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 DEALERS IN

Rough and Dressed Lumber,
 and a full line of Builders' Supplies, all of which are carried constantly in stock.

Call and see us at our new store, southwest corner of Second and Jefferson Streets, before buying elsewhere. Our prices are as low as the lowest, and on many things below all competitors.

A MONTANA CYCLONE.

Hailstones Fell Like Bullets. Perforating the Leaves.

SCANDINAVIAN CHURCH STRUCK.

Colored People Holding a Convention For Mutual Benefit.

ASKING THE PEOPLE FOR JUSTICE.

Fatherly Advice From J. C. Robinson to The Race Counselling Industry. Sobriety, etc.

SPOKANE, July 6.—A terrific cyclone passed over Montana yesterday. The amount of rain and hail that fell and the frequency of the lightning were unprecedented at Helena. In ten minutes an inch of rain fell. Hail came down like bullets, and the leaves of trees all over town show clean, round holes. People who were caught out in the storm had to seek shelter until its cessation. The wind that preceded the rain and hail blew 50 miles an hour, leveling trees and fences. Lightning struck the Scandinavian church, entering the steeple, when it divided into several bolts and flew in all directions. The steeple and part of the church were wrecked, and the parsonage was badly damaged. Rev. Henry Linderman, the pastor, his wife and 4-year-old child were shocked, but not seriously hurt. The child has a distinct blue streak down one arm. Several persons in the neighborhood of the church were prostrated by the shock. The church was set on fire, but the flames were quickly extinguished.

The Colored People.

CHICAGO, July 6.—This appears to be the year of national conventions. The colored people now in session in Cincinnati are discussing matters of interest to their race. One of the speakers yesterday, D. A. Budd, discussed the situation with more than ordinary intelligence. A number of other speeches were made reciting southern outrages etc. A resolution was adopted appealing to the American people for justice; against murder and violence, robbery extortion, hasty and cruel judgments, and against fierce mobs; appealing to the colored people to bear in mind their prosperity and advancements depend upon themselves; they must practice industry, economy, sobriety; be orderly, law-abiding and honest, that they may win the reputation of good citizens. The resolution declares that the interests of the colored people require the establishment of a literary academy, where colored youths may acquire a thorough practical and engineering education. The resolution declares that Washington is best suited for the location of such an institution, and the project is submitted to the consideration of the United States.

THE DALLES FINANCES.

Mayor Mays' Message—Financial Statement, etc.

The common council of Dalles City, met at 10 o'clock a. m. yesterday, Mayor Robert Mays presiding. Present, Councilmen Haight, Joles, Kreft, Lauer and Maier.

Bonds were presented and approved for the recorder elect, Frank Menefee; marshal elect, Dan Maloney; and treasurer elect, L. Rorden.

The following standing committees were appointed:
 Judiciary—Dufur, Haight and Maier.
 Finance—Maier, Joles and Kreft.
 Fire and water—Haight, Lauer and Joles.

Streets and public property—Kreft, Dufur and Lauer.

Mayor Mays submitted his annual message as follows:

One year has passed since I first assumed the duties of Mayor of Dalles City, and while I am not now prepared to make a detailed statement of the condition of the city's finances, I desire to call your attention to some of the affairs of the city which seem to me to require attention at your hands in the near future.

I shall, in the near future, present for your consideration a full statement of the city's finances; I feel that notwithstanding the loss suffered by the great fire of September 2d, 1891, and the consequent increase in the contingent expenses, the city is in a good and healthy

condition financially; our city warrants are readily disposed of at par and the regular contingent expenses of the city are regularly met.

Our fire department is well equipped, so far as apparatus is concerned; but the fire department is in need of an engine house with its appurtenances; I urge upon you the necessity of giving this your early consideration that this need may be supplied. I would recommend that if an engine house be built that it be placed upon the ground now occupied as temporary quarters; that the lot formerly occupied as an engine house be disposed of, as soon as a fair price can be obtained therefor, and that the proceeds be used to cover the expense of a new house. I would further recommend that when a new engine house be built that the City hall and jail be thoroughly repaired, that they receive a new roof and new floors and such other repairs as will make the building safe and comfortable.

While all of the interests of the city should receive great care and your best consideration, in addition to the fire department, to which I have called your particular attention, I shall be pleased to see you guard with the utmost vigilance the finances of the city. You are chosen by the people of this municipality to look after and care for their interests; your ability to do this is unquestioned and I shall at all times take pleasure in assisting you in the discharge of your duty.

Hoping that we may at all times work together with harmony and pleasantly, I remain, Very Respectfully,
 ROBERT MAYS, Mayor.

The message was ordered to be placed on file.
 The financial statements of the city were then read, as follows, and made a portion of the records of the meeting.

ANNUAL STATEMENT.

To the Honorable Mayor and Common Council of Dalles City:
 I herewith beg to submit my report of the financial affairs of Dalles City, as shown by the records of this office, July 4th, 1892.

Bal. Warrants Outstanding July 7, 1891	\$25,582 85
Issued for salaries of city officers	6,764 00
current expenses	1,196 61
expenses of fire department, hose hydrants, equipments, how houses, etc.	3,279 41
improvements of streets, cross walks, etc.	1,019 10
pay ment of night watchman, special policeman, feeding prisoners, etc.	2,236 91
payment for lighting streets	2,627 39
general fund	241 66
block 4, sewer fund	70 88
TOTAL	\$42,968 82
Less warrants redeemed since July 7th, 1891	14,821 20
Warrants outstanding July 4th, 1891	28,647 62
Less cash on hand	3,355 96
Liabilities, not including interest on outstanding warrants	25,311 56
Comparative Statement of finances on the first Monday of July, 1891, to the first Monday in July, 1892, the beginning and end of the fiscal year:	
Cash on hand July 7th, 1891	\$3,808 12
Warrants issued July 7th, 1891, to July 7th, 1892	17,435 67
TOTAL	\$21,243 79
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Warrants redeemed during said time not including interest	\$14,321 20
cash on hand July 4th, 1892	3,355 96
	\$17,677 16
BALANCE	\$4,946 63
CASH RECEIVED FROM ALL SOURCES.	
Town Licenses	\$ 479 00
Bar	4,700 00
Show	105 00
Prodlers	12 50
Hawkers	50 00
Billiard	79 00
Dog	43 50
Fines in Recorder's Court	248 50
Ground rent	42 50
Road tax	37 00
Impounding fines	37 00
Delinquent city tax	365 55
Insurance on engine house	2,000 00
City taxes for 1891, per treasurer's reports	6,293 79
TOTAL	\$14,824 44

Respectfully submitted,
 FRANK MENEFEE,
 Recorder of Dalles City.

The election of street commissioner resulted in the selection of the present incumbent, J. F. Staniels, on the first ballot.

Policemen Con Howe and G. C. Bills were retained in their positions by unanimous consent.

Proposition for the purchase of a lot on Third street for an engine house was referred to the committee on fire and water. Petitions for rebate of taxes from Mrs. Lutinger and F. W. L. Skibbe were referred.

An ordinance was adopted transferring moneys from the general fund for payment of outstanding warrants.

Adjournd.

HASTY LEGISLATION.

Fatal Oversight in The Senate Passing The Silver Bill.

NOTES SAID TO BE DEMONETIZED.

The House May Amend The Bill And Thus Prolong The Session.

WILLIAM KAPUS TO GO TO SIDNEY.

A Junketing Trip From Portland to Washington City by The Free Bridge Committee.

WASHINGTON, July 6.—If it be true, as representative Culberson of Texas says, that the senate made a fatal oversight in passing the silver bill, in that it failed to reserve, in the repeal of the act of 1890, the legal tender quality of coin notes issued under that act, and also destroyed the authority of the secretary of the treasury to redeem them, the effect will be to demonetize more than \$100,000,000 of coin notes, and postpone their redemption until congress authorizes it. The house will be compelled to amend the bill, and thus the session may be prolonged.

After Major Handbury.

PORTLAND, July 6.—The committee of citizens forcing conclusions for more free bridges, are arranging for a trip to Washington city to investigate Maj. Handbury. It is quite probable that the entire delegation will proceed in a body. A. D. Charlton, of the Northern Pacific Railroad company, has kindly tendered the use of a special car to convey the delegates from Portland to Chicago. He will also make arrangements to convey the delegation from Chicago to Washington over the Baltimore and Ohio road. This special car has been ordered, and will be ready to convey the delegation eastward tomorrow morning. The president has sent to the senate the nomination of William Kapus, of Oregon, as consul to Sidney, New South Wales.

Not so Bad Off.

Wasco News. While it is an undeniable fact that the crops of Sherman county are in a bad condition, yet we do not believe that they are so far gone as some of our exchanges would have us believe. Statements in some of our exchanges are to the effect that the wheat crops in this county are entirely burned up. There will be considerable wheat threshed in Sherman county this year, though not by any means the amount there was last year. Some of our farmers claim that they will have wheat to sell this fall. Some, of course, will not raise seed, but there will be plenty raised to seed the county and some for export. The crops are short, there is no denying that fact, but there will be more wheat raised than many think. Those who know say that the prospects are better this year than they were three years ago.

Considered a Freak.

Chicago News. There was one "we-view-with-alarm" in the democratic platform, and its appearance was greeted with derision. But how does it happen that the platform contains no "we-point-with-prides"? The omission of so essential, time-honored and immemorial a phrase cannot but be detrimental to the democratic cause among the residents of those back counties where a platform without it is considered a freak.

One Lone Sheep.

Grant County News. Last Thursday a huge mountain sheep wandered down from the overlasting crags and peaks of Canyon mountain to Myers' mine near the creek a mile and a half above town, and grazed around until the miners went to the cabin and brought forth the trusty rifle. They got him. Mountain sheep and ibex were numerous in these high mountains in early days, but hunters have thinned their ranks.

Highest of all in Leavening Power.—Latest U. S. Gov't Report.

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