

W. E. GARRETSON, Leading Jeweler.

SOLE AGENT FOR THE



All Watch Work Warranted.

Jewelry Made to Order.

138 Second St., The Dalles, Or.

Kranich and Bach Pianos.

Recognised as Standards of the highest grade of manufacture.

JUDGE NELSON'S DECISION.

Speaking of patent medicines, the Judge says: "I wish to deal fairly and honorably with all, and when I find an article that will do what it is recommended to do, I am not ashamed to say so. I am acquainted with Dr. Vanderpool (having been treated by him for cancer), and have used his blood medicine, known as the S. B. Headache and Liver Cure, and while I am 75 years old, and have used many pills and other remedies for the blood, liver and kidneys, I must say that for a kidney tonic in Bright's disease, and as an alternative for the blood, or to correct the action of the stomach and bowels, it is a very superior remedy, and beats anything I ever tried."

J. B. NELSON,
Yakima, Wash.
At 50 cents a bottle. It is the poor man's friend and family doctor.

JOHN PASHEK, Merchant - Tailor,

Next door to Wasco Sun.

Just Received, a fine stock of Suitings, Pants Patterns, etc., of all latest Styles, at Low Prices.

Madison's Latest System used in cutting garments, and a fit guaranteed each time.

Repairing and Cleaning Neatly and Quickly Done.

W. H. Young, Blacksmith & Wagon Shop

General Blacksmithing and Work done promptly, and all work Guaranteed.

Horse Shoeing a Speciality

Third Street, opposite the old Liebe Stand.

CHAS. STUBLING. OWEN WILLIAMS.

Stubling & Williams, The Germania, SECOND ST., THE DALLES, - OREGON

Dealers in Wines, Liquors and Cigars. Milwaukee Beer on Draught.

The St. Charles Hotel, PORTLAND, OREGON.

This old, popular and reliable house has been entirely refurnished, and every room has been repapered and repainted and newly carpeted throughout. The house contains 170 rooms and is supplied with every modern convenience. Rates reasonable. A good restaurant attached to the house. Over bus to and from all trains.

C. W. KNOWLES, Prop.

Clothing.

Our Fall Line

Of Clothing and Furnishing Goods is now complete. You can

Save Money

By seeing our stock before making your purchases.

A. M. Williams & Co.

DRUGS

SNIPES & KINERSLY.

THE LEADING

Wholesale and Retail Druggists.

PURE DRUGS

Handled by Three Registered Druggists.

ALSO ALL THE LEADING

Patent Medicines and Druggists Sundries, HOUSE PAINTS, OILS AND GLASS.

Agents for Murphy's Fine Varnishes and the only agents in the City for The Sherwin, Williams, Co.'s Paints.

WE ARE

The Largest Dealers in Wall Paper.

Finest Line of Imported Key West and Domestic Cigars. Agent for Tansill's Punch.

129 Second Street, The Dalles, Oregon

J. O. MACK,

FINE WINES and LIQUORS

DOMESTIC AND KEY WEST CIGARS.

THE CELEBRATED PABST BEER.

FRENCH'S BLOCK.

171 SECOND STREET, THE DALLES, OR.

WM. BUTLER & CO.,

DEALERS IN

Building Material, Rough and Dressed Lumber, Lime, Plaster, Hair and Cement.

A liberal discount to the trade in all lines handled by us.

JEFFERSON STREET, between Second and Railroad, THE DALLES, OR

THE OLD PROSPECTOR

His Skeleton Found in a Neglected Shaft in Okanogan.

HIS BODY SURROUNDED BY GOLD.

An Interesting Sketch of an Abandoned Quartz Mining Claim.

GOLD IN REMARKABLE RICHNESS.

Nothing to Indicate the Man's Identity. No One Left to Remember the Incidents.

SPOKANE, Sept. 12.—J. S. King, a well-known prospector and miner from Okanogan county, who arrived in this city Saturday, tells an interesting story of an abandoned mining claim which he is about to develop. To a Review interviewer Mr. King said: "The shaft, or prospect hole, as I found it, is about 60 feet deep and it has been there longer than any prospector can remember. It was there when miners first went into that country and began gopher-holing the hills. Nobody examined it because it was considered a worthless hole which had been abandoned by the man who located it. A few days ago I happened to pass the old shaft, and curiosity prompted me to look into it. After examining rock lying near the mouth of the hole I came to the conclusion that perhaps it would pay to investigate it closer. Under a pile of rubbish, which I found was the remnants of an old shack, there were chunks of quartz that showed free gold of remarkable richness. Evidently the quartz had been hidden away from the prying gaze of men in order to prevent discovery of the richness of the vein.

"My curiosity being thoroughly aroused by what I saw, I decided to go into the shaft and see just what sort of a lead there was. In order to do this I had to secure a rope and a piece of timber to lay across the opening, the windlass which had formerly been used by the unknown being almost decayed by rot. Well, down into the hole I went, and what do you suppose I found? A human skeleton, lying in a half reclining position, against the wall. Near by was a pick, a shovel without a handle, a drill and hammer. The miner's clothing was fairly well preserved and clung to the bones as if the body had at some time been submerged by water. It is my opinion that the dead man had been in the old shaft many years. There was nothing to indicate the man's identity, nor do any of the old timers up there know anything about him. The old shaft has been there as long as anyone can remember and it has never been examined by anyone, as it has always been looked upon as a worthless prospect.

"I am of a different opinion, though," pursued Mr. King, as he produced a piece of quartz weighing about four ounces. "This is a fair specimen of a three foot vein of quartz which looks to be permanent in the old abandoned mine. I don't mean to say that the entire vein shows free gold just like this, but there is a lot of it just as good and will run away up into the thousands to the ton. I have filed a claim on the old hole and shall begin work there at once. I might prospect for years and never find anything so rich." Mr. King proposes to give the skeleton of the old prospector christian burial, and if he can find the relatives of the dead man would feel disposed to give them an interest in the strike.

Want an Available Market.

The necessity for an eastern market for the excellent fruits raised in the vicinity of Lewiston is already beginning to be felt. The Teller says the local market is now suffering from an over supply. Yet the fruit industry is only in its infancy. Young orchards are coming in yearly and the increased products will soon be a drug on the market. It has been estimated that there are fully 10,000 acres of fruit lands on the Snake and Clearwater rivers and only 1,000 acres of this available land is now in cultivation. An outside market is then a necessity to the development of the fruit lands. The questions of market and transportation are the ones yet to be solved. A Birch creek farmer is at present cutting his third crop of alfalfa hay from a fine piece of bottom land. The three crops will average about five tons to the acre. The alfalfa is growing on unirrigated land and is proving a very profitable crop.

Oregon News and Notes.

Last year the cannerymen of Oregon paid into the hands of the secretary of state \$2,500 as the fish tax imposed by an act of the last legislature, this sum being a fund for the protection and promotion of the fishing industry. The secretary of state turned the money over to the state treasurer where it must remain until released by appropriation. This year none of the cannerymen have paid a cent and they don't intend to.

It is reported that surveyors are now in the Blue mountains of the John Day river making a preliminary survey for the extension of the Washington and Columbia river railroad—as the Hunt system is to be called—through Grant county, Camas prairie, southern Oregon and California. Such a route would bring the road via Goose lake, Hot springs valley, Fall river valley to the head of the Sacramento valley. It would throw open to market millions of dollars worth of timber, range, agricultural and mineral lands, and develop an extensive and rich territory that is now isolated.

Except on the reservation, where all the threshing outfit seem to have first congregated, harvesting is very backward this season in Umatilla county. In most instances the straw is very heavy, and threshing necessarily slow. Machines are in demand, and owners are enabled to ask their own price for the work. There is no established price, the difference in quality and the expense of threshing being so great that the figures must vary.

Attorney-General Chamberlain has prepared the complaints and suits have been commenced against Linn and Multnomah counties to enforce the payment of the balance of state taxes due according to the levy of 1891, as equalized by the state board of equalization and finally settled by the supreme court. In Multnomah county the balance is \$65,963.89 and in Linn county it is \$3,609.12. Of the thirty-one counties twenty-two still owe balances aggregating \$152,419.19. Suits will be brought against other of these counties shortly. Judge Moreland has cited an example of needless expense to Multnomah. In the case of David Bensfield, a 14-year-old boy who was arrested at Rooster rock for killing a pheasant, and afterwards discharged, the expense to the county was \$71.70. The justices' courts for Portland cost the county nearly \$12,000. Last month the Albina court cost \$700.

The Idiotic Phrase.

Review. The quarantine against cholera has proved a double blessing. Lottie Collins, of London, the original "boom-de-ay" songstress, was aboard the Normandia, and the quarantine kept her away from these happy shores for a considerable season. Lottie is after the fascinating American dollar, and writes from quarantine that she is "anxious to know if the American audiences will accept her original conception of boom-day-ah, which made all Europe crazy." Anglomaniacs should note the way in which Lottie spells the idiotic phrase which carried her into notoriety.

Watched With Interest.

Penleton Tribune. The people of the Inland Empire will watch the fight of President Hill of the Great Northern against the transcontinental association with a great deal of interest. If he succeeds in lowering the present extortionate freight rates between the east and the Pacific coast, especially for inland points, it will be an immense thing for the country.

Homestead was to be a great democratic battle cry this fall. A special committee was sent there to "investigate," or, in other words, to gather campaign material. When Judge Oates, of Alabama, chairman of the committee, announced that he was ready to report, what he had to report was found so undesirable as "campaign material" that it was decided to defer action upon it "until after election." Then the judge gave out his report as his individual opinion, and so far is it from being "good campaign material" that Col. Jones, of the St. Louis Republic, says Oates is "no democrat" for giving it out.

SNOW SHEDS BURNED

Water and Fire Trains Consumed in Battling With the Flames.

FIRES STARTED BY INCENDIARY.

Passengers Fed and Cared for at Blue Canyon and Truckee.

TAMMANY SHOOK UP WITH CHEERS

It is Said the Hatchet has Been Buried and Pledges Given for Cleve and Steve.

BLUE CANYON, Cal., Sept. 10.—A fire broke out in the snowsheds at Summit last night. The Summit fire train, while fighting the flames, became enveloped in flames and had to be abandoned. The engine and water cars were burned up. The Blue canyon water train was rushed to the front, and while battling with the flames, a new fire started west of the train, and for a time there was danger that this train would burn. The fires were started at four different points, evidently by an incendiary, who was traveling west from Summit. A water train from Rocklin was sent up early this morning. The flames are now under control, but nothing can be done toward laying a new track until the fire dies out and the rails cool, as no water can be thrown on the burning ties and timbers. The passengers of trains No. 4 and 2 lie at Truckee, and 1 and 3 of yesterday are here. Five hundred workmen have been shipped from Truckee with ties and rails, and work will be pushed with all possible rapidity. Twenty-one hundred feet of track and sheds are destroyed. The company has been replacing old rails this summer with new 7-pound steel rails, and the old rails can be replaced temporarily, if necessary. The passengers at this point are being well fed and cared for. Assistant Superintendent Jones, with five cars of ties, went up from Sacramento this morning.

"Buried the Hatchet."

New York, Sept. 10.—Tammany hall came out boldly tonight for Cleveland and Stevenson. A meeting of the general committee was called to issue a call for primaries of the district. Ex-Judge Nelson Smith presided and the hall was crowded. The chairman made a eulogistic address on the presidential and vice-presidential candidates and at each mention of Cleveland's name the hall shook with cheers. Senator Bourke Cockran, in a characteristic speech, presented resolutions endorsing the declaration of principles adopted by the democratic national convention; condemning the republican policy of establishing federal control of elections; inviting comparison between the record of the republican administration now in power and the record of the democratic one which preceded it; and lastly, cordially pledged united efforts to elect Cleve and Steve.

An exchange asks, what has Europe done for us that we should make her a present of our market, the greatest in the world, and throw tens of thousands of our people out of employment?

Saved His Child's Life.

A. N. Dillierbough, York, Neb., says: "The other day I came home and found my little boy down with cholera morbus, my wife scared, not knowing what to do. I went straightway and got a 25 cent bottle of Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy, and gave it according to directions. You never saw such a change in a child. His limbs and body were cold. I rubbed his limbs and body with my hands, and after I had given him the second dose he went to sleep, and, as my wife says, "from a death-bed he was up playing in three hours." It saved me a doctor bill of about three dollars, and what is better, it saved my child. I can recommend it with a clear conscience." For sale by Blakely & Houghton, druggists.

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

Royal Baking Powder

ABSOLUTELY PURE