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PEASE & MAYS.

The Dalles Daily Chronicle.

TUESDAY, - - - MARCH 30, 1897

WAYSIDE GLEANINGS.

Random Observations and Local Events of Lesser Magnitude.

The weather forecast for tonight and tomorrow is fair and warmer.

We are told the Baldwin Sheep and Land Co. has sold 32,000 sheep for immediate delivery.

The pile driver has been loaded on the scow Wasco, and will be taken to White Salmon where a wharf will be erected.

Mrs. Anna Morris, in the Krause building on Fifth street, near the Court street school, is prepared to do all kinds of dressmaking. Suits from \$8 up. mch22-2w

Among the money collected for taxes today was a check for \$9,129, it being for the O. R. & N.'s proportion of the expense of running the state and county government.

Another person came forward for baptism last evening at the Christian church. The meetings will continue every night this week and Sunday, after which Evangelist Pierce goes to Eastern Oregon.

Reports from the country around the head of the Snake and Columbia, state that there is a tremendous amount of snow there, and if the weather continues cool for another month, very high water may be expected.

Deputy Clerk Bolton received a letter from School Superintendent Gilbert a few days ago, written from Kansas City, in which he says the Missourians back there all cut their hair straight around the bottom, crock fashion, and thinks from those he met there that Ed Kelsay and Judge Bradshaw must have improved greatly after reaching the Pacific coast, as he saw none of their type there.

Dame Nature has been having a decidedly giddy spell for one of her age recently. Every morning her face is freshly powdered, and she is primped up and as white as her younger and more fashionable sisters. It looks odd to see the hills covered with their fresh fall of snow, and looking across the river see the rocky side of the Grand Dalles covered with masses of yellow and blue flowers.

The Huntington Herald says that its office stands upon a bar that is rich in placer gold; that way back yonder in the past two prospectors sank a prospect hole in front of the office and struck gold in paying quantities. The difficulty of getting water upon the ground confronted them, and finally a quarrel arose as to how best it could be accomplished. Words led to blows, and the fight ended by one drawing a gun and shooting dead his companion, the body falling into the hole. The mine was never worked.

Oakdale, Washington, is in the throes of a mortal dispute all on account of its dogs. The council passed an ordinance making it a misdemeanor, punishable

by imprisonment in the city jail, to refuse to take out a license for a dog, provided the person refusing owned one. The city would not accept the dog in lieu of the license money and end its days in the pound; but just compelled anyone that owned a dog to put up. The mayor refused to sign the ordinance and resigned.

Beginning with the April number McClure's Magazine will be published on the first day of each month. April 1st the April number will be on sale on all news stands and delivered to all subscribers from the Atlantic to the Pacific; and thereafter exactly on the first day of each month a new number will be published. Heretofore publication has been made on the 28th of each month; but it is believed that the change to the 1st will be to the general convenience. Among the contributors to the April number will be Will H. Low, Robert Louis Stevenson, the Hon. Henry Cabot Lodge, Hamlin Garland, Rudyard Kipling, Octave Thanet, Cy Warman and Ian Maclaren. A remarkably fine number is promised, with a special Easter cover.

Small Business.

Yesterday a woman was arrested by the United States marshal here, charged with selling liquor without a license, the particular charge being that she sold drinks in her house, which were not ordered from a saloon, but which she retailed from a bottle or demijohn. This may be all right, but it looks like a small business for this great government to be watching after the nickles while letting the big sugar trusts and the combination of bankers in Wall street pull Uncle Samuel's leg to the tune of millions at a time. The recent law passed by congress concerning the sale of liquor to Indians, is going to open up that business again, to the profit of the officers, and the disgust of all decent citizens.

At the Stabling Greenhouse you will find strong, well-rooted geraniums, fuchsias, white and yellow marguerites and heliotropes, from five cents up. Roses in bloom, 15 cents, or two for 25 cents; calla lilies in bloom, 25 cents; pansies 25 per dozen. Appropriate floral designs furnished on short notice. 24-dlw-wlm

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BUT A SINGLE THOUGHT.

Romeo Outdone and Juliet a Back Number, for These Outclassed Them.

"All the world loves a lover," says the poet, and if this be true, all the world must have gone mashed last night had it been at the Umatilla House when the Portland train came in, for there was a love scene, unassisted by surroundings and without shrubbery and balconies, that would make Juliet seem commonplace and Romeo tame. There was a lavishness of expression, a warmth of greeting, a fervor of embracing, a clinging of lip to lip, a rapture of soul-drinking eyes, and a free-for-all six-day-goes-as-you-please mixture of a hat full of flowers and a vest full of feeling, moustache and smooth lips, entwining arms, and all that sort of thing, that made the wickedly, worldly smile audibly at the impromptu love scene.

He had been waiting impatient as a caged coyote all day the coming of the light of his life, and she had counted the telegraph poles and minutes as the train bore her too slowly through the Willamette valley from her home in that far Southern Oregon up to this city of her destiny where, her Prince Charming awaited so impatiently her coming.

As the train pulled in he was there, and at the window was her face, surrounded by a veritable flower garden peering anxiously forth. Before the train stopped he caught sight of that face and in a moment the smile that irradiated her countenance showed that their eyes had met. She disappeared from the window and in another instant she was in his arms, there was an inarticulate series of gurgles, a sound or two like the last expiring exhaust of a bath tub and mingling with these sounds of bliss were words of endearment that were worth their weight in diamonds.

We could not hear what she said, for her voice was stifled and only her eyes and movements spoke. But he waited forth, "And did you think I wouldn't be here to meet you, gol darn it?" Then came a kiss, a hug, another kiss, more hugs, then some expiring strains of bliss, and then he broke forth again: "And so you got my telegram. Gol darn it I couldn't wait until you got here." More kisses, more hugs, etc. This was kept up for fully five minutes, until Glendening swung his lantern, yelled break away and the train pulled out. Then they, arm in arm, sought the hospitable refuge of the Umatilla House, the curtain going up in the second act in the parlor, where another love scene was enacted.

But why further lift the curtain on this tender little episode, why tell of how they embraced in the dining room at breakfast time, and ate out of the same dishes, why—well why?

For an Assay Office.

Some two years since a bill was introduced in the United States senate by the late Senator Dolph, providing for the establishment of a government assay office in Baker City, but later it seemed that the bill had been pigeon-holed; at

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