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A few days ago the Times-Mountaineer, in a moment of thoughtless candor spoke in complimentary manner of our new water system. When the Chronicle commended the paragraph the paper practically ate its own words by the following compressed tissue of falsehoods:

It must be understood that the present system of water works—new mains in the lower town—was only adopted by the water commission after a million dollars worth of property had been destroyed by the flames by reason of the council adopting an inadequate means of fire protection last year.

Oregon will be much concerned in the information which comes from Tacoma to the effect that the wheat weevil has appeared in countless numbers in the Cascade oatmeal mill there.

A Buffalo, N. Y., paper notes the fact that Gen. Poe of the U. S. Engineering department, opened on the 4th inst. bids for contract to supply valves and valve frames for the new 800 foot lock in the Soo canal.

All reports concerning the favorable situation of affairs at Astoria are confirmed today by private dispatch from Hon. I. W. Case.

Up to date the present house of representatives stands pre-eminent as the one which has cost the country the most and transacted the least amount of business in a given time.

The Astorian notes the singular commentary on our Oregon statutes that lies in the fact that the only two things that the law demands the applicants shall possess "a good moral character for the possession of a saloon license and a permit to carry a gun."

Bees Carry Toilet Cases. The tongue of the hive bee is a most elaborate structure, admirably fitted for helping to pump up nectar.

It is passed to the mouth, where it is chewed and rendered plastic by the jaws. The hind legs have many beautiful structures and modifications fitted for gathering pollen and cleansing the bee.

During my second year at the Jefferson Medical college, in Philadelphia, I had for a classmate a regular lunthead. One of the professors was in the habit of taking the boys unawares and quizzing them.

An extraordinary development is taking place in the coal fields of West Yorkshire, England, and it is expected that the mines of that region will reach an annual capacity of 30,000,000 tons within the next three years.

Byrne Floyd & Co., leading wholesale and retail druggists of The Dalles, have in addition to other lines of goods, just opened a splendid stock of combs and brushes.

On and after April 1st parties putting in or using water closets with a continuous stream of water, will be charged \$5.00 per month.

Mr. J. S. Sturtevant, editor of the Waupaca (Wis.) Post, says: "Last night Chamberlain's Pain Balm cured my wife of neuralgia of the face and tooth in fifteen minutes."

All Dalles City warrants registered prior to September 1, 1890, will be paid if presented at my office.

Byrne, Floyd & Co., the leading wholesale and retail druggists of The Dalles, have today received their second large invoice of Best Tonic.

C. F. STEPHENS, DEALER IN Dry Goods AND CLOTHING. Boots, Shoes, Hats, Etc. Fancy Goods, Notions, Etc., Etc., Etc. 134 Second St., next to Dalles National Bank, Dalles City, Oregon.

DISSOLUTION NOTICE. The partnership heretofore existing between J. A. Orchard and U. S. Becknell, is this day dissolved by mutual consent.

Notice is hereby given to whom it may concern: Having severed my partnership relation with Mr. U. S. Becknell, I take much pleasure in commending him to the people of this city as a thoroughly honest and reliable gentleman.

Notice is hereby given to whom it may concern that the undersigned partners doing business under the firm name of E. Jacobsen & Co., at Dalles City, Oregon, have by mutual consent, this day dissolved the said partnership.

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned, having this day sold his interest in the partnership doing business under the firm name of E. Jacobsen & Co., will not be responsible for any indebtedness in the name of said firm from and after this date.

THE CHURCHES. ST. PETER'S CHURCH—Rev. Father Brown, Pastor. Low Mass every Sunday at 7 A. M. High Mass at 10:30 A. M. Vespers at 7 P. M. ADVENT CHRISTIAN CHURCH—Preaching in the Y. M. C. A. rooms every Sunday at 11 A. M. and 7 P. M.

ASSEMBLY NO. 487, K. OF L.—Meets in K. of L. hall the second and fourth Wednesday of each month at 7:30 P. M. WASCLO LODGE, NO. 15, F. & A. M.—Meets first and third Monday of each month at 7 P. M.

MODERN WOODMEN OF THE WORLD.—Meets every Friday evening at 7:30 o'clock, in K. of L. hall, corner Second and Court streets. Sojourning brothers are welcome.

FRIENDSHIP LODGE, NO. 9, K. of P.—Meets every Saturday at 7:30 P. M. in the K. of P. hall, corner Second and Court streets. Sojourning members are cordially invited.

W. S. MYERS, Financier. JAS. NESMITH POST, No. 32, G. A. R.—Meets every Saturday at 7:30 P. M. in the K. of P. hall.

Children Cry for Pitcher's Castoria. When Baby was sick, we gave her Castoria. When she was a Child, she cried for Castoria. When she became Miss, she clung to Castoria. When she had Children, she gave them Castoria.

ART STUDIO. Mrs. A. BEMISH. Has opened an Art Studio, AT THE RESIDENCE OF MRS. HEPNER, ON FIFTH STREET, (East of the M. E. Church.) Class days are TUESDAY, THURSDAY and SATURDAY.

SECOND ANNUAL MEETING. Notice to the Stockholders of The Dalles, Portland and Astoria Navigation Co.

THE SECOND ANNUAL MEETING OF THE stockholders of The Dalles, Portland & Astoria Navigation Company will be held in the ball room of the Chronicle office at Dalles City, Oregon, on Saturday, April 4th, 1892, at 2 o'clock P. M.

The European House, Corrugated Iron Building, Union Street, near 2d, The Dalles, Or. MRS. H. FRAISER, Prop.

Handsomely Furnished Rooms with or without Board. Terms to Suit Customers.

JOHN PASHEK, Merchant-Tailor, Next door to Wasco Sun.

Repairing and Gleaning Neatly and Quickly Done.

YOUR ATTENTION Is called to the fact that Hugh Glenn, Dealer in Glass, Lime, Plaster, Cement and Building Material of all kinds.

Pictures - Moulding To be found in the City. 72 Washington Street.

COLUMBIA GANDY FACTORY Campbell Bros. Proprs. (SUCCESSORS TO W. R. Cram.) Manufacturer of the finest French and Home Made CANDIES, East of Portland. DEALER IN—Tropical Fruits, Nuts, Cigars and Tobacco.

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GENTLEMEN! BEFORE YOU ORDER GOODS OF ANY KIND IN THE FURNISHING LINE, Call and See me

Shirts of all kinds to order, at prices which defy competition. Other goods in proportion. P. FAGAN, Second St., The Dalles. Sole Agent for WANNAMAKER & BROWN, Philadelphia, Pa.

Scrap - Iron Wanted. The undersigned will pay FIVE DOLLARS PER TON FOR ALL KINDS OF WAGON AND MACHINE SCRAP-IRON.

Byrne, Floyd & Co., Successors to C. E. Dunham. Druggists and Chemists. Pure Drugs and Medicines.

Dispensing Physicians' Prescriptions a Specialty. Night Druggists always in Attendance.

THE DALLES, OREGON.

The Dalles Restaurant AND OYSTER HOUSE. One of the Finest Cooks in The Dalles. All Work done by White Help.

Next door to Byrne, Floyd & Co.'s Drug Store. 85 Union St., The Dalles.

Just Opened. Mrs. A. JONES - Proprietor. Everything the Market Affords, at Reasonable Rates.

MRS. LOCHHEAD'S Painting CLASS! Will meet on Tuesday and Friday Mornings, at 9 o'clock, and on Wednesday and Friday Afternoons, at 2 o'clock.

Orders taken in all branches of Painting. A full line of New Studies for sale or to rent. Studio at the residence of Mr. G. P. Morgan, corner of Third and Liberty streets.

R. B. HOOD, Livery, Feed and Sale STABLE. Horses Bought and Sold on Commission and Money Advanced on Horses Left for Sale.

OFFICE OF—The Dalles and Goldendale Stage Line. Stage Leaves The Dalles Every Morning at 7:30 and Goldendale at 7:00. All freight must be left at R. B. Hood's office the evening before.

R. B. HOOD, Proprietor. Opposite old Stand. The Dalles, Or.

ROBT. MAYS. L. H. CROWE. MAYS & CROWE, (2) SALE AGENTS FOR THE CELEBRATED "Acorn" and "Charter Oak" STOVES AND RANGES. Jewett's Steel Ranges, and Richardson's and Boynton's Furnaces. We also keep a large and complete stock of

Hardware, Tinware, Granite, Blueware, Silverware, Cutlery, Barbed Wire, Blacksmiths' Coal, Pumps, Pipe, Packing, Plumbers Supplies, Guns, Ammunition and Sporting Goods.

Plumbing, Tinning, Gun Repairing and Light Machine Work a Specialty. COR. SECOND AND FEDERAL STS. THE DALLES, OREGON.

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Shop on Third Street, next door west of Young & Kuss' Blacksmith Shop.

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On account of Removal I will sell my entire stock of Boots and Shoes, Hats and Caps, Trunks and Valises, Shelvings, Counters, Desk, Safe, Fixtures, at a Great Bargain. Come and see my offer.

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J. FREIMAN, 125 Second Street, The Dalles.

NEW FALL AND WINTER DRY GOODS COMPLETE IN EVERY DEPARTMENT.

Clothing, Gents' Furnishing Goods, Hats, Caps, Boots and Shoes. Full Assortment of the Leading Manufacturers.

Cash Buyers will save 10% on our stock and prices before purchasing elsewhere.

H. Herbring. The Dalles Mercantile Co., Successors to BROOKS & BEERS, Dealers in

General Merchandise, Staple and Fancy Dry Goods, Gents' Furnishing Goods, Boots, Shoes, Hats, Caps, etc. Groceries, Provisions, Hardware, Flour, Bacon.

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