

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.

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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.

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"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 war, 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.

GEORGE RUCH PIONEER GROCER.

(Successor to Chrisman & Cornon.)

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.

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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.

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.

SATURDAY - - - AUGUST 21, 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.

Washington, D. C., June 5, 1897. JAMES H. ECKELS, Comptroller.

WAYSIDE CLEANINGS.

Random Observations and Local Events of Lesser Magnitude.

Ten cars of sheep will be shipped East tonight. They belong to John Little of Antelope.

The officers of the Columbia Southern Railway Company are, President, E. E. Lytle; General Manager, D. C. O'Reilly; Secretary, M. Earright; Treasurer, J. P. Marshall.

One vagrant occupied the city jail last night, and got the usual dose this morning when brought before the city recorder.

Dan Maloney's condition remains unchanged, except that he has more or less fever. He passed a fairly good night, but he is not yet out of danger.

Lutheran service in the basement of the new church tomorrow as follows: Morning service at 11 a. m., Sunday school at 12:05. There will be no evening service.

Calvary Baptist Church, preaching at 11 a. m. by Elder J. H. Miller; Sunday school, 10 a. m.; young people's meeting, 7 p. m., and preaching at 8 p. m. by Elder Orlando Osborne.

The pastor, J. H. Wood, will occupy the pulpit at the Methodist church tomorrow morning. There will be no service in the evening; but the League will hold its regular meeting at 7 o'clock.

Mrs. Anderson, who was arrested yesterday charged with the theft of a watch, had her examination before Recorder Sinnott, Mr. F. W. Wilson appearing for her. The evidence failed to substantiate the charge, and she was promptly discharged.

The weather forecast for tomorrow is fair and warmer. This is getting decidedly monotonous and calls for united protest against Pague. What we need is a few blasts from Northern Alaska to mix with this small section of sheel that has come to abide with us.

L. E. Moe, who returned to Albany from Yaquina bay, says that the people of Newport had rare sport one day last week attacking a 100-foot whale, which swam into the bay and lashed the placid waters into a foam. Several riflemen emptied their magazines at the monster, but the fusillade made no impression upon the huge leviathan of the deep, and it swam out to sea again, disporting for hours in sight of an admiring crowd.

The poem which appears in this is-

sue is a very fetching bit of rhyme. It was written in a fit of chagrin at Pague's unwarranted job lot of weather, but in less than an hour the west wind started to blowing gently, and while it has not reminded one of a refrigerator this afternoon, yet the improvement was great. We always knew the power of poetry to move not only humanity, but even inanimate things, and would have written this rhyme of the season yesterday, but could not get out of town until Sunday.

Mrs. E. J. Collins gave a pleasant afternoon "at home" Thursday in honor of Miss Collins, of Pasadena, Cal. Cards were arranged, on which were questions, the answers being eighteen parts of the human body. Miss Story won the first prize and Miss Clara Nickelson the consolation prize. Light refreshments were served, after which the guests found much enjoyment in a game of croquet. Among the invited guests were: Mesdames Brooks, Gray, Boyd of Seattle; Misses Storey of McMinville, Whealdon, VanFactor, Deming, Constance Whealdon, Edna Glenn, Clara Nickelson, Grace Glenn and others.

Back From Alaska.

Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Butler arrived home from Alaska last night, having had one of the most delightful trips imaginable. Going up on the Elder of course everything was crowded, but everybody made the best of the situation, and the cosmopolitan character of the crowd was in itself a pleasant experience. They stopped several days at Skaguay and Dyea and enjoyed the experience. Mr. Butler says there are probably 7,000 men at Skaguay and Dyea and on the trails between those points and the lakes, and that the plunder in the shape of supplies is something wonderful. With the present facilities for getting supplies across the mountains, he says it would take three years to move what is now awaiting shipment. With the opening of spring Mr. Butler thinks Skaguay will be a city of 30,000 people. The great problem is to devise some means of overcoming the difficulties of getting freight across the mountains, and how this will be done is still a mystery.

They came back on the Queen, and had a pleasant trip home.

A PUBLIC PETITION.

For heaven's sake, Pague, won't you please to let go, And order us frost, sleet, hail, ice and snow? Won't you stop getting weather from over the Styx. The thermometer from reaching 106? Won't you turn your old wind gauge around to the west, And give us a sea breeze, and also a rest? Turn your eyes from the skies you so knowingly scan, And wait us a breath from the isles of Japan. Webfooter and bunchgrassers swear and perspire As the mercury races up higher and higher, With its safety valve locked. Is it never to stop? Or shall we forever sweat, sizzle and mop? Oh! Pague, we beseech you, catch on to the weather, And don't broil us all on your gridiron together! Relent and repent, and from off the cool seas Give us a breeze, Pague! Give us a breeze! Subscribe for THE CHRONICLE.

BIG FIRE AT ELGIN.

One Block On the Principal Business Street Is Swept Away.

A fire at Elgin this morning consumed all the buildings except one on the block on the north side of Main street from Becker's saloon to Fine's livery stable. Particulars of the fire were brought up by Charles Palmer, W. H. Halgarth and Oliver Halgarth. The fire broke out in Becker's saloon and was discovered by Oliver Halgarth at about 12:30 o'clock, but in what manner the fire originated is as yet unknown. The flames rapidly spread down the street and burned out the following business places: Becker's saloon, Payne's shoe shop, Wm. Ezell's building, Postoffice, White & McLeod's office, livery stable, Garrett & Halgarth's blacksmith shop and the city jail. There was but one building on the block, a residence building belonging to R. C. Mays, which escaped destruction.

The people were quickly aroused by the alarm of fire and worked the best they could to stop the destruction of property. Most all of the contents of the buildings were saved. One of the heaviest losers is Wm. Fine, proprietor of the livery stable and meat market, who had no insurance. It is stated that there was insurance of \$500 on the saloon building, also some insurance on Wm. Ezell's house.

This same district was swept over by the big fire which occurred in Elgin three or four years ago.—Friday's La Grande Chronicle.

The Salmon Catch.

Mr. G. T. Myers, the extensively known canneryman, who is just back from Puget Sound, says the Telegram, gives a very good reason for the prevalent demoralization in the salmon market.

"The season for canning the 'sockeye' or red salmon, has just closed on the sound and 310,000 cases of that species have been packed there. The fall fish is now beginning to run, from which I expect and equally large result," said Mr. Myers.

"The pack on the Fraser river will be greater than in any preceding year. The canners there are preparing to pack 1,000,000 cases before the whole season is ended.

"The runs on the Skeena and Nass rivers do not come up to expectations, but the deficiency there will be compensated by the Alaska product."

Mr. Myers did not venture to peer into the future condition of the market this year; but it stands to reason that there will be no firmness in it. Instead of being handled as a staple product, without much fluctuation, as heretofore, this year's catch will be a speculative article with which jobbers are likely to overstock themselves.

A Somerville woman who was persuaded by a neighbor to drink some "pure juice of the grape" the other day, protests that it is not intoxicating, but just the same she spent all the afternoon trying to sew chlorate of potash tablets for buttons on her husband's shirts.