

# ARE COMING TO YAKIMA

## INTEREST IN NEW YORK CITY

Arthur Henry Reports That Very Little Is Known About Exposition at Seattle.

Many residents of New York City are coming to North Yakima during the summer, with a view of inspecting the fruit districts surrounding this city and the property coming under new irrigation projects, according to Arthur Henry, who returned Monday afternoon from New York City, where he spent several weeks.

Interest in Yakima is growing in the eastern city, and the Yakima club in New York is becoming larger and larger. Many of the members are among the most influential in financial circles.

While the interest in the Yakima valley and the northwest is increasing, little is known about the Alaska-Yukon-Pacific exposition by people living east of Chicago, says Mr. Henry. He has made a suggestion that the officials of the exposition start on some well-directed campaign of publicity to advertise the fair, and that the various commercial clubs of the state join with the officials in this work. The idea embodies the writing and publication of numerous articles regarding the northwest, and especially Washington, in the Sunday newspapers of the east. That these articles should not only be about the fair, but should be general, is the belief of Mr. Henry.

Another suggestion made is that some good heavy publicity work be done for the Yakima valley to induce the tourists this year to stop off in the city. The individual work has been well done, he says, but there is need for general advertising to reach the thousands traveling through the west this season, and who have not heard about North Yakima from any of the present residents or their friends in the east.

## COOPERATE IN SPRAY PURCHASE

May Result in Handling of Other Orchard Materials for Members at Cost.

Steps toward cooperation of fruit growers in the purchase of material for orchard use have been taken through the Yakima Horticultural union purchasing a large consignment of lime and sulphur spray, which will be disposed of to members at practically cost. The trustees of the union have made the purchase and arrangements for the sale with a view of testing the desires of the fruit men for this cooperative feature. If it is successful, there will no doubt of the addition of other lines later on.

Through a contract with the company manufacturing the Niagara lime and sulphur solution, the trustees are able to offer the spray at \$1.75 a barrel less than the usual price. However, this figure is only for members of the union.

President Irish and Trustees William Richards called attention Saturday to the fact that a fruit grower could save enough in purchasing material for year's spraying of a ten acre orchard to pay for several shares of stock in the union. As this is only one advantage of membership it provides an excellent inducement for early purchase of stock.

The new board is anxious to secure the membership of every fruit grower, over 300 now belonging to the union, and it is expected that during the year fully another hundred will be added.

Transfers of stock from majority to minority stockholders, equalizing the holdings at 10 shares to each fruit grower, will be made on Monday.

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### STATE WILL BUY QUARRY

Prof. Lancaster and State Geologist Landis Visit North Yakima and Latter Speaks Here.

Purchase of the stone quarry in the Selah gap by the state of Washington, to be operated in connection with the building of the network of

state highways over the state, will be recommended by Prof. Sam C. Lancaster of the University of Washington and Henry Landis, state geologist, who made an inspection of the quarry Saturday morning.

Following the inspection of the quarry, Prof. Lancaster made numerous photographs and sketches of the quarry and the neighboring territory with a view of taking up the question of proper switches connecting with the Northern Pacific railroad.

Not only did the state officials find that the quarry has the best road material to be found in the state, but also that it is so located that a heavy face can be operated, a crusher put in, switches built to connect with the railroad's main line and all of the work be done without any danger of the blasting interfering with the operation of the railroad.

The quarry is located in a coulee on the west side of the gap, the face starting about 100 feet above the track at the level of the old grade road. It is possible to do all preliminary blasting in this coulee, and there will be no danger of heavy rocks falling on the tracks.

At the same time the height of the quarry gives the opportunity for use of the gravity system in handling the rocks, both before and after being crushed. Even the loading tracks for the cars will be operated with the gravity system, according to the sketches made by Prof. Lancaster.

Prof. Lancaster, who is one of the state's good road experts, delivered two lectures at the Yakima Commercial club rooms, one in the afternoon and another in the evening. In these lectures he told much about the methods used in building good roads in Europe and the east, illustrating with stereopticon views.

On Saturday afternoon Prof. Landis went to Naches City with a party of seniors from the University of Washington to inspect another quarry site. The students were A. L. O'Brien, Oscar James, Frank A. Kirtledge, C. E. Gregg and K. L. Partlow. These young men are to become highway engineers following their graduation.

President Donald of the North Yakima & Valley railroad arranged to have the entire party as guests of the railroad officials on the trip.

### POMONA MEN MEET AGAIN

Land Owners Will Arrange to Cooperate With President of Irrigation Project.

Land owners having property under the proposed Pomona Heights canal are to have another conference on Tuesday evening at the farmers' room in the court house with President O'Bryan of the North Yakima & East Selah Irrigation Co. It is believed that this conference will result in an adjustment of some of the differences between O'Bryan and the land owners, who will be organized under the name of the Pomona Heights Water Users' association, or some similar title.

The purpose of the meeting, announced by J. T. Handsaker, is to secure cooperation in the movement to secure water rights and water for the land. It is impossible for the canal company to deliver water to the land this year, as agreed, owing to difficulties over the water right with the reclamation service.

President O'Bryan and his friends are confident that some agreement can be reached by which the water can be secured, and the valuable land irrigated next season. The Pomona Heights district contains some of the finest fruit land in the Yakima valley.

### Wants Yakima Exhibit.

Benjamin F. Buck, secretary of the American Development & Securities Co. of New York, is in North Yakima, investigating the country and its resources. The company contemplates putting in a branch office here. Secretary Buck is anxious to secure cooperation of the Yakima Commercial club in placing a large exhibit of Yakima products in the company's building in New York city, with a view of showing investors exactly what the Yakima valley is doing.

### Epworth League Convention.

The sub-district convention of the Epworth League will be held in North Yakima on March 11 and 12. Rev. Dr. Orton of Spokane, editor of the Leaguer Magazine, will be one of the speakers and Mr. Rees of Seattle will also be on the program. Three deaconesses from Spokane will also be present to address the convention. Attorney Logan H. Roberts will give the opening address. The entire program has not been arranged.

### Alaskan Guest Invests.

One of the visitors in town this week, who is an intimate associate and relative of Judge Wickersham, is John Mestor, who is at present the guest of John Ditter. Mr. Mestor has been visiting different cities on the coast since his departure from the northern clime and even after stopping at such prominent places as Seattle, Tacoma and the various cities in the sound country, he is particularly interested in the prospects of the future growth of this city. Mr. Mestor has been at different times connected with various lines of business in Nome, Dawson and the more prominent cities in the Alaskan country, but after looking over the prospects of our future has finally decided to invest in something even more promising than the "precious metal," and that is North Yakima real estate and North Yakima land. Mr. Mestor will remain the guest of Mr. Ditter for the next few days.

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# SUBSEWERS IN FORTY BLOCKS

## DISTRICTS FORMED BY COUNCIL

Aim of Administration to Give Service to as Much of City as Possible Before Summer.

The city will soon have full sewer service if plans now being rushed through by the present administration are continued for three or four more months. At the two last meetings of the council ordinances have been passed calling for the construction of lateral sewers in nearly 40 blocks.

The west side and the section of the city in the vicinity of the Beech street trunk sewer have never been connected except in a few instances and it is the purpose of the mayor and council to push the construction rapidly and at the next meeting of the council contracts will be let for the building of the sewers in the new improvement districts just formed.

Never in the history of the city has so much activity been witnessed in this particular, heretofore all sewer districts formed having been through petition by a majority of the property owners in each block. This season sewer connections will have been made before the hot weather in a large portion of the city not heretofore given sewer service.

Ninth avenue, between West Yakima avenue and Jefferson, will be regraded, an ordinance establishing an improvement district having passed the council.

The plat of the Patten-Linch addition on the west side was submitted to the council and passed. The property is to be sold in city lots immediately.

E. E. Kelso's appointment as city weighmaster was confirmed.

A. A. Smith's appointment as patrolman was confirmed. Mr. Smith has been serving on the force for about a week.

The ordinance instructing the city engineer to re-survey the city and establish monuments and grades was passed and the work will be commenced at once.

# JERRY OKEY GETS DIVORCE

## AND CUSTODY OF HIS DAUGHTER

Judge Preble Gives Opinion and Decree, Deciding Idaho Divorce Is Void.

Through a decision of Judge Preble in the superior court on Monday, Jerry Okey was granted a divorce from his wife, Sadie M. Okey, and given the custody of the daughter, Madeline, 12 years of age. In giving his opinion in the case, Judge Preble declared that the Idaho divorce secured by Mrs. Okey was void and made a statement showing how he had reached this conclusion.

In the statement Judge Preble reviews the matrimonial troubles of Mr. and Mrs. Okey, who were married in Missouri and lived there until coming to North Yakima. Mrs. Okey, according to this review, left Missouri first, and was to make arrangements for the family on her arrival here.

Instead, she went to Idaho, where she later secured a divorce. The court held that her residence should have been at North Yakima, with her husband, and that she therefore had no right to the Idaho divorce.

Judge Preble granted the divorce to Okey, finding that the other divorce was void, and gave the custody of the child to the father, inasmuch as he believed she would be provided a better home with him.

A peculiar triangle results from the decree, as in March, 1908, Mrs. Okey married Walter Forbish. The attorneys for Jerry Okey in the case were Luhman & Clark and their victory of the hard-fought legal battle, presenting many technical points, has brought them much praise. Attorneys Englehart & Rigg and George W. Tannehill of Lewiston, Idaho, represented Mrs. Okey.

### Near Death in Big Pond.

It was a thrilling experience to Mrs. Ida Soper to face death. "For years a severe lung trouble gave me intense suffering," she writes, "and several times nearly caused my death. All remedies failed and doctors said I was incurable. Then Dr. King's New Discovery brought quick relief and a cure so permanent that I have not been troubled in twelve years." Mrs. Soper lives in Big Pond, Pa. It works wonders in coughs and colds, sore lungs, hemorrhages, la grippe, asthma, croup, whooping cough and all bronchial affections. 50c and \$1.00. Trial bottle free. Guaranteed by C. C. Case.

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# SUE AETNA CO. FOR \$25,000

## EXCESS COST OF HIGH SCHOOL

Original Contract Was for \$85,000 and the Total Cost Was \$110,000.

Suit will be instituted in a few days by the board of school directors of District No. 7, North Yakima, for approximately \$25,000 against the Aetna Indemnity Co., the bonding company which has figured in several court cases recently, including the Y. M. C. A. case and the McKivior suit against George Milton Savage.

The board decided on Monday, after a conference with Attorney H. J. Snively, that they had a good case against the bonding company and the members believe they can recover the entire amount for which suit is to be instituted.

This litigation is the outgrowth of the failure of the contracting firm of Gibson & Smith, which originally took the contract for the building of the school at \$85,000. The firm's failure to complete the building caused the school board to take matters up, hire builders and finish the big job. The total cost of the building, complete, was about \$110,000. This does not include the cost of some "extras" that were added to the original plans and which are deducted from the claim against the Aetna Indemnity Co.

At the school board meeting on Monday it was decided to advertise for bids for the clearing up of the high school grounds and the leveling of them, preparatory to further improvements on the property. The bids for this work will be received next Monday, until noon, and the contract probably let at the session of the board in the afternoon.

### PICTURES OF FAMOUS MEN

E. F. Colville, Formerly of Des Moines, Purchases the Ticknor-Brooks Studio.

Probably no collection of photographs in North Yakima contains more pictures of famous men of the present day than that of E. F. Colville, formerly of Des Moines, who has purchased the Ticknor-Brooks studio in the Weed building and will conduct it in the future. At the same time, the collection bears another distinction, that they are all taken by the present owner and are considered some of the most artistic portraits ever made of these men.

Two of the pictures are of William Jennings Bryan, thrice candidate for president on the democratic ticket. One of these bears the democratic leader's autograph. Another picture is of ex-Minister Conger of China, and another of A. B. Cummins, former governor of Iowa and now its junior senator. Frank McVicker, the great reform leader of Des Moines, through whom that city secured its present commissioner plan of government and who has been elected commissioner by an overwhelming vote, is another man photographed by Col-

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ville. Photographs of nearly all of the leading men of Iowa are included in the collection.

In speaking about his plans in coming to North Yakima, Colville said: "I wanted to get into the fruit business and with my brother-in-law bought a 17-acre ranch in Parker. While he is managing the place for the first few years I will continue as a photographer and will endeavor to introduce many new features of the business in North Yakima. I have already purchased enough new equipment and material. I like North Yakima and the entire Yakima valley and expect to make it my home for all of my life."

### GIVES MILE RIGHT OF WAY

Duluth Man Shows Confidence in Benefit of Electric Line to His Property.

Chester A. Congdon, the Duluth millionaire who has large interests in North Yakima and vicinity, has shown his confidence in the benefit of an electric railroad across his land by giving approximately a mile of right of way over his Wide Hollow property to the Yakima Valley Transportation Co. The contracts for the right of way were filed with the county auditor on Thursday and bear

the signatures of Chester A. Congdon and his wife and President Splawn and Secretary Frith of the Transportation Co.

The right of way over the Congdon property is the most extensive stretch of the entire system through one man's land. The tracks enter the Congdon land half way between the Wide Hollow and the Sanitarium road after passing along the north side of the Morgan property. With the exception of a quarter mile across property formerly owned by John J. Miller, the line will be along the Congdon property until it reaches a point about one mile from the Abnatum academy. The transfer has been made with no other consideration attached than that the company shall build and operate an electric line over the right of way and shall properly care for the irrigation water and ditches crossed.

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### Official Weighmaster.

E. E. Kelso, of the Yakima Transfer Co., has been appointed as official weighmaster by Mayor Arambuster under the new ordinance, and the scales are located on the property of that company at their warehouse on North First street.

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