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### PERSONAL MENTION.

J. C. Wingfield, an 8 Mile farmer, is

H. M. Parry of Rufus was in town this morning.

is up from Portland.

chant, is in the city. Mrs. J. A. Smith of Portland is in the city visiting Mrs. J. M. Marden.

Ray W. Logan left on this morning's

train for Eugene, where he will enter the University of Oregon. C. E. Vilas of Seattle is in the city on business connected with the loan association of which he is manager,

Mr. James H. Oakes of the firm of Oakes & Wilson, merchants at Mitchell, is in the city on his way to Portland.

Prof. J. L. Ullery arrived this morning from Ohio, on his way to Prineville riage ceremony was performed that to take the principale ip of the academy recently established in that progressive

### NATURE'S LAKE OF SOFT SOAP A Curious Formation in the Far Northwest Which Lathers at a Touch.

The Creat Northern Railway company lately announced a rate of 60 cents per 100 pounds on soap slush from Northern Pacific coast points to Chicago and Mississippi and Missouri river points, says the Seattle Times. Some one has requested a rate on this ecmmodity, but there does not appear to be many people who know what scap slush is. One ingenious gentleman said that it was the product of certain small lakes on the line of the road that are filled with a thick silica water, which, when one's hands are washed in it, gives a lather that would bring joy to the heart of any washerwoman or tonsorial artist. When the hair is washed in this wonderful native product the head swells with lather till it takes the proportions of a snow mountain. Sunburn on the face vanishes as mist before the sunshine in June.

There is a lake of this wonderful liquid," said this veracious informant, over on the East side. It is a mile long and proportionally broad. Do you know that we are really yet in ignorance of what we have in this country?" Local soap people, when asked to define and tell about soap slush, were nonplused. They bave it up. Another party said that not long ago he received a curious product from Walla Walla, a kind of sand mixed with sonp substances, from which it was thought soap could be probably made here to supply the washerwomen of the goat.

commons in the New York suburbs. A last effort to determine the character of soap slush elicited the information that the commodity originated at Portland, probably at the horse meat cannery

### Potato Enters.

The people of Germany and Belgium are the greatest potato caters. The consumption in these countries exceeds 1,000 pounds per head of population.

### Fatal Flowers.

Buttercups were devoured recently by an English child with a fatal result. At least the coroner could find no other cause for death.

### Buckton's Arinca Salve.

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The board of equalization will meet the first Monday in October, at which eighth volume of the Sporting Magatime all who are dissatisfied with their assessment, will be given the opportun-87 -d&wtf. ity to correct any error.

### AN OREGON KLONDIKE.

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CAJOLED THE JURY.

An Interesting Incident of a Memorable Lawsuit.

The jury in the Martha Washington case, a famous trial of 40 years ago, wherein the captain of the steamboat Martha Washington and others were charged with burning the boat to secure insurance, was chosen with difficulty, says McClure's Magazine. During their five weeks' service the members of it were assailed on every side by the zealous feminine sympathizers of the accused. By every art possible to youth, beauty and wit and the reckless abandon of lives largely spent in the companionship of adventurers were they approached. "If you do not go into that jury room and vote 'not guilty' in an hour you will be a dead man," said the wife of the captain, confronting an aged juror on the staircase. Sprung from an old and respectable Massachusetts family, she was a singularly beautiful, brilliant, dashing woman. Mr. L. Lakin, formerly of this city, She had gone in early girlhood to the west and became enamored of the pic-Mr. Wilbur Bolton, the Antelope mer- turesque river captain, who did not see fit to marry her and went off to Mexico and opened his gambling house on the Rio Grande. One day as he sat dealing faro there his affianced presented herself. Disguised in a man's attire and armed with a brace of pistols, she had made her way without detection to the Rio Grande. She was a skilled shot and could hit a dollar neross a room, Leveling a pistol of the recreant lover's head, she said in a short, sharp voice: "Marry me, or take this in your head!" The astounded exptain replied: "Why, Ollie, my dear, is that you?" The mar-

### A BLACK CAT'S VISIT.

Fate of a Woman Who Belleved It Brought Good Luck.

The black cat superstition certainly has a strong hold. A strange black eat came to the residence of a Troy family during the present year, and it was occasionally fed by the kind-hearted woman of the house. The eat, kept coming, says the Troy Press, and insisted upon domesticating itself, and the woman laughingly remarked to her friends that it was a sign of good luck. But she had no children, and did not want to be troubled with a cat. She told her husband that he must get rid of it. They disliked to kill the cat, and finally decided to take it into the country and drop it.

Late one afternoon they put the cat in a kag and drove about five miles, when they untied the bag and freed the cat, after which they returned rapidly. The woman died inside of half an hour after reaching home, an aceident befalling her.

If it be good luck for a black eat to come to one's house, it surely must signify poor luck to take or drive it The woman was familiar with away. the omen, as she had repeatedly referred to it, but probably never stopped to consider that such a sign would imply evil consequences if the harbinger of good was turned away. At all events, she took the black cat away, and was killed almost immediately thereafter. While we take no stock whatever in this popular superstition, we know the facts to be as stated.

A few days after the funeral the cat

### HE WAS REAL NICE.

This Telegraph Cierk, and She Will Patronize Him Exclusively.

She sailed into the telegraph office and rapped on the receiving clerk's win-The receiving clerk rememdow. bered that she had been there about ten minutes before as he came forward to meet her. He wondered what she wanted this time, says the Cincinnati Enquirer.

"Oh," she said, "let me have that telegram I wrote just now. I forgot something very important. I wanted to un derscore the words 'perfectly lovely' in acknowledging the receipt of that bracelet. Will it cost anything extra?" "No, ma'am," said the clerk, as he

handed her the message.

The young lady drew two heavy lines beneath the words and said: "It's awfully good of you to let me

do that. It will please Charlie so much." "Don't mention it," said the clerk, "If you would like, I will put a few drops of nice violet extract on the telegram at the same rates."

"Oh, thank you, sir. You don't know how much I would appreciate it. I'm going to send all my telegrams through this office, you are so obliging."

And the smile she gave him would have done anyone good to have seen.

Origin of the Word "Snob."

"While turning over the leaves of the zine, published in 1796," says a writer in Notes and Queries, "I have tome upon what I think is a very early instance of the word 'sach.' The cons text does not indicate its meaning, but I apprehend there is no doubt that we must interpret it by the shoemaker. The writer is discoursing of races at Whitechurch. He says that 'there was a very respectable field; and although neither the duke of Queensbury, Lord Egremont nor his royal highness the prince of Wales were present, it being a holiday time, a number of royal snobs were."

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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 passed the Common Council of Dalles City April 10th, 1897, entitled, "An ordinance to provide for the sale of certain lots belonging to Dalles City," I will, on Saturday, the 15th day of May, 1897, sell at public auction, to the highest bidder, all the following lots and parts of lots in Gates addition to Dalles City, was county Oracon to with

of lots in Gates addition to Dalles City, Wasco county, Oregon, to-wit:

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, known as botte; lots 10, 11 and 12, in block 27; lot 9 in block 34; lots 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10 and 11, in block 35; lots 2, 3, 4, 8, 9, 10, 11 and 12, in block 36; lots 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11 and 12, in block 36; lots 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11 and 12, in block 42; lots 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 8, 9, 10, 11 and 12, in block 43; lots 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 9, 10 and 11, in block 43; lots 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 9, 10 and 12, in block 43; lots 1, 2, 3, 7, 10, 11 and 12, in block 43; lots 1, 2, 3, 7, 10, 11 and 12, in block 46.

The reasonable value of sa 2 lots, for less than which they will not be sold,

less than which they will no. ie sold, has been fixed and determined by the Common Council of Dalles City as follows, to-wit:

lows, to-wit:

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; lot 10, in block 27, \$225; lot 11, in block 27, \$225; lot 11, in block 27, \$225; lot 11, in block 27, \$225; lot 12, in block 27, \$300; lot 9, in block 34, \$100; lots 2, 8, 4, 5, 8, 9, 10 and 11, in block 35, each respectively \$100; lots 6 and 7, in block 35, each respectively \$125; lots 2, 3, 4, 8, 9, 10 and 11, in block 36, each respectively \$100; lot 12, in block 36, \$125; lots 3, 4, 5, 8, 9, 10 and 11, in block 37, each re-5, 8, 9, 10 and 11, in block 37, each re-5, 8, 9, 10 and 11, in block 37, each respectively \$100; lots 6, 7 and 12, in block 37, each respectively \$125; lots 2, 3, 10 and 11, in block 41, each respectively \$100; lots 1, 7 and 12, in block 41, each respectively \$125; lots 3, 4, 5, 8, 9, 10 and 11, in block 42, each respectively \$100; lot s, 6 and 12, in block 42, each respectively \$125; lots 2, 3, 4, 5, 9, 10 and 11, in block 43, each respectively \$100; lot 1, in block 43, \$125; lots 2, 3, 4 and 5, in block 46, each respectively \$100; lots 1 and 6, in block 46, each respectively and 6, in block 46, each respectively

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, with interest on such deferred payments at the rate of 10 per cent per annum, payable annually; provided that the payment may be made in full at any time at the option of the purchaser.

chaser.

The said sale will begin on the 15th day of May, 1897, at the hour of 2 o'clock p. m. of said day, and will continue from time to time until all of said lots shall be sold.

Dated this 13th day of April, 1897.

Gilbert W. Phelps.

Recorder of Dalles City.

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### Executor's Sale.

Pursuant to an order of the County Court of the State of Oregon for the Wasco County, made and entered on the 3d day of May, 1897, in the matter of the estate of James McGahan, deceased, directing me to see be real property belonging to the estate of some county of the highest of the estate of some county of the estate of some county

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No 3, from Spokane and Great Northern, arrives at 8:30 a.m., departs at 8:35 a.m. No. 1, from Bakir City and Uniou Pacific, arrives at 8:55 a.m., departs at 4:00 a.m. Nos. 23 and 24, moving east of The Dalles, will carry passengers. No. 23 grrives at 6:30 p. m., departs at 12:45 p. m.

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