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THE COUNTRY'S PROSPERITY.

For five years this country has been economizing. For five years it has been producing and selling more than it has bought and consumed.

During the last fiscal year, which ended June 30th, our exports were so much heavier than our imports that we received more than a hundred millions of gold in settlement of the difference and still have heavy credits abroad to draw upon.

The figures are complete for eleven months and are easily estimated for June. They show that we sold to other nations during the year no less than \$1,200,000,000 of our products, while we bought from them only \$600,000,000 worth of their goods.

A great part of the increase of exports was in agricultural products, and therefore a great part of the enormous profit has gone to enrich the farmers. But there has also been a most encouraging increase in the value of our manufactured goods exported.

The best of it all is that the favorable conditions continue. The later months of the fiscal year show a continued and even an increased tendency to sell more than we buy, a continued and increased export of manufactures, and the agricultural promise is that we shall have even greater crops to market this year than last.

Hard times have come to an end. Even war has not been able to check the general prosperity.

THE MODERN COMMANDER.

During the past few weeks the most interesting personage in the United States has been Gen. Shafter, the commander of the expedition against Santiago. The interest in his personality was intensified by the fact that up to a month ago he was almost an unknown quantity.

He seems to be the type of man that our country is fond of producing whenever an emergency calls for him—a man of deeds rather than of words, quiet, resolute and capable, representing the ripened results of our regular-army system.

While Gen. Shafter's handling of his forces has been in every way creditable, there is one little incident which especially illustrates his capacity. Without saying anything about it, he added to his equipment a modern French army balloon.

This is a significant incident, although the use of the balloon in war is not a novelty. In our civil war Gen. McClellan had a regular balloon staff attached to his command, and the balloon was in use during the whole of the war.

Smoke Cigars. Why do we retail more Cigars than others? Why do smokers go out of their way and pass cigars of the same grade? Not because we have better cigars or better brands, or any greater variety; no, not that.

The war is estimated to cost \$2,000,000 a day, but then the loss of Cuban trade amounted to \$100,000,-

000 a year, to say nothing of other expenses and troubles connected with the endless insurrections against Spanish misrule in America.

There is more Catarrh in this section of the country than all the diseases put together, and until the last few years was supposed to be incurable. For a great many years doctors pronounced it a local disease, and prescribed local remedies, and by constantly failing to cure with local treatment, pronounced it incurable. Science has proven catarrh to be a constitutional disease, and therefore requires constitutional treatment.

Farm for Sale. A good farm for sale four and a half miles from town, consisting of 420 acres cleared land, 120 being in grain, four horses, 10 head of cattle and 6 of hogs.

ESTRAY. One brown gelding about 9 years old, branded P on right shoulder, weighs about 1000 lbs. One cream gelding about 10 years, branded -1 on left thigh, came to my place on 3-Mile about January 1, 1898.

Look Out. All persons using the city water for irrigating purposes are warned that any infringement of the rules will be strictly enforced.

Your summer's vacation will be incomplete without one of our Magazine Cyclone cameras. Anyone can operate it. Takes twelve pictures without opening the camera. Call at Donnell's drug-store and see them and the pictures taken with them.

In the academy ground, a gold hat pin with a filigree sword handle for a head. Reward and no questions asked if returned to this office.

Mrs. A. C. Stubling & Son will soon begin on the erection of a new hot house especially for the culture of carnations and violets. The increasing trade makes this necessary and Mrs. Stubling feels that her efforts will be appreciated by her patrons.

Ice Cream wholesale and retail at the Columbia Candy Factory. Orders to furnish lodge socials and ice cream festivals solicited. Don't forget that our ice cream sodas are the best in the city.

Thousands of persons have been cured of piles by using DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve. It heals promptly and cures eczema and all skin diseases. It gives immediate relief. For sale by the Snipes-Kinersly Drug Co.

Cash in Your Checks. All county warrants registered prior to July 12, 1894, will be paid at my office. Interest ceases after July 7, 1898.

DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve Cures Piles, Scalds, Burns.

LANE BROS. GENERAL Blacksmiths ...AND... Wagonmakers Horse Shoeing a Specialty. Second Street.

Smoke Cigars. Why do we retail more Cigars than others? Why do smokers go out of their way and pass cigars of the same grade? Not because we have better cigars or better brands, or any greater variety; no, not that. Why, because we have the finest cigar case in the state and keep our cigars in better condition. Snipes-Kinersly Drug Co.

New Columbia Hotel IS THE BEST \$1.00 PER DAY HOUSE IN THE CITY..... J. M. TOOMEY, Prop. The Dalles, Or.

PIONEER BAKERY. I have re-opened this well-known Bakery, and am now prepared to supply everybody with Bread, Pies and Cakes. Also all kinds of Staple and Fancy Groceries. GEORGE RUCH, Pioneer Grocer.

War or No war You will always have the benefit of Low Prices at Andrew Keller's Cafe. Ice Cream, Ice Cream Soda, Candies, Fruits, Nuts and Oysters in any style.

has the best Dress Goods who has the best Shoes has everything to be found first-class Dry Goods Store. C. F. STEPHENS.

G. A. Van Norden Has a full Line of Watches that can be bought at reasonable prices. All Goods as represented. Fine Watch Work a Specialty. THE DALLES, OR.

Cloudy Weather Preferred for Sittings. Gifford PHOTO ARTIST. MY WORK MY SUCCESS.

Grandall & Burget DEALERS IN All kinds of Funeral Supplies and EMBALMERS Robes, Burial Shoes, Etc. The Dalles, Or.

CITY LIVERY AND FEED STABLE Northwest Cor. Fourth and Federal Streets. Special Attention to Feeding Transient Stock. Closed Hack Day or Night. PRICES REASONABLE. Tom A. Ward and Jos. T. Robertson, Props. THE DALLES, OR.

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For Spanish Headache Uncle Sam is mixing a dose that will surely cure. Not all headache cures bring about relief and many have a bad effect on the heart and system generally. We can offer you one not so violent in its methods as Uncle Sam's, but one which will remove the cause and cure the headache. Try DOCTOR WOODS' HEADACHE CURE. Put up by Bluebelly & Houghton RELIABLE PHARMACISTS. 175 Second Street. THE DALLES.

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Chicago - Washington - Philadelphia - New York - Boston and All Points East and South. W. C. ALLAWAY, Agent, The Dalles, Oregon.

Regulator Line The Dalles, Portland and Astoria Navigation Co. R. KOEHLER, Manager. G. H. MARKHAM, Asst. G. F. & Pass. Agt.

Strs. Regulator & Dalles City FREIGHT AND PASSENGER LINE BETWEEN The Dalles, Hood River, Cascade Locks and Portland daily, except Sunday.

DOWN THE VALLEY OR TO EASTERN OREGON? Are you going... HARRY LIEBE, PRACTICAL Watchmaker & Jeweler. All work promptly attended to, and warranted. 174 VOGT BLOCK

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First National Bank. THE DALLES - OREGON A General Banking Business transacted Deposits received, subject to Sight Draft or Check. Collections made and proceeds promptly remitted on day of collection. Sight and Telegraphic Exchange sold on New York, San Francisco and Portland.

One Minute Cough Cure. That is what it was made for. J. S. SCHERK, President. H. M. BEAL, Cashier. D. P. THOMPSON, JNO. S. SCHERK, ED. M. WILLIAMS, GEO. A. LIEBE, H. M. BEAL. DIRECTORS.