

The Weekly Chronicle.

THE DALLES, OREGON

PERSONAL MENTION

Joseph A. Graham of Sisters postoffice, Or., called at this office today. A. J. Francis, advance agent for the Spanish Students, left for Heppner last night. Mrs. J. C. Hostetter has returned from Concordia, Kan., where she has been visiting her parents. Mrs. J. M. Patterson went to Salem today to spend Thanksgiving with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Grey. Friday. Miss Nell Michell came down from Columbus this morning. Miss Edna Moody came up from Salem last night to enjoy the skating here. Miss Clara Grimes is up from Portland and is visiting the family of her brother, C. M. Grimes. Mrs. W. C. Johnson came up from Oregon City yesterday, and is spending a few days with her son, Nello. R. V. Finnott of The Dalles arrived in the city last evening, and will spend Thanksgiving with Mrs. G. G. Townsend. Elder J. H. Miller and wife, accompanied by Miss Annie Davenport, who will make her home with them, left last night for Heppner, where they will reside. Manager Webber of the Spanish Students, arrived on the local from Portland this morning and put the finishing touches on the arrangements for the concert this evening. The company will arrive on the Dalles City this evening. Mr. Chester Deering of San Francisco, special agent of the Pennsylvania Fire Insurance Co., and Mr. Paul C. Bates, who holds a similar position with the company at Portland, are in the city, and will establish an agency for their company here. We acknowledge a pleasant call. Schedule of Expenditures. Showing the amounts of all claims presented, the names of all claimants, the article or claim for which payment is made, the amounts allowed and the claims continued or rejected at the Nov. term, 1896, of the county court for Wasco county, Oregon. The following list, however, does not contain any claim for which the salary or fees are provided by statute: Pease & Mays, mds. 23 40 The Irwin Hudson Co, election supplies 33 00 Wm Shickelford, exam insane 5 00 Glass & Prudhome, supplies 43 00 Kocher & Freeman, building walk Kocher & Freeman, allowed in vacation 330 00 Meston & Dygert, supplies 34 00 Dalles Lumber Co, lumber 9 23 Oregon Telephone Co, messages 1 00 D W Vause, lights for jail 1 25 Ward, Kerns & Robinson, use of team 3 00 Columbia Ice Co, mds 1 20 Mays & Crowe, mds 2 50 C V Chaplin, cross walks 8 50 Chronicle Pub Co, publishing 18 00 Irwin Hudson Co, supplies 22 00 A Hunson, labor 4 50 Pease & Mays, supplies pauper 2 00 G T Prather, justice docket 3 50 Geo D Barnard & Co, supplies 81 05 Mountain Stage Line Co, use of team 3 00 Geo Jordan 2 00 Weston & Dygert, supplies 8 50 Geo Ruch, supplies pauper 2 50 Jacobsen Book & Music Co, mds 9 75 Sauter & Condon, telephone rent F W L Skibbe, board pauper 16 10 Dalles Lumber Co, lumber 3 00 J B Golt, surveying 18 00 Frank Gabel, bounty wild animals F Jonson, do do do 2 00 A Y Marsh, do do do 3 00 X M Morgan, do do do 1 00 T Wilson, do do do 2 00 F G Buskahl, do do do 1 00 L L Bell, do do do 1 00 J W Russell, do do do 1 00 A H Ganger, do do do 1 00 G W Gibson, do do do 2 00 A Rees, do do do 1 00 M Stecker, do do do 1 00 John Heleh, do do do 1 00 C E Cok, do do do 1 00 E A Haynes, do do do 2 00 C Davidson, do do do 1 00 M D Orell, do do do 1 00 Hugh Trout, do do do 2 00 J T Peters & Co, wood, lumber 31 34 Jacobsen Book & Music Co, mds 6 90 Chronicle Pub Co, election tickets and notices 102 82 Mable G Mack, work on tax roll 18 00 C L Gilbert, work on tax roll 188 00 Eta B Wakefield work on tax roll 16 00 Mays & Crowe, mds 41 30 F H Wakefield, salary assessor 236 00 Chas D-rham, lumber 29 75 D P & A N Co, transportation 5 00 E S Olinger, constable fees 5 90 G T Prather, justice fees 3 40 B F Stinson, sheriff fees 10 00 H Logan, medical services 13 00 Pease & Mays, supplies 1 00 C F Williams, springfield 4 50 T J Driver, board prisoners, etc 131 75 J N Wilson, rent polling place 2 50 O G Hollister, medical services 9 00 J F Daniels, services on voting places 8 50 J M Kane, examining insane 5 00 Wright & McManery, lumber 10 00 STATE OF OREGON, County of Wasco, ss. I, A. M. Kelsay, county clerk of Wasco county, state of Oregon, do hereby certify that the above and foregoing is a full and complete statement of the claims presented and action taken there on by the county court of Wasco county, Oregon, sitting for the transaction of county business at the Nov. term 1896, thereof, save and except all claims, the salary or fees of which are provided for by statute. Witness my hand and seal of the county court, affixed this 20th day of November, 1896. [Seal] A. M. KELSAY, County Clerk. By SIMON BOLTON, Deputy.

FORETOLD NAPOLEON'S FALL.

Discovery of Old Manuscripts Written by a Danish Astrologer Centuries Ago. Some old manuscripts have just been discovered in San Francisco of wonderful importance. These manuscripts are the production of one Peter Hansen, a noted Danish astrologer, who lived through the end of the sixteenth and beginning of the seventeenth centuries. He was a contemporary and correspondent of Johann Kepler, the great German astronomer, Basil and other learned men of that time. He was also a nephew and pupil of the celebrated Danish astronomer, Tycho Brahe, and lived in Copenhagen in the years 1594 to 1612. The discovered Hansen manuscripts are in possession of a descendant, Olof Linnberg, who, however, knew nothing of their nature, although believing them of great importance. Mr. Christian Andersen, an accomplished Danish scholar, has examined these old papers and found wonders in them. Part of these manuscripts are of the greatest importance to the American people at the present time. But first it will be well to show the value of these calculations and predictions. The great plague of 1664-1665 is clearly foretold, with cumulative disaster on London, indicating the great fire more than half a century in advance. Lilly borrowed from this. The French revolution and the rise and fall of Napoleon are clearly predicted and with entire precision in the designation of years. These are accompanied by charts and diagrams, apparently of terrestrial and celestial combination. On one of these charts is a heavy line from the French frontier of Moscow. The fall of Napoleon is told with the force of language of a prophet. It says: "The conqueror shall become haughty and despotic, drunken with ambition, leading his victorious hosts through fire and blood as a glutton revels at a feast. Then shall he penetrate the north for new conquests, passing beyond the lines of his auspicious star, and two stars of evil omens confront him. His victorious banner shall wither like dry twigs in a blast of fire. He shall stagger back before a hurricane of destruction, tattered, bleeding and torn, and fall prostrate to the earth. Yet shall he rise again, in the furious agony of a dying giant, to sink forever, as choking in a sea of blood." Among the other predictions in these old documents are the destruction of Lisbon by earthquake, the extinction of the papal temporal power, the Franco-German conflict and other great natural and political convulsions.

UNFORTUNATE PERSIANS.

The Unhappy Lot of the Subjects of the Shah. According to reports recently made by a British consul in that country the condition of the peasants of Persia seems to be peculiarly an unhappy one. He says: "They inhabit mud hovels, without windows and with a hole in the center of the roof to let out the smoke, and the filthy state of the villages is indescribable. At the end of the winter they generally find their stock either exhausted or running very low, and the great festival of Nauroz at hand. Formerly the peasant knew that if his stock failed, there was no hope of replenishing it. He would have to go without his Nauroz festivities. But now he knows that a week or two before the festival the Russian speculators will appear on the scene and offer the proprietor advances of money to sow cotton for them, the seed of which they provide, or buy up in advance the best part of his crop of wheat. The ignorant peasant is led to agree to bartering a part of his share, too, and when the harvest is over he finds that he has not enough corn to carry him through the winter. If the proprietors and peasants resist the temptations till the time of the actual harvest the result is the same. The wheat goes at half price, the peasant finds after a few weeks that he has not enough to carry him through the winter, and, worst of all, there is no corn left for towns like Meshed, with seventy thousand inhabitants. Last year the crop was a fair one, but so much wheat was exported that the price of bread was four times as high as after an abundant harvest when there was no exportation."

BUILDING A HOUSE IN BERMUDA.

The Walls and the Roof Made Out of White Coral Blocks. Any man who chooses, says an article on Bermuda in the Review of Reviews may scrape the thin coating of earth off from his proposed building site and proceed to lay up the walls of his habitation with the blocks sawed out in the process of excavating his cellar. Thus when the cellar is dug the house may be ready for roofing, and if enough roofing material has not already been accumulated in the course of the excavation, it can easily be had by digging the cellar a trifle deeper, for the roofs in Bermuda are invariably made out of thin slabs of this same white coral rock. It has the advantage of being so soft that one may cut it with an ordinary hand saw ten hours a day for six months or a year without refiling the saw. It may be saved into slabs two or three inches thick and eighteen inches or two feet square without particular danger of breaking the slabs. It looks somewhat like a very soft, chalky variety of marble. Though so workable when first quarried it hardens upon exposure. Moisture permeates it easily, however, and it is desirable that a building should be covered with a thin coating of Portland cement or a mixture of common plaster with cement. This coating is then treated with a heavy whitewash made of lime burned from the same ever-ready coral rock. The roofs and chimneys, as well as the walls, are kept constantly whitewashed and are absolutely as white as the driven snow.

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THE FIRST DRUMMER.

English Quakers seem to have been the Propagators of the Race. The rapid development of the commercial traveler system specifically belongs to our own days, but as to the origin there is some difference of opinion. One authority lays it down that the beginning of to-day—the "drummer," in American phraseology—is the immediate descendant of the old chapman, or peddler, or hawk. As these personages were known even in the time of Chaucer in this case the modern commercial can boast a very respectable ancestry. Another antiquarian, however, in the Bookeller has another theory to propose. For this he brings the poet Southey as a witness. It is that the commercial travelers of to-day really date back to the Quakers of one hundred or one hundred and fifty years since. These persons, it is well known, were forced to wander throughout the country by persecution and ill treatment. They were then, as they are to-day, mostly good, honest men of business, and with the true commercial instinct they seem to have made a virtue of necessity, and during their wanderings to have made acquaintances as far as possible with the country tradesmen, to whom they often sold goods, watches, "camblets," and other articles. They seemed to have pushed their trade so vigorously that they obtained heavy orders, so much so that "the tradesmen in London stood idle," as one of the Quakers said, "while we filled our coffers." One Thomas Greene, a Quaker preacher and only a laboring man, died worth some thousands of pounds in this fashion. The speculation is both curious and interesting, however the matter may be decided.

BANK OF ENGLAND FORGERIES.

They Are Almost Unknown Now, But Were Formerly Frequent. There are very few forgeries now, but one hundred years ago they were rife. The first recorded instance of the forgery of a Bank of England note has a singular touch of romance about it, says the Strand Magazine. The forger was a linen draper at Stafford, named Vaughan, who, in the year 1758, employed several workmen to engrave different parts of a twenty pound sterling note, and when a dozen had been printed off he deposited them with a young lady to whom he was engaged to be married as a proof of his wealth; but the imposition was discovered, and Vaughan was hanged. One of the cleverest imitations of a bank note was the work of a poor schoolmaster, who forged an entire note with pen and ink, and, sad to say, was hanged. John Mathieson, who was convicted for forging the watermark, offered to show the directors how it was done if he were pardoned, but they would not withdraw the prosecution. Singularly enough, forgeries first began to be frequent soon after the introduction of the one pound sterling note, and in April, 1862, Mr. Adington told the house of commons that the forgeries had increased so alarmingly that seventy extra clerks were required at the bank merely to detect them.

THE RULING PASSION.

She Was Determined to Inspect the Togs of the Other Woman. The ruling passion gets away with woman every time, says the Boston Globe. At a theater the other night a lady appeared suddenly at the box office and asked the manager for an admission ticket. "Don't you wish a seat?" the ticket seller asked. "We have a few good seats in the balcony." "I haven't time to sit down," said the lady. "My husband is waiting for me outside, and besides I have seen the play already." The ticket seller didn't know what to say to this. "I only wanted to go in for a few minutes," the fair visitor continued. "I saw a lady pass in a moment ago, and she was so elegantly dressed that I want a good look at her and see exactly what she has on. That's all." The manager, to whom this explanation was made, escorted the dress-fascinated woman into the auditorium, and she went around to a side aisle and made a thorough observation of what the ultra-fashionable dame "had on." "Oh, it was perfectly lovely!" she explained as she joined her husband at the door.

MARRIED.

On Thursday afternoon, Nov. 26th, at the residence of John Beardsley, on Third street, by W. C. Curtis, pastor of the Congregational church of this city, Stephen B. Couture and Miss Clara Lamberson, both of Gilliam county, Or. This is your opportunity. On receipt of ten cents, cash or stamps, a generous sample will be mailed of the most popular Catarrh and Hay Fever Cure (Ely's Cream Balm) sufficient to demonstrate the great merits of the remedy. ELY BROTHERS, 56 Warren St., New York City. Rev. John Reid, Jr., of Great Falls, Mont., recommended Ely's Cream Balm to me. I can emphasize his statement, "It is a positive cure for catarrh if used as directed."—Rev. Francis W. Poole, Pastor Central Pres. Church, Helena, Mont. Ely's Cream Balm is the acknowledged cure for catarrh and contains no mercury nor any injurious drug. Price, 50 cents.

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Sheriff's Sale.

In the Circuit Court of the State of Oregon for Wasco county. J. Shipley, Plaintiff, vs. William H. Newbeck, Emma Newbeck, James Bell, Mrs. James Bell and Knapp, Surrill & Co., Defendants. By virtue of an execution and order of sale to me directed and issued out of the above entitled court in the above entitled cause, in favor of the plaintiff above named, on the 25th day of November, 1896, commanding me to satisfy the several sums of \$883.23, the judgment obtained herein, with interest thereon at the rate of eight per cent per annum since Nov. 25, 1896, and \$50 attorney's fees and \$20 costs of suit and accretion costs, by levying upon and selling in the manner provided by law for the sale of real property on execution, all of the right, title and interest of the said defendants in and to the following described real estate: The southwest quarter of section six—6—in township three—3—south of range thirteen—13—east, W. M. I levied upon said real property on said 25th day of November, 1896, and to satisfy the aforesaid several sums and accretion costs I will sell the same at public auction to the highest bidder for cash in hand, at the courthouse near in Dalles City, in said county of Wasco, on the 28th day of December, 1896, at the hour of 2 o'clock in the afternoon. T. J. DRIVER, Sheriff of Wasco County, Oregon.

Executor's Notice of Final Account.

Notice is hereby given that George A. Liebe, executor of the estate of Richard G. Cluser, deceased, has filed the account of the estate of Richard G. Cluser, deceased, with the guardianship estate of Albert Lehman, an insane person, with the clerk of the County Court of the State of Oregon for Wasco County, and that said court has appointed 10 o'clock a. m. of Monday, November 2, 1896, being the first day of the regular November term of said court, for the year 1896, at the county courthouse in Dalles City, Oregon, as the time and place for the hearing of said final account and objections thereto if any there be. This notice is published by order of said County Court, entered October 24, 1896. GEORGE A. LIEBE, Executor. CONDON & CONDON, Attorneys for Executor. oct23-31

Administratrix' Notice.

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned has been appointed administratrix of the estate of George W. Turner, deceased, and has duly qualified as such. All persons having claims against said estate are therefore notified to present the same to her, with proper vouchers, within six months from the date hereof at the office of the County Clerk of Wasco county, Oregon, or at the office of her attorney, W. Y. Masters, rooms 1 & 2, Hamilton Building, Portland, Oregon, within six months from this date. MARGARET E. SYKES, Administratrix of the estate of Geo. W. Turner, deceased. Dated October 2, 1896. oct3-11

Guardian's Sale of Real Estate.

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned, guardian of the persons and estate of Alice Almir, Edell and William Edward Edell, minors, under and in accordance with an order of the county court of the State of Oregon, for Wasco County, heretofore made, will sell at public auction, for cash in hand, on Saturday, the 19th day of December, 1896, at the hour of 12 o'clock, noon, at the courthouse door in Dalles City, in Wasco County, Oregon, all the real estate belonging to the estate of said minors, to-wit: The southeast quarter of section thirty in township one north range ten east Willmette Meridian, in Oregon, containing 160 acres. Dalles City, Oregon, Nov. 19, 1896. GEORGE T. DELLE, Guardian of said Minors. nov21-11

Administrator's Notice.

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned has been duly appointed by the county court of the State of Oregon for Wasco County, administrator of the estate of W. H. Loebhead, deceased. All persons having claims against said estate are hereby notified to present the same to me properly verified, as by law required, at the Wasco Warehouse, Dalles City, Oregon, within six months from the date hereof. Dated this 20th day of October, 1896. MAICOLM MCINNIS, Administrator of the estate of W. H. Loebhead, deceased. oct20-11

Notice to Contractors.

The undersigned will receive bids for the construction of a water ditch 7000 feet long. 1000 feet is mostly loose rock work, some blasting. Balance scraper work. Ditch to be five feet wide on bottom, and two feet deep. Twelve miles from The Dalles. For further particulars address M. J. COOK & ELLIS, Boyd, Oregon. 1125-2w 1-11

Assignee's Notice.

Notice is hereby given that on October 20, 1896, G. G. Hickok of Cascade Locks, Oregon, made a general assignment to me for the benefit of all his creditors in proportion to the amount of their respective claims, of all his property. All persons having claims against said G. G. Hickok are hereby notified to present them to me at Cascade Locks, Oregon, with the proper vouchers therefor, within three months from this date. Dated Oct. 21, 1896. J. G. DAY, JR., Assignee of G. G. Hickok. oct24-5t-11

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