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Narrow, Medium and Wide, both single or in sets, and of the daintiest patterns the manufacturer is able to produce. The goods will commence at

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per yard, and will gradually increase until they have reached

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commencing at the nominal price of

5c

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But this is not all, for we anticipated the wants of all housekeepers at this time of the year and have just received the largest invoice of

SHEETS and PILLOW CASES

We have ever had, and in order that you may thoroughly appreciate the price we paid for them, will quote you some prices that will thoroughly convince you that they are cheaper than you ever saw them, and that it will not justify you to make them when you have other spring sewing to do.

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LOCAL BREVITIES.

Wednesday's Daily.

The ladies of the Episcopal church are ready at any time to receive orders for fancy and useful articles, and are now preparing for their Easter sale.

Harry Hampshire, who has been confined to his room with a severe attack of rheumatism, was reported much worse last evening and he is in a critical condition.

In spite of the inclement weather, many were at the dock this morning to see the new Regulator start on her first trip for many months. She is in fine trim, and everybody is glad to feel that she is again on the run.

J. H. King, who lives near Cold Springs, in Umatilla county, says that of 650 acres planted to wheat he will have to reseed all but 10 acres, and that 300 sacks of seed wheat will be required. Last year Mr. King harvested 12,000 bushels of wheat.

The recent showers, together with the abundance of snow in the mountains, has caused the different streams throughout this section to boom. Mill creek is at present on a "tear," and it seems like old times to see such a volume of water in the creek bed.

It has always been a difficult matter for graduating classes to obtain the latest style in programs. This year will be an exception, for the CHRONICLE office yesterday received samples of the swell commencement programs we have ever seen. Besides, we have a fine lot of ball programs, etc. If you desire anything in those lines call at the office and look over them.

Yesterday Mrs. M. Zirka received a letter from Captain Wells informing her that her son, Fred, had been granted a furlough on account of ill health, he having been confined in the hospital at Manila for the past two months. A letter was also received from Fred at San Francisco, where he is now in the hospital awaiting returning strength before leaving for home.

The proprietors of the Umatilla House evidently intend to make that hotel thoroughly up to date and are fitting it up in splendid shape. The latest improvement is to be made in the office floor, and workmen are today putting in good condition preparatory to covering it with lenolium, which will add

much to the appearance of the office, already made very inviting by new paper and paint.

Persons who are planning a trip to the Pacific coast this summer will have no trouble in securing cheap rates. Two large conventions are to be held, for each of which a rate of about one fare for the round trip will be granted by the railroads. The National Baptist Societies will hold their anniversary at San Francisco in May, and the National Educational Association will meet at Los Angeles in July. Liberal concessions in the way of stop-overs and side trips are likely to be made.

The will of C. W. Rice, who died recently in California, has been admitted to probate by County Judge Mays. Annie E. Rice, wife of the deceased, Geo. Ruch and Harry Clough are named as executors. The estate is valued at \$15,030. All of the real estate and personal property, excepting loans and county script are willed to Mrs. Rice. The remainder is to be managed by the executors until the children become of age, when it will be divided between Mrs. Rice and the children.

March is supposed to come in like a lion, and she certainly did not disappoint anyone, for today has been a terror as far as wind is concerned. During the night the rain continued to come down in torrents, and this morning the "gentle breezes" drove the showers aside to a certain extent, only allowing them to make their appearance occasionally; but when they did they made up for lost time. Since Saturday night we have had 1.70 of an inch of rain, which has done an untold amount of good, most of the moisture sinking into the ground.

This morning, while R. Rorden was delivering groceries on the hill, his horse became frightened and deciding not to wait for the driver, started down the hill at a lively pace. When he reached the bottom of the hill on Union street, he succeeded in turning the cart over and breaking the shafts. Mr. Rorden returned to where he had left the horse standing and found him minus. Upon searching for his lost property he came across the demolished rig, and later a friend came up leading the unruly animal. No great damage was done.

Sam B. Davis, assistant superintendent and clerk at Chemawa has been promoted to the position of superintendent at the Warm Springs agency, in Eastern Oregon. Mr. Davis is regarded as a very competent and capable Indian school man, and it is predicted by those who know his ability, that the Warm Springs school is certain of success under his management. Mr. Davis will leave for his new field of labor during the coming week. His successor at Chemawa will be the former superintendent at Warm Springs, W. P. Campbell.—Salem Statesman.

For a time early this morning Dalles people felt that they had been shut off from the outside world, that is as far as trains were concerned, none arriving from the east or west until about 8

o'clock. On account of a slide near Viento, No. 4, the east-bound passenger, was compelled to remain at that place from about 11 last night until the early morning hours, reaching here at 7:50. Yesterday afternoon's west-bound passenger was annulled, and No. 3, which had been taken around by Pendleton, picking up passengers between Walla Walla and that place, was thus rendered about four hours late, arriving at the depot at 8:30. The afternoon train is reported four hours late today. The difficulty yesterday seemed to be between Omaha and Huntington.

Thursday's Daily.

Miss Mamie Smith came down last night from Moro, where she has been visiting Mrs. Hadley.

Miss Jessie Fisher, who has been visiting friends in Portland, returned home last night on the boat.

Mrs. C. F. Stone, who was formerly Dr. Inez Skelton, is in the city from Tacoma visiting Dr. Rinehart.

The west-bound afternoon passenger has again been annulled today. Snow in the mountains is said to be the cause.

Miss Agnes Lane, who has been the guest of Mrs. J. C. Wood for a number of days, will leave for Portland tomorrow.

Ed. Mitchell came up on the boat from Portland last night. He has been employed in the state printing office at Salem.

The three children of Polk Mays, who have been suffering with typhoid fever for some weeks, are reported as improving slowly.

J. W. Redington, of Portland, is attending the institute as reporter for the Oregonian. He is a lively reporter and will allow nothing to go unnoticed.

F. P. McDevitt, a Salem printer, stopped over in The Dalles today on his way home from Sumpter, where he has been on a business trip. Mr. McDevitt reports wintery weather in the mining town, with about two feet of snow.

Last night the stores were opened for the first time in months after night. It would be well, however, if all who could, would do their shopping during the day.

Mr. and Mrs. Hadley arrived in the city last night from Moro. Mr. Hadley left this morning for Portland, and Mrs. Hadley will visit with her mother, Mrs. L. Clark.

"What the ladies all say must be true,"—that A. M. Williams & Co's is the place to buy muslin underwear, if you care for quality at the lowest minimum price. Children's muslin under garments; any style at 12 1/2c.

Last night Mr. and Mrs. Geo. A. Young, accompanied by their daughter, Miss Georgia, returned from their Eastern trip. The latter remained with her sister in Billings, Mont., while her father and mother visited their old homes in Maine and Massachusetts. It is the first time in forty years that Mrs. Young has visited the old homestead in Maine, and, strange to say, everything was as she

left it, with the exception of the paint on the house. Such is the sameness of the East. At Billings they found the thermometer floating around about 55 below, and in consequence remained indoors most of the time.

The 'phone girls were kept busy this morning as the young gentlemen, who are seriously inclined and looking for a good cook, called up their best girls and told them of Miss Tracy's lecture. However, it is to be regretted that the demand of this day and age not only kept them in the stores, offices, etc., today, but continually keeps them from place they were designed to fill, and where they should be—in the home.

A meeting of the Hook and Ladder Co. was held last evening in the city hall and business of importance was attended to. H. C. Leibe, who is foreman of the company, resigned as fire patrolman and J. S. Schenck was elected to serve for one year in conjunction with Vic Marden, elected for two years, and T. A. Ward for three years. First assistant S. E. Van Vactor having moved to Condon, Samuel Thurman was elected to fill the vacancy. The committee appointed some time ago to solicit subscriptions for the purchase of a new hook and ladder truck and apparatus will wait upon our citizens shortly, and it is to be hoped they will meet with a fitting success, for the present appurtenances are inadequate.

If a comparison were made between the attendance at the court room and the Baldwin opera house this afternoon and the interest taken in the work judged from the size of the audiences, the result would be much in favor of the ladies. It was a pleasing sight to see such a large audience of pleasant looking ladies, with note book in hand, eager to catch every word uttered by the fair speaker, who stood on the stage behind a large demonstrating table filled with cooking utensils and everything necessary to make most delicious salads and deserts. At one side of the stage was an oil stove, ready to do service when needed. Miss Tracy is a very charming lady and enters right into the spirit of her work, and when she has mixed and remixed the various ingredients, they are fit for a king. As the ladies were preparing to sample the dishes, a number of gentlemen were seen to make their appearance in the audience, and no doubt were rewarded.

While a certain amount of applause at an entertainment is commendable, and is a wonderful stimulant to the performers, there is a question as to how much should be required of those who entertain us. Should we insist on an encore to every number of the program, thus completely wearing out those who take part and causing the audience, in many instances, to grow weary before the last numbers are rendered. Not that this was the case last night, for the lasting quality of the voices of the quartet was remarkable, and, if possible, seemed to grow better with each succeeding number; while the audience certainly never

tired of hearing them. Then, too, they were more than kind in responding. Yet, it is beginning to be considered not quite the proper thing to demand so much of our entertainers, and in the East is being done away with almost entirely. While we encourage the performers by frequent applause, we should not be selfish in the matter.

Friday's Daily.

It is currently reported today that we are to have another grocery store in the city. That C. E. Dawson is contemplating going into business in the Vogt building next door to the land office.

Hugh Fraser is now numbered among the victims of the gripe, being quite sick in bed. For about a month past he has been ailing, but would not give up till a few days since.

Passenger train No. 1 will certainly be compelled to change her number, unless she changes her tactics in arriving, for she may be first in number, but of late is last in arriving. Yesterday's train reached here at 10:30 this morning, while this afternoon's will not be here until about 9 o'clock.

Travelers on the roads out from the city report them in a terrible condition, almost bottomless. This morning when the stage reached the hill on the other side of 8-Mile it mired and after some hard work in attempting to extricate it from the clutches of the mud, an extra team was secured and helped them out of the dilemma.

Pague was warning the merchants of Portland to remove all goods from cellars yesterday as the water enters them when the river is from 15 to 19 feet high and at noon yesterday it registered 12 feet, with the prospect of raising six feet by noon tomorrow. The Columbia is rising gradually and will perhaps continue to for some time; but we have nothing to fear in that line this time of year.

While it is greatly to be regretted that our farmers did not receive the benefit intended from the institute just closed, the difficulty seems to have been from the fact that this is their busiest season and almost an impossibility for them to leave the plow and other duties. Then, too, the meeting was not advertised a sufficient length of time before it occurred, giving them little chance to prepare to attend.

Surveyor Golt informs THE CHRONICLE that during the past two years about 250 cash entries and homesteads have been proven up on, for Wasco county alone. Figuring on an average of a quarter of a section to each settler this makes sixty-five sections, or 41,600 acres for the county, which have been added to the assessment roll in that time. Averaging at about \$3 an acre, this will amount to \$124,800.

No doubt some of our Dalles people who went to Portland to hear Ward and James, trusting to luck to secure seats, found themselves not included in the feast, as it is said every seat was taken for each night many days before

hand. Several secured seats before leaving here, and were lucky in doing so. However, it is said they will again play in Portland in two weeks, giving every one a chance to hear them.

Druggists report an immense sale of pepsin and like medicines to aid digestion, the ladies all being employed today in testing the numerous receipts for salads and deserts given them by Miss Tracy yesterday. At the close of her lecture several ladies endeavored to persuade her to make regular trips to the city for the purpose of giving class lessons. At present she deems it impossible; but may arrange to do so in the fall.

This morning Mrs. Geo. Rowland received a telegram announcing the death of Mrs. H. H. Hewitt, wife of Judge Hewitt, of Albany, who was also a half sister of Geo. Rowland, deceased. Mrs. Hewitt has been ill for some time, and her death occurred at 3 o'clock this morning. Rev. Poling who was her former pastor, was also telegraphed to and will leave for that place tomorrow morning to conduct the services, which will be held Sunday.

Whether on account of the war or because of the Alaskan excitement has not been determined; but for some reason the tourist travel on the Columbia river last year was very light, not comparing with that of other years. From all appearances this year will make up for that deficiency, as we understand several different parties have already signified their intention of viewing the scenery of our beautiful river this summer, among them one under the supervision of Dr. Grant; another with W. A. Gillespie, of Philadelphia, as the prime mover, besides about five hundred editors and two hundred and fifty teachers, the latter coming up from their meeting at Los Angeles. These are only a few of the many which will come during the season. And what an advertisement our state will get.

Information Wanted

Regarding a sorrel mare, reported to be on government flat. Said mare is branded L. O. on left shoulder; has star in forehead; is six years old. Party who will deliver same to me at Enderby postoffice will be suitably rewarded. Address, AUGUST LONGREN, Feb. 15, 1m-1 Enderby, Or.

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