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## A WORD EDITORIALY.

We ought to apologize to our country and distant readers for covering so much space this week with opinions of reputable and esteemed business men concerning the effort to job our fair city with the reorganization trick; but the matter has become a subject of great importance to every taxpayer in the city and indirectly in the county, and THE HERALD is compelled to respect its duty to a class so large and worthy. Should the jobbers win, the city, through the medium of every man or woman who owns a dollar's worth of taxable property in it, would pay dearly for its negligence. In all conscience and justice, the tax for 1903 is high enough. Why should any man, in these hard times, increase his expense unless there is at least an ultimate profit in the outlay? Who among the reorganizers can give us a single point in favor of reorganization? Who among them has yet offered a solitary syllable of argument in favor of such a ridiculous move? Who can tell us where we would obtain an advantage in a change for the charter that gives us the special privileges for which we petitioned long ago? Why should we swap that which we know is valuable and meritorious for that of which every town in the state which possesses it is complaining so bitterly? Will any intelligent taxpayer or elector without property be deceived by the empty declaration that "we must have a new charter," when such a declaration is accompanied by no argument as to why we must have it? Should we give ear to the specious plea that our present charter doesn't fit us simply because some sap-headed agitator tells us that there are "conflictions" in it? The most conspicuous "confliction" is found to exist between the mind that conceives it and an ordinary ball of common sense. But these agitators know better than to believe that we should reorganize. They seek political and personal advantage, and they are aware that they can obtain it better under a charter whose terms specify nothing in particular and are subject to the whim of every crank legislator than under the one now in existence, which specifically sets forth the line of action in every department of our municipal business. They know it—and they would rather be charged with dishonesty than ignorance; but they may choose either horn of the dilemma, they desire and the intelligence of the community will convict them of both. Dishonesty is the very germ of crime, and both are nourished and matured in the soil of ignorance and iniquity. Dare they face the charge till the public shall announce its verdict?

The movement was begun by two or three persons who seek personal advantage regardless of the sacrifice entailed in a public way. Their supporters are mainly the riffraff of the city who have nothing to lose in any event. This is the paragraph printed editorially in THE HERALD last week that offended some people. The assumption therein made was based on the general character of those who voted for reorganization when it was originally sprung on this community. The great majority of the votes cast for it at that time came from the unthorough element—the local "midway plaineers"—and places of similarly low repute. They were, as a rule, men of questionable character; while a few of the leaders of the unholy proposition were men of character and good business standing, as the world goes. When we said "supported mainly by the riffraff" we used the phrase advisedly, knowing it could harm only those to whom it applied appropriately—and we knew, too, that they would squelch when it struck them. This they did. The irresponsible ninny who strode about the city, with gaping mouth and foolish mien, insulting respectable people of intelligence by trying to persuade them that (in his estimation at least) the reference applied to them, hoping thereby to create a business prejudice, is less a man than a puppy; and, if that be his method of warfare in such a grave matter, we challenge him into the conflict. THE HERALD desired to discuss this matter impersonally, but if attack be made on so low a plane and from such a debased source, it may as well be distinctly understood at the outset that we are not unwilling at times to stoop to conquer.

The unusual reduction in the present market value of our city warrants is directly chargeable to the work of the disorganizers. When they declared that we could collect no taxes for '93—a lie on the face of it, as has now been proven—the banks and the brokers refused our warrants at the usual discount. The howlers had standing as loyal citizens. Their outcry was more or less effective, in that it created doubt in the minds of those unfamiliar with the facts in the case. Investigation, however, has disclosed the fact that every dollar of tax for '93 can be collected and that the discredit of our warrants is purely artificial. If the purpose of the reorganizers be to destroy the business character of our phenomenal city, they are succeeding admirably, but the effect of the outrage will rebound upon them with redoubled weight in a short time. The credit of the city is, as a matter of fact, all right, and nobody questions the suspicion that the disorganizers know it. As has been said before, the purpose of this cry is plainly ulterior and not avowed—a fact which the taxpayers of the city will realize should they permit the reorganizers to succeed in their scheme to disrupt the character of the city.

Do you want to pay \$5000 for a new charter when you now have a better one? Do you want to put the city in a condition to enable Dick Schmidt, the Seattle sewer contractor, to collect from it, by legal process, the sum of \$30,000 for work he never performed? Do you want to exchange an honest charter for one like that under which Puyallup's municipal organization has practically gone to pieces because the tolling taxpayer of that city can get no benefits under it? Do you want to throw away the splendid water privileges we now have, giving to

private corporations the opportunity to tax us unconscionably for that which we now enjoy free of cost? Do you want to give the Northern Pacific Railway Company the right to usurp privileges which it will use against the best interests of the city and those of the surrounding country? Do you want to destroy the city's chief individuality and leave it a prey to every jobber to rob its taxpayers? If you do, give your influence to the cause of the few who are advocating reorganization.

Major Prosser is making careful and, we certainly believe, conscientious inquiry as to whether or not we should reorganize. We refer him to Judge Lewis's statement of the case on our local page. The article is lengthy, but it is replete with points and well sustained by irrefutable argument. The statement of the case is complete and, assured as we are that the major is both patriotic and faithful to his official responsibilities, we know and concede, as all intelligent citizens must, that he will be convinced by it.

First, an election to determine whether or not we shall reorganize—\$2,000; Second, an election of city officers under reorganization—\$3,000; third, destruction of all our present special privileges—worth two million dollars; fourth, a charter that will do us no good and which we will all repudiate in less than six months after we get it. Do you want it at that figure? The special committee appointed by the mayor last Monday night to make inquiry into the reorganization scheme will be watched very carefully by this much interested public.

The grasmonger who authorized the report during the week that THE HERALD didn't quote Capt. Kingsbury truthfully should go to the Captain himself for a very emphatic denial of the rumor. The trouble with THE HERALD was that, in order not to abuse the liberty he gave us, we quoted him too fully and omitted a point or two that he actually made against reorganization. A little trick is the conception of a little mind—and little minds have small influence in large matters.

Where is Carey, the genial and bright attorney for the Northern Pacific railway, in this charter fight? That company is working might and main to do away with old charters and adopt a uniform system of charters that cannot interfere with their right-of-way. The N. P. succeeded in forcing Ellensburg to make the change, and Carey should be here now to lend the light of his countenance to the disorganizers. But, after all, he may be here in spirit, if not in person.

E. L. Robinson, a defeated candidate in the last campaign for the legislature, charged the Buckley Banner with libeling him. He sued the Banner for \$20,000. The case was tried the other day and Robinson is now several hundred dollars sorer that he sued. A politician must indeed be inexperienced who prosecutes a newspaper for ordinary opposition in an ordinary campaign. Robinson ought to have been beaten, both in the campaign and in the lawsuit.

If the attorneys who are fighting the city want to raise a point that will go directly to the validity of the charter, instead of a mere ordinance, we have a little advice to give. There is on file, if not on the docket of the superior court, a petition citing the Northern Pacific Railway company to show cause why the city under its charter right of eminent domain cannot open a street across the company's track. Push that point, gentlemen, if you dare!

The conceited youth who runs the Republic in the absence of the proprietor would, judging from his boyish chatter about town, enjoy seeing a general boycott established against every man who doesn't support his childish notions on the subject of reorganization. The intellectual and moral worth of such a man will readily be set down by the intelligence of the public at their intrinsic value. Comment is unnecessary.

The Y. B. of the Republic has put up a stone front for his office out of the fruits of the county printing, and he yearns to add another story to the pretty structure out of the few thousands the city has to throw away in reorganizing. Of course this has nothing to do with the case. The Y. B. is filled with so much patriotism, as Jones calls it, that he wants to throw away a first-class charter for a third class one, just for the fun of the thing.

The Oregonian very gravely remarked the other day that the time for stoning, rotten-egging and blaspheming the Salvation army had passed; that the higher and better civilization demanded that they be treated with respect and consideration. There are few who will question the truthfulness of the Oregonian's statement—and those few need the assistance of the Salvation army.

Over a dozen patriots who have signed Boss Reed's petition to reorganize are candidates for city marshal, and a like number of patriots want to be city clerk, and so on. They cannot all get there. The ring will choose a man for each place, and the others will be left to muse upon the scriptural injunction that "many are called, but few are chosen."

A writer in a recent number of The Forum, discussing the social and political standing of members of the senate, classes our own dear Senator Squire of Washington as both an accident and an oddity. He is both—and more. He is disloyal to the interests of the state, unfaithful to his constituents and a scoundrel to boot.

The man who talks boycott suffers invariably from a mild type of anarchism. In that condition he is delirious, and when in delirium he is not in condition to exercise good sense. Few people in this world have little use for a man in that state of mind.

In that category we have no right to object to his choice. He is welcome to all the glory he may acquire in running the organ of that element. That's the way it looks at present writing.

Mayor Prosser's message vetoing the license on Johnson's bawdy show is meritorious and just. That the council failed to pass it over his disapproval is a credit to the city—for which only three members of that body are deserving of praise.

Shall we entail an additional indebtedness on the city of \$40,000 in an effort to reorganize now when a regular election will be held on the first Monday in May—five months hence? Aye, there's the rub!

A branch of the American Protective association has been formed in Tacoma. It is avowedly anti-Catholic and proposes to take an active part in the next local election.

We could fill eight such pages as those of this paper with substantial argument, presented by interested taxpayers, against reorganization. More of it is coming.

Lawyer Jones, in his prize editorial in the Republic last week, filled a column without a single syllable of argument. The production was remarkable.

Every taxpayer in town should read Judge Lewis's articles on the first and third pages of this issue of THE HERALD. They are conclusive.

The taxpayers of North Yakima are tired of flimflamming fakes. They want a square deal without the usual percentage to the dealer.

Read "Old Charter's" statement of the case on the first page. All will concede that he knows what he is talking about.

The youthful aspirant who has so long nursed his passion for notoriety has an excellent opportunity now to obtain it.

Madeline Merli and a good sport, in "The Story of a Kiss," at the opera house on Friday night last, pleased the audience with an excellent performance—clean and wholesome. The play is very Zolaistic, however, and its tragedy features possess too much terror for the more delicate—but Zola could scarcely have been its author had it been otherwise. It was a good show, however, and the local management very much regretted that the house was small. It was learned, by the way, that two or three persons went about town to "queer the combination" and discourage attendance by untruthful statements concerning it. This is a most contemptible mean thing to do and no man who values his character as a citizen would be guilty of such baseness.

## HOTEL RIVERSIDE.

Prosser Falls Has the Newest, Neatest and Cleanest in the State.

This new and comfortable hotel will be opened to the public December 15. The house is new and everything about it clean and sweet. The hotel is located on the bank of the Yakima river, with a commanding view of the great Sunnyside country, Mount Adams, Mount Rainier and the grand Cascades. In opening this hotel to the public we wish to say that no pretense will be made to French cooking or long bills of fare with nothing to eat; the table will be furnished with plain, well-cooked food. The beds will be new, clean and comfortable. The prices reasonable. Special rates to permanent boarders. The climate is dry and exhilarating. People from Puget Sound seeking a dry climate during the rainy season will find at Prosser Falls the climate they want and in the Hotel Riverside a pleasant home. For information, address PROSSER FALLS IRRIGATION CO., Prosser, Wash.

Capt. W. H. Chapman will immediately erect a handsome residence on his Natchez avenue property. It will probably be the most elegantly appointed and neatly finished residence in the city.

Mary E. Hobart, orator, economist, humanitarian, will lecture on financial issues of the day at Mason's opera house, Tuesday evening, Nov. 28. Everybody invited.

Mrs. Charles Foster, wife of the obliging clerk of the Hotel Yakima, has gone to the Sound on an extended visit. She may remain all winter.

Mrs. Ott, lately of the Hotel de Schanno, Yakima City, has leased the Guillard in this city. Mrs. Ott's popularity as a hostess is well known.

Troop C has received its equipments and now the boys will begin to drill with guns, sabres and all the trappings of war.

Judge T. L. Erwin, of the reserve, was in town on Tuesday, on route to the Sound on official business.

M. J. Unger, formerly a resident of this city, but now of Tampico, was in town on Monday.

Geo. L. Alexander, traveling representative for Palmer & Rey, was in the city to-day.

The Elite will open its grand display of holiday goods on or about December 1st.

Judge J. B. Reavis went to Ellensburg this morning on legal business.

Deputy U. S. Marshal Maguire went to Spokane on Sunday.

## For Sale for Cash.

Lot 8, block 88, North Yakima. Write to J. K. Perry, P. O. box 749, Tacoma, Wash. 44-tf

## Fire Department.

Regular meetings of the Volunteer Fire department of North Yakima are held on every first and third Thursday evenings of each month, at 7 o'clock.

Mackintoshes cheap at Coffin Bros.

Oats, barley, hay and chop feed at Coffin Bros.

Comb honey, sweet potatoes and cranberries at Coffin Bros.

Boys' suits and overcoats cheap at Coffin Bros.

Our prices are low on everything. We have no buddies. Coffin Bros.

Our \$75 buggies are going fast—only 3 left. Coffin Bros.

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A set of silver teaspoons 25 cents, silver napkin ring 25 cents, silver salt and pepper shakers 25 cents, three silver tablespoons 25 cents, three silver forks 25 cents, silver butter knives 25 cents, at Coffin Bros.

J. H. Carpenter's store was robbed on Sunday night last in the full glare of the electric lights. The burglars entered the building through a transom in a rear door. They stole three suits of clothes and an unknown quantity of underwear. They had piled a large quantity of clothing near the door, ready to take at the propitious moment, but they were probably frightened away. On the same night the warehouse of the Greene Mercantile Co. was robbed of forty gallons of coal oil, several sacks of onions and salt. From this feature of the robbery the police has a clue to the location of the scoundrels.

The new hotel at Prosser Falls will be opened on December 15. It is called "The Riverside." It is splendidly arranged, will be very comfortably furnished and its cook will know how to get a good meal three times a day. A party from this city talks of being present at the opening.

Meeting of the choir of the several churches of the city will be held at the opera house at 7 o'clock on Saturday evening for practice for the Thanksgiving service. Members are requested to bring their anthem books.

## \$100 Reward, \$100.

The readers of this paper will be pleased to learn that there is at least one dreaded disease that science has been able to cure in all its stages and that is catarrh. Hall's Catarrh Cure is the only positive cure now known to the medical fraternity. Catarrh being a constitutional disease, requires a constitutional treatment. Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system, thereby destroying the foundation of the disease, and giving the patient strength by building up the constitution and assisting nature in doing its work. The proprietors have so much faith in its curative powers that they offer one hundred dollars for any case that it fails to cure. Send for list of testimonials. Address F. J. Cheney & Co., Toledo, O. Sold by druggists, 75 cents.

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If so you should never be without a bottle of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy. It is a certain cure for croup, and has never been known to fail. If given freely as soon as the croupy cough appears it will prevent the attack. It is the sole reliance with thousands of mothers who have croupy children, and never disappoints them. There is no danger in giving this remedy in large and frequent doses, as it contains nothing injurious. Fifty cent bottles for sale at Janek's Pharmacy.

## Do You Want To

Give some Holiday presents that will be appreciated and not cost very much? If so sit now for a dozen first class photos at Janek's gallery, near Guillard hotel. Greatly reduced prices on all sizes. 43-tf

Black locust seed, for timber cultures, at Coffin Bros'. 44

They increase appetite, purify the whole system and act on the liver, the kidneys and bowels. For Sale, at Hotel de Schanno, in Yakima City, a general assortment of household furniture, including a good piano, parlor furniture and bedroom suites. Must be sold by December 1st. 42-2

Prof. G. P. Andrews wishes to announce that he has opened a studio at Bailey's music house on Second street, where he is prepared to receive pupils in instrumental and vocal music. Voices tested free of charge. Hours 1:30 p. m. to 5 p. m. 39-tf

## The Best Plaster.

Dampen a piece of flannel with Chamberlain's Plaster and hold it over the seat of pain. It is better than any plaster. When the lungs are sore such an application on the chest and another on the back, between the shoulder blades will often prevent pneumonia. There is nothing so good for a lame back or a pain in the side. A sore throat can nearly always be cured in one night by applying a flannel bandage dampened with Chamberlain's Plaster. 50 cent bottles for sale at Janek's Pharmacy.

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For sale by W. H. Chapman, druggist, sole agent, North Yakima, Wash.

John Sawbridge has a large variety of heating stoves which he will dispose of at popular prices. 38-tf

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