

Ladies'.... Tailor-made Suits

LADIES WHO VISIT THE SHOWING of our costumes, just received, will be delighted, and our invitation to enjoy the fashion-show will be quickly accepted. Women's tailors have accomplished wonders in a twelvemonth, and the betterment is all here. Interesting for fashion study. Helpful for Spring decisions.

A world of these at \$12.50 to \$20.00. Suits of Serge Cloth and English Homespun.

Ladies' Dress Skirts.

These handsome Skirts have stolen prettiness from the most stylish of the new Tailor-made Suits. The neat cord platings, the new apron effect; every clever idea is shared by these little-priced Dress Skirts. Some highly elegant sorts are shown, and a multitude at the most liked prices.

These hints, at \$6.50 to \$10.00. Skirts of good quality Brocaded Silk and Serge.

Ladies' Jackets AND Capes.

All that is newest in stuffs and style; all that is best in work and finish, is here represented. You will never be satisfied to wear ordinary ready-made or cheap merchant-tailored goods when you can buy such garments as we are showing. Our Jackets and Capes represent the very best materials made by expert custom tailors after the most fashionable models.

Jackets from \$3.50 to \$12.00.
Capes from \$10.00 to \$17.50.

MILLINERY.

This department is now ready for your inspection. The goods shown are selected from the Wholesale Millinery Department of Olds & King, who are acknowledged to be the leading milliners of Portland. We consider ourselves extremely fortunate in being allowed to place before you this beautiful collection of Headwear. Come in! Your mind's worth when you look; your money's worth if you buy.

Plain Hats 25c to the fine Knox sailors, \$4.00.
Trimmed \$2.00 to \$20.00.

PEASE & MAYS.

ALL GOODS MARKED IN
PLAIN FIGURES.

The Dalles Daily Chronicle.

SATURDAY - - - APRIL 2, 1898

WAYSIDE GLEANINGS.

Dante
At the Vogt
Monday and Tuesday.
Postum Cereal Food Coffee at Commission & Grocery Co.'s.
The weather forecast for tonight is fair, but frosty. Sunday, fair.

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

Girl wanted to do general house work. Must be a first-class cook. Inquire at this office. mar30-3t

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

Freight for Canyon City. Will pay 2c a pound. Jacobsen Book and Music Company. m31 2t

The regular business meeting of the Women's Relief Corps will be held at the usual place this evening. All members are requested to be present.

"Not a true bill" was returned by the grand jury Thursday as to young Clemens, who shot and instantly killed Paul Duclos near Dayton on January 29th.

Five splendid French merino rams were shipped through this city to Chas. Cunningham, of Umatilla county, on Thursday. The five weighed 1200 pounds and cost \$600 in Sacramento, Cal.

A party of four men arrived in Sisters, Crook county, recently, having crossed the mountains from the west by the McKenzie route. They passed over eighteen miles of snow, the deepest place not exceeding five feet.

Yesterday afternoon the 7-year old daughter of Harry Mahear, of 8-Mile, fell from a horse and broke one of her arms. She was brought to the city last evening and the fracture was reduced, so that she is resting easy today.

Grand lecture, entertainment and smoker, given under the auspices of Mt. Hood camp No. 59, Woodmen of the World, at Fraternity Hall, Wednesday evening, April 6th, at 8 o'clock. Woodmen are requested to invite their gentlemen friends.

The noted evangelist, Rev. G. F. Miller, of Chicago, will arrive in this city this evening, and will speak at the Methodist church tomorrow at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. He is no less remarkable for being a beautiful singer than an able lecturer. Everyone is cordially invited to attend.

Counsel for the defendant desiring to make some further arguments in the case of the United States vs. I. H. Taffe, an action having for its object the condemnation of certain lands belonging to Taffe, near Cello, Judge Bellinger yesterday consented to give the counsel an audience Monday, April 4th, at 1:30 p. m.

Work on the new water main was finished this morning, and Marshal Lauer has men at work today raking the rocks that have been thrown up by the excavating, off the street, and putting the entire street in good shape. It would be a decided improvement if he were to have the rocks ranked off all of Second and Third streets, and also the principal side streets. It would not only make it pleasanter to drive and ride over those streets, but also would be of great benefit to our people as far as wear and tear of vehicles is concerned.

Last night a man giving his name as Arthur Edie, gave himself up to Night-watchman Wiley, stating that he was from Clarke county, Missouri, and was wanted there for the attempted murder of his cousin two years ago. He showed letters and other proofs that what he said was true, and at present he is in the county jail waiting until Sheriff Driver finds out whether or not the authorities of that state want him. If they do, he will be kept in jail in this place until he is sent for. It looks very much as if he were working the authorities for transportation to Missouri.

A serious and what might have proven a fatal accident occurred near the Summit last evening. Gus Heilburg and a fellow-laborer named Canfield were engaged in blasting at the fish wheel owned by the Chinaman known as Pete. As far as we could find out, the two men were putting in a blast at the time of the explosion, and Heilburg, it appears, was handling the powder for the same, when it exploded, burning his face in a horrible manner, and severely injuring both his eyes. One of his arms was also badly burned. He was brought to the city and Dr. Hollister attended his injuries. The doctor despaired of saving one of his eyes, but thinks he may regain the sight of the other. Canfield was also burned about the face with the powder, but his injuries are not serious.

WAR CLOUDS ARE LOWERING

CONGRESS ADJOURNED UNTIL MONDAY

When the President Will Report --Spain's Answer Defiant--Blanco Predicts War.

This morning's bulletin states that the president has given up hope of settling the Cuban matter peaceably and thinks at last that war is inevitable. It was thought for a time that Spain was weakening, but her answer to the president's request for the freedom of Cuba showed no such indications and is entirely unsatisfactorily to our government.

Today President McKinley will be engaged in preparing his message and the same will be given to congress Monday.

It is rumored that Great Britain will support the United States in case of necessity. Russia is at present neutral, while France, Germany, Austria and Italy are in sympathy with Spain.

Blanco says "the president of the United States will either have to fight or back down, as the Spanish ministry will not comply with his requests regarding Cuba."

The situation looks more like war than ever and it is expected that it will be declared before Monday night.

IN SKAGUAY.

Extracts From a Letter Written by George Krauss.

SKAGUAY, Alaska, March 23, 1898. Three boats arrived here today.

The weather here is very cold, and the air is very keen; consequently a person needs lots of good clothes. As soon as the sun goes down it gets awfully cold, and the mud freezes so hard that it will hold up a loaded wagon. A person can see all kinds of sleds here, which are drawn by mules, horses, dogs, oxen and goats.

The reports concerning the number of deaths here are unfounded. As far as I can learn there were only two deaths, occurred; one man was shot and one frozen on the trail. The health of the people is very good.

Mr. Walters and myself are bunking over the stove; but as we haven't any stove, we put all of our time in at the store. Walters is now sitting on top of the stove, and says that is the best place he has struck since he came here. He is working in a tin shop. We expect to go into the interior, as there has been a new mine discovered on Salmon river, just half way to Dawson City; also another on Welch creek. They are reported to be very rich, and as soon as we can get money enough to go, we will try mining, as we do not make anything working for wages.

The town is very dull at present, and there is very little building going on. The carpenters are many, and for a time lumber was scarce, but now there is plenty of it.

The lake, which supplies the town with water, is just east of us, and is 500 feet higher than Skaguay. The ice on it is about two feet thick; but the people go to the lake to fish.

Sunday is just the same as any other day in Skaguay. The theater is open every evening, and the admission is 25 cents. As yet we have not attended and do not intend to.

Charlie Stone, wife and baby are here. They are going over the trail to Dawson City.

Do not forget, I haven't any love for this country, but want to get back home as soon as God will let me. The country around The Dalles is a heaven compared with this God-forsaken country.

The Wasco Warehouse.

The fourth annual circular of the Wasco Warehouse Company, of The Dalles, now being sent to the woolgrowers of Eastern Oregon and Washington, is full of valuable information about the past and present state of the wool market, the wool supply and future prospects.

The companies means of obtaining correct information on these points are second to none on the Pacific coast. It is gratifying, therefore, to find the circulars expressing the conviction that "there is every prospect that wool will command a good and ready market at a fair price during the coming season."

Attention is justly called to the vast superiority of The Dalles over every other wool market on the Pacific coast. Her terminal facilities, at the head of navigation, places her in a position to command the best competitive freight rates west of the Missouri river, while the 8,000,000 pounds of wool annually brought to her warehouses attract a large number of the best and largest wool buyers in the United States and secure the stiffest possible competition

in the matter of prices.

The company calls attention to the fact that it has added a new two-story brick addition to its already extensive warehouse, which now gives it 100,000 square feet of floor room, all under one roof, making one of the most commodious, best lighted, best equipped and best protected storage and forwarding warehouses in all Oregon, giving plenty of room to store each clip by itself, all on end and in a well-lighted and commanding position.

The circular, finally, with pardonable pride, refers to all who have ever done business with the company, as to good, clean and honest service and reasonable charges. The company is doing a strictly warehouse business—no merchandising nor manipulating, nor commission, and is now ready, as always, to make advances to woolgrowers, covering shearing and other incidental expenses; to pay all freight to teamsters, and to make reasonable advances upon wools stored in its warehouse to enable growers to hold for higher prices.

MR. BETTINGEN'S FUNERAL.

The Last Rites Took Place From the Catholic Church This Morning.

Today the remains of the late Albert Bettingen were laid to rest in the Catholic cemetery. At 9 o'clock the services at the church began, and the number of friends who attended showed in what high esteem the departed was held in our city.

A requiem high mass was sung by Rev. Father Bolla, assisted by the choir, while Rev. Bronsgeest, in a lengthy address, paid fitting tribute to the life and character of the deceased member of his congregation. The services at the church lasted until almost 11 o'clock, at which time the long funeral procession formed and wound its way to the cemetery.

The bearers of the pall were picked from old-time friends and associates of Mr. Bettingen. They were Ex-Governor Moody, John Bonn, Fred Lempke, T. T. Nichols, Emil Schanno and George Liebe.

WHEN TRAVELING

Whether on pleasure bent or business; take on every trip a bottle of Syrup of Figs, as it acts most pleasantly and effectually on the kidneys, liver and bowels, preventing fevers, headaches, and other forms of sickness. For sale in 50 cent bottles by all leading druggists. Manufactured by the California Fig Syrup Co. only.

I. O. O. F. Notice.

Notice is hereby given to those interested that the new Rebekah Degree Lodge, I. O. O. F., will be instituted on Friday evening, April 8th, at 8:30. Those intending to become charter members are requested to be present, promptly. By order of

Mrs. C. J. CRANDALL.

One Minute Cough Cure, cures. That is what it was made for.

HEAR HIM SING

AT THE

Methodist Church.

The Note 1 Evangelist

Rev. E. F. Miller,

Of Chicago, will be with us tomorrow. Mr. Miller led the singing in the "Potter & Miller" meetings, recently held in Portland, Seattle and other cities in the Northwest.

Everybody wants to hear him. Come in time to get a seat. Services at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m.



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