

The Weekly Chronicle.

THE DALLES, - - - OREGON

PERSONAL MENTION.

Mrs. G. C. Blakeley went to Portland on the morning train. Miss Moody, who has spent a week in this city, returned to Salem today. Mr. M. H. Nickelsen of Hood River is in the city laying in a stock of Christmas goods. Miss Carrie Ketchum has been spending a week at home, and returned to Portland today. Mr. Wm. L. Clark of Hood River is in the city, and made homestead entry on a quarter section of land in that locality today. Mrs. J. H. Cradlebaugh went to Hood River today to remain during the winter. This paper is now, in consequence, edited by a grass-widower.

BORN. In this city, Dec. 31, to the wife of M. Speichinger, a daughter.

Died. In this city, of typhoid fever, Wednesday evening at 6:30, Frank, the 12-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. W. Bartlett.

New Officers. Fern Lodge, Degree of Honor, at its regular meeting Wednesday evening, elected the following officers: Mabel Sterling, chief of honor; Mrs. G. G. Gibbons, lady of honor; Mrs. C. J. Crandall, chief of ceremonies; Emma Jacobson, usher; Jennie Russell, Recorder; Cora Joles, financier; Lizzie Schooling, receiver; Mrs. A. Beck, inside guard; Frank Howell, outside guard; Mrs. J. S. McArthur, trustee. Drs. Eshelman, Doane and Logan were recommended as medical examiners.

TO FORCE THE ISSUE. Such is President Cleveland's Plan Regarding Cuba.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 2.—A crisis in the affairs of Cuba is rapidly approaching, and there is every reason to believe that President Cleveland has already decided on action which will startle the country almost as much as his famous message on the Venezuelan question, although the exact time for the announcement depends somewhat on future operations in Cuba.

By this action, the president will not change his previous policy in regard to Spain and Cuba, but will simply carry it out to its logical conclusion, which is a direct and open threat of active intervention on the part of the United States to secure peace in the island, whether by the independence of the patriots or by voluntary action on the part of Spain. From three different sources the policy partially agreed upon between Secretary Olney and President Cleveland was learned, and the reports in each case tallied with surprising unanimity.

A definite and somewhat startling announcement on the Cuban question will be made to congress, either in the regular annual message or in a supplementary communication, as was the case with the Venezuelan question. Minister de Lome, of the Spanish legation, has been fully advised of the impending announcement, and he accepts what is in effect an ultimatum, believing that Spain will be able to prevent action on the part of the United States by the success of Weyler's operations in Cuba.

The policy adopted is scarcely a matter of doubt any longer, unless there should be some change in affairs in the island through the success or failure of Weyler's campaign, and the issue will soon be sharply drawn between this country and Spain.

FLOUR MILLS TO SHUT DOWN. High Railroad Rates Render the Business Unprofitable.

SUPERIOR, Wis., Dec. 3.—All of the ten flour mills at the head of the lake are preparing for a shut-down, and within a week probably not a grinding wheel will be turning in Superior or Duluth. The suspension of operations is contemplated chiefly because of navigation, but the falling off the flour market is responsible to some extent for the decision. The millers expect to remain idle about thirty days, in order to reduce stocks and secure railroad rates and then it is expected they will be able to run steadily nearly all winter.

Went Over to the Insurgents. JACKSONVILLE, Fla., Dec. 3.—A special from Key West says: News has been received here that the troop of the Spanish garrison at San Jose de las Jazas, twenty miles southeast of Havana, abandoned their posts and joined the insurgents. Many of the citizens accompanied the troops and carried ammunition with them. The news caused great excitement at the palace, and fresh troops were immediately sent to the post and order restored. Before the troops arrived anarchy reigned, and when the troops reached the city many residents were shot down in the streets.

An Asylum Burned. NEW YORK, Dec. 3.—The administration building of the New Jersey state institution for feeble-minded children, at Lakeview, took fire at midnight and was totally destroyed. The loss is \$25,000. Twenty-five teachers and others lodging in the building escaped with most of their effects. There was no panic among the 200 occupants of the other eight buildings.

NOTES ON DRESS.

Fetehing Designs That the Early Autumn Has Revealed.

All the latest frocks have medium-sized if not actually narrow sleeves. This is now a well-recognized fact, the arm being covered with a tight-fitting smooth or wrinkled sleeve, with a very short puff or drapery arranged at the very top.

It seems to be conceded that this season any style whatever may be worn—Louise XV., Henry IV., Marie Antoinette, 1830; in fact, anything that suits the style and taste of the wearer. For this reason, doubtless, there seems to be no very marked change in the autumn gowns. Nevertheless, one cannot be too sure, as the dressmakers are apt to reserve their surprises until later; and it is never safe to order gowns until some decided fashionable function, like the Horse Show, for instance, has shown the tendency of the season. There are certain indications, however, that may be followed by those who desire to have a new but not too expensive costume for the semi-season. Nearly all the street costumes are made with a jacket, either real or simulated, for where a tight-fitting waist is preferred, basques are frequently sewed on to the bodice, the joining being covered with the belt.

Corselets, too, are in great favor, and the bolero jacket seems to have taken a new lease of popularity, and, combined with the corselet or high-draped belt, will be much worn this season.

A very pretty green foulard covered with strange hieroglyphics in white, which are now so popular, is made with a bolero slightly gathered at the neck, but otherwise fitting smoothly over the bust and back. This is cut very open and short, to show a draped belt of dark red satin, hooked together in front, with a couple of tiny ruffles of embroidered red chiffon edging to match. This at the top of the corselet-belt turns back on either side and edges a jabot of red chiffon, which is gathered full, and so graduated that the embroidered edge forms diamond-shaped graduated squares to the neck, this arrangement filling the entire space left open by the bolero jacket. The sleeves are long and tight fitting, with a very short, full puff at the top, over which is gathered a drapery of the silk lined with red silk to match the chiffon front. The skirt is plain, lined with red taffeta, and finished at the bottom with a couple of tiny ruffles, also lined with red.—St. Louis Republic.

ABOUT THE "SLOPPER."

His Researches in the Garbage Receptacles and His Finds. "That man is a slopper," remarked a police officer to a Washington Star writer a few mornings since, "and he and his class give us any amount of trouble. If he stole we could reach him by law, but as he only finds we cannot easily reach him." In further explanation he said: "A slopper is a man who searches through the garbage cans in the alleys in the rear of hotels, boarding houses and private houses. Some search for spoons, knives and forks that are thrown into the garbage receptacles by careless servants, for it is a fact that there are more silver spoons and knives and forks thrown away with the garbage than are stolen by servants, though the contrary is generally believed. The slopper is generally an hour or so ahead of the garbage collector and he is often more regular and careful in his rounds than the garbage man.

"By industry we thrive," as the line in the copy-books used to contain, and by industry on a good west end route, especially one which takes in a number of boarding houses or hotels, a slopper can find enough tableware to pay the expenses of his tour. Often he makes a rich find. Very frequently he has permission to 'slop' the can from the owners of the house themselves, for he tells them he is on the lookout for stray pieces of meat, etc., which he sells to those who have dogs to feed. Some sloppers are honest enough to return any silverware they may find for the dog-meat privilege, but it is a terrible temptation to many and one they cannot or do not at times withstand."

Money loaned on personal security, or real estate near the city. Inquire of Joel G. Koontz. nov18-d1m

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Sheriff's Sale.

In the Circuit Court of the State of Oregon for Wasco county. J. Shipley, Plaintiff, vs. William Neubeck, Emma Neubeck, James Ball, Mrs. James Ball and Knapp, Burrell & Co., a corporation, 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 \$383.33, 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 accruing costs, by levying upon and selling in the manner provided by law, the real estate 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., situate and being in Wasco County, Oregon. I have upon said real property on said 25th day of November, 1896, and to satisfy the above said several sums and accruing costs, I will sell the same at public auction to the highest bidder for cash in hand, at the courthouse door 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. Closter, deceased, has filed the final accounting of the estate of Richard G. Closter, deceased, with the guardianship estate of Albert Lehman, an insane person, of the person and estate of which said Albert Lehman, an insane person, the said Richard G. Closter, deceased, was at the time of his death the duly appointed, qualified and acting guardian, with the clerk of the County Court of the State of Oregon for Wasco County, and the said account has been 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 hearing of said final accounting 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-II

Guardian's Sale of Real Estate.

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned, guardian of the persons and estate of Alice Alma Udell and William Edward Udell, 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 10th 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 Willamette Meridian, in Oregon, containing 160 acres. Dalles City, Oregon, Nov. 19, 1896. GEORGE UDELL, Guardian of said Minors. nov21-II

Assignee's Notice.

Notice is hereby given that on October 30, 1896, C. 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 C. 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. 23, 1896. J. G. DAY, JR., Assignee of C. G. Hickok. oct21-31-II

Guardian Notice.

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned has been duly appointed by the County Court of the State of Oregon for Wasco county, guardian of the person and estate of Albert Lehman, an insane person. All persons having claims against said estate are hereby notified to present them to me at my residence in Dalles City, Oregon, with proper vouchers. GEORGE A. LIEBE, Guardian of the person and estate of Albert Lehman, insane. Dated this 26th day of September, 1896. sep26-31-II

Administrator's Notice.

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned has been appointed by the County Court of the State of Oregon for Wasco County, administrator of the estate of W. H. Loehnd, 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 date hereof. Dated this 30th day of October, 1896. MALCOLM MCINNIS, Administrator of the estate of W. H. Loehnd, deceased. oct30-II

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. J. Masters, room 110 Hamilton Building, Portland, Oregon, within six months from this date. MARGARET E. SYKES, Administratrix of the estate of Geo. W. Turner, deceased. oct31-II

Notice to Taxpayers.

The County Board of Equalization will meet in the assessor's office on Monday, October 5th, and continue in session one week, for the purpose of equalizing the assessment of Wasco county for 1896. All taxpayers who have not been interviewed by the assessor will please call at the office on Thursdays, Fridays and Saturdays, as all property must be assessed. F. H. WAKEFIELD, County Assessor. Sept 19-II

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. COCKERLINE, Boyd, Oregon. n25-2w-1-II

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