

The Dalles Daily Chronicle.

THE DALLES OREGON WEDNESDAY MAY 4, 1892

Wanted. A girl to do general house work, apply to Mrs. Hugh Fraser.

FOR SALE. At a bargain. A lot of store shelving. Apply at this office.

First-class job work can be had at the CHRONICLE job office on short notice and at reasonable prices.

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WHEAT—We quote 55 to 60 cents per bushel. Corn in sacks \$1.40-\$1.50 per 100 lbs.

OATS—The oat market is in good supply with a limited demand. We quote 1.20 cents to 1.25 per cental.

BARLEY—The barley supply is limited good with a limited inquiry. Brewing \$1.00 per cental. Feed barley at 80 to 90 cents per cental.

FLOUR—Local brands wholesale, \$4.15 to \$4.50 per barrel.

MILLS—We quote bran at \$20.00 per ton. Retail \$1.00 per 100 lbs. Shorts and middlings, \$2.50-\$25.00 per ton.

HAY—Timothy hay is in good supply at quotations \$14.00 to \$15.00. Wheat hay is quoted at \$12.50-\$13.00 per ton.

POTATOES—Abundant at 50 to 60 cents a sack and demand limited.

BUTTER—We quote A1 .40@.65 cents per lb. and very plentiful.

Eggs—Are not coming in freely and the market strong, we quote 13 to 15 cents.

POULTRY—Old fowls are in better supply at \$4.00 to \$4.50 per dozen.

Apples—1.75@2.00 per box and scarce. Vegetables—Cabbage, turnips, carrots and onions, 1 1/2 cent per pound.

HIDES—Prime dry hides are quoted at .06 per pound. Culls .04@.05. Green .02 1/2 @.03. Salt .03 1/2 @.04.

BEAR SKINS—\$6 to \$8; coyote .60; mink .50 cents each; martin \$1.00; beaver, \$1.75 @3.00 per lb.

BEES—Beef on foot clean and prime 2 1/2 c. for ordinary and 3c. for prime. Mutton—Choice weathers 4@4 1/2 cents, and scarce per lb. in carcass.

HOGS—5c. Dressed, and quite scarce. Veal—6 to 7 cents per lb. Country bacon in round lots 10c.

LARD—5 lb. cans .12 1/2 c.; 10 lb. 40 lb. 8 1/2 c @ 9 1/2 c.

LUMBER—The supply is fairly good. We quote No. 1 flooring and rustic \$21.00. No. 2 do. \$20.00. No. 3 do. \$18.50.

SHINGLES—Dillon gray, \$25.00; Black Fox, \$25.00; Pole cat, \$25; Wild cat, \$50; Hedhog, \$1.00 to \$3.00.

COFFEE—Costa Rica is quoted at 23 cents by the sack; Sugars—Chinese in 100 lb. mats, Dry Granulated, \$6.1 1/2; Extra C, 5 1/2 cents C, 5 1/2 cents.

AMERICAN SUGARS—Dry Granulated in barrels or sacks, 6 1/2 cents; Extra C, in do., 5 1/2 cents; C, 5 1/2 cents.

SUGARS IN 30 lb. boxes are quoted: Golden C \$1.80; Extra C, \$2.10; Dry Granulated \$2.25.

STARCH—\$2.25 to \$2.75 per can, kegs 1.90 to \$2.00 per keg.

RICE—Japan rice, 6 1/2 @ 6 3/4 cents; Island rice, 7 cents.

BEANS—Small white, 4 1/2 @ 5 cents; Pink, 4 1/2 @ 4 3/4 cents by the 100 lbs.

STOCK SALT—Is quoted at \$17.50 per ton. Liverpool, 50 lb sack, 70 cents 100 lb sack, \$1.25; 200 lb sack, \$2.25.

JERSEY BULL—"St. Lambert. The thoroughbred Jersey bull St. Lambert, will stand for the season at the Columbia Feed yard. For service apply to David George. 2.25 ad wlm

Ewes and Lambs for Sale. I have 1,400 ewes and lambs for sale cheap. Call upon or address B. S. Kelsey, Kent, Sherman county, Oregon. 4-23-lmd&w

A Word to the Wise. The best business opening and chance to make money in the state, is lying idle at Dufur, Or. A store 32x60 well furnished in a growing, and prosperous, farming community. For sale or rent cheap. Let us hear from you. Address the S. B. Med. Mfg. Co., or A. J. Brigham, Dufur, Or.

NOTICE. Parties holding claims against W. S. Cram are notified to present them to him at once, at the Columbia Candy Factory, and all those indebted are requested to settle at the same place, as I have sold out my business and want to close up my accounts. Respectfully, W. S. CRAM. 4-6dw4w

NOTICE. All Dalles City warrants registered prior to September 1, 1890, will be paid if presented at my office. Interest ceases from and after this date. Dated February 8th, 1892. O. KINERSLY, Treas. Dalles City.

Dissolution Notice. Notice is hereby given, that the co-partnership heretofore existing between William Floyd, S. A. Byrne and Stacy Showen, under the firm name of Byrne, Floyd & Co., in Dalles City, Or., has this day been dissolved by mutual consent. The business will be continued at the old stand, by William Floyd and Stacy Showen, who will pay all bills and collect all debts. S. A. BYRNE, WILLIAM FLOYD, STACY SHOWEN. Dated April 26, 1892.

Dissolution Notice. The co-partnership heretofore existing between S. F. French and J. N. Lauer, doing business in The Dalles under the firm name of French & Lauer, has been dissolved by mutual consent. The business will be conducted at the old stand, 31st street, by J. N. Lauer, who has purchased the name, and will collect and pay all outstanding accounts. Signed: FRENCH & LAUER. 4-14-dim

BELOW THE SURFACE

LIFE THOUSANDS OF FEET IN THE BOWELS OF THE EARTH.

In the Depths of the Comstock Lode. Doings in a Great Subterranean City with Hundreds of Miles of Streets Where Work Never Ceases.

Very different is the life led by the miner of the Comstock lode when on duty from that of the old California gold washer. The scene of his labors is hundreds of feet beneath the earth in subterranean regions to which no ray of sunlight ever penetrates. Dr. Quille says of the Comstock miner that when he descends the great shaft, going down and still down from 1,000 to 3,000 feet, he leaves behind all the grand upper world, so broadly and beautifully lighted up by the sun. When landed at his station from the car (stage) of his vertical cable road he steps forth into quite a different world—a world hewn out by the hand of man in the realms of eternal darkness, which, just beneath the surface crust, everywhere enwraps our planet.

All is not dark and dismal in this artificial world. On the contrary, the great stations, the main working drifts and crosscuts and the large chambers of all the principal levels are lighted up with lamps and candles. In one of our great mines there is neither day nor night; it is always candle light. Absolute pitch darkness prevails only in some far away and little frequented drifts in distant parts of a mine.

When landed at the station of his level, dinner bucket in hand, the miner trudges away along a narrow subterranean road to some drift or chamber in which lies his work. When on duty in the depths he knows not whether it is day or night in the world above; whether it is cold or warm there, calm or tempestuous.

The miner of the Comstock lode may be said to live and labor in a city beneath a city. There are streets and crosscuts through which he may travel miles and miles at points from 1,000 to 3,000 feet beneath the cities on the surface—Virginia and Gold Hill. The great underground city—in which is sufficient lumber to build twenty towns, each of 5,000 people, has its busy places as well as its lonely and silent nooks and sections. At the stations of the great hoisting shafts, where many men are employed on the several levels, cars loaded with ore are seen arriving and departing.

Great lamps with glaring reflectors (similar to the headlight of a locomotive) light up the station, which is an underground hall large enough for a first class ball room, and the main drifts radiating from the station to different parts of the level also have their lights, the line of which extends so far away that the most distant seen seems a mere spark or point of light, like the most distant star visible in the heavens—a mere pulsing twinkler.

The station has much the appearance of the store or lumber room of some big factory of the surface world. Along the floor along the side walls are seen coils of rope, boxes of candles, tools and many small lots of various other articles required on the level. Also in the station is seen a huge cask of ice water—water in which several small icebergs are floating—and against the side of the cask hangs a big tin dipper; that is, it so hangs when it has a moment's rest, but it is almost constantly in the hands of some thirsty soul.

At each level (generally about 100 feet down the shaft from the point where ore is first encountered) there is such a station as I have described. It is the center of life on each level, though at several points on the level there may be at work in the ore breast considerable squads of men. From such sections of the mine at certain times come the booms of blasts, sounding like a distant cannonade. When one is in a drift in the vicinity of the spot where one of the big dynamite blasts is fired one feels more than hears it. The concussion of the air in the narrow drift painfully strains the drum of the ear, and even at a distance the sensation is disagreeable.

HIGH TEMPERATURE. The mines of the Comstock are now much better ventilated than before drifts connected the several main shafts and winzes of the many levels. Still the work of the miner is often in a hot and stifling atmosphere. Very frequently his work is at the face of a long prospecting drift, where the only air he has to breathe is the scant supply pumped down to him through a pipe from the surface, as though he were a pearl diver fathoms beneath the sea. The place in which he works at times shows a temperature of from 100 to 110 degs., or even as high as 120 degs. In such places he is stripped of all clothing but a breech clout (heavy shoes protect his feet and he wears a cap to keep the sand from the slaking rock out of his hair), yet perspiration streams from every pore of his body. But for the gallons on gallons of ice water he swallows he would be baked in his skin like a potato—the very life blood would be dried in his veins.

Though sweltering and gasping the miner must still swing his pick or sledge, must still handle a shovel or crowbar for a certain length of time—till the end of his "pass" (of fifteen to twenty minutes), when he can pass out of the drift to the cooling off station and send in his partner to work his "pass."

For the dangers a miner must brave and all the suffering he must endure from heat and bad air (insufficient or vitiated) four dollars a day is by no means too large a sum to offer him for eight hours' work in the scorching low or levels. Simply to remain eight hours in the subterranean regions is worth something, not to speak of toiling that number of hours at the hardest of work. Visitors who enter the hottest regions of the silver mines usually find that merely to walk through the various drifts, floors and chambers is about all they care to endure in the way of exercise.—New York Telegram.

PROFESSIONAL CARDS.

F. M. SALVER, CIVIL ENGINEER, Surveying and Architecture. The Dalles, Or.

D. ESHELMAN (HOMOEOPATHIC) PHYSICIAN and Surgeon.—Calls answered promptly, day or night, city or country. Office No. 36 and 37 Chapman block.

D. R. J. SUTHERLAND—FELLOW OF TRINITY Medical College, and member of the College of Physicians and Surgeons, Ontario.—Physician and Surgeon. Office, rooms 3 and 4 Chapman block. Residence: Judge Thornbury's Second street. Office hours: 10 to 12 a. m., 2 to 4 and 7 to 8 p. m.

D. R. O. D. DOANE—PHYSICIAN AND SURGEON. Office, rooms 3 and 4 Chapman block. Residence No. 23, Fourth street, one block south of Court House. Office hours 9 to 12 A. M., 2 to 3 and 7 to 8 P. M.

D. SIDDALL—DENTIST.—Gas given for the painless extraction of teeth. Also teeth set on lined aluminum plate. Rooms: Sign of the Golden Tooth, Second Street.

E. R. DUFUR, GEO. ATKINS, FRANK MENEFEE, DUFUR, WATKINS & MENEFEE—ATTORNEYS-AT-LAW—Room No. 44, over Post Office Building, Entrance on Washington Street The Dalles, Oregon.

W. H. WILSON—ATTORNEY-AT-LAW—Rooms 42 and 44, New York Block, Second Street, The Dalles, Oregon.

A. S. BENNETT, ATTORNEY-AT-LAW. Office in Schanno's building, up stairs. The Dalles, Oregon.

F. P. MAYB, E. S. HUNTINGTON, H. S. WILSON, M. AYS, HUNTINGTON & WILSON—ATTORNEYS-AT-LAW—Offices, French's block over First National Bank, The Dalles, Oregon.

SOCIETIES.

ASSEMBLY NO. 457, K. O. F. L.—Meets in K. of P. Hall the second and fourth Wednesdays of each month at 7:30 p. m.

WASCO LODGE NO. 15, A. F. & A. M.—Meets first and third Monday of each month at 7 P. M.

DALLES ROYAL ARCH CHAPTER NO. 4.—Meets in Masonic Hall the third Wednesday of each month at 7 P. M.

MODERN WOODMEN OF THE WORLD.—Mt. Hood Camp No. 69, Meets Tuesday evening of each week in the K. of P. Hall, at 7:30 P. M.

COLUMBIA LODGE, NO. 5, I. O. O. F.—Meets every Friday evening at 7:30 o'clock, in K. of P. hall, corner Second and Court streets. Sojourning brothers are welcome. H. CLOUGH, Sec'y. H. A. BILLS, N. G.

FRIENDSHIP LODGE, NO. 9, K. of P.—Meets every Monday evening at 7:30 o'clock, in Schanno's building, corner of Court and Second streets. Sojourning members are cordially invited. D. W. VAUER, K. of R. and S. W. S. CRAW, C. C.

WOMEN'S CHRISTIAN TEMPERANCE UNION will meet every Friday afternoon at 3 o'clock at the reading room. All are invited.

TEMPLE LODGE NO. 3, A. O. U. W.—Meets at K. of P. Hall, Corner Second and Court streets, Thursday evenings at 7:30.

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

B. OF L. E.—Meets every Sunday afternoon in the K. of P. Hall.

GESANG VEREIN—Meets every Sunday evening in the K. of P. Hall.

B. OF L. E. DIVISION, No. 167—Meets in the K. of P. Hall, the first and third Wednesday of each month, at 7:30 P. M.

THE CHURCHES.

ST. PETER'S CHURCH—Rev. Father BRONCKORST, 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. Sunday school immediately after morning service. J. A. Orchard, pastor.

ST. PAUL'S CHURCH—Union Street, opposite Fifth. Rev. E. H. D. Butcliffe, Rector. Services every Sunday at 11 A. M. and 7:30 P. M. Sunday School 9:45 A. M. Evening Prayer on Friday at 7:30.

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH—Rev. O. D. TAYLOR, Pastor. Morning services every Sabbath at the academy at 11 A. M. Sabbath school immediately after morning services. Prayer meeting Friday evening at Pastor's residence. Union services in the court house at 7 P. M.

CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH—Rev. W. G. CURTIS, Pastor. Services every Sunday at 11 A. M. and 7 P. M. Sunday School after morning service. Strangers cordially invited. Seats free.

M. E. CHURCH—Rev. A. C. SPENCER, pastor. Services every Sunday morning. Sunday School at 12:30 o'clock P. M. A cordial invitation is extended by both pastor and people to all.

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Imitating the Music of the Rain.

The melody of rain dancing on the stones or pelted down in its first drops on the dry soil of a forest or a heath is a species of sound which the art of music has yet to imitate if it would complete its at present very incomplete list of instruments. The Mexicans had some rattles made of very peculiar clay, with pips inside, which were intended to represent this sound. Certain tribes of the North American Indians have been similarly fascinated by the loud splash of water, to the beauty of which we have alluded before. They have instruments constructed accordingly, with a view to reproduce this sound.

Large buffalo hides are filled with water and sewed up in the manner of wine bags. Drumsticks of cork, or with their heads covered by a very fine gun, are wielded by the player, and the gentle and monotonous splash of water is produced by the drumstick striking softly on the skin. The natives will sit and listen to these instruments for hours.—Good World.

Ancient Works of Bronze.

The use and application of metal work and decoration, both as fixtures for appliances and useful domestic articles, are very ancient. We find records of bronze being extensively used by the Greeks and Romans, Greece especially bringing the arts of working bronze to perfection. Not only are works of colossal form produced by them in this metal, but the ornaments of their temples, doors, weapons, armor and the paws of their galleys, were made of it. They had also a process of hardening and tempering bronze, which enabled them to make this metal into many implements requiring a keen edge, such as axes, saws and so on.—Decorator and Furnisher.

CON STIPATION.

Afflicts half the American people yet there is only one preparation of Sarsaparilla that acts on the bowels and reaches this important trouble, and that is Joy's Vegetable Sarsaparilla. It relieves it in 24 hours, and an occasional dose prevents return. We refer by permission to C. E. Elkington, 125 Locust Avenue, San Francisco; J. H. Brown, Petaluma; H. S. Winn, Geary Court, San Francisco, and hundreds of others who have used it in constipation. One letter is a sample of hundreds. Elkington writes: "I have been for years subject to bilious headaches and constipation. Have been so bad for a year back have had to take a physic every other night or else I would have a headache. After taking one bottle of J. V. S., I am in splendid shape. It has done wonderful things for me. People similarly troubled should try it and be convinced."

Joy's Vegetable Sarsaparilla

Most modern, most effective, largest bottle, lowest price, \$1.00, 50¢ for 50¢.

A Severe Law.



The English people look more closely to the genuineness of these staples than we do. In fact, they have a law under which they make seizures and destroy adulterated products that are not what they are represented to be. Under this statute thousands of pounds of tea have been burned because of their wholesale adulteration. Tea, by the way, is one of the most notoriously adulterated articles of commerce. Not only are the bright, shiny green teas artificially colored, but thousands of pounds of substitutes for tea leaves are used to swell the bulk of cheap tea; ash, sloe, and willow leaves being those most commonly used. Again, sweepings from tea warehouses are colored and sold as tea. Even exhausted tea leaves gathered from the tea-houses are kept, dried, and made over and find their way into the cheap teas. The English government attempts to stamp this out by confiscation; but no tea is too poor for us, and the result is, that probably the poorer teas used by any nation are those consumed in America. Beech's Tea is presented with the guaranty that it is uncolored and unadulterated; in fact, the sun-dried leaf pure and simple. Its purity insures superior strength, about one third less of it being required for an infusion than of the artificial teas, and its fragrance and exquisite flavor is at once apparent. It will be a revelation to you. In order that its purity and quality may be guaranteed, it is sold only in pound packages bearing this trade-mark:

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- For Supreme Judge, Alfred S. Bennett. For Attorney General, George E. Chamberlain. For Member of Congress, 2d District, James H. Slater. For Circuit Judge, 7th District, W. L. Bradshaw. For Prosecuting Attorney, 7th District, J. F. Moore. For Member State Board Equalization, 7th District, William Hughes. For Joint Senator, 17th District, Sherman and Wasco counties, J. A. Smith, of Sherman. For Joint Senator, 18th District, Gilliam, Sherman and Wasco counties, G. W. Rinehart, of Gilliam. For Joint Representatives, 18th Representative District, Sherman and Wasco counties, H. E. Moore, S. F. Blythe. For County Judge, GEORGE C. BLAKELEY. For County Clerk, JAMES B. CROSSEN. For County Sheriff, THOMAS A. WARD. For County Treasurer, WILLIAM K. CORSON. For County Assessor, GEORGE T. PRATHER. For County Surveyor, F. S. GORDON. For School Superintendent, F. P. FITZGERALD. For County Commissioner, JAMES DARNELLE. For County Coroner, JOHN W. MOORE. 4-21d

REPUBLICAN State, District and County TICKET.

- For Supreme Judge, F. A. Moore. For Attorney General, Lionel R. Webster. For Member of Congress, 2d District, W. R. Ellis. For Circuit Judge, 7th District, George Watkins. For Prosecuting Attorney, 7th District, W. H. Wilson. For Member State Board Equalization, 7th District, John L. Luckey. For Joint Senator, 17th District, consisting of Sherman and Wasco Counties, H. S. McDaniels. For Joint Senator, 18th District, consisting of Gilliam, Sherman and Wasco Counties, W. W. Steiwer. For Joint Representatives, 18th Representative District, consisting of Sherman and Wasco Counties, E. N. Chandler, T. R. Coon. For County Judge, C. N. THORNBURY. For County Clerk, J. M. HUNTINGTON. For County Sheriff, C. P. BALCH. For County Commissioner, H. A. LEAVENSON. For County Treasurer, WM. MICHELL. For County Assessor, JOEL W. KOONTZ. For County School Superintendent, TROY SHELLEY. For County Surveyor, E. F. SHARP. For County Coroner, N. M. EASTWOOD. 4-16d