

Talking About Shoes



We have decided to close out our entire line of Ladies' Ox-Blood and Tan Lace and Button Shoes, That sell regularly for from \$3 to \$5, at \$2.50 PER PAIR

Until sold out. They will not last long at this price, and first comers have first choice. Displayed in center window.

Travel in Style

Traveling Bags Grips &

A Complete Line of Leather and Wicker Grips, Traveling Bags and Telescopes

Leather Grips at from \$1.50 to 7.50 Wicker Grips at from 50 to 1.25 Wicker Telescopes at from 30 to 75

These goods are displayed in our furnishing goods window.



ALL GOODS MARKED IN PLAIN FIGURES.

PEASE & MAYS

"The Delft"



Enameled Ware.

Mixed Blue and White outside and White inside.

"The Delft" is the latest ware out in cooking utensils. Prices are about the same as granite ware, and a great deal cheaper than the aluminum ware, and prettier than either of them. Call and see the goods at

MAIER & BENTON'S

167 Second Street.

Big Drop in Prices of Bicycles.

The season is getting late, and to close out our stock now on hand we have marked them down to

Less than Cost

MAYS & CROWE.

Jos. T. Peters & Co.

DEALERS IN

Agricultural Implements, Champion Mowers and Reapers, Craver Headers, Bain Wagons, Randolph Headers and Reapers, Drapers, Lubricating Oils, Axle Grease, Blacksmith Coal and Iron.

Agents for Waukegan Barb Wire.

2nd Street, Cor. Jefferson,

THE DALLES.

Complete Line of

Fishing Tackle, Notions, Baseball Goods, Hammocks, Baby Carriages, Books and Stationery at Bedrock Prices. at the

Jacobsen Book & Music Co.

Where will also be found the largest and most complete line of Pianos and other Musical Instruments in Eastern Oregon.

Mail Orders will receive prompt attention.

New Vogt Block,

The Dalles, Oregon.

Wasco Warehouse Company

Headquarters for Seed Grain of all kinds. Headquarters for Feed Grain of all kinds. Headquarters for Rolled Grain, all kinds. Headquarters for Bran, Shorts, and all kinds of MILL FEED. Headquarters for "Byers' Best" Pendleton Flour. This Flour is manufactured expressly for family use; every sack is guaranteed to give satisfaction.

We sell our goods lower than any house in the trade, and if you don't think so call and get our prices and be convinced.

Highest Prices Paid for Wheat, Barley and Oats.

GEORGE RUCH PIONEER GROCER.

[Successor to Chrisman & Corson.

FULL LINE OF STAPLE and FANCY GROCERIES.

Again in business at the old stand. I would be pleased to see all my former patrons. Free delivery to any part of town.

has the best Dress Goods WHO has the best Shoes has everything to be found in a first-class Dry Goods Store.

C. F. STEPHENS.

The Dalles Daily Chronicle.

FRIDAY, - - - AUGUST 20, 1897

NOTICE.

All persons having claims against The Dalles National Bank, of The Dalles, Oregon, must present the same to H. S. Wilson, receiver, with the legal proof thereof, within three months from the date hereof, or they may be disallowed.

JAMES H. ECKELS, Comptroller.

WAYSIDE CLEANINGS.

Random Observations and Local Events of Lesser Magnitude.

This was ladies' day at the Moody bowling alleys in every sense of the word, for Mrs. Geo. C. Blakeley broke the record of the alley with a score of 61.

Maloney's condition is unchanged this morning, which is in his favor. With no change for the worse in the next twenty-four hours, his chances for pulling through will be good.

The steamer Queen arrived at Seattle from Alaska Wednesday, and brings reports that strikes have been made on Stewart's river that are as rich or richer than the Klondike, and they are on United States soil.

A woman named Anderson was arrested this morning, charged with the larceny of a watch from Joe Koehler. The case will be tried before Recorder Sinnott this evening at 7 o'clock, Mr. F. W. Wilson appearing for the defense.

The harvest is only about one-third over, and perhaps hardly that. The recent warm winds will cause some of the very late spring sown grain to shrivel, and will cause some loss in the cutting of the fall grain, on account of the latter shattering.

The wheat crop of the United States is estimated this year at 575,000,000 bushels, and the rise of 5 cents a bushel day before yesterday added \$30,000,000 to its value, and that means as much as is expected to be taken from the Klondike next year.

And now the scientists have turned their attention to the great lakes, and assert that in the course of time, they do not say how long, the Niagara will cease to carry the lake waters to the ocean, but that they will break through from Lake Michigan and empty into the Mississippi. It would be an easy matter to divert the flow into the canal now building from Chicago to the waters of the Mississippi, and so leave all Canada without water transportation on the St. Lawrence.

Last Friday morning a cow belonging to Westley Bailey, a farmer who resides on H. Debus' place, a few miles from Walla Walla, accidentally fell into a sixty-foot well which was being used for a garbage dump. It was at first supposed that the animal had been killed by the fall, but her loud bellowing soon proved the contrary. It required nine hours of labor with a derrick and two

horses to release the unfortunate, but when she was brought to the surface she appeared but little the worse for wear, and immediately began munching grass.

L. C. Coleman returned to Jacksonville from San Francisco last week. While at that city he had four sugar beets, raised on Griffin creek, analyzed at the Spreckels refinery. The result showed that they averaged ten ounces in weight, contained 16.53 per cent of sugar and co-efficient of purity of 85 per cent. The percentage of saccharine matter is high, especially as the beets are not matured. Those containing 14 per cent sugar, with a co-efficient of purity of over 80 per cent, are considered good. Should beets raised in other parts of Jackson county turn out equally well, a factory may be put up in the near future.

Cyrus G. Harwood of Milton was in town the other day, having nearly recovered from a peculiar misfortune that nearly cost him his life. He had been at Meacham, and was driving down the mountain toward Pendleton, when some insect lit upon his hand. He brushed it away and was shocked by a sudden sting. In a few minutes he fell from his wagon, crazed with pain. He was found on the road unconscious and conveyed to a mountain house, where he was sick for several days and came near to death's door. As soon as he could bear removal he was taken to his home at Milton, and has since grown stronger. Mr. Harwood has no idea what the thing was that bit him, as he did not see it when he brushed it off. He can only theorize that it may have been some poisonous spider that made its home in the brush along the roadside.—East Oregonian.

Slight Check.

"They say you can't arrest the flight of time."

"Certainly not."

"Well, this morning, when I was coming down town, I stopped a minute."—Columbus (Ohio) State Journal.

Horror of the Gold Fever.

"My wife will be the first Klondike widow."

"Why? Are you going?"

"No; but I'm being talked to death by men who want to borrow money to get there."—Chicago Record.

First Farmer (at railroad station)—You're a farmer, too, eh?

Second Farmer—Yes; been farmin' a good many years.

First Farmer—That so? Glad to meet ye. Where is your farm—in the flood district, the drought section, the grass-hopper region or the cyclone belt?—New York Weekly.

"The trouble with your wife, Mr. Spudds," said the physician, "is lack of exercise."

"What can I do for it?"

"I would put in a telephone, and then she will be kept busy delivering messages for the neighborhood."—Life.

The merchant who tells you he has something else as good as Hoe Cake soap is a good man—to keep away from. a2-3m

PROGRAM ARRANGED.

Liberal Purses Are Offered for the Coming Tournament.

The executive committee, in whose hands was placed the arranging of the program for the tournament have decided upon the different attractions for the occasion, and the program decided upon will be one that will attract the attention of visiting firemen. The purses are sufficiently large to cause contesting teams to do their best, and it is expected some records will be broken at this meeting of the association.

Following is the program adopted by the committee, which begins September 6th, and lasts three days:

MONDAY.

Grand parade 10:30. Banquet at Vogt opera house, 12 m. Welcome to visiting firemen, by Mayor M. T. Nolan.

Address by Nicholas J. Sinnott. Trial heat hub-and-hub race 2:30 p. m. Delegate meeting at court house 8 p. m.

TUESDAY.

Wet test 9:30; first prize \$100, second prize \$50. Dry test 2:30; first prize \$100, second prize \$50.

WEDNESDAY.

Final hub-and-hub race 9:30; first prize \$75, second prize \$50. Championship race 2:30; first prize \$150, second prize \$50 and championship cup.

Grand ball at Vogt opera house at 9 p. m.

And Still Another.

The following, clipped from the Seattle Post-Intelligencer, tells of still another steamer for the Yukon:

"Mr. Hamilton yesterday received a telegram from the Chicago office of the North American Transportation & Trading Company, instructing him to reserve space on either the Portland or the Cleveland for the material to build a steel steamer for the Yukon river fleet of the company. The ribs and plates will come ready to be riveted together, and the work has been almost completed in Chicago. The idea of the steel steamer, Mr. Hamilton says, is that of light draught and quick building, all that is necessary in construction after arriving at Fort Get There, the place where the boat will be put together, being the riveting of the plates to the frames. The dispatch said that Edward Boonings would come out with the material and superintend the building. The new steamer is already named the Captain John C. Barr. It is not expected that she will be ready to take any part in this year's business. She is to be 125 feet long and 28 feet beam, her dead weight in a knock-down condition being 100 tons.

The Governor's Salary.

The decision of the supreme court compelling the secretary of state to audit claims against the state, is a blow to Governor Lord, whose perquisites will be reduced by it \$1800 a year, as the decision says the secretary shall draw

warrants "only for such expenditures as are clearly authorized by the statutes."

It appears that the governor's "salary" is made up of the following items: Salary, authorized by the constitution, \$500; prison inspector, \$500; asylum trustee, \$500; domestic animal commission, \$200; trustee mute school, \$250; trustee reform school, \$250; expenses asylum trustee, \$100; supervising public works, \$1000. Total \$4350.

The three items, supervising public works, \$1000; asylum trustee, \$500; prison inspector, \$300, are not "plainly authorized by statute," so it is said that the governor will lose them unless he consents to call an extra session of the legislature to meet the requirements.

School Fund Apportionment.

Below we give the apportionment of state school fund and county school fund for Wasco county, for August, 1897. The total number of children in the county between the ages of four and twenty years is 3983. The total amount apportioned was \$9505.87, being \$4142.32 state funds and \$5363.55 county funds, making \$1.04 and \$1.35 per capita respectively. District school clerks should receipt for their warrant immediately on the enclosed card and keep the amount of each fund separate for the purpose of the annual school report.

Table with 4 columns: No., Name of Clerk, Address, Amt. Lists names and amounts for various districts.

Mrs Smith—Bridget, I told you to get ham for dinner, and you got the steak. Bridget—Shure, Oi never eat ham.—Evening News.