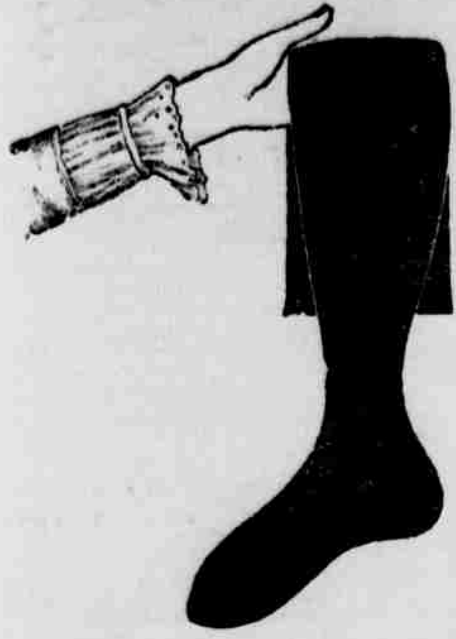


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- One '95 Eagle Gent's Wheel \$30
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In order to make room for our new stock, we are making the above

Low Prices.

MAIER & BENTON

GEORGE ROWLAND DEAD.

Another of Our Worthy Citizens Passes Away Last Evening.

At about 7 o'clock yesterday evening Geo. Rowland, one of our oldest and most highly respected citizens, passed away at his home, surrounded by the members of his family.

He was taken sick early last fall, and since that time he has been gradually failing, so that his death was not unexpected. However, several weeks ago his condition seemed to change for the better; but for so short a time that hopes were scarcely revived until he began to decline rapidly, until the end came to relieve him from his suffering.

Mr. Rowland was about 60 years old, and ranks among Wasco county's oldest pioneers, having come to this city in 1844. For a number of years he has been engaged in the real estate and insurance business, and was noted for his honest dealings.

About thirty-five years ago he married Miss Taylor, daughter of Judge Taylor, of Polk county, who survives him, and with her to mourn his loss are six of their children—Mrs. Margaret Ainsworth, of this city, Mrs. I. H. Plummer, of Missoula, Allie, Bess and Gertrude Rowland, and one son, Ralph, as well as a grandchild, Lewina Ainsworth.

Mr. Rowland was a leading member of the Christian church in this city, and his religious principle were so practiced in daily life as to be a blessing to those around him, though he would always be the last to mention any act of kindness done by his hands.

This family has been severely afflicted within the past few years, death having entered its circle three times, first taking Miss Levia Rowland, in the bloom of womanhood; then Mr. Ainsworth, not many months ago, and now the head of the family is to be missed. Their friends feel that surely human sympathy avails little, although largely given.

HANGED AT COLFAX.

John Leonard, the Murderer, Pays the Death Penalty.

The legal execution of John Leonard for the murder of Jacob Malquist, at Texas City, occurred at Colfax yesterday afternoon, in the presence of fully 1600 people.

Leonard was brought from the jail and ascended the scaffold steps unassisted, at 1:16 o'clock. Father Kearns, at the request of Leonard, read a short final statement protesting his innocence of wilful murder.

At 1:21 Leonard stepped on the trap, and shook hands with the officers and reporters.

At 1:24 a voice called out, "good-by, Jack," and Leonard responded in full tones, "Good-by, Charley." As the last word left his lips the trap was sprung, and Leonard dropped six feet, the body rebounding slightly and then hung stark, not a movement of the muscles being noticeable. The body hung sixteen minutes, when he was pro-

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The Dalles Daily Chronicle.

SAURDAY - MARCH 26, 1898

WAYSIDE GLEANINGS.

The weather forecast for tonight and Sunday is fair.

New line of Delft Ware just received at Maier & Benton's.

Very little damage has been done by cold to the fruit orchards in Umatilla county.

Bicycle sundries, fishing tackle, guns, rifles and revolvers at Maier & Benton's.

A new line of '98 models. La Tour bicycles at Maier & Benton's. Call and see them.

The Elks will hold their annual election of officers this evening. All members of the order are requested to be present.

Two or three rooms wanted for light housekeeping. No children. Address Box G, this office.

The celebrated maitre cross garden hose, a large shipment just received at Maier & Benton's.

A band of fat porkers was delivered at the stock yards today by James Kelly, of 15-Mile, for the Columbia Packing Co.

About twenty hoboes, who were creating some disturbance, were run in by the officers this morning, and at present are resting in the county jail.

A telegram was received last night from San Francisco stating that Mr. Bettingen was no better, and it is feared by his friends that his sickness may terminate fatally.

Republican primaries are passing off very quietly. A large number of votes are being cast, but it is jaded by everyone to be the quietest affair of the kind The Dalles has ever had.

The funeral of the late George Rowland will take place from the family residence, on the corner of Fourth and Laughlin streets, tomorrow (Sunday) afternoon, at 2 o'clock. Friends of the family invited.

The work of excavation for the new water main on east Second street is finished and about half the pipe is laid down. Today the workmen are busily engaged in filling in, and in a very short time the street will be in shape again.

In a private letter from our townsman, Fred W. Skibbe, he states that he has his hotel in Skagway ready for business, and seems to be well satisfied with his location. He reports many idle men in Skagway, but says men in business there are doing well.

On exhibition in A. M. Williams & Co.'s mammoth show windows may be seen some of the leading popular styles and cloths in spring and summer suits for men's wear. The firm extends a cordial invitation to all to inspect their stock. Seeing is free.

Today some good politician, who had lapped too deeply of the flowing bowl, was beating his way as best he could up Second street, when, in front of C. F.

Stephens' store, he stumbled and fell against the large windows in the front of the building, breaking one of the panes out. Not having the price of the same, he was lodged in jail by the marshal.

Just think, \$2500 will buy 160 acres, a fine fruit farm, three miles from town; three milch cows, five work horses, farm implements, two wagons, fine water privileges—in fact everything complete. For further information and a good bargain see Dad Butts.

The steamer Salem has been put in first-class shape and will take the place of the Regulator on the D. P. & A. N. line. The Regulator will be overhauled and new boilers put in, so that when it goes into service again it will be in perfect shape and the fastest of all the Columbia river boats.

Yesterday Dr. Hollister examined Mrs. Frank Marsh, of 8-Mile, and adjudged her insane. She was sent to the asylum in Salem on this morning's train. The case is a very sad one, but is considered to be somewhat of a temporary nature, and it is hoped she will recover in a short time.

Dr. Hollister was called out to Dufur this morning to attend Mr. Gulliford of that place, who was seriously injured by being thrown from a horse. The doctor found that no bones were broken, but he was badly bruised about the body and will be confined to his room for some time on account of the accident.

Latest reports state that Spain has flatly refused to recall her torpedo flotilla, and is proceeding to fortify Porto Rico. According to this, a clash is near at hand. A report was given out this morning that the Oregon militia has orders to be ready for a call within ten days.

E. W. Carlisle, of 10-Mile, was arrested yesterday under the charge of having torn down a fence enclosing land that was not his own. It seems that he took down the fence and went through Dick Brookhouse's field. As the two were not on friendly terms, Brookhouse had him arrested. He will have his hearing in Justice Filloca's court this afternoon.

Mrs. Phillips' millinery store is a "thing of beauty" today, the occasion being the Easter opening of pattern hats, bonnets, and all sorts of pretty headgear. The ladies are all saying that the abundance of flowers used this season make the hats "too sweet for anything," but a young man who heard the remark said they were none too sweet for the Dalles girls who will wear them.

Manager Kinersly begs to announce the initial appearance of the unsurpassable magician, "Dante," Eliason, and his select company of artists with an entirely new array of mystical novelties—a program of unquestionable merit; new in every detail. Dante's performance is quite a relief for ordinary, and after the frequent visits of operatic and farcial companies, will be indeed quite a relief. So we warn our theatre-goers to prepare to laugh as they have never laughed before, be mystified, startled and carried away with amazement. At

the Vort on Monday and Tuesday, April 4th and 5th. The New York Journal says: "Dante is the only eligible successor to 'Herman the Great'."

We learn from Mr. Schanno, who has been inspecting numerous orchards in the interior, that the scale is worse this year than last. This is probably due to the belief that the early frost in the fall of '96 killed the pest, which caused the owners of orchards to be careless about spraying last spring. In this way the scale got a good start, and all orchards in which any sign of it is found should, by all means, be sprayed this spring.

Johnny Williams, "Frisco," an old-timer in the show business, and who was manager for three years for the late Hermann, the magician, Chas. Frohman and Dan A. Stewart and W. A. Wheelock, pugilistic contests, is in town managing the greatest of all magicians Dante (Eliason.) Mr. Williams called at this office this afternoon. He says he has the greatest show on earth, and wishes it understood that his company is by no means a one-man show, but an aggregation of twelve artists, and from critical endorsements we judge the genial manager tells the truth.

The following is the apportionment of offices made by the Democrats, Silver Republicans and Populists at the convention last night in Portland: The Democrats are to have state treasurer, supreme judge and congressman, first district; Silver Republicans, congressman second district and secretary of state, while the Populists will have governor, state printer, superintendent of public instruction and attorney-general. From what we can learn, the Populists fought to the end, and it was not until 3 o'clock this morning that the apportionment was made. Nominations will, in all probability, be made today.

Farm for Rent.

The farm known as the Crate Donation Claim, situated on the river, five miles west of The Dalles, consisting of about 400 acres, will be rented to responsible party. Also a responsible farm hand wanted to take charge of a farm. Apply to

MAX VOGT & Co.

Sons of Veterans' Entertainment.

The Sons of Veterans will give an entertainment next Tuesday evening, March 8th. A good program, consisting of patriotic songs, recitations and musical selections. In conclusion a fine lunch, donated by the W. K. C., will be served.

Best of All.

To cleanse the system in a gentle and truly beneficial manner, when the springtime comes, use the true and perfect remedy, Syrup of Figs. Buy the genuine. Manufactured by the California Fig Syrup Co., only, and for sale by all druggists, at 50 cents per bottle.

To Cure a Cold in One Day. Take Laxative Bromo Quinine Tablets. All druggists refund the money if they fail to cure. 25c.

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announced dead by the physicians in attendance.

Leonard on the scaffold, although showing nervousness, looked about at the surrounding crowd. The body was at once taken in charge by Father Kearns and conveyed to the cemetery, where funeral exercises were held.

Partial List of Nominations.

At the time of going to press the following nominations had been made at the convention in Portland: Governor, W. B. King, Baker county; secretary of state, H. R. Kincaid, Lane; treasurer, Booth (probably); attorney-general, J. L. Story, of Wasco; supreme judge, Ramsey, of Marion; congressman second district, Donaldson, Baker county.

A Poor Style Hat

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FEWER LOBSTERS EVERY YEAR.

Fish and Game Commissioners Report a Decrease.

Short lobsters are still being killed in large numbers. In spite of the work of the commissioners of fish and game to prevent the traffic in lobsters less than 10 1/2 inches in length, during the last eight years the lobster fisheries have steadily decreased. The last report of the commissioners, just issued, shows: In 1830 the catch of egg-bearing lobsters was 70,000; this year the returns so far received indicate about 20,000, and of all others a decrease of ten per cent. below last year and 45 per cent. below 1890. This is not a sudden decline, but a steady one, showing that if something is not done to preserve this valuable crustacean its end is near.

The board says: "We recommend a shorter open season, and the prohibition of the sale of all inland game killed in this commonwealth. Something should be done to prevent the pothunter and snarer from carrying on his destructive work. The taking of game with the aid of a ferret is prohibited, but the possession of a ferret in field or wood should be prima facie evidence of intent to use it."

"It is now allowed by law to kill deer during the month of November, except on the cape. As they are appearing in considerable numbers in various sections of the state, we recommend that they be protected for a term of years." The commissioners have met with success in hatching Mongolian pheasants at the Winchester breeding place, and Mr. Hobart Ames, of North Easton, and Mr. H. W. Foster, of Fitchburg, have also been successful in raising pheasants in cooperation with the board. The chief step that has been made is in the use of the brooder and incubator. It was at first thought that these could not be used to advantage with the young of so wild a bird, but after some experimenting it has been found possible to hatch 95 per cent. of the chicks, and with a little more experience it is hoped to hatch them all.—Boston Transcript.

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