

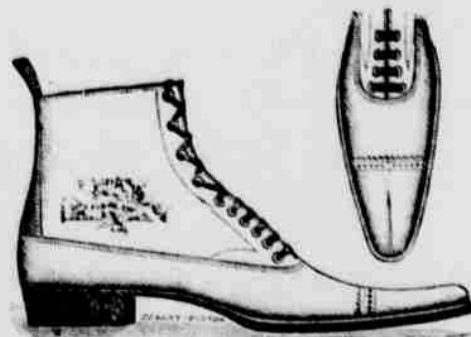


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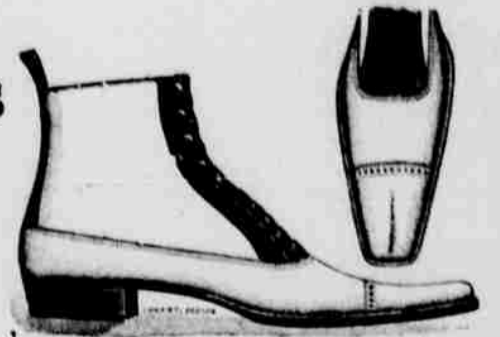
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The Dalles Daily Chronicle.

THURSDAY, MAY 6, 1897

WAYSIDE GLEANINGS.

Random Observations and Local Events of Lesser Magnitude.

Limberger cheese at Maier & Benton's. Garden hose four cents per foot at Maier & Benton's.

White Mountain ice cream freezers at Maier & Benton's.

C. W. Phelps will raffle off a bicycle tomorrow night at Billy Wisemans at 8 o'clock.

English and Belgian cement, very best imported brands, for sale by Wasco Warehouse Co. my5-1m

Ernest Jensen has been awarded the contract for making the excavations for the Lutheran church.

Social dance in Baldwin's opera house Saturday evening. The new Trilby two-step will be introduced. m6-3t

Tinning, plumbing, gunsmithing, copper-smithing work and bicycle repairing a specialty at Maier & Benton's.

Two more days—tomorrow and Saturday—of that great 25-cent dress goods selling at A. M. Williams & Co's.

Members of The Dalles Commercial Baseball Club are requested to meet at the city recorder's office at 8 o'clock tonight.

Are you wearing Mascots? They only cost a dollar, and they are decidedly the best glove ever shown at the price. A. M. Williams & Co. are exclusive sellers.

A. K. Isenberg, aged about 50 years, died at Hood River Monday and was buried Tuesday. He was a brother of M. P. Isenberg of Hood River and had been out from the East but a short time.

The remains of the late Mrs. W. H. Creighton are expected on the midnight train. Funeral services will be held at the residence of her brother, D. M. French, Friday at 2 p. m. Friends of the family invited.

The seventh annual convention of the Grand Court of Oregon, Foresters of America, will be held here, beginning Tuesday next. The delegation will come up on the steamer Dalles City, leaving Portland at 6:30 Monday morning. The local lodge here will give them a royal welcome.

Howard Marshall, the Goldendale stage-driver, tells us that Mr. Darch, who was accidentally shot Monday night, is getting along nicely and will recover. It was a very close call, and we congratulate him on his escape, as well as Mr. Presby not having the eternal regret of having caused the death of his partner, on his mind.

The Columbia is again on the rise, being at the 28.8 mark this morning, a rise of 1.2 since yesterday morning. The weather bulletin yesterday says: The temperature and weather conditions

this year are similar to those of 1894. More than ordinary caution should be exercised by all who may be affected by the river. Much warmer weather prevails over the country drained by the Columbia and Snake rivers.

Fern lodge, Degree of Honor, had a very pleasant meeting last night, winding up with a little surprise in honor of the 12th anniversary of the wedding of Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Stephens. Refreshments in the shape of ice cream and cake were served and congratulations were showered upon them. It was a pretty compliment, neatly paid, and thoroughly appreciated.

The rainfall last night was .08 of an inch here, and probably much more than that in the surrounding country. Across the river in Klickitat there was a heavy thunder storm about 10 o'clock, undoubtedly accompanied by a good shower, and the same conditions seemed to prevail in Sherman county. At Hood River there was quite a shower yesterday afternoon.

THE SITUATION IMPROVING.

Sheep Will Probably Be Allowed on the Reservation.

A great many telegrams have been sent within the past forty-eight hours to our delegation in Washington concerning the pasturing of sheep on the reservation.

The sheepmen have been in desperate straits, for the season is near at hand when their flocks must be moved. The only place for them is the mountains and as these old pasturage grounds were closed, there seemed to be nothing for it but to let the sheep starve or ship them clear out of the country. The situation caused all classes and parents to unite in urging on the department the necessity of some action that would afford relief.

Last night and today telegrams have been received from our delegation, that from Tongue being the most explicit and hopeful. Ellis telegraphs that everything is being done that possibly can be, and he hopes to make a good report in a day or so. Tongue says in substance that he thinks it safe for sheepmen to take their flocks into the reservation, that he expects the departments will instruct officers to stop all interference pending legislation, and departmental action.

The forestry cranks of down East are the men who are the hardest to fight, but it looks now as though they will be downed. As the sheepmen will have to take their sheep on the reservation or lose them it strikes us they might as well lose them by taking them on as otherwise.

A letter from Senator Mitchell also shows that he is taking a deep interest in the matter, and at the time he wrote anticipated a favorable solution of the matter.

This is an "Age of Soap." Why use any but the very best. Best soap means Hoe Cake. Sold by Pease & Mays. a2-3m

THE MAY IRWIN KISS.

It Lacks Beauty, Grace, Science, Art. Skill—Everything But Mouth.

Among the pictures shown by Mr. Wilbur's animatroscope is one entitled "The May Irwin Kiss." Let it be premised that May Irwin is an actress, and a celebrated one, and from the fact that her kissing is made the subject of the photographer's art, it is presumed she has a reputation in the effete East as a kisser from Kisserville. She may be, but if so, the divine art has sadly deteriorated since we took even our first lessons. In the first place, May Irwin, (judging by the picture) is not a kissable woman. Her smile has too great breadth of beam, and is brigantine rigged. Byron wished that womankind "were all one rosy mouth, that I might kiss them all at once from north to south." May Irwin would have suited him, all except the cardinal points, for in her case he would have to kiss from east to west, her mouth being built that way. Her mouth is too, too large. It lacks shape. Her under lip has a droop like that of a government mule accustomed to scooping its barley from a nose-bag. It is thick, gross, slobbery. Her upper lip lacks that delicate Cupid's bow that in occlusion adds the delicate gustoso. It is not prehensile enough, not pregnant.

These are but few of the faults in the scene. One cannot well kiss the mouth of the Missouri, yet it is not much larger or muddier or more shapeless than the mouth of Miss Irwin. She is, however, not to blame for these things, they are simply the misfortune of the man unfortunately condemned to kiss her.

Then she has no coyness, no please-don't, please-do expression; no grace of manner. Her neck is not flexible, her head is held stiffly and refuses that backward tilt so necessary to the perfection of the art. Her eyes are cast down, a fatal mistake, for they should look towards the sky, not staringly, but just at an angle of forty-five degree, taking in the eyes of the other party, and gazing, at the same time, dreamfully into the beyond as though she saw, as Jacob did at night, the ladder down which the angels came. Then the other party is handicapped; he is compelled to do the act ungracefully. He has to herd that mouth together by placing a hand at each of its extremities and pressing it together so as to kiss its job-lots. Then instead of attacking, as a humming bird does a flower, with tremulous wing, and dainty touch, May goes at it as a hog does to war, sidewise. It makes one weary to contemplate it, therefore why prolong the dismal criticism. As a kissing scene it can be discounted by the veriest tyro. Why, we can recollect when we used to kiss a little divinity aged 9, to our 11, when we had to go wandering into the roseate depths of a pink sun-bonnet to find at the other end what was there. The sun-bonnet had a tendency to bring two little pug-noses in contact first, but when once they touched their freckled tips, the

subsequent turning of two little heads in opposite directions produced the most satisfactory results. May Irwin is, was, and always will be a back number compared to it.

MINING OUTLOOK GOOD.

Upwards of \$70,000 Per Month Paid out in the Sumpter Section.

Ed. W. Copner, of the Sumpter Mercantile Company, is in the city. Asked about the prospects for good times in his section, he said:

"The mining country tributary to the terminus of the S. V. R. R., and that embraces all the territory lying southwest of Baker City—Sumpter, Granite, Robinsonville, John Day and Quartzburg districts—is most favorable for a healthy development. The mines are looking well and employing big pay rolls.

"Why, the other day I made a rough estimate and placed my figures conservatively. I estimated that the mines adjacent to Sumpter were paying out monthly the enormous sum of \$70,000 for labor and supplies. All this money finds its way into circulation in Baker county, and no wonder there are good times.

"One thing I wish to say is that people are rushing into the mining camps expecting to find work. Few of these people are miners and know but little of mining life. They haven't the least idea of prospecting, even. There is no employment for them, and all such become a burden sooner or later, not alone to themselves but the community. To all such I would advise they had better remain away. The unskilled laborer can do better in other localities."—Baker City Democrat.

Good Words for the Diamond Mills.

A. H. Curtis, proprietor of the Diamond roller mills, of The Dalles, Or., writes us that there is plenty of wheat in the vicinity of that place for all requirements and some to spare at present. This is one of the mills that Oregon is justly proud of. It turns out better flour, and commands always 50 cents per barrel over all standard brands. The wheat comes from the Klickitat valley. There is only one other mill in the Pacific Northwest that receives the same price for its output—the Goldendale mill, at Goldendale, Wash., that also uses the same wheat. Mr. Curtis reports the crop outlook as very good at present.—Commercial Review.

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