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## LYNDEN SELLS FOR LESS THAN EAST

John P. Boerhave Finds Prices in Middle-West Higher Than Locally

That the people of Lynden are paying less for merchandise than in the Middle West, and that conditions here from all standpoints are far superior, are among the impressions brought back from his Eastern trip by John P. Boerhave of the Lynden Department Store, who returned last week.

"Returning to Lynden after an absence of nearly two months in the East and Middle-West, we found Puget Sound an ideal place in which to live," said Mr. Boerhave today. "At least we met some former Lyndenites, Mr. and Mrs. J. Nyhoff of Holland, Mich., who left here last winter, whom I think so as they are figuring on returning to Lynden in the near future.

"Mrs. Nyhoff told us, and a comparison of prices showed she was correct, that she liked Lynden much better as a place to trade than Holland, Mich., a town of about 12,000 people. She said that dry goods, clothing, and shoes were a good deal higher there than in Lynden.

"Conditions in the East are considerably better than a year ago and everybody seems to be optimistic. Money is apparently quite plentiful, and as far as we could see, everybody who wants work is employed."

While in the East, Mr. Boerhave attended the National Merchandise Fair, held in the Grand Central Palace and the Armory, one of the most important mercantile exhibitions this country has seen.

"Hundreds of manufacturers and wholesalers had exhibits and sample lines at this fair, and a great deal of time could be saved by visiting merchants," declared Mr. Boerhave. "This is the first fair of its kind ever held in this country. In Europe, these merchandise fairs have been held for hundreds of years, and generally are very successful.

"While in New York, we made large purchases of dry goods, ready to wear, men's and boys clothing, underwear, etc. Some of these goods have arrived, but the bulk are en route and should arrive within two or three weeks. A great many of these goods were bought at considerably less than the regular wholesale price, for a person who is in the market can pick up a great many bargains he would not get were he to buy from sample lines locally.

"We have had a great many of our shipments routed by water via the canal, thus effecting a big saving in freight charges, and these savings we will be able to pass on to our customers.

"We were not affected by the railroad strike as practically all the main lines are operating. A good many trains on the branch lines have been discontinued, however.

"New York City experienced the wettest June in its history, with 27 days of rain. Except for a few warm days, the weather was pleasant in New York. However on our return trip, we stopped a few days in South Dakota, and found the weather there too hot for a white man. If you don't believe us, ask Ralph Le Cocq."

## LYNDEN MOTOR COMPANY DELIVERS FOUR NEW CARS

The Lynden Motor Company delivered four new cars last week.

John Schutte purchased a new Chevrolet touring car, as did George Rosenhall, Herman Oordt bought a Model G Chevrolet truck, and W. F. Roger one of the new utility coupes.

## MISS HAZEL STANLEY AND NORMAN HICKEY MARRIED

On Saturday Miss Hazel Stanley and Mr. Norman Hickey were united in marriage in Bellingham.

The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. F. E. Stanley of Laurel, and the bridegroom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. M. A. Hickey of Lynden.

Immediately after the ceremony the young couple left for a short motor trip and are now at home at Mr. Hickey's farm at Laurel.

## Move to California

Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Hall left Friday for California, where they will reside.

Entertain for Halls  
A delightful entertainment was given last Thursday evening by the Eastern Star at the Masonic Hall, for Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Hall, who left Friday for California. The evening was spent with five-hundred, and delicious refreshments were served.

Leave for Whitman  
Harold Whitted and Elmer Swenson left Tuesday morning to attend Whitman college.

Professor Here  
Professor Lucas, instructor of Medieval History at the University of Washington, spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. Lucas of Lynden.

## THIS ELECTION ENDED NECK AND NECK

In Lynden Precinct Two, the race for Republican precinct committeeman at the election Tuesday was a spirited one.

Voting was heavy during the day, and partisans of the candidates were whispering around soliciting votes. The judges sat up late counting the ballots, and announced the finals as follows: Ralph Brinks Le Cocq, 3; George Washington Frick, Senior, 3; George Taylor, 2; Harry Fountain, 2. Taylor is a Democrat.

## TELLS HOW TO SAVE BERRY FIELDS HERE

County Agent H. B. Carroll Advises Planting of Vetch as Cover Crop in Winter

How to protect Lynden's berry fields from the ravages of a severe winter, such as wrought havoc in 1921, is discussed this week by H. B. Carroll, county agent. Mr. Carroll advocates the planting of vetch for use as fertilizer or cover crop in the fields.

Says Mr. Carroll: Careless and wasteful methods of farming have reduced the crop producing values of millions of acres of land in the United States. Men have constantly taken from the soil without returning fertility until only a fraction of the crop producing power of the soils were left.

Little attention has been paid to this by the American farmer in general until finally the supply of new and fertile, easily cleared lands in the West began to give out, and then he began to look for means of keeping up and increasing his crops. On looking across to Europe we find that these questions have been much better handled there, so much so that the average yield of potatoes in England is much higher than here, and the same is equally true of many other crops.

Even in this new country of Washington crops have rapidly fallen away in many of the older sections. The apple orchards of Wenatchee and Yakima under the system of clean cultivation practiced a few years ago soon began to produce fewer and smaller apples. The prune orchards of southwest Washington began to show the same results. The valley soils of Western Washington after being farmed for years show decreased yields, and much of the upland in Western Washington is naturally not high in fertility. This problem has at once become important. Berries particularly show the need of more fertility and better soil treatment. In the orchard and berry sections manure helps but cannot be obtained in cheap enough quantities to meet the requirements.

Much thought has been given to this problem and many tests made by the State Experiment Station and by progressive growers. More nitrogen is generally needed in the soils and sometimes phosphorus and potash to secure good crops, but of equal or greater importance is to have a soil filled with humus which is simply decaying organic matter. This, of course is supplied by manure and where available is excellent. In this humus there are millions of bacteria which by their activities dissolve bits of the elements out of the soil compounds which are needed by growing plants for food. In this way it is said that humus puts life and available fertility into the soil.

In the orchards it was found that alfalfa, clover and vetch planted as a cover crop, met these varied demands. The vetch or alfalfa when plowed under and left to rot down, supplied considerable amounts of humus and also these plants being legumes were able by the use of the bacteria which live on their roots, to gather nitrogen out of the air and to store it up in themselves and in the soil. This in turn was used by the trees and crops began to improve at once. Today all the successful orchardists in these districts use this method of keeping up the soil fertility.

Where irrigation is not done as in Western Washington, vetch is best in the orchards and berry fields, and to make more humus in the winter, rye or winter wheat is added. Heavy or winter vetch is more hardy and is best for sandy light soils. Spring vetch costs less and is generally hardy enough in Whatcom County. 40 lbs. of vetch plus 30 or 40 lbs. of wheat or rye makes a good mixture for an acre of berries. This mixture seeded early in the fall, late August or early September, makes a fine cover crop to plow under in April or May the following year. The plowing must be done early enough in the spring in order that there may be plenty of moisture left for the development of the fruit. This will of course vary in a few years previous, the seed should be inoculated with

RECEPTION FOR TEACHERS PROVES SPLENDID SUCCESS  
The reception given Friday evening at the Methodist church was a decided success. A large crowd attended and enjoyed the splendid program.

Leave for Conference  
Rev. and Mrs. E. O. Grimes left Monday morning for the Puget Sound M. E. Conference at Vancouver, Washington. They made the trip by motor with Rev. and Mrs. Wm. Avery of Nooksack.

Klatawa Entertained  
The Klatawa club members were delightfully entertained last Wednesday evening at the Ecker home in honor of Miss Tillie Meurer of Seattle who was visiting here, and Miss Pearl Nessen, who is to leave soon for the state college at Pullman.

Club Visits Everson  
The Klatawa club was entertained Friday evening at the home of Mrs. Gus Norstrom of Everson. Guests were Elsie Walsh and Miss Tillie Meurer of Seattle.

Visit in Seattle  
Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Handy were Seattle visitors this week.

Shinns at Hall Home  
The Frank J. Shinns family are now occupying the house recently vacated by Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Hall.

Move to De Boer Home  
George Vander Brink moved this week to the Pete De Boer place on West Main street.

Leave for Seattle  
Mrs. Fennell and daughter Jeanette left Friday for Seattle where they will make their home.

To Attend W. S. C.  
Joe Le Compte will leave Saturday for Pullman to attend college.

To Build New Hall  
The township board met at Van Buren last week and made arrangements for the erection of a new township hall. The old hall is now being used by Mr. Adkinson of Van Buren for the storage of grain and feed.

Mr. Henry Muyskens is visiting in Lynden.

## FAST RUNNERS TO RACE ON FAIR TRACK

Fifty Mounts from British Columbia and Vancouver Meets To Be Seen in Action Here

Lynden will see the finest horse races—the good old-fashioned running races that everybody loves—as features of the annual Whatcom County Fair which is now only a dozen days distant.

A. E. Rusco, fair director, who is in charge of the track events this year, has arranged to bring more than fifty head of speedy mounts to the Lynden track, and running races will be given the big share of the program, five of them being scheduled daily. Harness horses will race only on Friday and Saturday.

Manager Rusco has arranged for the appearance here of some extra swift British Columbia horses, among them nearly all of the Vancouver Derby winners, such as Prince Direct, Cara-Bosse, Sample and Greenheart.

The races will easily be the fastest and most exciting ever held on the Lynden track, which is now in excellent condition, and considered one of the best in the Northwest.

Entries are being received in all other departments, and indications are that every building will be crowded.

Secretary Bay is anxious to get early entries. He desires to call special attention to the rules in the cattle department adopted for this year, as follows: The Association will furnish straw for bedding for stock, but exhibitors must pay for all feed. Feed will be on sale by the Association at market prices.

All entries in this department must be registered. The following list will apply for Ayrshire, Guernsey and Jersey. All livestock shall be entered 10 days previous to the first day of the fair, in order to reserve stall space.

At the last session of the legislature a law was passed relating to the tuberculin testing of cattle to be exhibited at fairs and livestock shows.

It is urgently requested that owners of cattle to be exhibited notify this department several weeks in advance in order that arrangements may be made to make the test.

Bulls over six months of age must have nose rings and aged bulls have leading poles. Base dates for dairy cattle are as follows: August 1st and February 1st.

LABIES AID WILL HOLD ANNUAL ELECTION AT TEA  
The Ladies Aid of the M. E. church will be entertained at the church parlors by Mrs. Cruikshank and Mrs. Straight Thursday afternoon, September 21.

To Entertain Kensington Club  
The Kensington club members and their husbands will be entertained Friday evening, Sept. 22, by Mrs. P. M. Serrurier and Mrs. C. H. McLeod, at the home of Mrs. Serrurier.

Leave for Montesano  
Miss Blanche Jacobs and Miss Gladys Jacobs left Sunday morning for Montesano, where they will teach the coming year.

Return from Wedding Trip  
Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Kok have returned this week from their delightful wedding trip to Southern California. They also visited Mrs. Kok's sisters, Mrs. A. J. De Young and Mrs. Gerard Schepman of Ripon, California. On their return trip they visited at Vancouver Barracks, Washington, and Miss Alys Haveman, who is visiting at Kalama, Wash.

Home from Seattle  
Mr. and Mrs. Benj. Oldemeyer returned from Seattle Monday afternoon.

Home from Aberdeen  
Mrs. Oliver Ehle of Aberdeen, Washington, visited friends here the last of the week.

Return from Tacoma  
Mrs. Harvey Smith and little son David returned Sunday from Tacoma.

Mr. Arthur Meenk made a business trip to Seattle Tuesday.

## CRESCENT MERCANTILE CO. NAME C'Y NEW FIRM HERE

Work of renovation and remodeling has started at the Crescent Mercantile Company the new institution with B. C. De Long at its head, which has purchased the dry goods departments of the Farmers Mercantile Co.

Twenty-five feet will be added to the rear of the store to take care of the increased new stock, and to give additional store conveniences. The recent sale cleaned out many departments altogether, so that Mr. De Long has had to purchase complete new lines.

The store will be re-decorated, on an attractive scheme. A new office will be constructed.

## MAYOR E. T. MATHES WILL SPEAK HERE

Bellingham Official Will Deliver Address Sunday Morning at Methodist Church

Mayor E. T. Mathes of Bellingham will speak in the Methodist church at Lynden Sunday morning at 11 o'clock.

Rev. E. O. Grimes is absent attending the annual conference of the M. E. Church, but will return for the following Sunday service.

Mayor Mathes will choose a topic of wide community interest as his subject. The public is invited to attend.

METHODIST SUNDAY SCHOOL CLOSES SUCCESSFUL YEAR  
This month closes a very successful year for the M. E. Sunday School. At the present time 145 are enrolled, with an average attendance of 106 for the year. The membership has increased by 31 during the year.

Financially the school has done very well, having raised a total of \$419.97. From this amount the Sunday School has given \$142 to the Centenary Missionary fund, \$128 for supplies, \$91.97 for equipment, and \$57 for church building improvements.

One of the important features taken up in the work of the Sunday School is a teachers training class. This class is in charge of Mrs. E. O. Grimes, who specializes in this work in Tacoma.

The school is made up of three adult classes, a teachers training class and eleven classes in the Junior department. The regular graded lessons are taught the young people.

Following is a list of the officers and teachers: G. W. Frick, Superintendent; D. L. Steffe, Assistant superintendent; Miss Marie Steffe, secretary and treasurer; Mildred Fountain, secretary of Junior department and organist; class of high school boys, Miss Hulda Nelson; 7th and 8th grade, Mrs. J. W. Stearns; 6th grade, Miss Martha Bostwick; 5th grade, Mrs. Will Lauchhart; 4th grade, Mrs. W. T. Roberts; 3rd grade, Miss Lottie Richaw; 2nd grade, Miss Rita Jamieson; 1st grade, Miss Florence Bixby; primary, Miss Lois Whitted; high school students, Mrs. Will Fisher; boy scouts class, Mr. M. Waddilove; young people's class, D. L. Steffe; Bible class, Frank Bostwick; Mixed class, Mrs. D. L. Steffe; teachers training class, Mrs. E. O. Grimes.

LYNDEN TOWNSHIP  
Senator—Griffiths 21; Poindexter 73; Axtell 47; Stevenson 1; Lamping 21; Tittle 8.  
Congress—Craigie 24; Hadley 99; Turner 19.  
Representative—Moore 18; P. Bellingar 26; Hoff 14; Danielson 44; Odell 5; Sorenson 47; Zander 20.  
Auditor—Barrett 54; Powell 44.  
Assessor—McArthur 47; Perry 33.  
Clerk—Kincaid 47; Day 26.  
Engineer—Hostetter 27; McElmon 52; Fouts 10; Adams 9.  
Attorney—Kenyon 7; Radley 24; Newman 10; Gruber 51.  
Judges—Fullerton 42; Kackintosh 38; Parker 46; Lane 45; Blake 34; Hovey 23; Pemberton 60.

TH With Tonsillitis  
Mrs. Harry Beerink is ill with tonsillitis this week.

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## POINDEXTER AND HADLEY WIN HERE

Callahan Is Loser in Lynden by Seven to One Verdict; Gruber and McElmon Win

Lynden, at least, wasn't bashful about informing Sheriff Al Callahan Tuesday at the polls just what it thought of his administration.

Patterson, the anti-Callahan candidate, received 145 votes, leading the ticket.

Callahan captured 21 ballots! Poindexter for senator, Hadley for congressman, Sorenson and Danielson for representative, Powell for auditor, McArthur for assessor, Kincaid for clerk, Gruber for prosecuting attorney, McElmon for engineer, Mize for commissioner—these were the winners at the Lynden city polls.

Gruber and McElmon were in the lead by fine majorities.

Laytham, dry candidate, led Frasure by a 16 to 4 vote for sheriff on the democratic ticket.

Twenty-four democratic votes went east, and 198 Republican, out of a total registration of 378.

The following is the way Lynden voted:

Republican Ticket  
Senator—Lamping 38; Tittle 1; Griffiths 20; Poindexter 74; Artell 44; Stevenson 3.  
Congress—Hadley 115; Turner 18; Craigie 21.  
State Representative—Odell 32; Sorenson 115; Zander 22; Mize 42; Bellingar 34; Hoff 38; Danielson 46.  
Auditor; Barrett 81; Powell 83.  
Assessor—McArthur 90; Perry 44.  
Clerk—Kincaid 76; Day 59.  
Engineer—Hostetter 26; McElmon 112; Fouts 5; Adams 20.  
Prosecuting Attorney—Kenyon 15; Radley 38; Newman 29; Gruber 90.  
Sheriff—Callahan 21; Patterson 145.  
Treasurer—Thornton 151.  
Superintendent of Schools—Abbott 138.  
Coroner—Mehlig 104.  
Commissioner—Baxter 49; Clode 48; Mize 61; Johnson 12.  
Supreme Court Judges—(Six-Year Term)—Blake 70; Fullerton 69; Mackintosh 76; Parker 60; Lane 43. (Two-Year Term)—Hovey 60; Pemberton 67.

Democratic Ticket  
Senator—Longstreet 8; Seeliger 6; Dill 5.  
Congress—Troy 13; Clise 5.  
State Representative—Davenport 19.  
Attorney—Durham 18.  
Sheriff—Laytham 16; Frasure 4.  
Treasurer—Armstrong 17.  
Superintendent—Perry 15.  
Coroner—Turner 17.  
Commissioner—Austin 17.  
Five Farmer-Labor votes were polled in Lynden.

TOWNSHIPS DISAPPROVE OF PRESENT SHERIFF  
Sheriff Callahan lagged badly behind in Delta and Lynden Townships. In Delta, the vote was 42 to 27 against him, and in Lynden Township, 123 to 66.

Both townships gave Gruber for prosecuting attorney and McElmon for engineer big majorities. Poindexter and Hadley were the choice of the big majority.

The following was the vote in Delta Township:  
Senator—Griffiths 15; Poindexter 38; Axtell 24; Stevenson 1; Lamping 16; Tittle 1.  
Congress—Craigie 17; Hadley 48; Turner 15.  
Representative—Moore 18; P. Bellingar 26; Hoff 14; Danielson 44; Odell 5; Sorenson 47; Zander 20.  
Auditor—Barrett 54; Powell 44.  
Assessor—McArthur 47; Perry 33.  
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Auditor—Barrett 54; Powell 44.  
Assessor—McArthur 47; Perry 33.  
Clerk—Kincaid 79; Day 32.  
Engineer—Hostetter 15; McElmon 107; Fouts 12; Adams 30.  
Attorney—Kenyon 25; Radley 24; Newman 29; Gruber 91.  
Commissioner—Baxter 50; Clode 15; Mize 87; Johnson 22.  
Judges—Fullerton 51; Mackintosh 44; Parker 59; Lane 72; Blake 47; Hovey 48; Pemberton 73.

Here from Aberdeen  
Mrs. Oliver Ehle of Aberdeen, Washington, visited friends here the last of the week.

Return from Tacoma  
Mrs. Harvey Smith and little son David returned Sunday from Tacoma.

## THESE LYNDEN PEOPLE ALL SING SAME TUNE

Mr. and Mrs. P. M. Serrurier returned Sunday from a visit in Canada. They went as far as Winnipeg.

Ralph Le Cocq returned on Friday from a trip to Montana, South Dakota, and Minnesota.

Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Boerhave returned last week from a visit in the Middle-West. Mr. Boerhave went as far as New York City.

And they all sing the same tune. It runs something like this—"Say, Lynden looks extra good to me, good to me, good to me; the Middle West is heated up too much in the good old summertime, so give me the banks of the Nooksack far away."

## GIRLS OF COUNTY TO MEET IN LYNDEN

Baptists Will Hold Conference as Guests of Local People Next Week

A girl's conference will be held at the Baptist church September 22 to 23.

Representatives will be in attendance from all sections of Whatcom County. The delegates will be entertained as guests at various Lynden homes.

A good program is being prepared for the public Friday evening. The other sessions will be held at 10 o'clock Saturday morning and at 2 o'clock Saturday afternoon.

F. E. KELSEY HAS FOOT BURNED AT CREAMERY  
F. E. Kelsey had his foot badly burned at the creamery last Thursday.

HAS RIB BROKEN AT LYNDEN LUMBER MILL  
James De Bruyn had a rib broken Monday at the Imperial Fir and Lumber Mill when he fell against a car of logs.

LYNDEN BOYS LEAVE TO ATTEND PULLMAN  
Wilbur Lauchhart and Ed and Will Gorseman left Wednesday morning for Washington State College. Joe Le Compte will leave Saturday and Miss Pearl Nessen Sunday for the same place.

HOLD FUNERAL SERVICES FOR LITTLE RUTH STAP  
Little Ruth Stap, the infant child of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Stap passed away Friday morning at the age of 2 months and 25 days. Funeral services were held Monday afternoon at the home and at the Second Christian Reformed church, in charge of Rev. Jolting and Rev. Jonker.

HOME ECONOMICS CLUBS WILL MEET IN LYNDEN  
The Home Economics clubs of the County will hold a meeting and dinner at the W. R. C. Hall Tuesday, September 19. The purpose of this meeting is for the members to become better acquainted and to talk over the plans for the Home Economics booth at the Lynden Fair. Everyone is asked to bring something for dinner, which will be served at 12:30.

To Leave for Boston  
Mrs. Marie Raft will leave Friday for Vancouver, where she will be joined by her husband. They will leave from there for Boston, where Mr. Raft will attend Harvard College.

To Entertain Klatawa  
Miss Ada Baldwin will entertain the Klatawa club members at her home this evening.

Leaves for Seattle  
Miss Tillie Meurer left Sunday for Seattle, after spending a few days here with friends and relatives.

Meeting Postponed  
The Amphletion club meeting which was to have been held this week at the home of Mrs. H. Fritz has been postponed.

Mrs. Miller in Hospital  
Mrs. Peter Miller was removed to St. Joseph's Hospital in Bellingham Wednesday for treatment.

Foot Injured  
C. C. Smith had his foot injured one day last week while working on the road, when a wagon wheel ran over it.

Return from California  
Clarence Lacy has returned from Long Beach, California, and will attend school here this year.

Leaves for Salt Lake  
Lieut. Cecil Jamieson left Saturday for Salt Lake, after spending a month in Lynden.

Leave for Outing  
Rev. P. Jonker, H. Kok, Gertrude Kok and H. Stuurmans left Tuesday for a few days outing in the hills.

## MILES POINDEXTER WINS BY BIG VOTE

Leads Lamping by 27,000 Votes; Gruber and McElmon Capture County Places

Miles Poindexter and Lin Hadley swept the field at the primaries Tuesday. Poindexter emerged a good 27,000 ahead of his nearest competitor, while Hadley enjoyed a three-to-one victory.

Returns from 1919 precincts give Poindexter 74,277, Lamping 47,064; Griffiths 19,492 and Axtell 19,384. Returns from 415 out of 556 precincts give Hadley 14,276, Craigie 6,320; Turner 7,498. For the Democratic nomination for Congressman, the returns were Mrs. Minerva Troy 121; Dr. F. A. Clise 228.

Fullerton, Mackintosh and Parker are the choices for supreme court justices, according to the latest returns. A total of 1853 precincts out of 2,446 gave Fullerton 77,059, Mackintosh 87,783; Parker 70,433; Lane 69,603 and Blake 68,816. In previous tabulations, Blake had been ahead of Parker.

W. H. Pemberton is leading Hovey for the two-year term by a vote of 51,803 to 38,625. In his home town and county, Pemberton ran behind Hovey.

In Whatcom County, N. P. Sorenson and Andrew Danielson were nominated for the legislature. Edwin Gruber won the nomination for prosecuting attorney by a big vote, as did Fred McElmon in the engineer's race.

E. C. Baxter was named for commissioner over R. W. Mize by a 200-vote margin. McArthur for assessor, Barrett for auditor and Kincaid for clerk won the nominations easily.

With the returns from ten precincts missing Al Callahan was leading Chris Patterson for the Republican nomination for sheriff by six hundred votes. In Sumas, Lynden, Ferndale and Blaine, in Lynden and Delta Townships, and other precincts in the northern half of the county, within a few miles of the border, where citizens are aware of the lax methods of the sheriff's office in dealing with liquor violations and booze-running, Callahan was badly defeated.

In Blaine the vote stood 76 for Callahan, 116 for Patterson, and in Sumas the totals were 77 to 58 in favor of Patterson.

James Laytham of Blaine won the Democratic nomination for sheriff.

HERE'S THE WAY THAT WHATCOM COUNTY VOTED

United States Senator	
Griffiths	368
Poindexter	2,486
Axtell	1,884
Stevenson	129
Lamping	989
Tittle	89
Representative in Congress (Second District)	
Craigie	728
Hadley	3,512
Turner	645
State Senator	
Beebe	1,265
Clarey	1,273
State Representatives (Fifty-third District)	
Moore	425
Bellingar	399
Hoff	677
Danielson	747
Odell	563
Sorenson	1,090
Zander	282
Prosecuting Attorney	
Kenyon	840
Radley	859
Newman	1,651
Gruber	2,265
Commissioner (First District)	
Miller	811
Scott	625
Engineer	
Hostetter	1,068
McElmon	2,417
Fouts	554
Adams	1,374
Commissioner (Second District)	