

The Weekly Chronicle.

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WE ARE BUILDING SHIPS.

Work has begun at Newport News on two 18,000-ton steamships for the Pacific Mail. A few days ago at the Union Iron Works in San Francisco the keel was laid for a large merchant steamer, says the Spokesman-Review.

In most countries the building of a merchant marine is reflected in the navy. In this country the process has been reversed. The work of replacing obsolete wooden naval vessels with modern steel cruisers began seventeen years ago.

The beginnings were small, but year after year new and better warships were added to our fleet until now the United States constructs the best cruisers, gunboats and battleships in the world.

When the reconstruction of the navy began there were British naval experts who told their countrymen to look out for the appearance of a rival in the world's shipbuilding.

The progress made in this great work of navy building has stimulated the reconstruction of the merchant marine. Large orders from the government for a period of seventeen years have put several large shipbuilding establishments on a solid foundation.

Already two magnificent Atlantic liners have been built and now fly the American flag. Two more have been ordered by the same company, and with the beginning of the Pacific Mail leviathans and the laying of the keel of the Pacific merchantman at San Francisco there is reason for entertaining the hope that the work of rebuilding the American merchant marine is well under way.

TOO MANY IRONS IN THE FIRE

Admiral Dewey has been interviewed in New York, and, according to the Evening Post of that city, has made some observations that are full of the usual Dewey sense.

expressed it, "it is enough for a man to do one thing, to be one thing, but when a man tries to do everything and be everything, it is easy to imagine the result."

This idea has been entertained by many people for a long time. However capable General Otis may be, it is certain that he has allowed himself to become engrossed with petty details and missed the larger results. It would have been well had he devoted his whole attention to military operations and postponed a few of the civil reforms.

A YEAR THAT BREAKS RECORDS

This is a record-breaking year for the United States. The production of nearly all the principal crop-growing states is so far ahead of all previous years that the falling off in some of the minor states will be more than compensated for.

In nearly every important field of industry the production is ahead of any year in the past. The production of pig iron has been steadily breaking records for several months, notwithstanding the large increase in price.

The government is feeling the tonic effect of these exhilarating conditions. Its gold reserve has passed far up beyond the highest line ever previously touched.

Millions of dollars, is the value placed by Mrs. Mary Bird, Harrisburg, Pa., on the life of her child, which she saved from crop by the use of One Minute Cough Cure.

THERE IS A SCARCITY.

"Standard orders are kept on file at the various employment agencies for men to do section work on the three lines of railroads that go through this city, but the agencies complain that there are only a few applications made for that kind of work, although the wages offered are good.

are at work with only one and two men each. The employees were lured away by better offers during the harvest period."

The above paragraph is from the Spokane Review and shows how great is the demand for help in that section of the Northwest. Certainly, there is little excuse for "tramps" nowadays.

SAD, INDEED.

The weather is progressing slowly but surely toward the overcast and sore-throated stage. The lines of sadness deepen on the iron man's face, and the coal man's song grows louder as the days grow briefer.

Better come out to Oregon, where we have no such horrible weather conditions as to drive a man to such outlandish poetry. Your lot in that land of blizzards, cyclones, burning heat in summer and blighting cold in winter, must be sad, indeed.—Salem Statesman.

In the twenty-one planks of the Democratic platform in Ohio not one refers to state issues, and yet McLean insists that the contest involves no national questions.

In 1877 the Transvaal was practically bankrupt. Gold mining soon after became a paying industry, and in 1889 the direct receipts of the treasury from gold mines were \$8,996,070.

The only man the Democrats have elected president since 1856 will deliver college lectures next year, while a supporter of Weaver's wild-eyed platform in 1892 will do the talking for the Democratic party.

Prevented a Tragedy.

Timely information given Mrs. George Long, of New Straitsville, Ohio, prevented a dreadful tragedy and saved two lives. A frightful cough had long kept her awake every night.

For Sale.

Will take one-half in trade for potatoes, chickens, flour, pork, hay, second or third grade wheat, or a No. 1 bicycle.

Millions of dollars, is the value placed by Mrs. Mary Bird, Harrisburg, Pa., on the life of her child, which she saved from crop by the use of One Minute Cough Cure.

\$30 Reward.

I will pay \$20 for information that leads to the recovery of the 1350 cedar shakes, that were stolen near the Tygh Valley store last summer.

"It did me more good than anything I ever used."

My dyspepsia was of months' standing; after eating it was terrible. Now I am well," writes S. B. Keener, Hoisington, Kan., of Kodol Dyspepsia Cure.

Kodol Dyspepsia Cure. Digests what you eat.

Artificially digests the food and aids Nature in strengthening and reconstructing the exhausted digestive organs. It is the latest discovered digestant and tonic.

MUST BE REPAIRED.

The Roads Between The Dalles and DuPont are in Need of Attention. The DuPont Dispatch is continually agitating the repairing of the road between that place and The Dalles, and we would suggest that our people give the matter their attention.

"The roads will continue to get worse from now until the rains begin, and with the moving of the grain crop just begun, their state a month later can be imagined only. The travel being heaviest near the town makes that end need work first."

"Dalles City and Wasco county went partners some years ago in a 'rock crusher,' or rather Wasco county paid half the cost of a rock crusher to be used in Dalles City. The fact that this partnership could not legally exist never cut any figure, because the county became a silent partner as soon as its share of the money was paid."

"Or, if that can't be done, and something must be, it will pay the farmers to pay into a fund the sum of say 10 cents per load on every load of wheat hauled, and with the money thus collected keep a man working the road from The Dalles to Eight-mile. Should the later plan be adopted the Dispatch will pay the tax on 100 loads of wheat."

A Musical Afternoon.

The first of the afternoon receptions for the season was enjoyed by a large number of the lady friends of Mrs. B. F. Laughlin Friday afternoon at her home on the hill.

The hall was a veritable garden of evergreens, and here Miss Bessie French presided and served lemonade to the guests. The parlors were beautiful in the extreme—flowers and plants hanging from chandeliers and placed in every available space.

It was a happy thought which prompted the hostess to secure a male quartet to furnish music for the afternoon, for while the gentlemen were not visible, it goes without saying that the sound of their voices, which waited sweet melodies from the parlors above, was appreciated by the ladies, and so this was a very pleasant feature of a perfect afternoon.

The entertainment furnished by the hostess tended to the musical, and in securing partners for the afternoon the lady which held the name of the composer was found to be the partner of the one who held the name of the song he had written.

The home of the hostess is in every way adapted to such a gathering, and altogether the entire affair could not have been improved upon.

Words of Commendation.

Concerning Rev. Hawk's removal from Yakima, the Republican has the following:

"A large audience greeted Rev. U. F. Hawk at the M. E. church last Sunday evening to hear his farewell sermon, and gave him marked attention during his discourse. After the sermon the secretary of the official board of the church addressed the following words to the pastor and his estimable wife, which were endorsed by the entire congregation by a rising vote:

SEND 50 CENTS to me with this coupon and I will send you a Kodol Dyspepsia Cure. It is a scientific, reliable, and safe remedy for all cases of indigestion, dyspepsia, and all other ailments of the stomach and bowels.

now going from us to other fields of labor, and believing that to commend, approve and endorse the acts of the living is equal to, if not better, than words of praise for the dead, it gives me pleasure to say to you, Brother and Sister Hawk, that I voice the sentiment of this congregation and the church when I say that your labors in North Yakima have been of exceeding worth and we regret that our relation as pastor and people has been severed. While we may not commend the action of the conference in this early severing our relations, yet we are loyal to our church, and we bid you God speed in your new field of labor and trust in His providence it may prove to you a field of greater usefulness."

Short Meeting of Water Commissioners

Nothing but routine business came up before the water commissioners at their meeting Saturday night. Commissioners Randall, Moore, Fish, Phirman and Senfert were present, with the latter presiding.

THE SUPERINTENDENT'S REPORT.

Total book acct. month of Aug. \$1555.75 Amount collected 1192.45 \$ 363.30

THE TREASURER'S REPORT.

Sept. 1—Bal. cash \$4451.01 Sept. 30—Cash received for water rent 1192.45 Total 5643.56 By warrants redeemable 267.40

The following claims were allowed:

J. B. Crossen, sup't salary \$60.00 Chas. Borders, helper 60.00 Ned Gates, sec'y salary 10.00 Mays & Crowe, indse 76.87 C. A. Borders, 75 lbs rope 3.75 J. W. Blakney, hauling 75.00 H. Clough, labor on pipe 2.00 A. A. Ughart, labor 3.40 Wm. Morganfield, labor 6.00 F. Gibbons, labor 3.40 E. J. Francisco, labor 4.00 Robt Murray, labor 2.00 L. A. Porter, team hire 3.00 Lane Bros, blacksmithing 1.85 Maier & Benton, indse 7.13 F. S. Gunning, repairs 25.00 Schenck & Beall, ins. premium 7.50

Judge Schilling's Best

baking powder coffee flavoring extracts soda and spices by the evidence produced — they are their own witnesses.

For sale by Vandugn, Adams & Co. Tygh Valley, Ore.

The Dalles, Portland and Astoria Navigation Co.

Daily (except Sunday) between The Dalles, Hood River, Cascade Locks, Vancouver and Portland.

Srs. Regulator & Dalles City

Daily (except Sunday) between The Dalles, Hood River, Cascade Locks, Vancouver and Portland.

Touching at way points on both sides of the Columbia river.

Both of the above steamers have been rebuilt, and are in excellent shape for the season of 1899. The Regulator Line will endeavor to give its patrons the best service possible.

For Comfort, Economy and Pleasure, travel by the steamers of The Regulator Line.

The above steamers leave The Dalles at 8 a. m. and Portland at 7 a. m., and arrive at destination in ample time for outgoing trains.

W. C. Allaway, General Agent.

SUMMONS.

IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF THE STATE OF OREGON, for the County of Wasco. Charles G. L. Benson, plaintiff, vs. Hattie A. Benson, defendant.

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned has been duly appointed by the honorable County Court of the State of Oregon, for Wasco county, as executor of the estate of Phoebe J. Haight, deceased.

Executors Notice. Notice is hereby given that the undersigned has been duly appointed by the honorable County Court of the State of Oregon, for Wasco county, as executor of the estate of Phoebe J. Haight, deceased.

\$2.45 GOLD PLATE. SEARS, ROEBUCK & CO. INC. CHICAGO. A great variety of watches, jewelry, and other goods.

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Horticultural and Agricultural

Products of Oregon, Washington and Idaho in greater variety and profusion than ever before.

BENNETT'S Renowned Military Band. MISS ALICE RAYMOND, America's Greatest Lady Cornet Soloist.

The Unequaled FLORENZ TROUPE of Acrobats, direct from the Empire Theatre, London, their first appearance in America.

A Great FILIPINO WAR MUSEUM. THREE GREAT SISTERS MACARTE, Unsurpassed Acrobats, in their thrilling act.

AND OTHER GREAT ATTRACTIONS. A Season of Great Surprises and Astounding Feats.

Reduced Rates on All Transportation Lines. ADMISSION 25 Cents. Children under 12 years, 10 cents.

DONT MISS IT! MRS. OLIVIA W. MORGAN, STUDIO AND ART NEEDLE ROOMS.

MASONIC BUILDING, Third Street, between Court and Washington Streets, The Dalles.