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**L**IQUID air, so called, is the latest great discovery of science and if it contains even a fraction of the force that is claimed for it, it bids fair to eclipse steam and even electricity as a motive power. To Charles E. Tripler, a machinist, of New York, is due the honor of first discovering the new power and also for the invention of a new machine with which to apply it. The April number of the Century contains an elaborate account of Tripler's great discovery which is well worth a perusal. Briefly stated, Mr. Tripler takes 800 gallons of ordinary air and by compression and cold reduces it to one gallon of liquid air, a fluid that resembles glycerine in appearance and retains its form at a temperature of 312 degrees below zero. As it warms, it expands into vapor and then into air just as water is expanded into steam by heat. By controlling this expansion the inventor proposes to furnish a new motive power for the use of transportation companies on land and sea, for factories, furnaces and every other purpose for which steam and electricity are now used. Mr. Tripler claims that the new force can be used with no more difficulty and at a cost of over two-thirds less than steam. He now proposes to put it to practical use. The inventor has performed some wonderful experiments with this strange liquid which illustrate its extreme temperature. A potato placed in it for the space of two or three minutes was taken out and dashed upon the floor where it broke into a thousand crystals. Copper, iron and steel immersed in this wonderful fluid crumbled like pie crust. With the necessary facilities liquid air can be manufactured very cheaply. There seems to be ample reason for believing that the new agent will within a comparatively short time supersede both steam and electricity as the motive power of the world. This is indeed an age of great discoveries.

**O**NE certain result that will grow out of the wars with Spain and the Philippines, will be a largely augmented pension list—a list that already approximates about \$150,000,000 annually. Veterans of the Cuban campaign are evidently losing no time in making application, for the com-

missioner of pensions is authority for the statement that his office is already considering the appeals of 398 members of the 34th Michigan regiment, 352 from the First District of Columbia, 319 of the 8th Ohio, 319 of the 33rd Michigan and 317 of the Second Massachusetts and a lesser number of others from numerous other regiments. The above named regiments, it is explained, took little or no part in the active work in the campaign about Santiago; their disabilities in fact are attributed almost entirely to the ravages of disease during their service, which some applicants assert entirely unfits them for the performance of their old time duties. It is confidently anticipated by the pension office that the close of the volunteer campaign in the Philippines will very largely increase the number of applications as the mortality will undoubtedly be much greater than in the Cuban campaign, both as regards loss of life in battle and death by disease. The American people have ever been generous to their defenders when it comes to granting pensions and the great majority desire that every worthy veteran or dependant relatives, of the Spanish and Filipino wars should have one, but it is unquestionably a fact that the roll would not be near so great had the management of the war department been in more capable hands. That Algiers "canned beef" and other rotten rations was primarily the cause of the death or disability of thousands of soldier boys, is now the common belief of the American people.

**P**OOOR old China, weighted down with silly superstition and ridiculous customs that belong to antiquity, can now only plead or growl, as the spirit moves her, when one of the robber nations of Europe give her a careless kick or make a fresh demand upon her for a strip of her best territory. The war with Japan convinced the world of the fatal weakness of China and the European nations were quick to profit by it. In fact the shrewd "heathen Chinese" is quick to see that the only protection his country has from total dismemberment, is the jealousies that exist among his despoilers. It will be a strange thing, indeed, if the American imperialists are to continue in control of our government, if the United States does not yet take a hand in the partition and come in for her share of the spoils. With the first step taken from our time-honored policy, through the conquest of the Philippines, the next, which will mean the invasion of China, will be much easier. We can justify ourselves in such an act by the reflection that others are likewise committing theft, and the fact that the Chinese, unlike the Filipinos, lack the patriotism to fight for their liberty. It is possible, however, that time may bring its revenge to the Chinese. Four hundred

millions of such people, when schooled in the ways of western civilization, may, as an industrial force, be able to accomplish what they are now powerless to do—overwhelm their conquerors through the peaceful pursuits of trade, and instead of remaining the servants, become the masters of the world. Such an outcome is not impossible.

**T**HE question of voting more bonds to build a new school house in this city is one that should receive the careful consideration of every voter. Yakima, like most western communities, ran recklessly into debt in past years, and the taxpayers have been groaning under the heavy burden ever since. The general proposition of mortgaging the future for everything we want is at best a questionable policy, although in some cases it is probably justifiable. In the present case, however, it is evident that something must be done to provide more room for the increasing attendance—everyone agrees to that; but after that point is reached opinions differ. One faction, headed, apparently, by the school board, insists on a new building costing from \$12,000 to \$20,000—which will bring the district up to its full limit of indebtedness. The other faction is likewise willing to vote bonds, but insists that one-half or less, of the above amount is all that is necessary. They assert that the money should be used in building a substantial addition to the Columbia building, which many people, rightly or wrongly, consider to be in an unsafe condition. Whether or not there is any foundation for this belief, it is working an injury to the school, as some parents refuse to send their children there. The advocates of the latter plan ask that the two propositions be submitted to the people without prejudice for their decision. The school board certainly cannot afford to grant less than this, since they have, over their own signatures, gone into print and asked for an expression of public opinion.

**S**OME people are wasting their time in glibly talking about the possibility of trading off the Philippines to England for some few little islands which that country claims in the West Indies. While the English are free to admit that their islands are of doubtful value, they are not such suckers as to trade them off for anything as hot as the Philippines. "Mother" England was never known to buy a war. She knows very well that the Filipinos can be whipped, but that they won't stay whipped. She has no desire to repeat Spain's history during the past three hundred years. Since her experience with the late George Washington, England prefers to do her plundering where people are not so fond of "scrapping." Still it is barely possible that she might consent to the trade if she were offered twenty million to boot.

# WASHINGTON LETTER.

(From Our Regular Correspondent.)

WASHINGTON, APRIL 3RD., 1899.

A bomb was exploded in administration circles by a prominent New York republican who came to Washington for the purpose, when it was announced that Gov. "Teddy" Roosevelt was in the field for the republican presidential nomination, next year, and that there was an understanding between "Teddy" and Gen. Miles, who has been credited with entertaining a similar ambition himself. Some of Mr. McKinley's friends appear to think that he is bound to be renominated and re-elected, but those of them who are long-headed and who have had experience in politics, do not look at things that way; they know that both Roosevelt and Miles have qualities which are calculated to arouse the enthusiasm and support of the young men in their party, and that with good management a combination of their following might give the Hanna-McKinley machine a hard fight, if not an actual throw-down. If this announcement is straight, Boss Platt must have failed in his efforts to keep "Teddy" off the McKinley track.

With all Czar Reed's faults and he has enough and to spare, he has never been a sneaky fighter, which is more than can be said for the administration crowd, which is afraid to come out in the open and try to defeat Reed for the speakership, but is engaged in trying to bluff him into not being a candidate, by stating that the administration has determined to throw its influence for Reed, but with the express understanding that the rules of the next house shall be changed so as to cut out all the Czar business. The idea is that Reed would not care to be speaker, if he is to be shorn of the autocratic power he has wielded. This is on a par with the talk which has at times been heard ever since Reed first became speaker, about republicans who were going to unite with the democrats to change the rules and curtail the power of the speaker. They never did so, and if the republicans elect Reed speaker of the house again, as they will almost surely do, he will be the same old Czar.

Mr. McKinley has apparently at last become aroused to the danger, to his own political fortunes, of retaining Alger in his cabinet, and, unless all the political "wise men" are at fault, the "Ex" is hot on the trail of Alger and cannot fail to catch up with him very soon. It has been, these men say, fully determined by Boss Hanna and the other directors of the administration machine that Alger must go. They prefer that he should do so willingly, but if he declines to tender his resignation without being requested by Mr. McKinley to do so, Mr. McKinley will make that request. From a strictly selfish point of view, democrats would prefer that Mr. McKinley should keep Alger in the cabinet, for then it would be impossible for the administration to deny responsibility for Algerism and all its horrors, but democrats are too patriotic to wish to see a man filling the responsible office of Secretary of war, who deserves to be kicked out, just to make political capital for their party; they wish, above everything else, to see the affairs of the government properly administered, and know that they will not be in the war department, as long as Alger is at its head.

A group of army officers were discussing the cost and results of the campaign of General Otis against the Filipinos, which has just closed with the taking of Aguinaldo's capital, and the driving of him and his army into the interior, when one of them said: "For my part, I don't

think the game worth the candle. After a considerable loss of life, we have the Philippine insurgents just where the Spaniards had them. That is, we have possession of the coast and all of the towns and they are in the interior. It is true, that if we start after them, our per suit will be very different from that of the Spaniards, and that in the end American grit is bound to win, and we shall succeed in killing, capturing or subduing them all, but it will be no picnic I assure you, and I know what the country is; we shall pay dear—far too dear I think—for our triumph over them."

## No Right to Ugliness.

The woman who is lovely in face, form and temper will always have friends, but one who would be attractive must keep her health. If she is weak, sickly and all run down, she will be nervous and irritable. If she has constipation or kidney trouble, her impure blood will cause pimples, blotches, skin eruption and a wretched complexion. Electric Bitters is the best medicine in the world to regulate stomach, liver and kidneys and to purify the blood. It gives strong nerves, bright eyes, smooth velvety skin and rich complexion. It will make a good-looking, charming woman of a run-down invalid. Only 50 cents at Louis O. Janek's drug store.

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Cow Beef	.....3 50@4 00
Veal, dressed	.....60@6 25c
Hogs, dressed	.....55 50
Mutton, prime	.....4c

### POULTRY.

Chickens, per doz	.....\$3 00@3 50
Turkeys, live	.....10c

### GRAIN.

Wheat, blue stem	.....51
Wheat, club	.....48
Oats, per ton, new	.....\$23 00
Barley, per ton	.....\$21 00
Corn, per bu	.....55
Flour, Puritan, per sack	.....85
Blue Bell, per sack	.....80
Flour, 3X Baker, per sack	.....75
Whole wheat flour	.....85
Hay, Timothy, baled, per ton	.....\$7 50@8 50
Hay, Alfalfa, per ton	.....\$5 50@6 00
Hay, Clover, per ton	.....\$7 00

### PRODUCE.

Butter, ranch, per roll	.....40c
Butter, creamery, per roll	.....50c
Cheese, native	.....15c
Eggs, per doz	.....12 1/2c
Wool, per lb	.....90@10c
Cabbage	.....2 1/2c
Hops	.....13c
Potatoes, per ton	.....\$25 00@27 00
Apples, per box	.....85c

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#### Jefferson Day Banquet.

The following is the program of the Jeffersonian banquet at the Hotel Tacoma on Thursday evening.

"The Day We Celebrate," W. H. White.

"Jefferson and Popular Government," Governor J. R. Rogers.

"All Just Powers of Government are Derived from the Consent of the Governed," Colonel J. J. Anderson.

"The United States Senate," George Turner.

"Jeffersonian Bimetallism," W. C. Jones.

"Equal Opportunities, Equal Responsibilities, Equality Before the Law," Jere Neterer.

"The Jeffersonian Press," A. J. Blethen.

"Agriculture the Basis of All Wealth," Augustus High.

"A Standing Army is a Menace to Civil Institutions," F. A. McDonald.

"Jefferson and the University," Clark Davis.

"Jefferson and a Public Office," John T. Condon.

"The Pioneer in Politics," Stephen Judson.

"The National Guard of Washington," General E. H. Fox.

"The Young Man in Politics," Thomas M. Vance.

Responses of not to exceed five minutes each were heard from the following on subjects of their own choosing:

Lieutenant Governor Daniels, Senator Biggs, Robert Bridges, E. K. Pendergast, J. H. Todd, John T. Slater, F. S. Lewis, J. T. Ronald, Senator T. J. Miller, James F. McElroy, P. M. Troy, Rice Rowell, J. J. Carney, William Blackman.

#### Yakima City Items.

Most everyone is busy now plowing and preparing their gardens.

Rev. Ed Baker, of the M. E. church intends holding a week of revival meetings beginning next Monday evening. Rev. Smith, of Ellensburg, will be here to assist in the meetings.

The city councilmen have passed a herd law which will be enforced after May 4th.

The railroad company is building a new switch near the depot. They have six or eight teams at work grading.

Rev. Ira Kimmel, of the Christian church at North Yakima, was down to fill his appointment last Sunday. He preached a much appreciated sermon to a large congregation.

A number of our people have been suffering from severe colds, but we are glad to report all are now recovering.

Mr. McCrosky has moved his family down to Prosser where they expect to make their future home. M.

#### His Life Was Saved.

Mr. J. E. Lilly, a prominent citizen of Hannibal, Mo., lately had a wonderful deliverance from a frightful death. In telling of it he says: "I was taken with typhoid fever, that ran into pneumonia. My lungs became hardened. I was so weak I couldn't even sit up in bed. Nothing helped me. I expected to soon die of consumption, when I heard of Dr. King's New Discovery. One bottle gave great relief. I continued to use it, and now am well and strong, I can't say to much in its praise. This marvellous medicine is the surest and quickest cure in the world for all throat and lung trouble. Regular sizes 50 cents and \$1. Trial bottles free at Louis O. Janeck's drug store; every bottle guaranteed."

#### Conversion By Powder.

Rev. Dr. Wayland Hoyt, of Philadelphia, has been safely delivered of the following sentiments:

"Christ is the solution for the difficulty regarding national expansion. There never was a more manifested providence than the waving of Old Glory over the Philippines. The only thing we can do is to thrash the natives until they understand who we are. I believe every bullet sent, every cannon shot, every flag waved, means righteousness. When we have conquered anarchy then is the time to send the Christ there."

This is a frank declaration of the feeling of very many religious people. They think the Filipinos need our form of Christianity. Since they object to becoming subjects of our government, obstinately insisting on ruling themselves, Dr. Hoyt and other good people would shoot them down by thousands until they despair and submit. Then we shall send to them missionaries, to tell them of the infinite love and mercy of Christ. It is a truly blessed plan of converting the heathen. It simplifies the process beautifully. Anyone can see that after enough of the natives are killed off to strike terror into those who remain, these will be ripe for the quiet reception of the gospel. Bullet and shell are the advance agents of conversion, the heralds of righteousness. But one cannot help wondering what the meek and lowly Christ, if he were here, would say to Dr. Hoyt.—Tacoma News.

#### Volcanic Eruptions

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#### The Canker Worm.

The canker worm has in some seasons done much harm to apple trees, and when its ravages have been unchecked for two or three years it has even killed the trees. There are two kinds of canker worms—one form deposits its eggs during October and November upon the twigs of the apple trees, while the other appears during warm spells in late winter and early spring. The female moths are wingless, and as they have passed their pupal form in the ground the only way they can reach the branches is by crawling up the trunks of the trees. Some endeavor to trap the moths as they ascend the trees by placing bands of paper about the trunk and smearing them with printers' ink or tar. Others use various other bands and traps, but to be effectual they must be applied before the moths ascend the tree and must be kept in a condition to act as a barrier whenever the ground is not frozen from October to May. As this is a serious task and as, even at the best, some of the insects may evade the traps, the principal reliance is upon persons spraying with arsenites.

#### The Jonathan Apple.

The Jonathan is pre-eminently an apple for dessert use in the fresh state, and by its beauty and convenient size is particularly adapted for sale in small lots from stands and stores for immediate consumption. It is a late autumn or early winter variety, except in the more northern districts, and is inclined to wilt and wrinkle in ordinary storage after New Year's, but in cold storage it is successfully held to a much later date. Because of its tender flesh and thin skin special care in picking, handling and packing is imperative in marketing the Jonathan. It is easily bruised, and its market value is materially lessened by careless handling.

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## PERSONAL

Nick McCoy left on Thursday for a two weeks visit in Victoria.

Hon. Ira P. Englehart left for the sound Thursday evening.

Dr. Gunn left for the sound Thursday night on state fair business.

Mrs. C. T. Dulin left on Tuesday for a few days visit with friends in Prosser.

E. W. Dooley returned Wednesday night from a business visit to the sound.

Chet Hovey, the prosecuting attorney of Kittitas county spent Sunday in Yakima.

Rev. S. C. Butcher, of Ellensburg, was the guest of Elder Ira W. Kimmel over Sunday.

G. M. Allen has been engaged this week in seeding on his ranch lately purchased, near Zillah.

Attorney Snively left for Ellensburg Thursday evening to appear in court there on the following day.

J. J. Wiley and brother returned on Wednesday from a horse back trip to the south half of the Colville reservation.

Mrs. W. Bunsch, of Bucoda, is visiting with her daughter, Mrs. P. Frank during the doctors absence in California.

John Michels, the popular host of the Hotel Bartholet has been very ill for several days, but is now convalescent.

W. M. Badger will leave in a few days for Farmer, Douglas county, where he expects to spend the summer in contracting.

Thos. Lund left for Tacoma on Wednesday to participate in the Jeffersonian banquet which was held the following day at the Tacoma hotel.

P. T. Contine, of the Selah, has received the contract from the railroad company to repair the damages done to the Taylor ditch.

Frank Jordan left on Tuesday for Tacoma to attend the grand lodge of the A. O. U. W. having been elected as a delegate from the local lodge.

Mrs. Wm. Shearer left on Monday for Tacoma where she expects to undergo a course of medical treatment. She has been in bad health for some time.

Harry C. Benson left on Thursday for Prosser to assume a position under his brother, E. F. Benson, who is now general manager of the Prosser Irrigation Co.

H. V. Bonniwell, a brother-in-law of M. L. Matterson, arrived last week from Minneapolis to take a look at the Yakima country and will probably conclude to remain here.

Geo. Biehn and family have returned home from Racine, Wis., where they have resided for over a year. They are pleased to be back and will probably remain in Yakima.

J. C. Fleming and wife, of Arcadia, Or., John Kays and family and M. E. Arthur and family, of Arlington, Or., arrived on Monday and are guests of the Bartholet. They expect to settle in this valley.

F. J. Sherwood, of West Concord, Minn., arrived on Saturday to visit his brother, C. A. Sherwood. He reports an extremely long and cold winter in that state, there being good sleighing there on April 3rd.

P. R. Kelsey, of Mankato, Minn., and W. J. Tippard, of Salida, Col., arrived on Friday to look for homes in the Yakima country.

Mr. James Horn and bride who was formerly Miss Fannie Smith of this city, are Yakima visitors this week—having come here to spend their honeymoon. Their future home will be at Portage La Prairie Manitoba, where Mr. Horn is engaged in railroading.

Sam Chappell, one of the pioneers of this valley, has sold his home place to H. M. Richards, of Kennewick, and his Parker ranch to E. O. Keck and has purchased the Jewell cottage on Front street for a residence, he may possibly again go in to business in this city.

Wm. Mead, of Parkersburg, Iowa, and sister, Mrs. Bolser, of LaMars, in the same state, who have been visiting here with their brother, C. S. Mead, left for home on Tuesday accompanied by their venerable father N. P. Mead who will spend the summer with them.

Cowbatt, an old Chinaman who lived all alone in a squalid shack west of town was found dead in his house on Saturday. The funeral was held on Sunday, but for some reason was not attended by any of his countrymen, thus leaving the undertaker and sexton as the sole mourners.

Hon. John L. Sharpstein, of Walla Walla. Sheriff Mills, of Pierce county, and Col. A. P. Tugwell editor of the Tacoma Sun were taking in Yakima on Thursday having come in on a freight train from Pasco. These gentlemen were all passengers on the train that was derailed on the Walla Walla branch Wednesday evening.

F. E. Blakeslee died at the Pettit lodging house early Sunday morning from the effects of quick consumption. The deceased came recently from Chicago to find a milder climate and was brought to this city by his sister, Mrs. G. O. Guy, the wife of the well known druggist of Seattle. The remains were taken to Seattle for interment.

John Goodwin returned on Tuesday by team from Lewiston where he went a few weeks ago in company with Ed Bland. Mr. Goodwin reports that Lewiston owing to railroad building up the Clearwater and the rush for the Buffalo Hump mining country, is experiencing a great boom. Over 1000 men are encamped there waiting for the snow to go off, many of whom are already short of the necessities of life.

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Men's Fedora Hats.....	\$1 00 1 25
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## Local News

The work of laying the cement walk at the depot was begun on Wednesday.

Don't fail to attend the Shakespeare party given under the auspices of the W. R. C. at Allen's hall to night.

The infant child of Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Sperry died on Tuesday night after a prolonged illness. The funeral occurred on Thursday at 2 p. m.

John Michels has bought out the interest of his partner, J. H. Timm in the Hotel Bartholet and will hereafter conduct the business alone.

THE DEMOCRAT job office has just received a large stock of new stationery and is prepared to fill any kind of an order for commercial printing.

Do not fail to attend the pleasing entertainment that will be given Monday night by the Chicago Lady Quartette. Each member of the aggregation is an artist.

The old Lillie house on Front street has this week received a new covering of rustic besides a general over hauling, which gives it a more modern appearance.

The westbound through trains have all been delayed this week, caused by the ice gorge and overflow of the Yellowstone river in Montana, which caused a washout of the track.

The Yakima Mill Co. this week completed some extensive improvements on their fine property, which included some needed new machinery for the mill and 500 feet of new fluming for the power ditch.

Mrs. M. E. Graves, a lecturer of the W. C. T. U., expects to be in North Yakima on the evenings of the 15th and 16th of May, to address the people on subjects relative to the work of the union. Further notice will be given later.

The Cascade Mill Co. composed of Messers Stone and Thompson have finished their new saw mill on the south fork of the Cowiche and having laid in a good supply of logs during the past winter, are now prepared to fill orders for rough or dressed lumber.

Commissioner Howlett, Deputy Marshal Dilley, Marshal Grant and "man catcher" Willhite left for Spokane on Monday, taking with them nine alleged law breakers who will be tried before Judge Hanford. All are accused of selling whiskey to Indians.

Last weeks Seattle Herald contained a letter from Ralph H. Moulton a young soldier in the Philippines, to his brother Robert W. Moulton, the well known single tax advocate of Seattle. These two young men are the sons of Gary H. Moulton and were reared to manhood in this city.

The gradual decline in the price of wool for the past several months has meant a heavy loss to a number of local sheepmen, especially such as still hold their last years clip. Wool which would have brought 13 and 14 cents eleven months ago, is now worth but 8 to 9. S. J. Cameron ascribes the slump to the fact of heavy importations of African cotton into the United States which so closely resembles American wool as to be used successfully as a counterfeit for it. When skillfully mixed with wool it is said to form a composition that deceives even experienced wool buyers.

The ladies of the order of the Eastern Star, gave a delightful party at the lodge room on Thursday evening. Music and dancing were the order of the evening.

City Attorney Snyder on Thursday filed the papers bringing suit against ex-City Treasurer Pressy and bondsmen. A separate suit has been instituted to recover the shortage existing for the different years of 96-97-98.

Services at the Christian church on Sunday conducted by the pastor Rev. Ira W. Kimmel. Sermon in morning will be addressed to those who are discouraged or troubled. At night topic will be,—"Womans Opportunities In Modern Life." The ladies are especially invited to come. Song service.

The railroad surveyors who were here a few weeks ago are said to be laying out a line of definite location between Spokane and the Columbia river. The proposed road it is claimed will be built and operated as an independent line. Those in a position to know assert that Yakima will have a chance to secure the road by offering some needed concessions. Portland capital is believed to be behind the enterprise.

The "Mikado" company left for Ellensburg on Saturday 42 strong and played that night to a fairly good house in the Windy City. As their expenses were quite heavy there is a well grounded suspicion abroad that the troupe came out a little "in the hole." A most enjoyable time was had in the Burg, however, and individual members speak highly of the considerate and courteous treatment received.

Superior court was in session Monday and Tuesday, most of the time being consumed by the attorneys in their arguments in the Wenas water case. Two divorces were granted by his honor on Tuesday one being to George Donald from Clara E. Donald on the ground of incompatibility of temper and the other to Mabel Fry from Claude Fry on the ground of failure to provide. The regular term of court will begin on Monday. The jury will be called on Tuesday.

We are indebted to Mr. John McPhee for a copy of the Montreal Daily Star of March 23rd, which contains a long account of the trial of "Pegleg Brown" at London, Ont., for the murder of a police officer in that city. Brown has since been convicted and sentenced to hang on May 17th. He has the reputation of being an extremely dangerous man. He regaled his captors with wonderful stories of his prowess and adventures here in Yakima. Brown's nativity is pretty badly mixed as he declared on the stand that his father was half white and half Indian, while his mother was half negro and half Mexican. With such a pedigree it is but little wonder that the son turned out a murderer.

Mayor Fechter has received a communication from the national monument committee, an organization in New York that is endeavoring to raise funds for the erection of a national memorial to the martyrs of the battleship Maine and to all who died in the service of the government during the late war with Spain. The committee through its circular letter suggests that May 1st, be celebrated as "Dewey Day," that public exercises be held at which an admission fee be charged, the amount realized to be remitted to the association. As an incentive, the town or city remitting the largest amount in proportion to population, should receive an ancient brass cannon, which Admiral Dewey siezed from the natives a few months ago and presented with his compliments to the association.

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## Cream of the Telegraph

The trial of Ex-Senator Quay and son was begun at Philadelphia on the 10th.

Two more Philippine towns Lumbang and Pagsajan fell into the hands of Gen'l. Lawton's brigade on the 11th.

The trial of Mrs. George for the killing of Geo. D. Saxton a brother-in-law of President McKinley is now on at Canton, Ohio.

Fish Commissioner McGuire and State Senator Reed, of Oregon, were drowned on the 9th, in the North Umpqua river in that state.

An ice gorge in the Yellowstone river at Glendive, Montana, the night of the 9th, caused that stream to overflow, drowning nine persons.

A Manila dispatch of the 10th states that Gen'l. Lawton has won a decisive victory over the Filipinos and captured Santa Cruz, a rebel stronghold.

The majority of the regulars that are being enlisted to send to the Philippines are said to be raw recruits and will be unfit for duty for some time to come.

President McKinley on the 11th, gave out his list of 10 appointments at large to the West Point Military academy. The appointees are mostly sons of army officers.

The transport Scandia arrived at San Francisco on the 8th, from Manila bringing 64 discharged soldiers and the remains of four officers who were killed in battle.

By a collision at sea, off the coast of Tripoli, between the British steamer Kingswell and a Greek ship named The Maria, the latter was sunk and 45 people lost.

A desperate riot occurred on the 10th, at Pana, a mining town of Ills., between citizens and colored miners. Seven people were killed and nine seriously wounded.

Public opinion in Manila, according to late dispatches is practically unanimous in the belief that it will require 100,000 American soldiers to command peace in the Philippines.

Asst. Secretary of war Meikle John, of Nebraska, has received the honor of Knighthood from the king of Sweden, but the constitution of the U. S. bars him from accepting it.

Fire destroyed the palatial home of Wallace C. Andrews in New York early on the morning of the 8th, and Mr. Andrews and 12 other persons were burned to death in the building.

It is believed in government circles that the officers of the German warships in the harbor of Apia, fomented the late uprising in Samoa and furnished the rebels with ammunition.

The final exchange of ratifications between the government of the United States and Spain took place at Washington on the 11th. The twenty million dollars was paid to Spain through a draft on New York.

Stephen J. Field ex-judge of the supreme court of the U. S. died at his home in Washington on Sunday aged 82 years. He was appointed to the supreme bench by President Lincoln and served over 34 years.

Many natives in the interior of Porto Rico are said to be actually starving owing to the failure of the coffee crop and the ruinous competition of Brazil in that staple. The U. S. government has been appealed to for relief.

President McKinley has named the 12 new warships recently provided for by congress as follows; Armored cruisers—West Virginia, Nebraska and California. Cruisers—Denver, Des Moines, Chattanooga, Galveston, Tacoma and Cleveland. Battleships—Pennsylvania, New Jersey and Georgia.

### State Fair Commission Meeting.

The state fair commission met at the office of the secretary, in North Yakima, last Monday and continued in session during Tuesday. The work was devoted chiefly to revising the premium list for 1899 and arranging for extending the buildings and repairing the grand stand. It was decided to increase the premiums on all classes of farm, orchard and ranch products and the offers for exhibition of stock were doubled over last year. This was done to encourage the growing of more blooded stock throughout the state.

One important change in the premium list of last season is the offer of four prizes for the best display of farm products grown upon any one farm in the state, and a similar premium for the largest and best display of fruits grown by one individual. This of course does not prevent the showing of single varieties, for which liberal prizes are to be given, but is done to encourage growers in making choice and large displays.

The commission is fully organized and prepared to make the fair a grand success. Efforts will be made to get special premiums from the manufacturers and dealers in agricultural implements and farm machinery. The stock growers will be pleased to learn greater consideration will be given their exhibits and numerous special prizes are already in sight for those having good stock for exhibition. Several hundred letters will be sent out by Secretary Gunn within the next few days and every man interested in making the fair a success will be invited to participate.

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### LESSONS IN JOURNALISM.

Joel Shomaker, the well known practical western writer, gives ten written lessons in journalism by mail. He studies the education, character and disposition of every pupil, and writes just what is needed for the reporter, correspondent, editor and author. He gives instructions on preparing and selling manuscripts; suggests local and general markets for literature, and prepares the pupil for active practical work. His lessons on "How to Run a Newspaper" is alone worth the price of the ten weeks' course. Write him at North Yakima, Washington, for full information.

Thomas has some stunners in the way of new spring goods. You ought to see them.

Rex brand hams 12½ cents at Kinsey & Co.'s.

Another invoice of our choice teas and coffees on the way. Kinsey & Co.

Wanted—by a middle aged woman, position as house keeper for widower with no small children, address Ida Foster North Yakima, Wash. 2t-29

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# State Press Comment.

Senator Depew receives a salary of \$50,000 per year from the Vanderbilts and \$5,000 from the United States government. His services are certainly ten times more valuable to the Vanderbilts than to Uncle Sam—the ratio indicates.—Seattle Herald.

The new and very important question of imperialism is being put in shape without the people being given an opportunity to pass upon it. This is a weak point in our system. The public are not even informed of the actual policy of the administration, and can only guess at it by watching events. Yet this is called a government by the people.—Tacoma News.

There have been more righteous wars than the one against the poor Filipinos. They were only struggling for liberty and the right to rule themselves. It seems a pity to send our best youth there to be slaughtered, and sicken and die in a hostile climate, in a war against a people trying to gain the right to breathe their own air, to till their own fields, and to be taxed for their own institutions and by their own consent.—Vancouver Register.

Congressman Dolliver remarked; during the closing days of the recent congress, that, inasmuch as the democrats claim to have dragged the republican party into the Spanish war, they ought to patriotically support the administration until peace is conquered in the Philippines. Champ Clark promptly replied that "we dragged you into the war to free a neighboring people struggling bravely for liberty; you are dragging us into a war to enslave a distant people who are also struggling bravely for liberty.—Aberdeen Herald.

The Republican party has for the last forty years been legislating in favor of and doing everything in their power to build up the trusts. In their next platform they will introduce into their platform a plank from the Democratic platform, "opposition to trusts," if not even stronger terms. Wait and listen to the Republican howl against trusts in the next campaign. They begin to see that the working man has dropped onto the racket that trusts don't increase wages.—Localizer.

It is doubtful if the farmers of Washington are aware of the amount of money sent out of the state for the purchase of the small, white navy bean. The farmers of California supply the people of this state with about \$30,000 worth of them annually. In that state they net the grower \$30 a ton. Now, there is no doubt the farmers of Washington can grow cleaner and better beans than can be raised anywhere else on the coast, and there is no reason why they should not supply the home demand. The farmer who doesn't know how to grow beans should quit farming and hunt for a job on a railroad, and the farmer who won't raise beans when there is a good demand for them at a fair price is too hopeless a case to be worth arguing with.—Post Intelligencer.

Certain Republican newspapers, notably the Tacoma Ledger and St. Paul Pioneer Press, are publishing a cartoon, showing Mr. Trust, resplendent in diamonds, puffing away on a four-bit cigar and leaning contentedly on a walking stick labeled PROTECTION. The republican elephant comes shambling up the road, with breeches on hindsides foremost, while on the seat of the pantaloon is inscribed "56th Congress." Scene number two shows the republican elephant knocking the PROTECTION prop

from under Mr. Trust, and he is falling to earth with a more or less sickening thud. This is indeed a very likely performance in the face of recent history. These trusts are the fruit of republican legislation. These same trusts put up millions to help elect McKinley in 1896. They were large contributors to Mark Hanna's twenty-million campaign fund, and they will cheerfully respond to Hanna's demand for other millions next year to fight plutocracy's battle against the people. It is marvelous that republican newspapers should have the brazen effrontery to attempt to deceive their readers with the stupendous lie that the republican party is or has been in recent years the enemy of trusts and organized greed. Is it possible that the average republican voter can be deceived into the belief that his party as at present controlled is not dominated by the corporations and the plutocratic element? Are republican voters so very verdant that they can be gulled by the false representations of the subsidized daily press? Having admitted that the vicious policy of protection is responsible for the creation of trusts in this country, and in view of the fact that the party's record on the silver question is vigorously denied in spite of history, we shall not be surprised with a republican declaration in favor of free trade and a flat denial that the party ever supported the policy of protection!—Vancouver Register.

## Coming—The Chicago Lady Quartette.

That superb musical attraction, the Chicago Lady Quartette has been billed for Mason's opera house on Monday evening April 17th. No combination have enjoyed a greater success or a more hearty welcome from the people where they have sung than has this famous quartette. Each one is an artist in her part. Their work as a whole is of the highest order of merit. Their voices are well balanced and blend together delightfully. They give a program that is unique, edifying and immensely pleasing.

The quartette consists of Grace Caborn, soprano; Jessie E. Dunn, mezzo-soprano; and pianiste; Rose Lutiger, contralto and Alice Merrill Raymond, alto soloist. Seats on sale at Janeck's drug store 75 and 50 cents.

## For Sale.

One second hand Harrison water elevator in good condition. Enquire at Mart Schichtl's machine shop.

Thomas has a nice line of underwear as low as 25 cents a garment.

Wanted—800 dozen eggs at once. Will pay 12½ cents per dozen. E. M. Harris.

Mrs. Frank Kremer formerly Miss Laughlan desires to form a class in drawing and painting also in music. A specimen of her artistic work may be seen in Moore & Moore's window. For further information inquire at residence of Mrs. Caseres in west part of town.

Button, button who has the button? 1200 dz. clear white pearl buttons going at 7 cts a dz., all sizes. Ditter Bros.

FOR RENT a 12½ acre ranch one mile north of town. For particulars inquire of W. C. Fyan on the place.

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Drop in and see Thomas' new spring suits. They are beauties.

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## PROBATE NOTICE.

STATE OF WASHINGTON, ss.  
COUNTY OF YAKIMA.

In the Superior Court (Probate) of said County. In the matter of the Estate of Charles A. Livesley, deceased. Notice of Settlement of Final Account.

Notice is hereby given that George Livesley, administrator of the estate of Charles A. Livesley, deceased, has rendered and presented for settlement to, and filed in the Probate Court of Yakima county, state of Washington, his petition for distribution and his final account as such administrator; and that Saturday, the 29th day of April, 1899, at 11 o'clock a. m. at the court room of said court, in the city of North Yakima, in said Yakima county, has been duly appointed by said court, for the settlement of the said final account, at which time and place any person interested in said estate may appear and file his exceptions in writing to the said final account, and contest the same.

Witness John B. Davidson, judge of said Court, and the seal of said Court hereunto affixed, this 14th day of April, 1899.  
G. L. ALLEN,  
County Clerk and ex-Officio Clerk of our said Probate Court.

## CALL FOR WARRANTS—GENERAL FUND.

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned, city treasurer of the city of North Yakima, Washington, will pay on demand all warrants drawn on the general fund of said city up to and including warrant No. 4,094, dated March 2, 1897, at his office in said city, and that interest will cease on said warrants on the 25th day of April, 1899.  
Dated April 15, 1899.

LOUIS O. JANECK,  
City Treasurer of the City of North Yakima Washington.

## Estray Notice.

Came to my place on the Ahtanum, nine miles from North Yakima, one black steer, two years old past. Has a little white on tail and buttocks, and is branded thus on left hip; earmark is a crop and an under bit on right and a crop on the left. Owner must call for same and pay charges, otherwise he will be sold according to law.  
28-3t  
W. G. GRIFFITH.

## Notice for Publication.

Land Office at North Yakima, Wash., March 20, 1899.

Notice is hereby given that the following named settler has filed notice of his intention to make final proof in support of his claim, and that said proof will be made before the register and receiver of the U. S. land office at North Yakima, Wash., on Saturday, May 6, 1899, viz: John J. Miller, homestead application No. 1985 for the sec. 4 of ne. 1/4 and lot No. 1, sec. 4, tp. 15 n. r. 17 e. W. M.

He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon and cultivation of, said land, viz: Andrew J. Burge, William Joustus, George Chapman, all of Wenatchee, Wash. and Arthur L. Sherman, of Ahtanum, Wash.

Any person who desires to protest against the allowance of such proof, or who knows of any substantial reason, under the law or the regulations of the interior department, why such proof should not be allowed will be given an opportunity at the above mentioned time and place to cross-examine the witnesses of said claimant, and to offer evidence in rebuttal of that submitted by claimant.  
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WALTER J. REED,  
Register.

## ASSESSMENT NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given that the assessment roll for Local Improvement District No. 7, in the city of North Yakima, Washington, has been certified to me for collection, and that unless the assessments in said assessment roll contained are paid to me within thirty days from the date of the first publication of this notice, to-wit: within thirty days from the 25th day of March, 1899, the same will become delinquent and be collected in the manner provided by law and the ordinances of said city.

Dated at the office of the city treasurer in North Yakima, Washington, this 25th day of March, 1899.  
LOUIS O. JANECK,  
City Treasurer.

## TIMBER CULTURE, FINAL PROOF. NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.

United States Land Office,  
North Yakima, Wash., April 7, 1899.

Notice is hereby given that George Livesley, heir-at-law of Charles A. Livesley, deceased, has filed notice of his intention to make final proof before Register and Receiver, U. S. land office at their office in North Yakima, Wash., on Saturday, the 18th day of May, 1899, on timber culture application No. 1508, for lots one and two, section No. 30, in township No. 14 n. range No. 18 e. W. M. He names as witnesses: John Morrissey, Robert Kershaw, Peter Eschbach and Ross Stewart, all of North Yakima, Wash.  
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WALTER J. REED,  
Register.

## Draying.

Having purchased the teams and trucks of the Yakima Dray Co. and added them to my own business, I am prepared to execute all orders on short notice and to give prompt service to all. Office at Pressey's feed store.  
D. T. MYER

## Two More Fires.

The fire alarm bell rung out suddenly shortly after the hour of midnight on Sunday morning and many citizens clothed in abbreviated costume quickly responded. The flames were soon found to be located in the cottage home of Charles Lillie, on A street in the extreme west end of the city.

The fire is supposed to have started from the kitchen stove, after the family had retired for the night. The fire laddies after reaching the scene were chagrined to find that the hose would not reach the fire from the nearest hydrant by about 500 feet, the house was quickly consumed. The insurance on house and contents was \$500. The adjoining house of "Mud" Powell was saved only after much labor.

The fire bell again suddenly rung out about noon on Tuesday and as a high wind was raging at the time the people quickly responded, a great many leaving their noonday meal to do so. The fire fiend was soon found to be located in the rambling wooden structure situated near the Schanno ditch in the south west part of town, which was owned and used by E. Bunce as a foundry and machine shop.

By the time the engine and hose carts had arrived at the scene, however, the building was a mass of seething flames and to add to the confusion the engine would not work well, owing partly to the shallowness of the water in the ditch and partly to the fact that the valves had been clogged with mud and sand at the Saturday night fire. Finally the machine was got in working order and the fire extinguished, but not before the building was a mass of ruins. Mr. Bunce unfortunately carried no insurance on his building and estimates his loss at about \$2000. His little plant represented the savings of years and was practically all he had. Mr. Bunce has been the victim of a great deal of "bad luck" in the past and Yakima people generally sympathize with the old man in his misfortune. The fire is believed to have been started by little boys playing with matches in the rear of the building. During the conflagration firebrands were carried by the gale almost to the center of town and it is generally believed that the business section of the city had a pretty "close call."

## Concerning a new School House.

A meeting was held at the city hall on Wednesday evening, which is said to have been called for the purpose of discussing the school house question. As the meeting had not been well advertised, it was accordingly but slimly attended.

The question of whether the district should build a new school house or add an addition of four rooms to the Columbia building was discussed in all its bearings. Some of those present contended that the Columbia building as it now stands is unsafe and an addition was needed to strengthen it. A majority, however, voted in favor of re-submitting the question to the people of issuing bonds for the proposed new building in the second ward and voted down an amendment which provided for submitting the counter proposition of an addition to the Columbia building. The next day a petition addressed to the school board favoring the improvements on the Columbia building, was being circulated and signed by numerous business men and tax payers.

## For Sale.

I have for sale three very fine driving horses, well bred and well broke. M. H. Williams, at the fair ground.

Wanted—Energetic lady or gent. Best business opportunity in the west.—A money maker. Must have some capital. Address B, or call at Hotel Bartholet.

## Governing Board Meeting.

An important meeting of the governing board of the Commercial Club was held on Saturday night, several questions of public interest coming up for action.

Concerning the proposal of D. C. Corbin, of Spokane, regarding the distribution of sugar beet seed among the farmers, a committee was appointed consisting of Medill, Horsley and Larsen to correspond with Mr. Corbin, secure the seed and distribute the same among farmers who were willing to give it a fair trial.

Phil Ditter, a member of the board then arose and stated that he and his brother contemplated the erection this season of a business building 50x100 feet and that if the club desired to secure new quarters, they would be glad to discuss the matter. On motion President Fechter appointed Hough, Weed and Miller a committee to confer with the Messrs. Ditter and report at the next meeting.

The chairman explained the desirability of getting out a number of type written circular letters which should be addressed to manufacturers of beet sugar, woolen goods and also the cannerymen throughout the country, calling their attention to the superior advantages of the Yakima valley for the location of such industries. A motion prevailing to that effect, Fechter, Whitson and Medill were appointed a committee to draft such letters.

The board then voted to suspend the rules for 30 days in order to allow new members to join the club for a membership fee of \$5, providing that three names were submitted together.

## Judge Morford Returns.

S. O. Morford returned home quite unexpectedly on Wednesday night, after an absence of over three years, which he has spent in Dawson the capital of the Klondike. He and his party traveled out over the ice to Skagway in 11 days. He expresses himself as being extremely glad to get back once more among family and friends. He contemplates returning north again this summer. He says the Yakima boys when he left, were all well and seemingly satisfied with their prospects.

Not too late yet to set trees. I am closing out my nursery stock at ridiculous low prices. J. A. Waters, P. O. box 446 North Yakima.

The spring styles in shoes at Thomas' are simply a dream in leather.

We have a few 1898 Model \$35 bicycles which we are selling at \$25. Moore & Moore the stationers.

Have you seen Thomas' fancy shirts for spring? If not just gaze in his window, it will do you good.

The Buckeye mower and Hollingsworth Tiger hay rake make the best combination on earth for the hay farmer. Fawcett Bros. Sole agents.

## For Sale at a Bargain.

Fifty acres of good agricultural land 1/2 mile from North Yakima. Inquire at this office.

## To Horsemen And Stockmen.

THE DEMOCRAT office is now abundantly supplied with all the necessary material to turn out first class work to advertise your business. When you need cards, pedigrees or large posters be sure to give us a call.

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A stock of general merchandise, together with the good will of the business. A good opening for the right man. For further particulars inquire at this office.

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## 80 Acres

1 mile from city; 3 years free for clearing and fencing.

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Prices low; terms easy.

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## ADAMS & ALLEN, Contractors and Builders.

Woven Wire and Wire and Picket Fence made in Fifty different Styles.

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First-Class Rigs at Popular Prices. We make a Specialty of Boarding Horses by the Day or Month. Having Purchased This Barn and Its Good Will of A. R. Hughes, I Respectfully Solicit a Fair Portion of the Public Patronage.

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## For Sale

45 ACRES, all under cultivation; near Zillah. Good buildings, alfalfa, fruit trees.

\$1,600.

80 ACRES in the Ah-tanum valley. Splendid land.

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Fire Insurance, Life Insurance, Accident Insurance. Abstracts of Title.

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