

# A Stylish Jacket or Cape

FOR

# HALF HALF

We wouldn't be human if we didn't make mistakes. We bought a large lot of Stylish Jackets and Capes because they were cheap—a few more than we could handle—that was a mistake. Very low priced originally, we shall now offer them until cleaned up at

## Just Fifty Cents on the Dollar.

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## PEASE & MAYS

### The Dalles Daily Chronicle.

WEDNESDAY, - - - JUNE 16, 1897

#### WAYSIDE GLEANINGS.

Random Observations and Local Events of Lesser Magnitude.

Pease & Mays will announce their Saturday Special in Friday's issue.

All for 15 cents—a good program, ice cream and cake at the M. E. church this evening.

John L. Balliett filed a homestead on a 40-acre tract in the Mosier neighborhood today.

A big snow load of wood and railroad ties is being unloaded at the foot of Union street.

License to marry was issued yesterday afternoon to Frank McKellar and Elmira L. Turner.

At the Umatilla house today a fire was kept in the office, it being too chilly without it for comfort.

Frank McKellar and Elmira L. Turner were married today, Justice Filloon performing the ceremony.

Wool is coming in quite plentifully, and there are now between four and five million pounds in the warehouses.

The special sale at Pease & Mays on Saturday next will be an eye-opener. Don't fail to read their ad. next Friday.

All Elks are requested to be present at a special meeting tonight at the small K. of P. hall. By order of the exalted ruler.

Do not forget that beginning tomorrow morning the D. P. & A. N. Co.'s boats will leave the wharf here at 8:45 instead of at 7.

The weather remains cloudy, cool and breezy, all of which is good for the grain crops. If the wind would quit rain would be apt to fall.

The foundation for E. O. McCoy's residence is about completed. The building will be a very handsome one, costing about \$7000.

The Workmen and Woodmen have leased the Schanno hall, over Harris' store, and are preparing it for occupancy. They will take formal possession July 1st.

But little wool has changed hands so far this season, both buyer and seller holding off to see what is done with the tariff. A few lots have changed hands at prices ranging from 8 to 8½ cents.

A man whose name we cannot learn, working on the Hood River flume, fell Monday a distance of twelve feet, striking on his hands and face on the rocks. He received several ugly cuts about the face, but was not seriously injured.

Nineteen carloads of young cattle were unloaded here this morning to be fed. They came from Albany, ten carloads being yearlings, and the balance 2-year-olds. They belong to Flowery & Flavey, and are going to Cut Bank, Montana.

Yesterday between The Dalles and Nansene, Mr. T. J. Moffitt lost a roll of

bedding wrapped in a tarpaulin. There was a green blanket in the roll and he thinks an overcoat. A reward will be paid for their return to this office, or to Mr. Moffitt.

While Pease and Mays are not going to give goods away next Saturday, they will come so near it on one line, that you will not appreciate the difference. For this reason they will be obliged to limit the quantity to be sold to any one person.

The Gypsy Carnival, which will be given by the Good Templars at their hall Saturday evening, promises to be one that cannot be excelled. No admission fee will be charged, but inside can be had all kinds of refreshments at very low rates.

Mrs. Iola Beebe was arrested last night charged with practicing medicine without a license, and the trial of the case is going on this afternoon before a jury in Recorder Phelps' court. Prosecuting Attorney Jayne appears for the state, and Gates & Story for the defendant.

Harry Whallen, "the human ostrich," who traveled with a circus and made a living by swallowing pen-knives, nails, broken glass and other like dainties, and who was recently cut open to relieve his stomach of an overdose of hardware, which lay heavily thereon, did not survive the operation, but made an assignment of his stock, so to speak, and retired from business.

A dead body, supposed to be that of Dennis Devine, was found buried in the sand on the bank of the Salmon river, in the extreme northern part of Lincoln county, early in the month. Devine disappeared about six months ago, and it was thought at the time that he was murdered by the Indians; but the coroner's jury that examined into the case decided that he came to his death by drowning. The sum of \$4.50 was found upon the dead man.

Ice cream and cake is being served in the store room first door south of the land office this afternoon and evening by the Lutheran ladies. Both ice cream and cake are of the finest quality, and every attention is being shown to patrons. Those who attend will be sure to spend a very pleasant evening. An excellent musical program will also be rendered this evening by some of the leading talent of The Dalles, including Professor Wm. Birgfeld. Everybody invited to attend.

The school board expects to have the plans for the proposed brick school house ready by July 1st, at which time bids will be called for the construction of the building, to be submitted by the 20th. It is probable bids will be called for the superstructure and basement, separately, and together. The contract for the excavation was let yesterday for \$ J. D. Oaks for the very low price of 9 cents per cubic yard. The site was definitely located and staked out this morning, and the work of excavation begun.

The salmon catch is a trifle better, and next week ought to be very good if reports from down river points are not exaggerated. The Herrick cannery put up about two and a half tons yesterday, and about half as much today. In quality the fish are the finest ever caught in the Columbia, which means the finest in the world. The run is almost all Chinooks, that go from twenty-five to fifty pounds each. They are big, fat and juicy, and the spring pack of '97 ought to add to the reputation of the Columbia river pack.

Superintendent Ed. McConville, of the Lapwai Industrial school, has made arrangements for his Indian boys' baseball team and athletes to visit Spokane on the 21st inst. A schedule of games has been arranged with the Spokane team, and the Indian boys will engage with the pale faces of that section in a number of athletic contests. Joe McCormack, the Indian boy who sprinted Spokane's crack foot-racer to a standstill last year, will again represent the school in measuring distances. Dr. O. J. West, the veteran sportsman, will accompany the Indian boys to Spokane and coach them in all the events.

#### Fire at Umatilla.

A destructive fire occurred at Umatilla Sunday evening, when it was discovered at 8 o'clock that Henry Means' store was in flames. The fire was occasioned by the overturning of a lamp in the rear room of the store by Mr. Means placing it on the end of a fruit box. It was no more than sixty seconds later that the building was one mass of roaring flames and in an incredibly short space of time the store and the A. R. Jack hotel and dwelling house property were all in ashes.

Mr. Means saved scarcely anything but a few of the books and an armful of sweaters, his loss being about \$5000 on building and stock, with insurance amounting to \$1950 on the stock, \$200 on the postoffice fixtures and \$500 on the building.

The loss on the other property will not be less than \$3000 making \$8000 in all.

Dick Kelly, landlord of the hotel, saved some of his furniture and bedding, but lost heavily, with a very small insurance.

#### Notice to Taxpayers.

On and after July 1, 1897, costs will be added for the collection of all taxes due Wasco county on all delinquent rolls now in the hands of the sheriff. This is an imperative order from the county court, and the sheriff has no option but to collect such taxes by levy on property if not paid voluntarily by property owners. All parties concerned are hereby notified that no leniency will be shown in the collection of taxes after July 1, and that levy will be made on all property delinquent after that date.

T. J. DRIVER,

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#### CHRISTIAN ENDEAVOR MEETING.

The Oregon Visitors to Go In a Special Train.

President H. S. Gile, of the Oregon Y. P. S. C. E., returned to Salem Monday from San Francisco, where he went ten days ago to make definite rates for Oregon visitors to the great Christian Endeavor convention to be held in that city July 7th to 12th inclusive. He was eminently successful in securing cheap transportation and low hotel rates.

The program is as follows: There will start from Portland on Monday morning, July 5th, a special Oregon C. E. train in one or more sections, according to the number desiring to go, which will stop at all principal points on the route. At Ashland the Rogue River conference will be in session, and the train will stop over night, permitting the visitors to take part in the convention work. Early next morning the train will pull out, making the run over the mountains by daylight.

The Oregon headquarters will be at the Baldwin hotel, where special rates of \$1 per day have been secured.

The fare for the round trip will be \$15, and a careful computation of actual expenses make the total outlay, including fare, \$24.

It will be necessary for all intending C. E. tourists to register with President Gile at the Salem headquarters, in person or by letter, at once, in order that he may have an intelligent idea of the scope and personnel of the representation from Oregon, and give his official supervision to the pleasure and comfort of each.

Mr. Gile reports that arrangements are already complete at San Francisco for the Pennsylvania delegation, which will come west in five big trains, while New York and Ohio C. Es are provided for at 800 each, besides thousands of others indefinitely quoted.

Every sign indicates a grand convention and a glorious and wonderfully interesting outing for the young people from everywhere, and San Francisco can be relied upon to contribute handsomely to a magnificent success.

On his way north Mr. Gile spoke at Ashland once, and at Grant's Pass three times on Sunday last, and declares the convention sentiment in Southern Oregon to be alert and enthusiastic.

The palpable success that has attended the Oregon president's efforts, is the more manifest, since he has accomplished it all, after the idea had been abandoned by those in authority in California, as far as Oregon was concerned, but now Oregon will send her hundreds of bright-faced young people to share the spiritual and material enjoyments in store for them at the big gathering by the Golden Gate.

#### Rathbone's Attention!

All members of Rathbone Sisters are requested to be present tomorrow evening, June 17th, as there will be nomination of officers,

LIZZIE LITTLE, M. E. C.  
MINNIE GOSSER, M. R. & C. pro temp.

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