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PEASE & MAYS.

was the meeting of the Northwest Sheep Growers' Association. It was decided that it would be held in this city on the first Tuesday in March. A committee of five club members will be appointed to arrange for the meeting, and it is expected that sheepmen from Montana, Idaho and Washington, as well as our own state will be present. The best speakers that can be found will address the sheepmen of this section, and an interesting and profitable meeting will certainly be held.

**The Woodmen Install.**

The seats in Fraternity hall were inadequate to accommodate the large number of members and guests that attended the public installation of the officers of the Woodmen of the World and Pacific Circle Tuesday night. The evening's program was begun by the singing of the opening ode, in which all present joined, after which Installing Officer Mann presented the badge of office to the following:

C. C. James Snipes; A. L. James Taylor; B. C. L. Phillips; C. M. D. Harper; M. C. H. Brown; P. Dr. Ebelman; E. M. A. Gosser; M. J. Filloon; S. J. B. Goit.

Another ode was sung, after which Mrs. Inez Filloon, grand manager of the Pacific Circle, Women of Woodcraft, installed the following officers:

Past guardian neighbor, Ella Cushing; guardian neighbor, Katie Williams; adviser, Olhe Stephens; clerk, Louise Rintoul; banker, Ella Dawson; magician, Eva Reynolds; attendant, Viola Rorden; inner sentinel, Belle Berger; outer sentinel, Jas. Taylor; captain of guards, Minnie Gosser; physician, Belle Rinehart; manager, Anna Blakeney; musician, Maie Cushing.

After the installation the tables were spread with an abundance of good things, and when all had feasted royally, dancing was indulged in, and at the time of going home all were unanimous in the thought that the evening had been extremely pleasant and interesting throughout.

**Advertised Letters.**

Following is the list of letters remaining in the postoffice at The Dalles un-called for January 21, 1898. Persons calling for the same will give date on which they were advertised:

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| Andrews, Martha    | Anderson, Mr Harry    |
| Barnes, Mrs A M    | Bolis, Mr Eugene      |
| Brown, D Colton &  | Coy, Mrs Mary         |
| Carroll, Miss      | Cristler Bros,        |
| Campbell, Otis     | Cooper, Miss Lizzie   |
| Coler, Mr Geo      | Elliott, Mr J H       |
| Fisher, Mr Clinton | Fisher, Dan           |
| Ginger, Mrs Belle  | Goedderby, Albert     |
| Grove, Miss Sadie  | Hansen, Miss Anna     |
| Hardie, Mr John    | Hammond, Mrs F S      |
| Haorin, G E        | Hargue, Claude M      |
| Harris, Mr C H     | Hilton, Mr Fred       |
| Hengute, Wm        | Hutcheson, Sam        |
| Jacobsen, Mabel    | Joss, James           |
| Johnston, Geo H    | Laughlin, Miss Lizzie |
| Martin, J A        | Marshall, E J         |
| Miller, Miss M     | McKillop, Wm          |
| Nilsen, Karles     | O'Brien, Laddybuck    |
| Odell, W H         | Patton, Mrs M B       |
| Rozella, C C       | Smith, Miss Ida       |
|                    | Townsend, Mr Elry     |
|                    | J. A. Crossen.        |

**A. O. U. W. Entertainment.**

Tomorrow (Saturday) evening, Past Supreme Master Tate will deliver an address in the Vogt opera house in the interest of the A. O. U. W. In all cities he is greeted with crowded houses. Come out and hear this eloquent speaker, whether you are interested in his subject or not. The following musical program will be rendered:

Overture—Piano duet  
 Misses Alma Schanno and Georgia Sampson  
 Vocal Solo—"I Cannot Help Loving Thee"  
 Miss Myrtle Mitchell  
 Cornet Solo—J. Palm Branches  
 L. Dawson  
 Vocal Solo—"Your Voice"  
 Mrs. A. N. Varney  
 Exercises will begin promptly at 8 o'clock. A cordial invitation to the public. No admission.

**Women Find Them Very Useful in Suppressing Crowders.**

"That hat pin," said a young woman on the elevated, as she arranged her headgear, reports the Chicago Times-Herald, "has been steeped in gore!" "How awful!" whispered her friend. "Was it employed on a burglar?" "No; on a crowder."

"A what?" "A crowder is a creature who is peculiarly a Chicago product. I certainly never met him in any other city. He is the man who gets into a car where every seat is occupied and crowds himself into the merest scrap of room between two persons; generally two women, who dare not resent his impertinence. Then he coolly reads a newspaper."

"I've met the specimen often, but what can you do?" inquired the friend. "Well," said the athletic young woman, "if I had been a man I would have 'bounced' him from the car. But in that case he would not have crowded. I dare say I looked as meek as Moses, but I had a scheme to get even and I worked it. I took out my hat pin and gave Mr. Crowder a jab."

"Did he jump?" "Not at first, so I jabbed again. The car gave a lurch and he yelled 'Murder!' in the first degree and rushed out and off without asking the conductor to stop. I'm glad I saved the hat pin, as I may need it again," she concluded, sweetly, as she impaled her head with the vicious thing.

**Meat for Russians.**

The officials entrusted with the arrangement of the details of the czar's coronation in Moscow this spring have ordered 15,000 hogsheds of meat, which is to be made of pure honey. It is an old Russian custom to regale the people with meat for three days during the festivities at the ancient capital.

**BLACKWELL'S**  
**I WANT BLACKWELL'S DURHAM AND NO OTHER. SEE?**  
 GENUINE DURHAM  
 You will find one coupon inside each two ounce bag, and two coupons inside each four ounce bag of Blackwell's Durham. Buy a bag of this celebrated tobacco and read the coupon—which gives a list of valuable presents and how to get them.

**Unknown Body Identified.**

At Hood River on the 10th day of last October an inquest was held over a body that floated up from the Columbia river and lodged on the beach just below town. The body had been in the water for some time, and for that reason was buried near the place where the inquest was held. The circumstances had been almost forgotten. However, a young man from Hood River was visiting at the home of Mrs. Frederick Foster in Portland a short time ago and learned that the husband and father had not been heard from since the 27th of last September, at which time he was in Pendleton and about to start home. The young man told the family that something must have happened to him, and then thought of the body that had been buried at Hood River without being identified. When he returned home a picture of Mr. Foster was brought with him, and the men who composed the coroner's jury thought it the missing man.

Last Monday Mrs. Foster came up from Portland to have the body exhumed. All day Tuesday and until 11 o'clock Wednesday was put in searching for the body before it was found, the water being high and the grave not distinctly marked. Mrs. Foster identified the body as that of her husband by his clothing.

The remains were taken charge of by the Masons, of which order he was a member, and given proper burial in Illewilde cemetery Wednesday afternoon. Mrs. Foster returned to Portland today, where she will no longer listen for the footstep that is never to come.

Mr. Foster owned an interest in a mine near Baker City, and had been there doing the assessment work on the same.

**Prospect of a Mine Here.**

Thursday's Daily.

A bulletin received from Portland today states that a rich coal strike has been made near this place. This may all be, but the people of this place are unconscious of any such good fortune, and we believe that the originator of the report was mistaken at least, and in all probability suffering from a more serious malady.

It is true that for a number of years some of our business men have been prospecting near Chenoweth creek, and that they are having the farmers in that section grant them the rights and privileges to any mineral claim that they may locate. The company that is doing the prospecting does not own the land, and it is no more than right that they who spend money in this venture should benefit by it, and that the property owners should grant them the right. If this is done a shaft will be sunk, and if coal mines, or mines of any description, are to be found, they will be opened up as soon as possible, and it will prove a great help to our city, as well as the community at large.

It lies in the power of some of our citizens to help this project along, and we hope they will not be slow in so doing.

## The "RUSHFORD" Wagon

Is the most desirable Wagon on the Market.

It is not as cheap as some others, but is better than all others. This is a broad assertion, but examine the wagon and you will agree with us. It is constructed from carefully selected material, and it is the aim of the manufacturers to make the best Wagon on the market.

It has more improvements and points of superiority than we can enumerate here. If you are thinking of getting a new Wagon, examine the "RUSHFORD" before buying.

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**LOCAL BRIEVITIES.**

Wednesday's Daily.

This morning Juniper bridge, on the O. R. & N. line, was washed out and the Spokane train was forced to go round via Pendleton, which delayed it about two hours. It arrived shortly before noon in place of the usual time.

W. H. Moore, the general manufacturing carpenter and undertaker of Dufur, was in the city and made us a pleasant call today. Undertaking is a new line of business in that vicinity, and as there is a large section of country around Dufur, there is no reason why Mr. Moore should not do well in it.

We make a splendid offer to persons subscribing and paying in advance for the WEEKLY CHRONICLE. We will give to all subscribers paying up in advance, a copy of the World's Almanac for 1898. This is an invaluable reference book, and no home can afford to be without it. Subscribe for THE CHRONICLE and get one free. See our ad in another column.

This morning Venz Bauer was united in marriage to Miss Julia A. Neabeck. The ceremony took place at the Farmers' Hotel in this city and was performed by Justice Filloon. The young couple are both from the Nansene neighborhood, in this county, and are well and favorably known. Mr. Bauer being an enterprising young farmer in comfortable circumstances. THE CHRONICLE gives them its benediction and wishes them long lives and an abundance of happiness.

E. E. Lytle and D. C. O'Riley, president and general manager, respectively, of the Columbia Southern railroad, say that twenty miles more of their road will be completed this summer. They have no idea of going to Alaska, as the country their road runs through is richer than Klondike, and the gold can be turned up with a gang plow. They have also some idea of starting a stock farm, on the plan suggested by their old friend J. D. Woodworth, of the O. R. & N., whose ideas they imagine they can successfully carry out.

Considerable excitement was caused in Colfax at an early hour Friday morning by the report that two of William Codd's sons had been kidnapped. Mrs. Codd entered the bedroom of her two sons and found the bed empty and the boys gone. She gave the alarm and a searching party was organized, and, after diligent search, the boys were found near the home of their grandmother, coasting. The boys had awak-

ened, and, thinking that daylight had arrived, arose, dressed and set out to coast. It was 2 o'clock in the morning when their absence was discovered.

The A. O. U. W. and Degree of Honor are making great preparations for the coming of their distinguished guest, Past Supreme Master Tate, who will deliver an address here on Saturday evening at the Vogt opera house. A good musical program, by some of our leading local talent, will be rendered and will be published later in the week. The Elks have kindly consented to leave the most of their decorations in the hall, and this will add materially to the acoustic properties. A general invitation is extended to the public. Free for everyone.

Thursday's Daily.

License to wed was issued this morning to William D. Martin and Darcie M. Hollett, both of this place.

There is no truth in the report that the people of Harney county are indignant at the action of Judge Lewis in admitting Edward Oliver, the man who shot Peter French, to bail, or that the bond is a straw one. As the prosecution presented a weak case, no other action was possible. The bondsmen are among the best business men and leading stockmen of the country, who could raise the amount of the bond at any time on short notice.

As an outfitting point for the Klondike The Dalles cannot be excelled. This has been proven in a number of instances. The latest is that of one of our citizens who is about to start a hotel in the Klondike and who naturally supposing he could fit himself out to better advantage in Portland, made a trip to the metropolis for that purpose. As he purchased a large bill of goods from Pease & Mays this morning, one item of was sixty-one pairs of blankets and comforters, the conclusion is apparent.

The ladies of the Good Intent Society had a very pleasant meeting yesterday afternoon at the home of Mrs. W. A. Kirby. About twenty ladies were present, and as it was the anniversary of the hostess' birth, the meeting took upon itself the form of a party. The society presented Mrs. Kirby with a very pretty birthday gift as a token of their appreciation of her faithfulness in the work. During the afternoon a surprise in the way of a tempting lunch was served to the guests, and the best of good will prevailed throughout the entire meeting.

This morning James Thrall of this place, met one of his old schoolmates, Alex Bruce, of Woodstock, Ontario, as he was passing through, on his way to Portland. Mr. Bruce's object in going is to join the Alaska relief expedition which will start in a short time. It has been years since Mr. Thrall had seen his old friend, but at a glance they recognized each other, and it is unnecessary to say that the short space of time the train stopped in this city was not sufficient for them to begin to tell a fraction of what each had to say after these years of separation.

A challenge has been received by The Dalles foot-ball team from the Willamette Amateur Athletic Club for a match game to be played on Washington's birthday, January 22d. The terms

offered by the visiting team are very reasonable, and a good game would certainly be played. There is but one thing required, and that is an assurance that the game will be sufficiently par-torized to pay all expenses. In order to do this a committee should take the matter in hand and investigate the same, and we are certain that a guarantee can be given to the boys, and if this is done the game will come off. As the town is very dull at present, a little excitement of this kind would liven up things, and we are sure that everyone would appreciate a foot-ball game very much.

Friday's Daily.

Weather—Tonight and Saturday, occasional snow and cooler.

Mr. James Connelly, a prominent sheepman from Bornt Ranch, is in the city.

All members of Court The Dalles, No. 12, F. of A., are requested to attend the meeting of the lodge this evening, as a good time is promised.

We understand that Winans Bros. have sold out their property on the Washington side of the river, to The Dalles Packing Co. and intend leaving for Klondike in the near future.

A consignment of beef cattle are in the stock yards today waiting shipment to the Union Meat Co. in Portland. They were brought from the country south of here, but we could not learn the name of the consignor.

Yesterday at the residence of Mr. Hollett, on Eighth street, in this city, William D. Nortel and Darcie M. Hollett were united in the bonds of matrimony. Justice Filloon officiated, and did his best towards making the couple one.

It was expected that the remains of Daniel DeWolfe would arrive last night. However, on account of some delay, they will not reach here before this evening, and it is impossible to say at present when the funeral will take place.

At the Christian church this evening the pastor will take for his subject "The Ordinary and Extraordinary Parts in Conversion. Tomorrow night the subject will be "Seeming Safety." There have been seven additions to the church thus far this week.

Yesterday was China New Years, and as is always the case, the Chinese are having an extended celebration. The same boys, too, are having all kinds of fun shooting off fire-crackers, which the Celestials are liberal enough to give them in large quantities, while the Chinamen increase the hilarity of the occasion by punishing an abundance of China gin and rice whiskey.

The Rathbone Sisters had an interesting session last night. An entertaining program was rendered, and the guessing contest furnished an abundance of amusement for all. Mrs. E. E. Lytle won the first prize, a box of bon bones, while J. B. Crossen got the booby. Afterwards all repaired to the dining hall, where the time was spent most pleasantly, and on leaving all voted that they knew of no place better than such a meeting in which to spend a pleasant evening.

At the club meeting held last night, the principal subject to be considered