

The Weekly Chronicle.

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Bills Allowed.

Table listing bills allowed by the city council at the regular meeting Tuesday night. Includes names like Douglas Dufur, recorder; Jas H Blakener, marshal; Geo J Brown, eng dept; W H Butts, street commr; I I Burget, treasurer; John Blaser, fire warden; Times-Mountaineer, printing; J Lake, labor; Mays & Crowe, mdse; Dalles El Lt, Tel & P Co, lights fire dept; Wm McCrum, labor; Bert Eaton, labor; Dalles Lumb Co, mdse; Or Telephone Co, rent phone; Dalles El Lt, Tel & P Co, street lights; J K Page, labor; F M King, labor; J F Stanleys, labor; Blakeley & Houghton, mdse; Jas H Blakener, hauling; D Bennett, labor; J Wettle, hauling; R B Hood, jr., hauling; Maier & Benton, mdse; H Laffin, labor; Snipes & Kinersly, mdse; C Denton, wood; Maier & Benton, mdse; R B Hood, jr, hauling engine; John Phares, sawing wood; John Blaser, mdse; Jas Blakener, hauling; Fain & Sway, painting; A G Long, fire bell; Fain & Sway, painting; Maier & Benton, one stove; Dalles Water Works, water rent for Sept; T T Nichols, ground rent; Dalles El Lt Tel & P Co office lights, Sept; Fain & Sway, painting jail; F W L Skilbee, boarding Coxeys officer; Maier & Benton, labor; R B Hood, jr, hauling; Chas F Laner, bread; R B Hood, sr, one safe; Snipes & Kinersly, medicine; C F Stephens, mdse, mdse; Dalles Lumbering Co, wood; R V Gibbons, night watchman; F G Connelly, night watchman.

An Official Denial.

LONDON, Oct. 4.—Officials of the Chinese legation here deny the story printed in the Frankford Zeitung that the Chinese minister in London has proposed to the British government that Russia, Great Britain and France dispatch troops to the treaty ports of China to protect the interests of foreigners.

Japanese Warships Sighted.

LONDON, Oct. 4.—A dispatch from Shanghai says native vessels from Nang Poo report five Japanese warships lying off the Christian islands, 50 miles from Nang Poo. The presence of ships near Nang Poo has caused a scare. The few Chinese warships on the coast are obsolete and almost worthless.

To Protect Foreigners.

BERLIN, Oct. 4.—The Frankford Zeitung says the Chinese minister to London has proposed to the British government that Russia, Great Britain and France dispatch troops to the treaty ports of China to protect the interests of foreigners, and has given assurances that China would raise no objection.

Not Time to Interfere.

BRUSSELS, Oct. 4.—The Independence Beige says: "The time has not yet come for England to interfere in Chinese affairs. England's differences with France are grave, but if negotiations be prudently conducted a settlement should not be difficult."

Mr. T. E. Wiley, 146 Chambers st., New York City, says that Ayer's Sarsaparilla cured him of a dry and scaly humor, from which he had suffered intolerably. He adds: "I have not now a blemish on my body, and my cure is wholly due to Ayer's Sarsaparilla."

Lost in the Storm.

NEW YORK, Oct. 4.—A special from Key West, Fla., says: "More than 50 human bodies have been washed up along the reefs near here in the last two days, most of them being badly decomposed. They were buried where they were found."

The formula of Ayer's Sarsaparilla is well known to the medical profession, and universally approved. The reputation of the firm guarantees excellence and uniformity in the medicine, and the world's experience for nearly half a century has fully demonstrated its value.

Dr. Elliott Cones, who has nearly completed his new edition of "Pike's Expeditions," has just returned from a canoe trip of over 400 miles to the sources of the Mississippi. He reports the making of many important and interesting discoveries.

People with hair that is continually falling out, or those that are bald, can stop the falling, and get a good growth of hair by using Hall's Hair Renewer.

A DUCK HUNTER'S RESORT.

The Odd Business Methods of a Southern Storekeeper.

Duck night at Ewell's store, down on the Virginia coast near the North Carolina line, is locally famous in the ducking season as the special night in the week when the storekeeper is at home to the duck hunters of the region. Ewell says the New York Sun, buys ducks of the hunters, paying for the game in goods from his store, and shipping his purchases to an up-coast life-saving station, whence they find their way to the markets of Baltimore, Philadelphia and New York. As Ewell waits behind his counter with a lantern, the duckers, rube-looking fellows of the beach-comber type, drop in one by one and sit around in the gloom. Ewell hangs the game in a cold room at the rear of the store and credits each duck with the agreed value of his ducks. As each transaction is made the ducker recalls something that he needs from the merchant's stock, and when he has received the article the price is debited against his credit. The ducker then relapses to the nearest barrel or box and waits until some other needed article shall occur to his mind. He then makes the new demand upon the merchant, has a new debit placed against his credit, and again slides back into the gloom. After fully two hours of this sort of thing, those who wish the balance of their credit paid in cash receive their duns, and everybody cautiously repairs to a hollow tree hard by, where moonshiners from over the North Carolina line are waiting with a fiery article of untaxed liquor, and the heart of the ducker is made glad.

COWBOY APPRENTICESHIP.

A Calling That is Praught with Much Mental Anguish.

"If young men who have the cowboy fever had any idea of the apprenticeship they are likely to serve before becoming full-fledged cowboys, most of them would be cured without the expense of a trip a thousand miles west," says Elias Miller, of Hutchinson, Kan., to the St. Louis Globe-Democrat recently. "It is nearly twenty years since I had the fever and went out to be cured. My first work was watching the line between Wyoming and Dakota. Line or fence watching is an assignment frequently given to a newcomer, and the duties consist in riding up and down the line and preventing cattle from straying over it. Several men here lost their reason in this work, and I came very near doing so myself. All the glory and adventure we read of in books is absent, and the solitude is terrible. I could cover my distance in about two days, and did nothing else but ride up and down the line watching for the stray cattle, which never strayed my way. Sheep herding is said to be the most terribly monotonous work a man can be put to, but there are few cowboys in the west who have not an acute recollection of the sufferings they endured when doing such work as I describe. There are hundreds of men doing it to-day, but each of them is looking forward to obtaining a new job with almost the eagerness of a convict who knows that his sentence has nearly expired."

HOLLAND'S THAMPS.

Instead of Herding Them Together the Gentry Are Scattered Over Farms.

The growth of the tramp industry in this country and the consequently increasing demands made upon the charity of our large cities have led to the front the question of pauperism. What shall the country do with those who want work and cannot get it, and with those who might get it and won't do it? These questions seem to be handled more successfully in Holland than in any other country of the civilized world. In most other countries these people are herded together in vast poorhouses or fed in common soup kitchens, but the Holland idea is to scatter them as widely as possible and make all who are able to do it earn their own living.

The same idea is a tract of land containing about one thousand acres, divided into six farms, and every person applying for relief is sent to one of these. If he is willing to work and voluntarily serves until he has gained some idea of agriculture he is allowed to rent a small farm for himself and to be what is called a "free farmer." This is a very practical method of dealing with the vexed problem, and one that is especially adapted to this country.

NOT AMBITIOUS WOMEN.

Italian Dames Do Little Outside the Home Circle.

The Italian woman has not yet taken her true working place in society. She is generally handsome, rarely tall in the strictest sense of the word, though by no means a very strict moralist. At home she rules outside she exerts no influence whatever. The political woman is as yet unknown. A few literary women exist, but among them are only one or two who rise above the average. The Italian woman is nearly always a good mother, even when a bad wife she follows impulses rather than reason in her actions, and this to a greater degree than her sisters in any other European country.

During the national uprising she was hopeful, but she remained humble and never became ambitious. Mme. Ratanzi, who tried to meddle in politics, had to desist. Outside the domestic circle the Italian woman does not work, except in the lower classes, and then she uses rather her physical than her intellectual strength. The business woman, like in France, is not met with except in Piedmont and Milan. The state has not been able to find woman other official employment than that of school-mistress.

A Decided Convenience.

People walking about in a great city, temporarily ill, have often felt the need of a place where they could step in until refreshed. A shoemaker has made a move in the right direction by announcing on a card in his window: "Any respectable man, woman or child can have a fit in this store!"



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"Japan says she proposes to demolish China," said Mr. Blykins. "She ought to have our servant girl," replied his wife wearily.—Atlantic Constitution.

The Prince of Wales is entitled to wear 70 different uniforms, but he never puts on more than one at a time. This is his uniform habit.—Tammany Times.

"That government is best which governs the least." When little Johnny read this he said, "I'll have to show that to dad."—Boston Transcript.

Iida—Jack is such a dear fellow. You don't know what a big fool I make of myself every time he calls. Cora—Yes I do. He tells me all about it.

Professor Virchow, who is over 73 years of age, did not spend his vacation in luxurious idleness. He attended five international congresses.

The Texas editors who killed each other in a duel have now all the leaded matter they need for their next issue.—New Orleans Picayune.

Savage Landor, whose Korean articles in the Fortnightly has attracted so much attention, is a grandson of Walter Savage Landor.

Even a dude has his uses in the world. He is a standing example to other young men of what they should avoid.—Somerville Journal.

Dr. A. Conan Doyle is coming to the United States shortly to deliver three lectures, under the management of Major Pond.

Binks—What's the biggest lie you ever heard? Jinks—Teddie Thoughtless's boast that he once had brain fever.

George Gould's expenses this season in connection with the yacht Vigilant and Atlanta have been nearly \$400,000.

SHERIFF'S SALE.

Notice is hereby given, that under and by virtue of an execution issued out of the Court of the State of Oregon for Wasco County, on the 23d day of Sept., 1894, on a decree made, entered and rendered in said Court on the 20th day of July, 1894, in an action wherein Dalles City was plaintiff and Mary L. Booth was defendant, in favor of said plaintiff and against said defendant, for \$1,777, with interest, pursuant from said 20th day of July, 1894, at the rate of 10 per cent per annum, and the further sum of \$125.00 costs, and to be directed, and commanding me to sell the property hereinafter described to satisfy the above sums, I will on Monday, the 5th day of November, 1894, at the hour of 2 o'clock p. m. of said day, sell, to the highest bidder for cash, at public auction, at the Court House in Dalles City, in Wasco County, State of Oregon, according to the recorded maps and plats thereof, together with the homestead, necessaries and appurtenances therein being or in any way appertaining, or so much thereof as will be sufficient to satisfy the above named sums, together with the accruing costs and expenses of this sale. The above described lots and property will be sold in parts or parcels or all together, as may be deemed to be for the best interest of all persons concerned. Dated at Dalles City, Wasco County, Oregon, this 26th day of Sept., 1894. J. J. DRIVER, Sheriff of Wasco County, Oregon.

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Guardian's Sale of Real Estate.

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned, guardian of the person and estate of Nancy Stanley, an aged and infirm person, by virtue of an order of the County Court of the State of Oregon for Wasco County, in probate, made and entered on the 4th day of September, A. D. 1894, at the regular September term of said Court for the year 1894, will on Saturday, October 20th, 1894, at the hour of 10 o'clock a. m. of said day, on the premises known as the Homestead of John Stanley, deceased, situated on the south bank of the Columbia River at Hood River, in Wasco County, State of Oregon, sell at Public Auction to the highest bidder for cash in hand, the following described real property belonging to said estate to-wit: Lots numbered One (1), Two (2), Three (3) and Four (4) of Section Thirty-two (32) in Township Three (3) North of Range Eleven (11) East of the Willamette Meridian, containing 135 45-100 acres and situated in Wasco County, State of Oregon. Together with the tenements, hereditaments and appurtenances thereto belonging. All of said lots to be sold in one parcel and said sale to be subject to confirmation by said Court. Dated September 15, 1894. HANS LAUGE, Guardian of the person and estate of Nancy Stanley, an aged and infirm person.

Administrator's Sale.

Notice is hereby given that by an order of the County Court of the State of Oregon heretofore made, the undersigned have been duly appointed, and are now the qualified and acting administrators of the estate of Henry A. Pratt, deceased. All persons having claims against the above-named deceased are hereby notified to present their claims, with the proper vouchers, to us at the office of Leslie Butler, in Masonic building, Dalles City, Oregon, or J. F. Armour, Hood River, Or., within six months from the date of this notice, and all persons indebted to said estate are hereby required to settle such indebtedness forthwith. Dated at Dalles City, Or., at Hood River, this 10th day of August, 1894. LESLIE BUTLER, J. F. ARMOUR, Administrators of the estate of Henry A. Pratt, deceased.

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