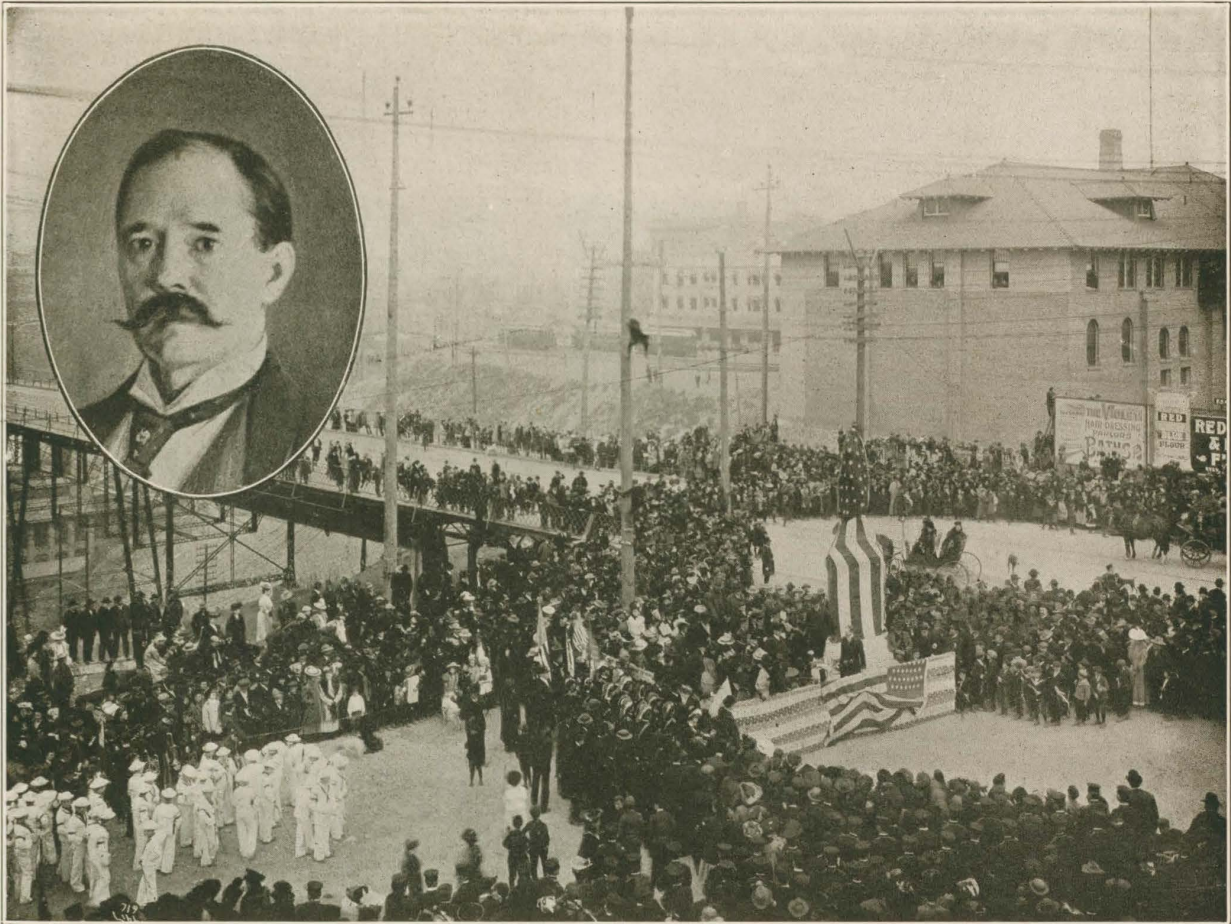




George Turner

Bird's Eye View of Spokane at the Unveiling of the Monaghan Monument.

her markets, she will be a thrifty metropolis and will attract thousands of newcomers annually.

Spokane may be truthfully termed the Falls City, as she surrounds the Spokane Falls, one of the most picturesque spots in the whole West. A sweeping view of the falls and a part of the city may be seen in the above picture, which was taken at the time of the unveiling of the Monaghan monument, which was erected in memory of John R. Monaghan, a Spokane young man who joined the navy and after a short but brilliant career was killed on the island of Samoa in the South Sea. The crowd is being addressed by former Senator George Turner, whose picture is otherwise seen in the cut. Senator Turner is one of the most brilliant orators in the West, and while United States senator, Democrat though he was, he received many favors and courtesies at the hands of Republican presidents. Senator Turner has the reputation of advocating "all men up," and he has so often proved his prowess in such an advocacy that the oppressed go to him for succor in all times of need. He is held in high esteem by the Afro-

Americans of Spokane, whose friend and champion he has always been.

Spokane has many and extensive industries, which give to the city a splendid bucket brigade, which is, after all, the second essential in the building up of any city, money being the first. Men and women of the working class need have no fear in going to Spokane, for, like every other city in the Northwest, there is a general cry for "more help."

Fort Wright is a beautiful army post situated near the city, at which large bodies of Uncle Sam's standing army are always to be found. Three trans-continental railroads already reach the city, with two others rapidly heading that way. A short line which taps the British Columbia mining belt terminates in Spokane, while electric lines run out from the city to the mining districts of Idaho and the fine farming districts of the Palouse country and the other surrounding farming sections. Take it all in all, no city in the whole West is so well backed by commercial commodities as Spokane, and its greatness is assured beyond the peradventure of a doubt.