

# SPECIAL CLEAN-UP SHOE SALE!

In the course of our year's business, we have accumulated a number of odds and ends in our Shoe Department, which we are anxious to clean up previous to stock-taking.

## Special. Men's Shoes.

- 1st. All our Lilly, Brackett & Co. fine hand-sewed \$6.00 Shoes. The best on earth. Only \$4.35.
- 2d. A large line of Men's Congress and Lace Shoes. Regular \$1.50. Special 95c. Corner Window.
- 3d. Broken line of Men's Shoes; regular prices \$6, \$5, \$4, \$3, \$2.50. To go at half their marked price.

Gentlemen, these offerings give you an opportunity to get Fine Footwear at less than cost.

## Special. Ladies' Shoes.

Our regular line of \$2.50 Shoes, including the Bay State, Pease & Mays Own, East New York and Waverly; all fine Footwear. Going at \$1.70.

Brown Shoe Co.'s Fine Shoes, in coin toe; very latest lace and button. Regular \$2.75. Special \$1.85.

Thomas G. Plant's fine Vici Kid; full line of sizes and widths. Regular \$3.00. Special \$2.15. Every pair is guaranteed.

Brown Shoe Co. fine Button Shoe. stitched in white; the bon-ton Shoe of the season. Reg. \$3.00. Special \$2.10.

## Special. Ladies' Shoes.

J. & T. Cousins' Choice Line of Shoes; finest quality stock; up-to-date toes. Regular \$3.50; Special \$2.40.

J. & T. Cousins' Extra Fine Stock; narrow square toe; good assortment of sizes. Regular \$3.75; going for \$2.60.

Thomas G. Plant's Fine McKay sewed welt, invisible cork sole, pointed toe. An up-to-date Winter Shoe. Regular 3.50. Sale \$2.60.

## PEASE & MAYS.

All goods marked in plain figures.

### The Dalles Daily Chronicle.

MONDAY, - - - DEC. 7, 1892

Weather Forecast. PORTLAND, Dec. 7, 1892. FOR EASTERN OREGON—Tonight and tomorrow occasional rain. PAGUE, Observer.

### WAYSIDE GLEANINGS.

Random Observations and Local Events of Lesser Magnitude.

The local was an hour late today, caused by sliding rock.

A young boy named Jimmie Zirke is held for examination for admission to the reform school.

A nice six-room, hard-finished dwelling house on the bluff for rent. Apply to J. H. Cross. dec7-2t

The ice gorge still hangs on to its job, and utterly refuses to move, though the ice has grown exceedingly rotten.

An effort is being made to secure the appearance here Dec. 30th, of Miss Ellen Beach Yaw, the famous songstress.

The Si Perkins Company are billed to play at Portland for a week, after which a date will probably be arranged for their appearance here.

Rumor has it that our young townsman, Mr. John C. Hertz, who went to Portland yesterday, went on to Salem, and will not return alone.

A lecture will be given by Bishop Earl Cranston at the M. E. church this evening. Subject, "Professor Satan." Admission, adults 25 cents; children 15 cents.

Wasco Lodge, No. 15, A. F. and A. M. will have stated communication this (Monday) evening at 9 p. m. Work in M. M. degree. All M. M.'s are cordially invited. By order of W. M.

The Salem Statesman figures it out this way: Frank Davey and Harvey Jordan, reading clerks of the house; Steele Moorehead, reading clerk of the senate; George Rogers, chief clerk of the house; T. T. Geer and Edward Hirsch, collectors of customs; J. M. Somers, district attorney; John Minto, United States marshal. These are some of the principal political plums, and men who are likely to gather them in, unless they miss their calculations.

The articles on Kansas copied so widely from the Emporia Gazette are by William Allen White, known in that part of the world as "Billy," and universally liked and praised, both as editor and author. He has been invited by the Ohio State Republican League to respond to the toast, "What's the matter with Kansas?" at the Lincoln day banquet to be held shortly at Zanesville, O. Mr. White will be there, and Mark Hanna, Joseph Benson Foraker, John M. Thurston and other celebrities will enjoy the feast.

A story is told of a lady teacher of Pomeroy who, having an inordinate dread of contagious disease, sent a little girl home because she said her mother was sick. The next day the child presented herself at school with her finger in her mouth and said: "We've got a

little baby at our house, but mamma told me to tell you it is not catching." The teacher blushed slightly, said she was glad, and told her pupil to take a seat. The story has a reminiscent flavor, but let's be charitable, and say it happened again at Pomeroy.

Do not fail to call on Dr. Lannerberg, the eye specialist, and have your eyes examined free of charge. If you suffer with headache or nervousness you undoubtedly have imperfect vision that, if corrected, will benefit you for life. Office in the Vogt block.

There was a genuine lady in the city yesterday who came from the far off sunny South. We know she was a perfect lady because she told us so, and she told everybody else so too. Nothing but her gray hairs and the fact that she was a woman prevents us saying something mean about her. She made life a burden to everyone she came within reach of her long-distance voice. "She's gone, she's gone, we don't know where, and we don't care either, so long as she does not wander back again."

### Two Splendid Sermons.

Bishop Cranston delivered two sermons yesterday that were both masterly efforts. The subject of the morning sermon was "Natural Difficulties in a Divine Revelation." He gave the congregation the choice of three texts—Psalms i:1, Hebrews i:2 and II Corinthians xii:4. The church was filled at this service, and the sermon was appreciated as evinced by the packed condition of the room in the evening. The subject of the evening discourse was "The Divine Spiritual Force," and it was one of the strongest sermons ever preached from a Dalles pulpit.

The bishop lectures tonight in the Methodist church on the subject of "Professor Satan." Those who heard either of the sermons will be certain to attend the lecture, and those who did not will miss a literary treat if they fail to hear him.

### PERSONAL MENTION.

Mr. John Henrichs of Hood River is in the city.

Mr. Grant Mays returned from California yesterday.

Dr. Morgan came up from Hood River on the local, returning this afternoon.

Mrs. J. M. Patterson returned Saturday from a visit to her parents in Salem.

Mr. Joseph A. Knox, justice of the peace of Baldwin precinct, is in the city.

John Lenz came up from Hood River today to make final proof on his cash entry.

Rev. U. Hawk, of the Goldendale Methodist church, attended the services here yesterday.

Mr. C. A. Bone of Hood River who has been purchasing wheat at Grant for several seasons, is in the city.

### Cash in Your Checks.

All county warrants registered prior to July 12, 1892, will be paid at my office. Interest ceases after Dec. 5, 1892.

C. L. PHILLIPS, County Treasurer.

### ELKS MEMORIAL SERVICES.

An Occasion That Will be Long Remembered.

The memorial services of the B. P. O. Elks of this city, held in K. of P. hall yesterday deserve more than passing mention. It was the first occasion of the kind here and the beautiful ceremonies were witnessed by a large and appreciative audience.

After the opening ceremonies a prayer was offered up by Rev. W. C. Curtis, followed by a hymn by the double quartette, consisting of Misses Rose and Myrtle Michell, Beulah Patterson and Alma Schmidt, and Messrs. C. J. Crandall, R. G. Daveport, Chas. Stubling and Arthur Clark. This was followed by the recitation of "Thanatopsis" by Exalted Ruler John Michell, and it was given in a manner to add to, or rather to draw out, new ideas from the grandest poem known to our language. A hymn followed, and then Judge Bradshaw delivered a beautiful and touching eulogy on the departed brethren in his address taking a wide range, and illustrating the beauties and benefits of the order.

After another hymn by the quartette, Mr. F. W. Wilson pronounced an eulogy on the brethren gone before, that was one of the most touching and most eloquent addresses we have ever listened to. It was a word painting, each word apparently fitted to the grand mosaic of language as by a master mind. It was a prose poem, the sentences flowing so metrically that it was difficult to tell where the poetical quotations made by the speaker began or ended. We have in the course of a somewhat varied life heard many addresses, but we say without flattery to our gifted young townsman, that his eulogy yesterday was the finest thing of the kind we ever heard. It deserves to be preserved in print, a model for all future occasions, and one that many may imitate, but few equal. As we listened to our eloquent young friend, the fragment of a poem written by the truest poet the South has ever produced floated across our mind, and it seemed that we were listening to exactly those things the poet declared unattainable. The fragment as we recollect it runs:

"There are billows far out on the ocean That never shall break on the beach; There are songs I have heard in the silence That never shall float into speech; There are thoughts I have had in the midnight Too lofty for language to reach."

### The Cayuse Nuisance.

Regarding the proposed extermination of the range horses, E. F. Benson, of the Northern Pacific land department, who has made a special study of the situation, says: "Hot winds, squirrels and grasshoppers are bad, but the horse pest is becoming still worse in Eastern Washington, particularly the cayuse variety. Horses have become so cheap that many bands are running loose without being branded or cared for in the least. There being no demand, they have multiplied rapidly and are now eating bunch grass that should otherwise support thousands of cattle and sheep which bring in revenue.

These horses are not worth \$1 apiece. There is absolutely no market for them. Up to three years ago we were shipping horses east in large numbers. Electricity and bicycles have killed the market. This year Traffic Manager Hannaford, of the Northern Pacific, has made vigorous efforts to find a market for horses in the east. Glue factories and rendering establishments of various kinds have been offered horses very cheap. They do not want them. A few carloads are being shipped to the Atlantic coast for shipment to France, where horse meat is in demand, but these shipments make no impression on the supply. The horses are destroying the ranges twelve months in the year. There are over 100,000 head in Eastern Washington and they are destroying ranges that would support 500,000 head of cattle. The situation is really appalling, viewed from the cattleman's standpoint.

### Walla Walla Inventor.

Henry Steinberger, Jr., a Walla Walla boy, who lives with his parents near the O. R. & N. depot, is, by a lucky invention, in a fair way to become independently rich. For some months past Henry has been studying the insulators on the telephone and telegraph poles with a view to improving the same, and after some hard thinking his patent is about completed. The invention can be attached to telephone or telegraph poles in a much shorter time than the old cross pieces and glass insulators now used. The new insulator will cost about one-third of the old ones, and it is generally adopted will be worth at least a quarter of a million dollars to the inventor.

The National Recorder, a paper devoted to inventions and patents, in a recent issue, devotes considerable space to the inventor, together with his picture.

### Card of Thanks.

The undersigned desire to express their heartfelt thanks to the people of The Dalles for the kindness shown them during the recent illness and death of their little son.

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