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"Nearly forty years ago, after some weeks of sickness, my hair turned gray and began falling out so rapidly that I was threatened with immediate baldness. Hearing Ayer's Hair Vigor highly spoken of, I commenced using this prepara-

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**Ayer's Hair Vigor**  
PREPARED BY  
DR. J. C. AYER & CO., LOWELL, MASS., U. S. A.  
Ayer's Sarsaparilla Removes Pimples.

### PERSONAL MENTION.

Mr. J. E. Graham returned today from Portland.  
Mrs. Ehrick returned to Hood River this morning.  
Mr. Ed. Wingate has returned from a trip in the mountains.  
Mr. Henry Yorke left this morning for a day's absence in Hood River.  
Dr. Siddall left this afternoon for the Portland exposition, to be gone until the 28th.  
Mr. Lincoln E. Farrington came from Eugene last night to attend his father's funeral.  
Mr. C. J. Stabling returned from a trip to Goldendale and vicinity last evening.  
Messrs. Homer Angell and Geo. Campbell left this morning for Eugene to attend school.  
Mr. J. B. Abbott of Wapinitia and Mr. A. J. Gatchell of Moro are registered at the Umatilla house.  
Mr. and Mrs. O. C. Weller and daughter of Goldendale were passengers on the Regulator this morning for Portland.  
Mr. James McKay of Portland, having put in a substantial sidewalk around the J. H. Cross corner, Second and Union streets, left for home this afternoon.  
Mr. L. Everding received the sad news today of the death of his mother, Mrs. Pauline Everding, at San Francisco, and left on the local train this afternoon, hoping to arrive there in time to attend her burial.

Miss Kate Craig leaves tonight for Lewiston, Idaho, having received news this morning of the death of her half brother, Mr. E. J. Monroe, at his farm near that place. Mr. Monroe was receiver of the land office there for several years.

### A BIG WHEAT COMBINATION.

Agreement Entered into by the Buyers to Depress the Market.

The East Oregonian springs a sensation in the Pendleton community by charging that the North Pacific coast market is in the hands of a combination which has for its object the still further depression of a market which now barely affords the producer the expenses of raising wheat.

For several weeks the East Oregonian has been making a quiet canvass and has found evidence that the various grain buyers whose business center in Portland have combined to depress the price of wheat and rob the producer. It will be observed that in Pendleton the buying is almost entirely confined to the two mills. Of course, some wheat goes to other buyers, but almost none excepting that which has been delivered subject to chattel mortgage. The free buying is confined to the mills. In former seasons the elevator companies and the mills have all been in the market, and the consequence was that Pendleton was a good market for the cereal.

These are facts—an agreement has been entered into whereby the two mills are given undisputed possession of the Pendleton wheat market. They buy now as much wheat as they have capital to purchase. By reason of lack of competition, the mills are en-

abled to buy at lower prices than would prevail were the other buyers in the market. When the mills have bought all they can take with the capital they have, the other buyers will come in and take the balance.

Later in the milling season, the mills will have ground all the wheat they purchased under the arrangement now in force, and they will want some more wheat. Then the elevator companies will come forward with their wheat, sell it to the mills and make the profit on the sale as compensation for keeping out of the Pendleton market now.

Here is the way it balances, and each party is benefited. The mills can buy now with no competition from the elevator companies. The mills purchase only enough for a limited period of flour grinding. So after a while the elevator companies can buy with no competition from the mills and bring it here and sell it to them. It is a mutual exchange of courtesies and profits. Regarding the existence of this agreement, the East Oregonian is in possession of information which permits it to make the assertion as a positive fact, and with the knowledge that no one can successfully contradict it.

So far, then, as the Pendleton end of the arrangement is concerned, it is a settled fact that the combination has been made and the market put in condition so the wheat offered can be bought advantageously by the local mills. So far as concerns the outside features and the effect of the combination on other market points, the evidence, in the opinion of several gentlemen of high standing who were consulted by the East Oregonian on the subject, is that the most of the buying companies are in the agreement and will attempt to depress the season's market prices by avoiding competition.

### The Pleasures of Youth.

Yesterday afternoon between 2 and 4 o'clock was a memorable one for some two score of little folks who were entertained at Mrs. J. T. Peters' residence by little Helen and Grace Peters. After an hour's play they were ranged up on the south side of the lawn and given plates of lemon ice and cake, which disappeared in quite a matter of fact way, considering the fairy-like appearance the little ones presented, with their dainty costumes of spotless white or glimmering pink. Their bright eyes, which accented their beautiful baby-like faces, betokened the pleasure they were enjoying, and later their fluffy hair, veiling in attractiveness with fluttering and gaily-colored bits of ribbon, was confined with unique paper caps which were found in some candy of wonderful architecture, which they investigated with delight. The following were the little folks who participated in an event that marks a milestone in their lives:

Katherine and Wallace Taylor, Nita and Crystal Bennett, Guy and Winnifred Douthit, Florence Hollister, Thomas Hudson, Jr., Harry and May Walthers, Alice, Laura and Dorris Kurtz, Clifton Condon, Genevieve and Harold Fish, Celia Gavin, Vincent Wood, Marmaduke and Bebe Vause, Etta Farley, Bert and Mary Varney, Alfred, Lois and Edna Thompson, Louise Briggs, Geraldine and Gilbert Kelley, Harry Lytle, Eva Phelps, Gus Parson, George and Lily Brown, Hobart and Leah Booth, Helen and Grace Peters.

### The Dalles a Business Town.

A Dalles correspondent of the Oregonian speaks at length in today's issue of our mammoth business interests. He tells of 750,000 pounds of wool, which will be shipped this week on consignment by Mr. Pease. This will be the largest shipment so far this season, and will bring the total amount thus far shipped up to about 2,000,000 pounds. There is also a strong movement of salmon, wheat and fruit from The Dalles now. Seufert Bros. and Herrick's canneries have shipped a total of 10,000 cases of salmon this season. The Dalles Commission Company has a number of carloads of prunes and sugar plums, on which very fair prices have been realized. The report concludes with a complimentary reference to the fine new business blocks of Max Vogt and A. M. Williams & Co.

### The Talk of the Town.

Star brewery's new product, Hop-Gold beer. For the past few years nothing has been heard of that has as suddenly jumped into popular favor as the new beer lately put on the market by the Star brewery. It seems to have caught the public taste at once, and it is a deservedly popular beverage, for it is made by those who have made their business a life-long study, and in this beer is seen the result of all that is best. Everybody calls for it nowadays and to be up with the demand all dealers should carry it in stock. s24-1t

A. M. Williams & Co.'s great blanket sale offers genuine bargains in all grades of blankets.

If thou wouldst beer drink, drink thou only Hop Gold.—Shakespeare. s24-1w

### A Nebraska Suggestion.

Lincoln Journal.  
T. M. Shellenberger of Bradshaw sends the Journal a political suggestion that must not be kept from the public. Mr. Shellenberger is a modest man, but it will not do to let his light shine under a bushel, and so his note is printed forthwith:

Being a Democrat, I have built a platform and cabinet which I submit to the Journal before patenting. The cabinet is as follows:

- Secretary of state, Altgeld of Illinois.
- Secretary of war, Bloody Bridges of Colorado.
- Secretary of agriculture, Pitchfork of South Carolina.
- Secretary of the navy, Herr Most of New York.
- Secretary of the treasury, Herr Pepper of Kansas.
- Secretary of the interior, Pennoyer of Oregon.
- Attorney General, Debs of Illinois.

The free silver car will be built with but two platforms, Democratic in front and Populist in the rear. Passengers are warned not to stand on either platform. It is dangerous. These platforms are to get in on.

Democrat platform—  
Damn Cleveland.  
Damn the supreme court.  
Damn the constitution.  
Damn the banks.  
Damn the gold bugs.  
Damn the railroads.  
Damn the British.  
Damn Wall street.  
Damn the rich (except Sewall).  
Populist platform—  
The Populists, being pious cusses, simply insert the name of the deity before each plank of the Democratic platform.

### THE TRUTH ABOUT MEXICO.

The Miserable Condition of the Laboring Classes.

### Oregonian.

Mr. T. Viggers, of Fulton, near this city, has just received a letter from his nephew, William Viggers, who lives in Durango, Mexico. He expresses astonishment that any portion of the people of the United States should for a moment regard free silver with favor, and says, among other things:

"Labor in this town is paid from stars to stars, as they call it, 30 to 35 cents a day, and those that are working on the ranches or farms get less, and this in corn and provisions. At our works we never paid for common labor more than 45 cents a day, and provisions are much higher than with you. For instance, corn is worth \$1.60 a bushel, and beans \$3; lard, 30c. Flour, the poor people never use. This is worth about 6 to 7 cents a pound, and meat 18 to 25 cents per pound. The poor people wear nothing but white calico of a coarse kind; and it costs about 12 to 15 cents a yard. Now, take China, India, or any of the Southern republics, and the same thing exists. Do the masses of the great United States of America want to exchange places with these people? If they adopt the free coinage of silver they surely will.

"Your whole country will be depreciated one-half, if such a thing does come to pass. Uncle, get out of it. Go to British Columbia."

### How's This?

We offer one hundred dollars reward for any case of Catarrh that can not be cured by Hall's Catarrh Cure.

F. J. CHENEY & Co. Props., Toledo, O.  
We, the undersigned, have known F. J. Cheney for the last 15 years, and believe him perfectly honorable in all business transactions and financially able to carry out any obligations made by their firm.

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Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. Price, 75c. per bottle. Sold by all druggists. Testimonials free. 1-5-9

### Female Help Wanted.

WANTED—Red-headed girl and white horse to deliver premiums given away with Hoe Cake Soap. Apply to anywhere.

### WANTED.

WANTED—German or Swede girl to go in the country. Good home and good wages the year around. Dalles Employment office.

WANTED—Situation by young lady of good address, as clerk either in book store or dry goods house. The Dalles Employment office.

WANTED—Work for man and team, with or without wagon, near town. Inquire corner Second and Court streets, up stairs.

GIRL—To do general housework. Inquire The Dalles Employment Agency.

DRESSMAKING—Two girls to learn dressmaking. Dalles Employment Agency.

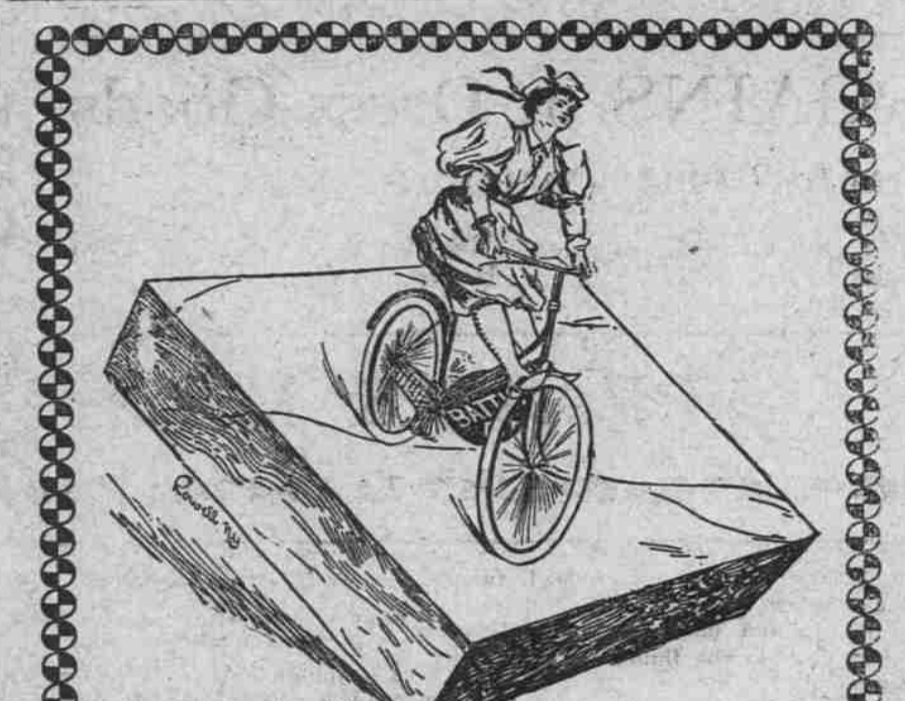
WANTED—Ladies or gentlemen wanting situation should leave their address with The Dalles Employment Agency. Telephone 309, Lock Box 250. Over McKinney's.

THE DALLES EMPLOYMENT AGENCY—Male or Female help furnished on a cert notice. Lock Box 250, Tel. 309. Over McKinney's.

### "FREE SILVER'S IN THE SADDLE!"



"YES, BUT WHAR'S DE SADDUL?"



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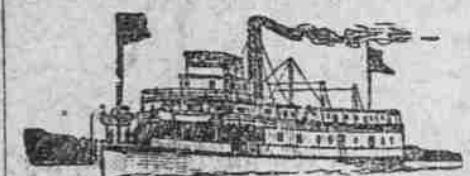
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### New Schedule.

Effective Tuesday, April 7th, the following will be the new schedule:  
Train No. 1 arrives at The Dalles 4:50 a. m., and leaves 4:55 a. m.  
Train No. 2 arrives at The Dalles 10:40 p. m., and leaves 10:45 p. m.  
Train No. 8 arrives at The Dalles 12:05 p. m., and west-bound train No. 7 leaves at 2:30 p. m.  
Train 23 and 24 will carry passengers between The Dalles and Umatilla, leaving The Dalles at 1 p. m. daily and arriving at The Dalles 1 p. m. daily, connecting with train Nos. 8 and 7 from Portland. E. F. LYTL, Agent.

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