

OUR SPECIAL SALE.

# A Big Drive in Summer Dress Goods.

Continues this Week.

## A GENUINE CLEARANCE SALE

Of All Our Wash Fabrics.

A great opportunity for economical people. Prices will please everybody but ourselves.

ALL GOODS MARKED IN PLAIN FIGURES.

PEASE & MAYS.

### The Dalles Daily Chronicle.

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**Local Advertising.**  
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#### Weather Forecast.

Special forecast for twenty-four hours ending at 5 p. m. tomorrow.  
 Thursday and Friday fair and warmer.

**WEATHER.**  
 Barometer, 29.91.  
 Maximum temperature, 90°.  
 Minimum temperature, 58°.  
 River, 20.1 feet above zero.  
 Wind, northeast.

THURSDAY, - - AUG. 10, 1893

The Daily and Weekly Chronicle may be had on sale at L. C. Nickelsen's store.

#### AUGUST ANGLINGS.

Small Fry Hooked by Perseus Chronicler Reporters.

"Man wants but little here below to test the saying's worth. Go up in a balloon and see. How soon you'll want the earth."

Amos Root cleared \$800 from one acre of peach plums.

Mr. L. Butler and two daughters left this morning for the seaside to be absent a few days.

Street Commissioner Maddron had a force of six hobos on the street today raking up rock and cleaning up generally.

Heading has fairly commenced in the vicinity of Dufur. The Tygh Ridge country is about a week later. Grain is generally looking fine.

C. L. Phillips brought in a basket of apricots raised on his lot in town. They are of very large size, so large in fact that it was difficult to believe they were not peaches, until a practical test was convincing that their delicate and peculiar flavor belonged to nothing else.

No. 6 of the Pacific Banker and Investor lies upon our table, of which Lionel Stagg is editor. Its table of contents by world-famous authors gives promise of great interest to readers, and the valuable statistical information and neat tabular work shows that neither pains nor expense is spared to make it a leader of its class.

Following is the list of applicants for teacher's certificates, passing the quarterly examination at Hood River, beginning yesterday at 1 o'clock p. m.: Hattie Oiler, Anna Sears, Tina Rintoul, Antoin, Louisa Rintoul, Ida Foss, Eva Blowers, Bess Isenberg, Josie Hansberry, Emma Roberts, Ella Cooper, Grace Abraham, Mrs. H. L. Howe, H. L. Howe, Agnes LeDue, Julia Hill, Catherine Martin, Charlotte Roberts, Anna Roberts, May Elton, Millie Parkins, Dollie Mosier, Jennie Russell, Howard Isenberg, Mollie Kigby.

Shiloh's cure, the Great Cough and Croup Cure, is for sale by Snipes & Kinersly. Pocket size contains twenty-five doses, only 25c. Children love it. Sold by Snipes & Kinersly.

**Notice.**  
 All persons having accounts and holding certificates of deposit with the First National Bank of this city, will please call at the bank on matters pertaining to the foregoing. Also persons who are indebted to the bank on over draft notes which are past due or about to become due, will please call.

NATIONAL BANK EXAMINER STAGGE.

#### Death of a Lilliputian.

Thursday last there arrived at Adams, reports the East Oregonian, an old man named Welch, with an unpretentious tented show. He had a bear, a couple of white owls and an attraction that really was a curiosity, a little woman who weighed 36 pounds, was 32 inches in stature, and had lived 33 years. Although a dwarf, she was not deformed in any manner, her body being proportionately developed. The little woman was a sufferer from sickness, and Friday night a hemorrhage occurred that caused her death. A somewhat sad and painful story then came to light. Her name was Miss M. L. Welch, and she was the old man's daughter. He had sensitively kept her concealed all her life until within the last two months, when, being no longer able to earn a livelihood, he was compelled to exhibit her. They left Idaho, where they lived, and had since been traveling. As the father, who is 70 years old, had no funds, the county authorities were notified and will take in hand the burial of the unfortunate little creature.

#### Birthday Party.

A pleasant party was given to Miss Bertha Buchler last night in honor of her birthday. Instrumental and vocal music were the features of the evening. About 11 o'clock refreshments were served. Among those who were present were: Mr. and Mrs. A. Buchler, Mr. and Mrs. H. J. Maier, Misses Alma Schanno, Pauline Buchler, Mamie Mulrey, of Oregon City, Bertha Mangold, of Albina, Grace and Lizzie Lauer, Annie and Minnie Sandrock, Bertha Butts and Bertha Buchler, Messrs. J. Weigel, J. Hertz, G. and J. Bonn, A. Everding, L. Schanno, W. Fredden and F. Sandrock.

#### Irrigation Information.

Farming land in the United States, in sections having an average rainfall, are worth from \$20 to \$60 an acre. Arid, or so-called "desert" lands, without irrigation are dear at twenty-five cents an acre. With irrigation unimproved irrigation lands in Southern California are worth from \$50 to \$200 an acre. Water can be placed on desert lands at a cost of from \$10 to \$75 an acre. If twenty-five cent land and \$10 water can be added together and be made to foot up a total of \$90 an acre value, what is irrigation worth to the arid states?

Unirrigated farming lands have no certainty of producing a crop of anything depending on rainfall. Irrigated lands can always be depended on to produce any crop planted in the fertile earth. The difference in the value of these two classes of lands is the difference between certainty and chance.

The International Irrigation Congress (Los Angeles, October 10-15, 1893) will discuss the question of irrigation in all its phases, and the subject will be handled by men of wide experience and national reputation. The government will be represented in this congress by a special officer of the interior department, who will impart such information as is in possession of the government on this important subject.

A handsome little book on irrigation has been issued by the Publication committee of the congress, which will be sent, free of charge, to all applicants who will send two cents to cover postage. The book is finely printed and contains much valuable information, and is an epitome of irrigation knowledge. For copies of this book, or any details concerning the congress, address C. D. Willard, Secretary, 137 South Main street, Los Angeles.

#### PERSONAL MENTION.

Mr. Hibbard of the Astoria Examiner was in the city last night.

Douglas Dufur and Nick Sinnott are at Badger lake trout fishing.

C. H. Stoughton and E. C. Warren are in from Dufur today.

Mrs. Enery and daughter returned from Portland last evening.

Frank Menefee returned yesterday from a short trip to Hood River.

Mr. August Buchler left this morning for a short trip to the Cascade Locks.

Mr. Fred W. Wilson left this morning for a short trip to the Willamette and the seaside.

Mr. John Parker of Hood River was in the city last evening and left for home this morning.

Rev. John Wood of Portland made this city a flying visit last evening and returned this morning.

Mrs. E. Jacobsen and child left this morning for the Sound on a visit to relatives for several weeks.

Wm. Heisler is in from Dufur to meet his daughter, Miss Annie, who has been at Juliet, visiting friends.

Mr. H. Gerson, a merchant in Portland, was in the city yesterday and returned this morning by steamer Regulator.

Supt. Borie, of the U. P. R. R. service, and H. W. Fowler are in the city. Mr. Fowler is en route to Illinois to visit his mother.

Mr. J. E. Edwards, a resident of Portland, arrived by steamer Regulator last evening and is the guest of Mr. N. Wheeldon.

Misses Bertha and Gertrude Mangold returned to their home in Portland today after having visited friends in this city for the past week.

Rev. E. D. Sutcliffe and family, accompanied by Miss Lowne, left this morning for an outing at Collins Landing and the hot springs at that place.

Mr. D. M. French returned last night from Portland, where he has been beside the sickbed of his son Walter. The many friends will be pleased to hear that the sick youth is in a fair way for recovery.

Advices just received from Prof. J. Stanley Brown, who is in Chicago, says he will be unable to return to The Dalles on account of the health of his family, who are very feeble. This will be unwelcome news to the friends of the academy, as it was expected he would assume charge as principal of that institution for the ensuing year.

#### HOTEL ARRIVALS.

Skibbe—J. P. Mattingly, Portland; Bud Lohr, Bake Oven; Carl Schroeder, Anaheim, Cal.; S. H. Meek, St. Louis; Van Woodruff, Tygh; James Forniger and wife, Thomas Ferniger, Jr. Kansas.

#### MARRIED.

At the residence of the bride's parents, August 9th, 1893, Mr. Levi Christman and Miss Edna C. Martin, all of this city, the Rev. J. Whisler officiating.

#### Wood! Wood! Wood!

Best quality fir, oak and slab wood. Leave orders at 133 Second street or corner Third and Union. All orders promptly attended to.

#### MAKER & BENTON.

Ask your dealer for Mexican Silver Stove Polish.

**Cook's Cotton Root Compound.**  
 A recent discovery by an old physician, successfully used monthly by thousands of ladies. Is the only perfectly safe and reliable medicine discovered. Beware of unprincipled druggists who offer inferior medicines in place of this. Ask for Cook's Cotton Root Compound, take no substitute, or inclose \$1 and 6 cents in postage in letter and we will send, sealed, by return mail. Full-sized particulars in plain envelope, to ladies only, 2 stamps. Address **Pond Lilly Company**, No. 2 Fisher Block, Detroit, Mich. Sold in The Dalles by Snipes & Kinersly.

#### In Working Order.

Through the courtesy of Messrs. Blakeley & Houghton we were invited to visit the telephone office in their store last evening and have a conversation with the superintendent, Mr. Chas. B. Hopkins, in Spokane. The distance from The Dalles is 392 miles. Mr. Hopkins informed us that the line was practically finished from his city to Hood River, west of this city, and that the company has a large force of men at work between the latter place and Troutdale, putting up poles and stringing wire, and that they hoped within a short time to open communication with Portland, and later with Astoria. The line works admirably and the distinctiveness of sound and articulation of words are perfect. It has branches out to Fort Spokane and Cour d'Alene and other places, and will eventually be in communication with all the interior towns in Oregon, Washington and Idaho. We understand the rates fixed are very reasonable. A message of ten words from this place to Spokane is 50 cents, but usually three minutes are put in as schedule time for a message of about 300 words.

#### Last of the Peach Plums.

Mr. J. A. McDonald, of the Earl Fruit Company, was at Mosier yesterday and loaded two-thirds of a car of peach plums. The car will be finished at The Dalles, and sent east tonight. This makes the fifth car of fruit sent out from here by the Earl company, all peach plums, which will be the last shipment of that kind of fruit.

The next fruit handled will be the Italian, Bradshaw and Hungarian or Gross prunes, the first of which will mature in about three weeks. There will be a large quantity of these for shipment, and the Earl fruit cars will be on hand for them.

The experience of our fruit growers with the Earl Fruit Company has been highly satisfactory and better prices have been realized through their agency thus far than ever before.

#### How Uncle Rhoads Raised the Market.

"Uncle" Rhoads Fish came in the office today and made us a pleasant call. He carried with him an empty basket and was in his usual excellent spirits. Uncle Rhoads' liver is never out of order, and in fact it would be as difficult to conceive of him minus his highly contagious laugh as without the generous quantity of flesh which makes his portly figure a fair sight for sore eyes at all times. He is not sensitive about his color, though Africa's sun never shone upon a darker skin. The hue of ebony is his, save where Father Time has commenced the bleaching process with his curly beard.

"Well, uncle, what are you driving at?"

"I'm working across the river now, making butter from twenty head of cows and selling it in town."

"And how are you doing?"

"Very good, considerin'." You see, grass is gittin' a little scant now, and butter ain't so plentiful as it used to be. So, there no sense in sellin' it at thirty cents a roll. I just told 'em that, and they said, 'how much do you want?' Forty cents ain't any too much, says I. That's all they was to it, no arguin' nor nothin', they just handed it right out to me. When I work for a man I like to work right up to the handle. An' there ain't nothin' I can't learn, either. If I was put to work in the office here, I'd soon learn how to set up your newspaper. Some day I'll come in and watch your machinery work. I'm always interested in everything new and catch on to it without any trouble. But I must be going now. Well good day," and with a kindly flourish, he disappeared out the door. Uncle will always be a welcome visitor at THE CHRONICLE. Hard times will never pinch nor bile accumulate, when Uncle Rhoads' good-humored face is visible.

#### What Your Great Grandmother Did.

She hecheled the flax and carded the wool, and wove the linen, and spun the tow, and made the clothes for her husband and ten children. She made butter and cheese, she dipped tallow candles to light the house at night, and she cooked all the food for her household by an open fire-place and a brick oven. Yes; and when she was forty years of age, she was already an old lady whose best days were over. Her shoulders were bent and her joints enlarged by hard labor, and she wore spectacles and a cap. Her great granddaughter, with all the modern conveniences for comfort, refinement and luxury, may be as charming and attractive at forty-five as at twenty. Especially is this true if she preserves her health and beauty by the use of Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription, which wards off all female ailments and irregularities, cures them if they already exist, keeps the life current healthful and vigorous, and enables the woman of middle age to retain the freshness of girlhood upon brow and cheek, the light of youth in her eyes, and its elasticity in her step. Sold by all druggists.

#### Use Mexican Silver Stove Polish.

GENTLEMEN.—I am subject to periodical attacks of sick headache of the worst possible type, and commenced taking Dr. Pierce's Headache Capsules last summer. They cure it in every instance, and since that time I am enjoying splendid health and have gained ten pounds in weight. Yours very truly,  
 E. M. JANIERS,  
 CORW TH, IOWA.

# An Appeal

To the People of Wasco County and Vicinity:

Owing to the recent Bank failure in this city, we are compelled to raise a certain amount of money within the next

60 DAYS.

Therefore, we will give to all cash customers a chance to buy goods at

50 Cents on the \$1.

Clothing, Gents' Furnishing Goods, Dry Goods, AT HALF PRICE. Embroidery Boots and Shoes. and Laces,

The amount required MUST be raised in 60 days.

Cor. Court and Second Sts. The Dalles, Oregon.

S. & N. HARRIS.

NEW

## Spring and Summer Dry Goods,

Fancy Goods and Notions.

## Gents' Furnishing Goods,

Clothing, Hats, Boots, Shoes, etc.

now complete in every department.

All goods will be sold at greatly reduced prices.

Terms Cash. H. Herbring.

Familiar Faces in a New Place.

C. E. BAYARD,

J. E. BARNETT.

Bayard & Barnett, The Real Estate, Loan, Insurance, COLLECTION AGENCY.

NOTARY PUBLIC.

Parties having Property they wish to Sell or Trade, Houses to Rent, or Abstract of Title furnished, will find it to their advantage to call on us.

We shall make a specialty of the prosecution of Claims and Contests before the United States Land Office.

85 Washington St. THE DALLES, OR.

## Have You Seen

## Fine Millinery Goods

AT ANNA PETER & CO. 112 Second Street.

## J. H. CROSS.

At the Old Stand, Cor. Second and Union Sts.

## Hay, Grain, Feed and Flour,

Groceries, Fruits and Seeds.

Cash paid for Eggs and Poultry. All goods delivered Free and Promptly.

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