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purpose, the merchants throughout the state would immediately refuse to give credit, and would force collections.

The city charter is defective in the matter of enforcing citizens to lay new sidewalks, so that it is impossible to frame an ordinance that will be effective.

The general impression seems to be, says the Statesman, that just as soon as confidence is restored and hoarded money once more seeks the channels of trade that we will see the most prosperous times that have been seen for years.

It is now generally admitted that the Amick discovery is a certain specific in the earlier stages of consumption.

The people at The Dalles, which is in Oregon, where 5,000,000 pounds of wool remain unsold, a free trade price of six to eight cents a pound only being obtainable.

An agitation has suddenly developed, and without any apparent cause, against employing Chinese for the various kinds of labor which white men can do.

Canada has a homestead law. Farm lots of 200 acres are granted to each head of a family and 100 to each male adult on condition of building a log house 16x20 feet, cultivating fifteen acres in every 100, and residing six months in each year during five years on the property.

Representative Ellis, it seems, has become confused, rather than enlightened, by the plethora of talk and newspaper comment on the silver question.

It is probable that most any kind of a stay law that would be formulated by the Oregon assembly would be unconstitutional, since the constitution of Oregon, as well as that of the United States, permits of no law that will impair the obligation of contracts.

Over 6,000 women in the United States act as postmaster. The largest number in one state, 463, is in Pennsylvania; 460 in Virginia.

Pressure on congress will soon be tremendous to hurry up their labors for which they were specially assembled.

What happens in Australia tomorrow may be printed and read in this country today. This is where the telegraph gets ahead of the sun in the matter of rapid transit.

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A MUCH BETTER PLAN.

Now that it is likely the plan will be recommended to utilize the water of the Des Chutes for a canal at an expense of only \$1,000,000, a rivalry has sprung up between Capt. W. P. Gray and Capt. Frank H. West.

Capt. Gray's plan provides for the use of the water from the Des Chutes river by means of a small canal from Celilo to The Dalles. This canal, it is proposed, will be above the level of the Columbia at both ends.

Mr. West, in speaking of the matter to a Portland reporter Saturday, said: "In justice to myself I wish to say that whatever of practical benefit and usefulness may result from this plan belongs in no sense to Captain William P. Gray.

The surface canal at the upper entrance to the locks at Oregon City, of which I was superintendent for ten years, was used to illustrate my plan, which virtually covered all the points mentioned in the present plan, credited to Captain Gray.

Mr. Earl wires him that there will now be a good demand for both Oregon Bartlett and late plums. He finds hereabouts later varieties of the latter, such as Bradshaw's Columbias.

It is a work of education this year, for fruit handling is quite artistic. It is not easy to secure the best results from work done by beginners and the fact that Mr. McDonald shows that our plums sold from 5 to 20 per cent higher than other similar fruit on the same day the second car from The Dalles was sold, is encouraging.

Representative Breckinridge, of Kentucky, has become involved in a very ugly personal scandal, by the filing of a suit against him for \$50,000 by Madalene V. Pollard, for breach of promise of marriage.

Miss Smith and the Bear.

Miss M. Smith, of Elmira, Cal., who is spending the summer at the Wetemis Soda springs, had a friendly interview with a large black bear one day last week.

The teachers who passed the recent school examination at Hood River are as follows: First Grade—Charlotte Roberts, Nellie M. Roberts, H. L. Howe, Anna Sears.

OREGON FRUIT SHIPMENTS.

A Chance for Us to Capture the Markets with Pears.

Mr. S. A. Clarke is in The Dalles today looking after Bartlett pears. He has information from Mr. E. T. Earl of the Earl Fruit Co., that California has now shipped all their Bartletts, and that there will be a good market at better prices for Oregon pears.

Mr. Schanno has been around considerably and reports that he found a great many pears, and the question was as to their being fit for shipment.

He informs us that our plums struck the largest tide of plum shipments that went from California.

Young Vardie McFarland, son of E. B. McFarland, the Portland banker, performed a heroic deed a few days ago by saving the life of the 8-year-old son of W. R. McKenzie.

The disappearance of John L. Ayer, the lawyer and politician, has been followed by the issuance of two warrants for his arrest in Oregon and Idaho.

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secretary in this way. He then sold it and appropriated the money to his own use. He found many purchasers in Idaho, who waited patiently for several months for the large dividends he had promised them.

Meantime, Lawyer Mitchell had discovered discrepancies in Ayer's accounts and had returned to Moscow and obtained a warrant for his arrest.

Ayer came to Portland from Seattle about three years ago. He became a politician in 1891 and was known as the "Kid Boss."

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Advised Letters. Following is the list of letters remaining in the postoffice at The Dalles un-called for, Saturday, August 19th, 1893.

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THE SNUG. W. H. BUTTS, Prop. No. 90 Second Street, The Dalles.

J. F. FORD, Evangelist. Of Des Moines, Iowa, writes under date March 23, 1893.

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