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**PERSONAL MENTION.**

H. D. Ferguson, of Goldendale, is in the city.  
Governor Moody is in the city from Salem.  
Fred W. Wilson returned from Portland last night.  
Mrs. W. S. Myers is quite ill at her home in this city.  
Miss Luella Nelson went to Portland on the Dixon this morning.  
Judge Mays returned last night from a business trip to Portland.  
F. S. Gunning went to Portland this morning on a business trip.  
Hal French returned Saturday from a three weeks stay at Clatsop beach.  
Attorney W. H. Wilson and children returned from the Cascades at noon today.  
Mrs. Will Moody and children returned last evening from a few weeks stay at the beach.  
Fred Drews arrived in the city from Spokane Saturday and stayed over until yesterday with friends.  
Editor J. A. Douthitt, of the Mountaineer, accompanied by his wife, arrived in this city from Spokane yesterday.  
J. T. Stewart, of Heppner, brother of Geo. E. Stewart of this city, arrived in town on the morning train today. He stopped off on the way to see his brother and left for Portland this afternoon.  
Mrs. Otis Patterson and daughter, Miss Patterson, left for Portland on the boat this morning for at two weeks' stay. As Miss Patterson's eyes are giving her a great deal of trouble, she will undergo a course of treatment in hope of getting relief.

**BORN.**

In Colfax, on Wednesday Aug. 24, to Mr. and Mrs. Earnest Drews an eighteen pound boy. Their friends in The Dalles offer congratulations on the arrival of such a bouncing boy at their home.

**A SERIOUS MATTER.**

The Question of Suspension of Government Work on the Columbia and What It Means for Eastern Oregon and Washington.

The controversy between Astoria and Portland over the question of preventing any further government aid in keeping the Columbia river open to navigation, is attracting widespread attention, and will demand the consideration of the people of the state.

A gentleman from Portland today stated that it seemed very strange that after the government had spent \$3,000,000 at the Cascades; had expended \$2,500,000 on a jetty for the purpose of deepening a channel, and contemplates the expenditure of another two or three millions above The Dalles, that it should now waste all this work in refusing any further aid in keeping the channel open that has already been made deep enough between Portland and the sea for the passage of even war vessels.

The interior of Oregon and Washington cannot afford to have the Columbia river closed, which would result in the further and higher taxation of farmers simply for the purpose of supporting a railroad built between Astoria and Portland for the handling of tourists.

The Astoria railroad is all well and good, but Astorians cannot expect it to be maintained at the expense of the rest of the state, nor can any but natural

business means be employed to secure handling of grain at the mouth of the river.  
Ship owners make the same rates on grain from Astoria as they do from Portland, and to stop ships from going to Portland under the present conditions would simply add another tax upon the farmers of the interior.

**Deafness Cannot be Cured**

by local applications, as they cannot reach the diseased portion of the ear. There is only one way to cure deafness, and that is by constitutional remedies. Deafness is caused by an inflamed condition of the mucous lining of the Eustachian Tube. When this tube is inflamed you have a rumbling sound or imperfect hearing, and when it is entirely closed, Deafness is the result, and unless the inflammation can be taken out and this tube restored to its normal condition, hearing will be destroyed forever; nine cases out of ten are caused by catarrh, which is nothing but an inflamed condition of the mucous surfaces.

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Mark Twain is the next famous man to be "anecdotalized" by the Ladies' Home Journal, and his closest friends have contributed twenty funny stories about the humorist for the articles. The stories will show that all the good things about Mark Twain have not been told. Several ludicrous "snap-shot" pictures of Mark have also been loaned by his friends—all printed for the first time.

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Effectually yet gently, when costive or bilious, or when the blood is impure or sluggish, to permanently overcome habitual constipation, to awaken the kidneys and liver to a healthy activity, without irritating or weakening them, to dispel headaches, colds, or fevers, use Syrup of Figs. Manufactured by the California Fig Syrup Co.

The Rev. W. B. Costley, of Stockbridge, Ga., while attending to his pastoral duties at Ellenwood, that state, was attacked by cholera morbus. He says: "By chance I happened to get hold of a bottle of Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy, and I think it was the means of saving my life. It relieved me at once." For sale by Blakeley & Houghton.

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**NOTICE.**

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**Cash in Your Checks.**

All county warrants registered prior to July 21, 1894, will be paid at my office. Interest ceases after August 27 1898.  
C. L. PHILLIPS,  
County Treasurer.

**Look Out.**

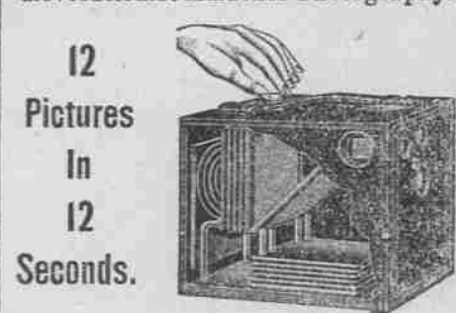
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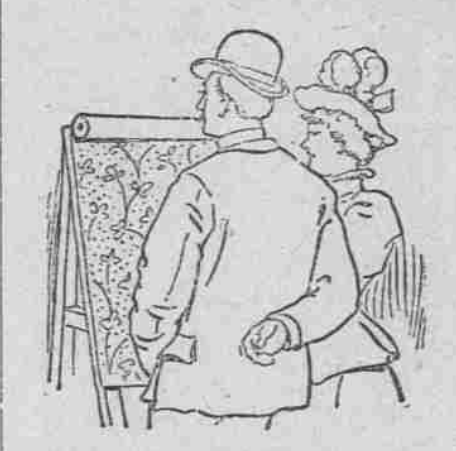
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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR, United States Land Office, The Dalles, Oregon, August 19, 1898. Notice is hereby given that the order of the President of January 31, 1898, permanently reserving the following described tracts or parcels of land, for the use of a boat-railway between The Dalles and Celilo, on the south side of the Columbia river, has been revoked. Said tracts described as follows: One tract situated in the NW 1/4 of Sec. 31, T. 2 N., R. 14 E., containing about four and one-half acres on the south side of the Columbia river, has been reserved. The other tract in the NW 1/4, Sec. 21, T. 2 N., R. 15 E., containing about one-half of an acre, particularly described as follows: Beginning at the northwest corner of said section 21, and running thence in a southerly direction along the west boundary line of said section 21, one hundred and seventy (170) feet to a point on said boundary line; thence in a straight line to a point on the north boundary line of said section 31, distant two hundred and sixty (260) feet in an easterly direction from the point of beginning; and thence in a westerly direction along the north boundary line of said section 21 to the point of beginning. Said tracts are therefore restored to the public domain, and are subject to disposal the same as other public lands. By order of the Hon. Commissioner. Dated at The Dalles, Oregon, August 19, 1898. JAY P. LUCAS, Register. OTIS PATTERSON, Receiver.

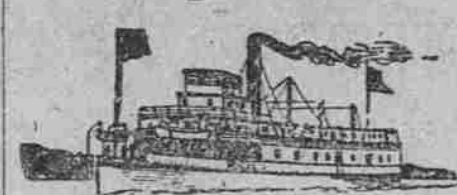
**DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR, General Land Office, Washington, D. C., May 27, 1898.**

Notice is hereby given of the following Executive Order, restoring certain lands in the Cascade Range Forest Reserve to settlement and entry: "EXECUTIVE ORDER, Washington, D. C., April 29, 1898. In accordance with the provisions of the Act of June 4, 1897 (30 Stat., 39), upon the recommendation of the Secretary of the Interior, the west half of Township one South, of Range ten East, Willamette Meridian, Oregon, within the limits of the Cascade Range Forest Reserve, is hereby ordered restored to the public domain, after sixty days notice hereof, by publication, as required by law, it appearing that said tract is better adapted to agricultural than forest purposes. WILLIAM McKINLEY. The above land will be subject to entry at the United States Land Office, The Dalles, Oregon, on and after October 17, 1898. Binger Hermann, Commissioner.

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8 p. m.	FROM PORTLAND. Ocean Steamships. All sailing dates subject to change. For San Francisco—August 7, 12, 17, 22, and 27.	4 p. m.
7 p. m.	TO ALASKA—Sail Aug. 8, 28.	5 p. m.
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6 a. m. Ex-Sunday	WILLAMETTE RIVER. Oregon City, Newberg, Salem & Way Land.	4:30 p. m. Ex-Sunday
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