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PERSONAL MENTION

Mr. J. L. Kelly and family of this city are at Newport, Or., taking their outing.

Mr. A. J. Dufur was a passenger on the Dalles City this morning, going to Portland to bring his wife home.

Mr. George Gibbons went to Portland this morning, to attend the meeting of the grand lodge A. O. U. W., to which he is a delegate.

Mrs. C. F. Stephens went to Portland this morning to attend the meeting of the grand lodge Degree of Honor, she representing Fern Lodge in that county.

John P. Thompson, treasurer of Decatur county, Indiana, Mr. Tackett, clerk, and Mr. Daly, commissioner of the same county, and Mr. Moore, a capitalist, left this morning on the boat for Portland.

In this city, Sunday, July 18th, to Mr. and Mrs. A. Urquhart, a daughter.

Upright and faithful gentlemen or ladies to travel for responsible, established house in Oregon. Monthly \$65 and expenses.

Save Your Grain. Few realize that each squirrel destroys \$1.50 worth of grain annually.

A gray mare, branded G on left shoulder. Was originally one of the O. S. Morgan band, and was raised on the range adjacent to 3-Mile creek.

All county warrants registered prior to Feb. 1, 1893, will be paid at my office. Interest ceases after July 14 1897.

Do you want your windows cleaned, carpets taken up, beaten and re-laid, or janitor work of any kind done by a first-class man?

A Man's Character Cannot Always Be Discerned in His Face. "I used to be a strong believer in physiognomy," said R. C. Ridley to a Washington Star writer.

ANYBODY CAN AFFORD A GRAVE Mexican Cemetery in Which a Resting Place Can Be Had at Small Cost.

How to get rich. \$25 will earn you \$7 weekly. With our plan of investment. You cannot lose.

Write for particulars to "Guarantee Bro' erage Co., offices 213 and 215 Byrne building, Los Angeles, Cal."

WAR BALLOONS.

Many of Them Used During the Siege of Paris.

An Excellent Method of Getting Within the Enemy's Lines—Ballooning Has Since Become an Important Branch of Military Study.

The last big European war taught the French more about ballooning than they would otherwise have learned in a generation.

One hundred and sixty persons, including Gambetta, were carried safely over the Parisian lines, and 2,500,000 letters were sent.

Since then ballooning has been made an important branch of military study, and the course through which the ballooning corps has to pass is becoming daily more scientific and severe.

The equipment of a balloon corps, besides the balloon itself, consists essentially of two wagons, one large and heavy, somewhat resembling a lumber truck, and the other considerably smaller.

At the word of command the balloon, always inflated, is released, and bounds upward to the height of several hundred feet.

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PLANTS THAT GO INTO A TRANCE

Eastern Man Invents a Plan for Arresting Vegetation.

A curious exhibit is made at the Mechanics' fair. It is nothing more nor less than a display of "mummified" plants. It requires a label to inform the people that they are dead.

CHAMPION MEAN MAN.

A Discovery in Virginia That Far Exceeds All Previous Ones.

"I located the meanest man in the world a few days ago," said a traveling man, according to the Washington Star.

POISONED AIR.

What Produces Discomfort in a Crowded Room.

A very important investigation into the nature of the substances contained in air expired by human beings, says the London Graphic.

NEBRASKA CORN FOR SALE

Nebraska corn for sale at the Wasco warehouse. Best feed on earth.

YELLOW WASHING POWDER

Yellow washing powder will make your clothes the same color.

C. W. PHELPS & CO.

Agricultural Implements.

Drapers Manufactured and Repaired. Pitts' Threshers, Powers and Extras.

Pitts' Harrows and Cultivators. Celebrated Plano Header.

Lubricating Oils, Etc. White Sewing Machine and Extras.

EAST SECOND STREET. THE DALLES, OR.

HON. W. J. BRYAN'S BOOK.

THE FIRST BATTLE is an interesting story of the great political struggle of 1896, its most important events and the many issues involved.

Richly and durably bound in English Cloth, plain edges; portrait of the author forming the design on cover.

SUCCESS OF THREE SISTERS.

Reverses in Fortune Induce Them to Open a Lunch Room.

The city of Cincinnati possesses a striking example of what can be done by woman's pluck when accompanied by practical common sense.

They secured a room in a business block and established a lunch-room, where they made a specialty of home cooking. Most of the work they did with their own hands.

The clientele is very large. For rent and services alone the yearly expenses are \$10,000. The prices charged for food are very reasonable.

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NOTICE-SALE OF CITY LOTS.

Notice is hereby given that by authority of ordinance No. 292, which passed the Common Council of Dalles City April 10th, 1897.

Lots 9 and 10 jointly, in block 14; lots 7, 8, 9 and 10, jointly in block 15; lots 7, 8, 9, and 10, jointly in block 21.

The reasonable value of said lots, for less than which they will not be sold, has been fixed and determined by the Common Council of Dalles City as follows:

Lots 9 and 10, in block 14, \$150; lots 7, 8, 9 and 10, jointly in block 15, \$200; lots 7, 8, 9 and 10, jointly in block 21, \$200.

Each of these lots will be sold upon the lot respectively, and none of them will be sold for a less sum than the value thereof, as above stated.

One-fourth of the price bid on any of said lots shall be paid in cash at the time of sale, and the remainder in three equal payments on or before, one, two and three years from the date of said sale.

The said sale will begin on the 15th day of May, 1897, at the hour of 2 o'clock p. m. of said day.

For Sale. Lots A, B, C and L, block 30; A, B, block 72; A, B, C, D, E and F, block 82.

Wanted. Agents for "Queen Victoria, Her Reign and Diamond Jubilee."

First National Bank. THE DALLES - - - OREGON A General Banking Business transacted.

DIRECTORS. D. P. THOMPSON. JNO. S. SCHENCK. ED. M. WILLIAMS. GEO. A. LIEBE. H. M. BRALL.

HARRY LIEBE, PRACTICAL Watchmaker & Jeweler

ALL work promptly attended to, and warranted. 174 VOGT BLOCK.

This is Your Opportunity. On receipt of ten cents, cash or stamps, a generous sample will be mailed of the most popular Ointment and Hay Fever Cure (Ely's Cream Balm).

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NORTHERN PACIFIC RY.

Pullman Sleeping Cars. Elegant Dining Cars. Tourist Sleeping Car.

ST. PAUL. MINNEAPOLIS. DULUTH. FARGO. GRAND FORK. CROOKSTON. WINNIPEG. HELENA and BUTTE.

Through Tickets. CHICAGO. WASHINGTON. PHILADELPHIA. NEW YORK. BOSTON AND ALL PORTS EAST AND SOUTH.

For information, time cards, maps and tickets, call on or write to W. C. ALLAWAY, Agent, The Dalles, Oregon.

A. D. CHARLTON, Asst. G. P. A., 255 Morrison Cor. Third, Portland Oregon.

EAST and SOUTH via The Shasta Route

Southern Pacific Comp'y.

Trains leave and are due to arrive at Portland.

Table with columns LEAVE and ARRIVE. Includes routes like OVERLAND EXPRESS, Roseburg and way station, etc.

DINING CARS ON OGDEN ROUTE. PULLMAN BUFFET SLEEPERS AND SECOND-CLASS SLEEPING CARS.

Direct connection at San Francisco with Occidental and Oriental and Pacific mail steamship lines for JAPAN and CHINA.

Through Ticket Office, 134 Third street, where through tickets to all points in the Eastern States, Canada and Europe can be obtained at lowest rates from J. B. KIRKLAND, Ticket Agent.

YAMHILL DIVISION. Passenger Depot, foot of Jefferson street.

Leave for OSWEGO, daily, except Sunday, at 7:20 a. m.; 12:15, 1:45, 5:25, 6:45, 8:05 p. m.

Leave for AIRLIE on Monday, Wednesday and Friday at 9:30 a. m. Arrive at Portland, Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday at 5:05 p. m.

R. KOEHLER, Manager. G. H. MARKHAM, Asst. G. P. & Pass. Agt.

Dalles, Moro and Antelope STAGE LINE.

Through by daylight via Grass Valley, Kent and Cross Hollows. DOUGLAS ALLEN, The Dalles. C. M. WHITELAW, Antelope.

Stages leave The Dalles from Umatilla House at 7 a. m., also from Antelope at 7:30 a. m. every Monday, Wednesday and Friday.

Stages from Antelope reach The Dalles Tuesdays, Thursdays and Saturdays at 1:30 p. m.

RATES OF FARE. Dalles to Deschutes \$1.00. Moro \$1.50. Grass Valley \$2.25. Kent \$3.00. Cross Hollows \$4.50. Antelope to Cross Hollows \$1.50.

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