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It is a fact well worth remembering that the shrewdest, more practical Lady buyers of this city, do all or a large portion of their buying here. They say it's because they find larger stocks to select from, newer patterns, and closer prices on FIRST CLASS GOODS.

FOR BALANCE OF WEEK.

Linon Brode, Regular 81 and 10c,	for	this	wee	k 5½0	3
Chatillion Stripes, regular 12½c,	44	44	44	712	3
Gaze Cordonnet, regular 15c,	**	144	- 44:	91/20	3
Lace Jaconas, regular 15c,	44	44		9½0	
Organdie Alixe, regular 15c,	- 66	- 66	**	910	,
Lappett Mull, regular 20c,	**	44	66		3
Point de Venice, regular 20c,	- 44	"		120	3

FRENCH NOVELTIES.

In Organdies and Fancy Silk Weaves, goods that retail regularly for 35c, 40 and 50c, we shall sell for balance of this week, at 25c per yard.

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LOCAL BREVITIES.

Saturday's Daily.

The hose team was out last night for its first practice.

The county commissioners completed their labors this morning, and adjourned

over Sunday.

Since bowling has become the fad, some of our most respected people have taken to frequenting the alleys.

Heavy catches of salmon are reported on the lower river, but that royal swimmer is a scarce thing up this way. While the present weather lasts he is not to blame for staying at the seaside.

An alarm of fire at 2:15 this afternoon was caused by some burning straw back of G. J. Farley's barn. The blaze was ment and most of our citizens. The Dalles hose team had a fine practice run, and got there in good style.

The corner-stone of the Lutheran church will be laid Sunday, the 25th. Revs. DeForest, of the Episcopal, Curtis, of the Congregational, and Gray, of the Lutheran, will be the officiating ministers, the ceremonies being those of the ritual of the Lutheran churches.

A band of Banncok bucks is assisting the Indians on the Umatilla reservation in their celebrations. The kodak fiend is there, too. As an indication of how many amateur photographs are there, one photographer in Pendleton said that he has 20 dozen negatives to develop, and the other photographer is yet to be heard from.

The contract for building the Lutheran church was signed today, it being awarded to French & Sylvester for \$1190, for the superstructure, which does not include the plastering, hardware or painting. It was agreed upon by both parties that A. Anderson should superintend the work, and it is to be completed by the 11th of September.

Miss Lillie F. Miller, advertised by the Spiritualists of Oregon for their annual encampment at New Era as the "Girl orator of Texas, who comes well recommended as speaker and medium.' met D. W. Smith, late the husband of Katie Kehm Smith, and the same day Lillie and the doctor married. She is a blonde 26 years of age and he is 60.

Mrs. Joles, Mr. and Mrs. Randall, Pearl Joles, Bernie Schooling and Master Lin Alden, went to Sprague this morning. There they will be met by delightful camping place, and next week | he has a very choice lot. the party will be joined by others from

There were two boys and two drums in the alley back of the Commercial Club rooms this morning that deserve praise for the consideration shown their parents. Had they beaten those drums within half a block of home, their mothers would have been laid out by this time. Filial affection is a noble trait, and one we will continue to admire even

The work begun by Mrs.L. M. Miller, of Eugene, the publishing of an Oregon magazine, devoted to Western literature and the preservation of Indian tradition and historical data, is meeting with she has decided to Issue the publication out about September 15.

though it kills us.

The Dalles this year has maintained its reputation of being the best wool tilla House bowling alleys last week market on the coast. Yesterday a very were: Monday, C. E. Porter, 46; Pueslarge number of sales were made, but so day, C. Roth, 56; Wednesday, H Fredquietly it is impossible to correctly es. den, 49; Thursday, Robinson, 50; Fritimate the amount. It is certain though day, J. Unger, 59; Saturday, J Erhart, that the sales cut a large elice off the 60; Sunday, Oscar Piper, 54. Grand to Portland this morning to remain available supply in the warehouses. total 374; average 53 3.7. Prices ranged from 9 to 111/2 cents, this being from a cent to a cent and a half school directors of this district it was above prices at other Eastern Oregon decided to postpone the opening of the under 10 cents.

A dusky maiden of the forest was before his honor, the city recorder, this morning charged with being drunk and disorderly. As the city recorder has not been in office long enough to become hard-hearted, he gave her the benefit of the doubt as to whether it was all the spirit of the white man, or part the soon out, and so was the fire depart- spirit of her fathers, and fined her \$5. As she was locked up she said something in her native tongue, which was probably a reflection on the city jail. walls do not a prison make, nor iron bars a cage."

Monday's Daily.

The city recorder is doing business them applying for a renewal of their

A. M. Williams & Co. are offering their entire stock of muslin underwear at ridiculously low figures this week. When you can buy 50-cent garments for 25 cents; 75-cent garments for 38 cents, etc., it is time to buy. A. M. Williams & Co.'s muslin underwear sale.

Friday the thermometer registered 92, Saturday 98, and Sunday 94 at Mr. S. L. Brooks' place here. At Hood River Saturday it was 94, or four degrees cooler

The Bonanza team won the rock drilling contest at the 4th of July celebration at Sumpter, making the record of 40 5-16 in 15 minutes.

and their examination was continued until tomorrow.

A special train passed through at 3:15 this afternoon. It carried J. J. Hill, president and general manager, of the Great Northern and General Manager Mohler of the O. R. & N.

River, distant about 4 miles. It is a He has not yet sold his wool, of which 8 o'clock.

The Dalles, until it number twenty-one. the O. R. & N. in the very best of condition is being continued by the new superintendent. At Mosier two bad curves are being taken out, and at other points wherever possible the road is being made straight.

Highest daily bowling scores at the Commercial alley last week were: Monday, H. Fredden, 45; Tuesday, Miss Myrtle Michell, 49; Wednesday, W. L. Bradshaw, 48; Thursday, Miss Ione Ruch, 40; Friday, Vie Schmidt, 47; Saturday, F. L. Houghton, 56.

A Portland paper says the hoseflesh cannery at Linton will resume operations as soon as the water subsides sufficiently; more than the anticipated success, and some of the machinery now being submerged. Three thousand nice young, at Portland instead of Eugene, says the juicy horses have been purchased in East-Guard. The first issue will probably be ern Oregon at prices ranging from \$2.20 to \$3.00 per head.

The highest daily scores at the Uma-

At the last meeting of the board of points, and there was but little sold public schools from September 6th to September 13th. This was done on account of the firemen's tournament. which meets here on the 6th, and which would interfere with the organization of down-town church. He introduced the

Company C arrived home last Monday night, having spent seven days in camp at Hood River and one day in Portland. The company is much improved in military discipline, having received excellent training in camp life. The officers of the second regiment speak in the highest of terms of Hood River Translated it might have run: "Stone as an ideal location for the camp .- Eugene Register,

Bills of lumber have been sold this week for a new hotel, a hardware store, a cabinet and carpenter shop, three resiwith the expressmen today, most of dences and about ten other buildings under construction in Sumpter. The same amount of lumber has been sold for the for the Sumpter Lumber Co.'s new mills.

W. S. Byers, of the Pendleton flouring mills, entered into a contract to deliver 25,000 barrels more, but as it was required earlier than this mill could turn it out, he had to refuse the order. Perhaps no one in Pendleton has felt the improved condition in business more than Mr. Byers, says the Tribune. Whereas last year he was often obliged inches drilled in a solid granite boulder keep the mill running, this year he has to turn out orders at a loss in order to repeatedly been compelled to refuse or-Two Chinamen were arrested this ders. Moreover his business has been morning for violating the fish laws, so steady and remunerative during the They were taken before Justice Filloon, present year that he has been able to in-

> Tuesday's. Daily Rev. J. J. Kern of Portland is visiting Rev. L. Gray.

The Salvation Army will celebrate the third anniversary of its establishment in The Dalles Wednesday and Thursday George A. Young of Redgway, who evenings. Major Marshall of Chicago has been in Portland for a couple of will speak on the army work Thursday teams that will take them to Wind weeks, returned to The Dalles last night. evening at the Baldwin Opera House at

One of the features of the parade at We note that the good work of placing Walla Walla today upon the occasion of nor any injurious drug. Price, 50 cents.

the speaking of Hon. W. J. Bryan was sixteen white horses forming a hollow square around the carriage bearing that A Case Where It Didn't Come Off in gentleman, and one old-gold colored accompanying them.

mining camp days. On a recent visit

weather tomorrow will be fair, but ventures no opinion concerning the temperature. It is such valuable information as this that makes one rise up and thank God that he lives in a country where even the most ignorant need not despair of finally being rewarded with a permaneut appointment.

D. C. Ireland, the genial editor of the Moro Observer, came in from Sherman county on the train and went to Portand on the Dalles City this morning. He says everything looks prosperous in Sherman, and that the wheat crop is omething really wonderful. He in-ists that there are fields that will yield sixty bushels to the acre.

Mr. Landers telephoned in from A. S. Bennett's farm this morning that there vas a man with a mask on at that place dodging about among the trees and acting queerly. Sheriff Driver took a man with him and drove out about 10 o'clock. The man left before his arrival, and this afternoon was seen a couple of miles up the creek with the sheriff hot on his

W. S. Burleigh has sold the Aurora, of it with his paper. Both are populist papers. The Aurora was an unprofitable enterprise. Wallowa county now has but two papers-the Chieftain, pub-Joseph, the former republican in polities, the latter populist.

rider tries to see how close he can pass among the ladies. without striking you, the best thing to do is to stop and stand still until he has passed. With all due respect for the brother, we think he is mistaken; the proper thing to do is swat the dratted fool with anything that is nandy to swat with, If nothing else is handy, use your fists, but don't fail to swat.

Coroner Butts was informed by telephone from Cloud Cap inn yesterday evening that a man had been found dead near the inn, and that his services were required. The wires were working badly and Mr. Butts was unable to get the particulars, but understood that the dead man had been at the inn, that he was "flighty," and that he had wanered off in the timber and died.

Owing to the fact that the Catholics Sunday, the 25th, and in order that the public may all have an opportunity of attending both ceremonies, the laying of eral. As the oldest and best looking the corner stone of the Lutheran church man in the courthouse the pleasant task welcome the excursionists home. will take place Sunday next. Revs. has been delegated to me." And then The members of the hose team worked Joseph DeForest, W. C. Curtis and L. he put the tips of the fingers of his left hard, and it is too had that their efforts Grav will officiate, and the Congregational choir will furnish the music.

The passengers on a Chester trolley car were very much amused yesterday by a conversation between two colored men, one of whom was a deacon in a subject of a new fence around a graveyard, and asked his companion, who had more worldly inclinations, for a contribution for that purpose. His reply was : 'What yo' want a fence 'round dat graveyard fo'? Live pussons doan' want to git in, and I'm doggone sure de dead ones ain't a-gwine to try an' git out. I ain't got no money foh graveyard fences." And the argument was clinched right there.-Philadelphia Record.

Almost a Drowning.

Yesterday afternoon a lot of small boys were playing on the banks of Mill Cracker district. A force of men are at the 5-year-old son of Constable F. N. work putting in the heavy foundations Hill. The other boys went up the creek a short distance, leaving Harry, who a the creek where it was beyond his depth. us at least far from roseate. Fortunately a boy fishing for suckers 15,000 barrels of flour for shipment to came along in time to see him struggling Japan. He had the option of furnishing in the water and went to his assistance. Harry in the meanwhile, had drifted under a log where the big collar of his waist caught and held him. When pulled out he was unconscious, but in a short time recovered. It was a very close call. The name of the boy who saved his life we were unable to learn.

> The merchant who tells you he has is a good man-to keep away from. a2 3m 7th,

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 demone 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.

Ely's Cream Balm is the acknowledged cure for catarrh and contains no mercury A BATHING EPISODE.

There are some things almost too Sumpter reminds one of the good old pathetic in their combinations to admit tion fixed at \$3 per day. comment. One of these happened rethere the writer saw a game of poker cently at one of The Dalles' hotels. The in the clerk's office, it was ordered that going on in a saloon where there were bath-room had been moved and in refit. the county clerk be authorized to make not less than \$800 on the table, and it ting the bath tub, a nice coat of enamel such changes in his office as will make was a three-handed game, too. The was given it. The night clerk knew said office more secure and prevent per-Sumpter News mentions the fact that nothing about this, and when a young sans having access to the records. And this same saloon took in on the 5th of lady guest who had just arrived ex. the clerk was ordered to admit no one to The weather bureau says that the the porter to show her the bath-room, except those permitted by law to have The porter knew nothing about the fresh access to the same. enamel which, in fact, was about dry, and so turned on the water and left. inspector. What happened after that is only conjecture, for there is only one person knows and she will never, never tell, but it is certain she knows more about that enamel then either the night clerk or porter. The stuff is remarkably sticky, turpentine or alcohol being required to remove it, once it gets a grasp the Hon. W. J. Bryan. It was a good on you. The hot water evidently had a tendency to heighten the agglutinating qualities of the stuff and it was equally evident that the bather did not know anything about it until she entered the tub. It wasn't necessary that she should, for she was thoroughly informed before she got out. The circimstantial evidence tells an eloquent tale. On the foot of the tub are prints showing where first one foot and then the other was placed againt it to pull the other loose. On the incline at the head is just one mark where the fair bather's bead first struck, and the long tresses still clinging told of the desperate yank that freed her hair from the grasp of that deuced enamel. There were marks on the sides Enterprise, to Ed. A. Pollock, editor of and bottom of the tub also, showing the Joseph Herald, who will consolidate that by the time the bather got out she had a good share of the paint, and how she got rid of it no one may know. But as effort to get rid of the stuff was made, we can easily fancy that there lished at Enterprise, and the Herald, of was an agonizing sense of the weakness of the English language, and regret that profanity was not an art more generally An exchange says: When a bicycle cultivated and profusely distributed

A QUIET WEDDING.

George Aleck, Not Yet of Age, Marries for the Third Time

There was a quiet wedding in the sheriff's office this morning, the high contracting parties being Mr. George Aleck and Miss Nellie Argui, both of Hood ceremony in the presence of the county officials, Clerk Kelsay, Deputy Bolton, Deputy Sheriff Kelley, Janitor FitzGerald, and J. M. Huntington. We are told that Mr. FitzGerald, upon the conclusion of the ceremony, stepped forward and said: "A custom has been established at the Umatilla House by Col. Sinnott, that all brides married there will lay the corner stone of their church shall be first saluted by him as senior partner of the firm. It is a pretty custom, and one that should become genhand under her chin, lifted it gently to an angle of 60 degrees, and with a legato movement imprinted the courthouse seal upon her lips. Mr. FitzGerald denies this, but insists that he tried to get the boys to delegate him, but they refused; and as they could not agree, each of them performed his share of the

The groom is the son of Joseph Aleck, who carries the mail from Hood River to White Salmon, and who is a full-blood Indian. So is the groom; but the bride is apparently only a half-blood. George is only 20 years old, yet has made an enviable record in the marital line, this being his third venture. His other wives left him one at a time the had both at once), so this time he concluded to see if the white man's ceremony would tie the third Mrs. Aleck any more firmly to him. We fear his confidence and his money have been misplaced, but creek, chasing grasshoppers and having at any rate this one to marry again lea good time. Among them was Harry, gally will have to tackle the divorce courts.

George is sporty, gambles and drinks, has kleptomania and other things, and few minutes later managed to fall in the future of the bride of today seems to

County Commissioners' Court.

Commissioners met Wednesday, Present County Judge Mays and Commissioners Blowers and Kimsey.

ipon as follows:

and matter continued.

John H. Koberg, petition to abandon ounty road granted.

tober 4, 1897, to file assessment roll. ssessment granted.

Bonney and others appointed viewers to himself a bride,

meet July 26th.

School Superintendent Gilbert filed report, which was approved.

J. M. Huntington appointed deputy assessor for Dalles City, with compensa-

In the matter of keeping the records pressed her desire for a bath, sent the the vault in which said records are kept,

A. S. Roberts was appointed stock

BRYAN VISITS US.

He Good-Naturedly Gets Cat of Bed,

There was a crowd of about 800 or 700 people at the depot at 12:30 this morning for the purpose of seeing and hearing natured crowd, each anxious to see the great American advocate of the double standard, and hoping and expecting to hear him speak. When the train came to a stop the crowd gathered around the rear platform, and Mr. Bryan stepped out. In the gloom it was at first almost impossible to recognize him, and F. A. E. Starr, who accompanied him, stepped out and said: "Gentlemen, this is Mr. Bryan." Then he received an ovation. He did not speak, explaining that he was worn out and could not do so, but his remarks were heartily cheered, and everybody pressed forward to shake his hand. He looked tired, sleepy and worn out, and it was really asking a great deal in routing him out of his bed at that time, especially when it is remembered that he had made five speeches the day before, talking 8 hours. As the train pulled out he was given a hearty parting cheer, and the visit of Bryan to-The Dalles was over.

Yesterday's Excursion.

The excursion yesterday was not the success financially that it should have been, the receipts but little more than covering the expenses. The accounts have not yet been balanced, but the net returns will not exceed \$15.

Otherwise it was one of the most delightful affairs of the kind ever originated in The Dalles. The day was beautiful, and with only 115 passengers those who went had plenty of room. The boat arrived at Multnomah falls at 10:45 River. Justice Filloon performed the and left at 2:15, and the three and a half hours up under the cool falls were all too short.

The band accompanied the excursion and fornished delightful music, as-it always does.

Captain Waud and several others climbed the cliff to the top of the fails, and announced their arrival at the top by throwing their hatsover.

The good old Regulator, with flage flying and band playing, arrived at her wharf at 7:15, and was met by nearly everyone in town, who went down to

were not crowned with a greater reward.

The Normal Institute.

The following persons were present at the opening of the normal institute today: John Gavin, J S Landers, Melissa Hill, Louise Rintonl, Lens Snell, Catherine Davenport, Curtis Egbert, Frances Fouts, Minnie Elton, Nona Rowe, Emma Roberts, Maggie Flinn, Tena Rintonl, Mrs James Wilson, Clarence Gilbert, Hattie Stirnweis, Ada Bell, Mande Gilbert, Cora Stanton, Katie Cooper, Elia Cooper, Nan Cooper, C. L. Gilbert.

Considering that the institute will be in session one month and that most of those already registered are from The Dalles, the outlook for a full attendance is encouraging. About eighty-four teachers were enrolled last year, and this number is likely to reach that mark inside of the next two weeks.

The teachers will be pleased to have parents and others attend as visitors at any hour. The general discussion hour at 1:30 is always interesting, and tomorrow Mr. Gavin leads in the subject of "Preparation of the Teacher."

A Swift Sequel.

Yesterday we noted that George Aleck was married, we also stated that George had kleptomania and other things as, bad. Now it seems that our diagnosis of George's qualities was eminently cor-Road matters and petitions were acted | rect, for though yesterday was April-fool day for him, and a blushing bride as C. J. Gessling and others, reports read Virgil puts it, pendet colla, he could not and rejected, only two viewers having it seems, resist his inclination to combeen present. H. H. Bailey, R. Howell bine business with pleasure, and he is and E. R. Castner appointed viewers to charged with having stolen five pistols, something else as good as Hoe Cake soap meet with Surveyor Goit Monday, Aug. revolvers, rifled-cannon, gatling guns or something of that kind from Arbuckle, J. B. McGill and others, petition who keeps the second-hand store. This granted, provided petitioners pay dam-ages to H. W. Patterson, awarded at \$25. and remembered that George had been N. C. Evans and others, petition read around yesterday trying to buy them. econd time, and road declared a public This coupled with George's reputation caused suspicion to fall on him, and Troy Sheliy and others, petition read Deputy Sheriff Olinger, of Hood River was telephoned to, to arrest him, which was probably done today. It may be possible that George is innocent, or at W. H. Whipple was granted until Oc- least that the stolen property may not be found and the proof lacking, but it is J. L. Gordon, petition for reduction of quite likely that George will again languish in the county jail next door to the W. M. McCorkle and others, A. A. room where only yesterday he took unto