject for a long time,  
but there does not appear to be much  
doing since his elevation to office. As  
we said before, the public is waiting  
to see what the mayor has to propose.

Colonel S. J. Harrison is again oc-  
cupying the editorial chair of the Sun-  
side Republican. It is a fair inference  
therefore, that the fur will fly soon.

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That North Yakima business men are attracting attention by the systematic work they are doing in connection with the exploitation of North Yakima and the Yakima valley is evinced by an editorial in the Post-Intelligencer of yesterday which says:

#### Yakima Boosters Boosting.

The Yakima boosters are to have a great representation at the Alaska-Yukon-Pacific exposition. They appreciate to the full the advertising opportunity which open to them, and they will seize it. They propose to have a \$15,000 exhibit at the fair. They have raised the money and will construct a fine building. They will fill in full the space which the fair commissioners will allot to them with the finest products in the fruit and vegetable line which their valley produces, which means as fine as can be found anywhere in the world. If they cannot get as much space as they need, they will fill a few booths on the outside as well. No visitor who is going to see the fair will miss the showing that Yakima has to make.

But the Yakima boosters did not propose to stop with this. They are conducting an extensive advertising campaign through the eastern magazines, and they have appointed committees to board each passenger train during the tourist season and the fair season to distribute literature generally to boost their valley and show what advantages it has to offer for settlers and investors.

These Yakima boosters have the right idea. The expenditures which they are making will do an immense amount toward attracting both people and capital directly. Indirectly, the influence of the work will be fully as strongly felt. Men of ambition, enterprise and energy like to settle in communities where these qualities are already being exhibited. A man of this type would stifle in a slow, easy-going community. When one of them sees the manner in which the Yakima boosters are exploiting their section of the country he recognizes that there is a community of his own kind of people, and he elects to get among them as quickly as possible; that is, if he is looking for a new location.

The other counties in the state will do well if they take up the matter of boosting for new settlers along the lines which Yakima is following so successfully.

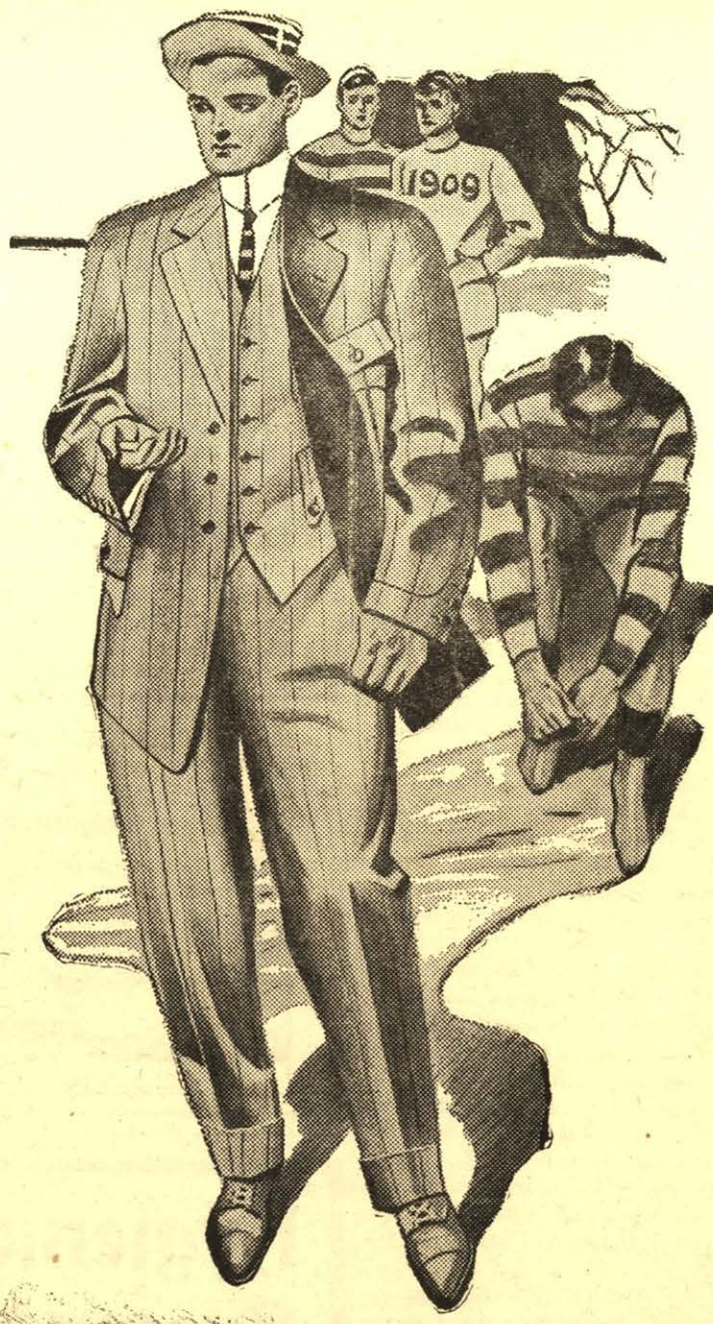
### TO DOUBLE ITS OUTPUT

#### Yakima-Roslyn Fuel Company Adds Machinery to Its Coal Mine Equipment.

The Yakima-Roslyn Fuel company has just received sufficient machinery to double its present output as soon as it can be installed, says the Cascade Miner. Ever since the purchase of this property, a little over a year ago by Marshall and Rose, of North Yakima, the property has been making rapid strides. Teams were at first put on to haul the coal from the mines to the railroad, but the output was necessarily restricted to the number of teams that could be employed and a cheaper means of transportation was necessary. Therefore last spring the erection of a long incline and tipples was begun and was rushed all summer, but it was a mammoth job and it was not until late in the fall that the new incline could be used. The incline and tipples are over a mile in length and the coal trips are let down by means of a big donkey engine and cable where it is dumped directly into the Northern Pacific cars at the tipples. This coal is of a superior quality and the company has had no difficulty in selling every pound they could mine and last fall this additional machinery was ordered to increase the output of the mine, but it has just arrived.

The Yakima-Roslyn Fuel company has a splendid proposition and are improving their opportunities.

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### TRIBUTE TO W. J. REED.

#### Joint Session Passes Resolutions in Memory of Late Senator.

Members of the senate and house of the representatives of the state of Washington joined, Friday afternoon, in joint session at Olympia, in services of tribute to the memory of the late Walter J. Reed who at the time of his death was a member of the senate of this state. The memorial services were held as the outcome of resolutions passed earlier in the session when the day was appointed as a day for the purpose.

W. J. Laube, secretary of the senate, in conformity with directions from the legislature, has forwarded to Mrs. Reed, in this city, copies of the concurrent resolutions, which are as follows:

Text of the Resolutions.

Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 4, by Senator Cameron.

Whereas, In His infinite wisdom divine providence has seen fit to remove from his sphere of activity among us Walter J. Reed, who at the time of his death was a member of the senate of the state of Washington;

Whereas, It is desired to pay special tribute to the memory of Senator Reed on account of his many virtues, his recognized honesty and integrity, his kindness, his admirable qualities of heart and mind, and to express our sympathy to his bereaved family;

Resolved, That in the death of Senator Walter J. Reed the State of Washington suffered a great loss.

Resolved, By the senate, the house of representatives concurring, that in recognition of the valued services rendered his constituency by Senator Reed appropriate services be held in the house chamber Friday, the 29th day of January, at 2 p. m., 1909, and that an opportunity be then given for a tribute to his memory.

Resolved, That a joint committee of

two members of the senate and three members of the house be appointed to arrange said memorial services.

Resolved, That as a further mark of respect to the memory of the deceased, that the secretary of the senate be instructed to transmit a copy of these resolutions, suitably engrossed, to the family of the deceased.

Passed by the senate January 11, 1909.

M. E. HAY,  
President of the Senate,  
Passed by the House of Representatives January 12, 1909.  
L. O. MEIGS,  
Speaker of the House.

### STRANGE LETTERS SENT

#### North Yakima Women Receive Mysterious Missives from Unknown Writer.

A mysterious person in North Yakima is causing several good housewives no small amount of anxiety. He or she, is writing letters to which no signature is attached and the missives contain matter that is capable of bringing sleepless nights to the superstitious one. The letters are evidently written by a religious crank. They contain a prayer and the recipient of the letter is told to read the prayer, ponder over it and then send it to nine different people, one prayer to be sent every day until the nine are disposed of.

The letter says if the prayers are not sent as directed, misfortune and woe will overtake the person refusing to comply with the wishes of the unknown writer. The author of these mysterious letters declares there have been instances of dire calamity having befallen people who refused to send the nine prayers to their friends as the original letter directs.

Several women of the city have received the letters during the past week. Some of them have complied with the commands, rather than look forward to the dreaded ninth day, even though they know in their minds that the idea is that of a wandering intellect. A Baptist church member received one of the letters Tuesday and immediately sought the advice of the Baptist pastor, Rev. F.

C. Whitney. Rev. Whitney said that while prayer is a good thing, he did not believe it worth while for the lady to worry about the letter she had received. He advised her not to send the nine prayers under the circumstances.

### OFFICERS ARE PROMOTED

#### D. C. Henny Made Consulting Engineer for Entire Reclamation Service.

A general promotion of heads of departments of the service of the northwest is being made at this time. D. C. Henny, supervising engineer of the Pacific Coast district, has been promoted to consulting engineer for the entire reclamation service. He has not resigned, as was reported. His first assignment takes him to the island of Porto Rico, to which place he will go some time next month. He will have charge of some special irrigation work there.

Charles W. Swigart, project engineer of the Tieton project of the United States reclamation service, has been promoted to supervising engineer of the projects of the entire state of Washington. Such was the announcement made this morning by Chief Clerk George Mair, of the local branch of the service. Mr. Mair has received no notification regarding Mr. Swigart's successor.

E. G. Hopson, who is at present working with Mr. Henny as supervising engineer of the Pacific Coast district, is promoted to supervising engineer of the projects in Oregon, California and Nevada. Local reclamation people do not know when the above changes will take effect.

Drs. Goodenow & Chase, eye, ear, nose and throat, and the fitting of glasses. Removed from the Mullins building to 304-305 Miller building. Office phone 4286; residence phone 2266.

Cigar Cases at Goldberg's.

### WOMAN WINS CONTEST ON VALUABLE HOLDING

Receiver Steinman of the United States land office in North Yakima has decided in favor of the contestant in the case of Mrs. Lulie Burroughs against W. A. McQuillen of Seattle. Mrs. Burroughs contested McQuillen's right to a homestead claim near Grandview in Benton county, and it was proven by the testimony of McQuillen that he has never established a residence on the land or even claimed to. He pleaded sickness and inability to attend to his holding.

The land in question is valuable. It is claimed that it is worth \$100 an acre. Allen & Wilson appeared for the contestant and C. H. Hinman for the defendant.

### LEWIS ELECTED PRESIDENT.

Convention Must Choose Other Officers of United Mine Workers.

Indianapolis, Feb. 3.—The tellers, who have been canvassing the vote for national officers of the United Mine Workers, reported the result today. Thomas L. Lewis is re-elected by a majority of 16,269 over John Walker of Danville, Ills. None of the candidates for vice president or secretary-treasurer received a majority of the votes and the election is therefore thrown into a convention.

### TAFT COMPLETES INSPECTION

Will Leave Panama for New Orleans Next Sunday.

Culebra, Panama, Feb. 3.—Mr. Taft will have completed the inspection of the entire line of the canal by this evening. Today he will visit the Pacific entrance to the waterway. Mr. Taft will leave Colon for New Orleans Sunday afternoon.

Order Fixing Time of Hearing Final Account and Petition for Distribution and Discharge of Administrator.

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

In the Matter of the Estates of Martin Koreski and Mary B. Koreski, both deceased.

Joseph F. Koreski, administrator de bonis non of the estate of Martin Koreski, deceased, and administrator of the estate of Mary B. Koreski, deceased, having filed in this court his final report and account together with his petition praying that the residue of said estate; now in the hand of said administrator, be distributed to those entitled by law to receive the same and that he be discharged from his trust.

It is now ordered by the court that the said final report and account and said petition be brought on for hearing before the above entitled court at the court room of the court house in the city of North Yakima, Yakima county, Washington, on Tuesday, the 23d day of February, 1909, at the hour of 10 a. m., and all persons interested in said estate be and they are hereby directed to appear before said court at said time and place and show cause, if any there be, why said final account and petition should not be granted; and it is further ordered by the court that notice of time and place of said hearing be given by publishing a copy of this order in the Yakima Democrat, a weekly newspaper printed and published in Yakima county, Washington, and of general circulation therein, for a period of four successive weeks prior to said hearing and by posting the same in

three most public places in said county for a like period of time.

Dated this 20th day of January, 1909.

E. B. PREBLE, Judge.

State of Washington, County of Yakima—ss:

I, A. W. Barr, County Clerk and ex-officio clerk of the Superior Court in and for Yakima county, Washington, do hereby certify that the within and foregoing is a true, full and correct copy of the original order to show cause why the final account and report and petition for distribution and discharge of administrator in the above entitled estates should not be allowed and granted, and notice is hereby given that the same will be brought on for hearing before the above entitled court at the court room of the court house in the city of North Yakima, Yakima county, Washington, on Tuesday, the 23d day of February, 1909, at the hour of 10 a. m., and all persons interested in said estates are hereby notified to appear at such time and place and show cause, if any there be, why the said final report and account and petition should not be granted.

WITNESS my hand and official seal this 20th day of January, 1909.

(SEAL) A. W. BARR,

County Clerk and ex-officio Clerk of the Superior Court of Washington, in and for Yakima County.

By C. ROY King, Deputy.  
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### Contest Notice.

Department of the Interior, United States Land Office, North Yakima Wash., January 16, 1909.

A sufficient contest affidavit having been filed in this office by Clarence Alexander, contestant, against homestead entry No. 3782, serial 0717, made February 4, 1903, for nw 1/4 section 22, township 13 north range 20 E. W. M., by William E. Davidson, contestee, in which it is alleged that said William E. Davidson has failed to maintain a residence on said land as required by law; that he failed to cultivate and improve said land as required by law, and that he has abandoned the said land for more than six months last past. Said parties are hereby notified to appear, respond, and offer evidence touching said allegation at 10 o'clock a. m. on February 26, 1909, before the register and receiver at the United States land office in North Yakima, Wash.

The said contestant having, in a proper affidavit, filed November 27, 1908, set forth facts which show that after due diligence personal service of this notice can not be made, it is hereby ordered and directed that such notice be given by due and proper publication.

ZENAS Y. COLEMAN, Register.

### Notice of Time Appointed for Hearing Final Account and Petition for Final Decree.

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

In the matter of the estate of Amanda S. Druse, deceased.

D. L. Druse, executor of the will of Amanda S. Druse, deceased, having filed in this court his final account and petition for final decree.

It is hereby ordered, that Monday, the 8th day of February, 1909, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon of said day, in the court room at North Yakima, Yakima County, Washington, be, and the same is hereby appointed as the time and place for the hearing and settlement of said account and petition for final decree; and that the clerk of the above entitled court and said executor are hereby directed to give notice of such hearing by causing notices to be posted in at least three public places in Yakima county, Washington, and by causing said notices to be published for four consecutive weeks next preceding the date set for said hearing in the Yakima Democrat, a weekly newspaper printed and published in Yakima county, Washington, and of general circulation in said Yakima county.

Dated this 4th day of January, 1909.

E. B. PREBLE, Judge.

Notice is hereby given pursuant to the above order of the above entitled court that the final account of D. L. Druse, executor of the will of Amanda S. Druse, deceased, has been returned and filed in the above entitled court, and his petition for final decree in said estate has been filed in said court, and that Monday, the 8th day of February, 1909, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon of said day, in the courtroom at North Yakima, Yakima county, Washington, has been duly appointed by the above entitled court as the time and the place for the hearing of said petition and the settlement of said account, at which time any person interested in said estate may appear and file objections and exceptions in writing to said account and said petition and contest the same.

In witness whereof each of the undersigned has hereby set his hand and seal this 4th day of January, 1909.

(Seal.) J. LENOX WARD,  
Clerk of said Superior Court.

D. L. DRUSE,  
Executor of the Estate of Amanda S. Druse, Deceased.

### Notice to Creditors.

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

In the matter of the estate of Annie McLeod, deceased.

Notice is hereby given that any and all persons having claims against the late Annie McLeod, deceased, or against her estate, shall present the same with the proper vouchers at the office of McAlay & Meigs, 516 Miller Building, North Yakima, Washington, the same being the place for the transaction of the business of said estate, within one year from the date of the first publication of this notice, to-wit: Within one year from the 30th day of January, 1909, and unless the same are so presented they will be forever barred.

ALEXANDER M. McLEOD,  
Administrator of the estate of Annie McLeod, deceased. Jan. 30-Feb. 27

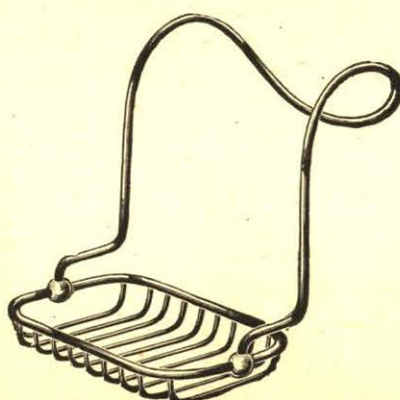
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## CITY AND COUNTY NEWS

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

Jay Keck is taking the winter course at Pullman college.

J. D. Cornett visited Spokane this week leaving Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Steinweg left this week to spend a mid-winter vacation in California.

John Michels and wife leave next Monday to visit at California points for two months.

Personal property taxes for 1908 were due last Monday and will be delinquent after 30 days from that date.

J. M. Brown, having resigned his position as fruit inspector, has associated himself with the Highland Realty Co. Goldendale has a new paper, the Independent, edited and published by Oscar Nelson, an old resident printer of that town.

Thawing by day and slight freezing at night with occasional light showers has been the program for Yakima weather this week.

The city council Monday night ordered a new \$500 home built at the cemetery

as a convenient place of residence for Sexton Johns.

A. J. Splawn returned the first of the week from Seattle, where he shipped a number of his fine white faced cattle to a customer at Honolulu.

A. E. Larson has announced his intention of erecting a two story brick on his lots in the rear of the post office building when spring opens.

George Weddle of the Cowiche has filed with the court a petition for letters of administration on the estate of his father, the late Francis M. Weddle.

A number of leading citizens of the lower valley towns were in the city Friday night of last week to meet President Elliott and party of the Northern Pacific.

Marriage licenses were issued Wednesday to J. D. Cornett and Mrs. Ida Powell of North Yakima, and to Jacob Yohyowan and Miss Alice Lucier of Wapato.

Spring must be coming, a fact that is evidenced by the timely arrival of the usual crop of bums journeying both ways, regarded by the police as an unfailing sign of warmer weather.

S. J. Cameron has petitioned the superior court asking to be appointed administrator of the estate of his brother, the late W. H. Cameron. The estate is said to be of the value of about \$25,000.

Fred Chandler left Sunday night for New York to order a quantity of automobile stock for the new garage, which in company with Lee Tittle, he proposes to establish on West Yakima avenue.

The Democrat has received a limited quantity of 1907 year books as well as some garden seeds through the courtesy of Senator Jones. Our subscribers in the country are welcome to these as long as they last.

Representatives from Wapato, Toppenish, Granger, Grandview and Sunnyside were present at the A.-Y.-P. meeting here Wednesday evening and showed a great deal of interest in the proceedings.

The following officers were elected by the Yakima Trust company: G. S. Rankin, president; H. C. Lucas and M. W. Phillips, vice presidents; C. H. Royce, secretary-cashier, and W. A. Bell, treasurer.

Charles Newman, of Toppenish, was found guilty on the charge of stealing coal from the Northern Pacific in Justice Hunt's court Wednesday. A fine of \$10 and costs was levied, in default of which the prisoner was remanded to jail.

Jesse H. Rose, the well known booster, was here from Seattle this week preparing to plant out two large orchards, one on his Moxee holdings the other near Priest Rapids. He expects to plant in all this spring about 400 acres.

E. K. Brown, the new prosecuting attorney of Kittitas county has started in to enforce the law as to Sunday closing. As a result Roslyn and Cle Elum were "dry" towns last Sunday, probably for the first time in their history.

The smartest baby for it sage that ever happened was presented by Dr. Stork at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. Charles H. Barnes last Sunday morning, January 31. The mother and boy are doing fine and papa is setting 'em up to the good fellows.

Marriage licenses were issued on Tuesday to Thomas W. James and Miss Victoria Z. Gonlet, both of North Yakima; Algernon F. Talcott, of Grandview, and Miss Clara W. Werner, of North Yakima, and Jos. J. Rensing and Miss Nellie L. Spences, both of North Yakima.

Miles Cannon, former manager of the Emporium store, left Yakima Wednesday night for his new home at Caldwell, Ida. He has arranged to go back into the sheep business there, and has purchased 1000 acres of land as an investment, which he thinks will soon be placed under irrigation.

The funeral of the late Will H. Cameron was held at 2 p. m. Sunday afternoon from the undertaking parlors of A. J. Shaw & Sons, and under the auspices of the local lodge of Elks. It was very largely attended, as the deceased had a very large circle of friends. Burial was in Tahoma cemetery.

According to Manager Streitz of the Clearing House association the clearings of the four banks in the association for January were \$1,138,734.10, which is certainly a very good showing for the volume of business done at North Yakima during January, the dullest month in the year.

A committee of Yakima fruit growers, consisting of Edward Remy, M. N. Irish, E. J. Haasze, E. G. Peck and possibly one or two others, will leave tomorrow for Olympia to appear before the legislative committee on horticulture and ask for certain changes in the pending horticultural bill.

M. M. Knuppenberg, a former resident of this city, but now of Oakland, Cal., is here this week. Mr. Knuppenberg has become a deeply religious as well as a wealthy man. He appears to be the financial backer of the new revivalists who have been holding forth day and night this week at Holstein's pavilion.

The funeral of Will H. Cameron, brother of Senator Sam Cameron, was held last Sunday afternoon from the undertaking parlors of A. J. Shaw & Sons. The Elks had charge of the services. The earthly remains were laid to rest in Tahoma cemetery. The funeral was

largely attended by the many friends of the family.

North Yakima will become the distributing point for this valley for Armour & Co. The Seattle representative of this company is here making arrangements for the establishment of a large cold storage plant in which the meats may be stored and from which shipments will be made to all points in this territory.

Large crowds nightly attend the revival meetings being conducted at Holstein's pavilion by Revs. McComb and McInturff. These gentlemen introduced themselves to Yakima people Saturday by a theatrical appearance on the streets employing Nagler's band to entertain the crowd and an automobile as an improvised pulpit.

Enlargements of the Yakima Gas company's plant to cost \$100,000, have been announced by Manager J. J. Brown. The principal changes are to be the addition of a container, with 100,000 cubic feet capacity, a new bench of retorts to double the present capacity of the plant, and the laying of six miles of steel mains within the city limits.

The Cascade Lumber company, which is doing its logging business entirely by contract, is accumulating a large supply of logs at various points along the upper Yakima and tributaries, especially along the Teanaway. The conditions for logging were never better than at this time, and the prospect for a phenomenal drive in the spring is considered good.—Cle Elum Echo.

Reports from Badger are to the effect that no word has been received of the whereabouts of the man Keen whose clothing and railroad ticket were found in the sage brush half a mile from the station over a week ago. Deputy sheriffs and railroad men have patrolled the sagebrush but without result. Right after the man's disappearance there was a chinook which obliterated all marks in the snow and made tracking an impossibility.

The new city administration has begun an active campaign to round up the "fancy" women of the city. A number were taken before Police Judge Wende and fined heavily, while others more disolute in character have been forced to leave the city together with the male parasites who live off their earnings. S. Matsui, the Japanese landlord who was "pinched" the latter part of last week for conducting an immoral house on Chestnut street, still lingers in jail in default of \$600 bail.

Tim Kelly of the Wapato Nursery this week closed a deal with the Henry Brothers of North Yakima for 85,000 fruit trees and 68,000 grape vines to be

used on a big tract of land near North Yakima which the Messrs. Henry will plant to orchard. Kelly's Wapato nursery has become famous throughout the northwest and in addition to a tremendous business in handling the ordinary every day trade incident thereto has corralled this season a big proportion of the extraordinarily heavy orders required for planting large tracts.—Wapato Independent.

### January "Coast" Is Fine.

The Coast Magazine for January, which made its appearance last week, affords what is probably the best advertising the great Yakima country has ever had. Its 100 pages are replete with concise information covering the entire country and are beautifully illustrated with appropriate half tones of excellent design.

We note the following local contributors of special articles: A. J. Splawn, John V. Ellis, Jr., W. H. Redman, S. J. Cameron, Ralph B. Williamson, H. P. James, George Donald, H. Stanley Coffin, George S. Rankin, I. H. Dills, Rev. M. L. Rose, John B. Maher, L. O. Jan-

eeck, O. A. Fechter, Lee A. Johnson, H. M. Gilbert, S. J. Harrison, J. A. Humphrey, W. T. Elwell, Alex E. McCredy, J. E. Boyle and James H. Fraser. A number of articles unsigned are also published, the authors being presumably too modest to allow their names to appear.

President Elliott while here was much impressed with the magazine and commended it highly.

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E. W. DOOLY

The Glass Blowers' union at San Francisco, at its last meeting discussed ways by which to revive the glass blowing industry and discourage the importation of bottles made in foreign countries. A committee of three was appointed to bring the matter before organized labor, with a view of starting an agitation in favor of home products.



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