

There is considerable complaint and not without cause over the Sunday post office hours. Under present arrangements the mail which is received from the east Saturday night is not distributed until half past two o'clock the following afternoon.

There's a big difference 'twixt the old world and the new. Royal grants carry by a good majority in the English parliament, but what a vociferous American howl would carroll through this country were a bill introduced in Congress, granting pocket-money to Son Russell or to provide a chewing-gum fund for Baby McKee.

The N. P. depot facilities have been improved at Prosser by the building of an additional set of platform and the lowering of the old one.

Emory Taylor has his new elevator nearly completed, and it makes quite an attractive structure. It will have a capacity of between two and three thousand bushels of wheat.

Horse Heaven has at least one man who is in luck. He is known as the "Lost Dutchman" and he lives about 22 miles from Prosser.

Even Mr. Nichols disclaims any such remarkable performance as that of having "started" the members of the constitutional convention by his appearance at Olympia.

Shippers of melons should use every precaution to secure nice ones. There is no lack of such, and we can easily control the markets of the Sound for all time by getting there with our best in carload lots.

Captain Thomas is again full of his beef-canning scheme, and meets only with encouragement so far as he has investigated. This beef interest, which is the most adaptable of all interests to this locality, is pretty certain to materialize in some form.

By the way, Sam Hubbard has sold his interest in the Scudder creamery and Holstein cattle enterprise, and so is foot-loose for his new venture.

Yakima's candidate for governor, Col. Howlett, is getting favorable mention from all quarters, as is natural for a Republican so well-known all over the state.

There is now and then a settler who has a hard time of it. Edgar T. Stone, who lives in Parker Bottom, has been trying for some months to prove up on his desert claim, and just as he is almost ready, something happens to prevent his getting the water on.

Notice is hereby given that a teachers' examination will be held at the court house North Yakima, August 14, beginning at 9 o'clock a. m.

—Judge Morford left at the Herald office this week, a watermelon that for size and quality cannot be excelled.

THE FIRE'S FEAST.

Splendid Spokane Bows Down in Ashes Before the Flames.

Details of the Burning of the Third of Washington's Biggest Cities—Estimated Loss, \$12,000,000.

The wires, which have been burdened late with accounts of the disastrous fires at Seattle, Vancouver and Ellensburg, again were called into requisition Sunday night to chronicle the burning of the business portion of Spokane Falls, that splendid and enterprising city of which all throughout the territory felt proud.

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ORDINANCE No. 69.

AN ORDINANCE PROVIDING FOR THE organization, establishment, regulation and government of the fire department in the City of North Yakima does ordain as follows: Section 1. The fire department shall consist of a chief of fire department, and first assistant chief of fire department, and as many permanent and transient members as the number of engines and other fire apparatus of the city shall from time to time require.

Section 2. The compensation for services in the fire department shall be as follows: The chief of fire department shall receive the sum of \$1,000 per month, and the first assistant chief of fire department the sum of \$800 per month.

Section 3. The city council shall hold the regular meeting thereof appointed to be held on the second Saturday after its annual election in each year, or as soon thereafter as may be, to elect a chief of fire department and first assistant chief of fire department, who shall hold their office during the municipal year and until their successors are elected and qualified, unless sooner removed by the city council.

Section 4. The chief of fire department shall have sole and absolute control and command over all persons connected with the fire department of the city, and shall enforce all rules and regulations of the department.

Section 5. The chief of fire department shall investigate the cause of all fires that may occur in the city as soon as may be, and record the result of such investigation in a book to be kept by the chief of fire department for that purpose.

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railroad tracks, northward to the river, crossing First street, Sprague, Riverside, avenue, Main street and Front street, and from Lincoln eastward to Washington street, crossing Post street, Mill street, and Howard street.

The principal buildings were the Pacific hotel, located on the southeast corner of Post and First; the Grand hotel, located on the southwest corner of Main and Mill streets; Windsor, northeast corner of Front and Howard streets; the full block containing the post office and Granite block, on the south side of Riverside avenue, from Stevens to Washington; the Eagle block on the west side; Hyde block, south side of Riverside avenue, between Howard and Mill; Frankfort block, southwest corner of Howard and Main, with an annex on the alley through to Mill street.

The Northern Pacific freight depot and warehouse, which was filled to its fullest capacity with freight, and their passenger depot, were totally destroyed. The contents of the passenger depot were loaded on a freight car and hauled out of reach of the fire before the depot caught.

All the rolling stock, with the exception of a few flat cars, was run out and saved, but the loss to the Northern Pacific is estimated at \$1,000,000.

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"And at Evening Time It Shall be Light."

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TO THE PUBLIC:

A few Reasons why North Yakima, Washington Territory is being recognized as the most promising city in Central Washington:

First—Because it has eight of the finest largest and most fertile valleys in Washington territory immediately tributary to it.

Second—The seasons are from four to eight weeks earlier than any other part of the northwest coast.

Third—Because we have the finest and most beautiful climate in the Pacific northwest.

Fourth—We are destined to become the great truck garden of the coast, with a cash market for our products on Puget Sound.

Fifth—Being centrally located, we are recognized as the desirable place for the capital of the great state of Washington.

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We have now listed for sale, in addition to the Northern Pacific Lands, of which we are the local agents, some of the most desirable residence and business lots in North Yakima, and, together with farm property and garden tracts.

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Both soil and water-rights are of the best.

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