

Time is Brief.

The days of the Clearance Sale are fast drawing to a close, and you should make hay while the sun shines. These rare bargains that we have been presenting you are not to be sneezed at. Don't think because we are having a few pleasant days that we are going to have spring at once. One bright day does not make springtime any more than one swallow makes a summer time. We have offered you a full line of seasonable and serviceable goods. You have shown your appreciation, as our fixtures will testify. We will add a couple of lines to make the list complete.

Children's Jackets.

All \$4.50 Jackets now \$2.50
All 5.00 Jackets now 2.75
All 7.00 Jackets now 4.25
All 12.00 Jackets now 8.25

Infants' Long Coats.

All \$3.00 Coats now \$1.97
All 3.25 Coats now 2.13
All 3.50 Coats now 2.37
All 3.75 Coats now 2.50
All 4.00 Coats now 2.59
All 4.50 Coats now 2.97
All 5.00 Coats now 3.50
All 5.50 Coats now 3.97

Misses' Jackets.

Beaver Jackets \$5.00; to close at \$3.75
Heavy Armure Jackets 6.00; to close at 4.25
Brown and Black Boucle 7.00; to close at 4.85
Blue and Black Boucle 7.50; to close at 5.25
Cloth Jacket, braided 10.00; to close at 6.25
Tan Cloth, braided 10.50; to close at 7.25

Ladies' Jackets.

Kersey Jackets \$5.00; to close at \$3.75
Astrachan Jackets 7.50; to close at 5.50
Same 12.50; to close at 7.65
Boucle Jackets 14.00; to close at 8.85
Beaver Jackets 15.00; to close at 9.50
Broadcloth, elegantly trim'd. 15.00; to close at 9.50
Same, handsomely braided. 20.00; to close at 13.25

Ladies' Colored Silk Shirt Waists former price, \$6.50; to close at \$3.65
Ladies' Black Silk and Satin Shirt Waists former price, \$7.50; to close at \$4.00

All Goods Marked in Plain Figures.

PEASE & MAYS.

Free Free

Maier & Benton will give away one

Garland Steel Range

For every One Dollar purchase during January and February we will give one chance free on the steel range.

Maier & Benton

THE HARDWARE DEALERS.

167 Second St. THE DALLES, OR.

Clearance Sale of Bicycles

NEW AND 2d HAND WHEELS

For Less than Half Price

We wish to clear out all old stock before moving into new store and have some bargains.

This is an opportunity to get a bicycle cheap. All wheels sold at half regular price.

Mays & Crowe.

Opposite old stand.

After the Holidays.

We have a large stock of Pianos, Organs, Sheet Music, Musical Instruments, etc., that we are selling at popular prices.

Our stock of Stationery and Books is complete.

Jacobsen Book & Music Co.

170 Second Street, The Dalles, Oregon.

The Dalles Daily Chronicle.

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Telephone No. 1.

TAKE NOTICE.

TO OUR ADVERTISERS:

All Changes in Advertisements must be handed in before 10 o'clock A. M., as no changes will be accepted in the afternoon. This rule will be positive.

CHRONICLE PUBLISHING CO.

The Dalles, January 10, 1899.

WAYSIDE GLEANINGS.

Dalles Club Minstrels

At the Vogt opera house Jan. 28th. Reserved seat sale commences Jan. 24. Additional local on fourth page.

The river, which was at its highest yesterday, eight feet, is falling today, standing at seven feet, five inches. The warm weather will no doubt bring it up again.

Smith Bros. will hold their usual class party this evening. The Saturday soiree will be postponed on account of the minstrel show. Class for gentlemen Monday evening.

Funeral services of Mrs. Lizzie Farrington will be conducted at the family residence at Fairfield Saturday morning at 9 o'clock. The remains will be buried in Odd Fellows' cemetery.

Laying aside the fact that everybody is anxious to hear the minstrel show, the boys, who have never refused to aid in any entertainment given in the city, should be encouraged by having a packed house.

We were misinformed in regard to the owners of the "Klickitat" abandoning the idea of running her as a ferry boat between Lyle and Siding Landing. She will be run as at first intended, and will be taken down in the near future.

The costumes for the entire company of the club minstrels arrived last evening from Portland, and are entirely satisfactory. The boys are determined to do things up brown, and the stage setting is to be in keeping with the rest of the performance.

Mrs. Mary Whittaker accompanied the remains of her brother, Wm. O'Neal, from Portland yesterday. The funeral took place this afternoon from Crandall & Burget's undertaking parlors, under the auspices of the order of Red Men. The remains were interred in Odd Fellows' cemetery.

A genuine surprise party was given to Miss Anna Harris at her residence last night. Soon the parlor was filled with merriment and laughter and the evening passed pleasantly away with music, songs and games. After lunch a magic lantern show was given and at the hour

of 12 o'clock, the children went home, having spent a delightful evening.

There will be a meeting of the W. C. T. U. at the M. E. church tomorrow at 3 p. m. Every lady interested in temperance work is requested to be present; they also desire that all children come to the church right from school, as they expect to organize a Loyal Temperance Legion.

Spring is supposed to make its appearance about the first of March; but has evidently stolen a march on us this year, and we feel in almost summer weather. Today is the warmest we have had in January for forty-eight years, the mean temperature being 5.55, while the maximum was 61. In 1877, from January 6th to 9th, the minimum was 48 and the maximum 61. That year much colder weather was afterward experienced. The weather's all right; but the question is, is it causing the sickness so prevalent now?

Last night about 9 o'clock after a year's illness with that dreaded disease, consumption, Mrs. Mary J. Wagonblast, wife of C. F. Wagonblast, died at her home on Eighth street, adjoining the residence of F. Rowe. She was born at Holton, in the Willamette valley, twenty-one years ago next April, her maiden name being Frantz, and came to this city four years ago. A year later she was married to C. F. Wagonblast, who survives her. She also leaves two small children, the youngest of which is six months old. Mr. Wagonblast has the sympathy of all in his bereavement over the death of his young wife, who was a very lovable character and had many friends in the city and in the neighborhood of Three-Mile, where they formerly resided.

Residents of The Dalles who frequent Clatsop, each summer and leave goods there during the winter, would do well to correspond with Sheriff Linville of that county in regard to clothing left there, which would probably save them the trouble of cutting up the souvenir handkerchiefs sent from Manila from which to make new bathing suits. The sheriff has a miscellaneous assortment of clothing, underwear, bathing suits, etc., which he would like to have the owners claim. He found the assortment in Grimes' grove, at Seaside, and they probably were stolen by Willard, the Seaside murderer. It is probable that the assassin had a cache somewhere, which, if ever found, will reveal a great many articles that have mysteriously disappeared.

Every year many Dallesites visit the Willamette Valley Chautauqua assembly, and they will no doubt be pleased to learn that with the aid of the Ashland assembly and the one at Pacific Grove and at Long Beach, near Los Angeles, they have succeeded in booking Sam Jones, J. DeWitt Miller, Frank Beard and Camden Coburn as a few of the star speakers for next season. This is the strongest array of talent ever procured for the coast assemblies so far in advance. Everybody knows Sam Jones, but J. DeWitt Miller has filled more

Chautauqua engagements than any of the great lecturers and has returned to the same assemblies eight or ten different years. He has lectured at the old Chautauqua eight different times in as many years. When attending the Wisconsin Chautauqua assembly at Madison some years ago, the CHRONICLE reporter heard Frank Beard in his "Chalk Talks." He is one of the greatest cartoonists, and changes one cartoon into another in a minute's time, talking while he is doing so. At the last board meeting the dates fixed for the next assembly at Gladstone Park are July 18 to 29, inclusive.

A Noble Woman Passes Away.

Died, at her home on Lower 15-Mile creek, Wednesday morning, Jan. 25th, Mrs. Lizzie Sibley-Farrington, widow of the late Daniel Farrington, aged sixty-seven years.

She came from one of those old families of New England that had very high ideals of right. Losing her mother at an early age, she had a heart of sympathy for those thus bereft.

Left to make a home for herself, she came to California with a sister in 1852, when the back of a mule was the only means of conveyance through the mountains of the Pacific slope. Her first home was in Yreka, whither she went in that primitive way; later in Grass Valley, Calif. From here in 1870 she returned to Maine, where she made many friends.

In 1884 she came to Oregon to make a new home, where her influence has been widely good in a new country. She was one of a few who was always in her place at public worship and Sunday school. She was a successful bible class teacher for a long time, and for a time was the superintendent of the school, being greatly missed when failing health kept her away. She bore her protracted illness with patience. Those who have been fortunate to know her will remember her as a model hostess. There is no doubt she has heard the welcome "Well done. Come ye blessed of my father."

She leaves four sons, Edward S., a prominent lawyer of Nevada, Herbert L., Lincoln E. and Myron D., living in this county.

Bangor, Maine, papers and also The Christian Mirror, please copy.

Wheeler County Not in It.

CAPITOL, Salem, Jan. 26.—Senate continued routine business today, and passed a bill designed to cure defects in deeds. Also one providing for certain duties to be performed by the sheriff before turning over the office to his successor.

The bill for the protection of crawfish failed to pass the house. Trout protection bill was also killed.

Young's bill protecting razor clams passed the house.

The re-apportionment measure raised no discussion, and was passed.

The bill creating Wheeler county created a warm discussion. Hawson opposed the proposition and presented

a remonstrance containing 770 signatures obtained in five days. After much discussion the bill failed to pass the house.

Senate yesterday passed a measure giving preference to Oregon products when purchasing supplies.

SHOULD SUPPORT HIS FAMILY.

A Petition Introduced in the Legislature to Compel Men to Do.

From a petition introduced in the legislature by Grace, of Baker county, we judge the people of that county have had a like experience with the charitable institutions of this city. The petition asks that when a man is able to provide for his family and fails to do so he be punished. It is to be hoped the committee to which it was referred will take some action in the matter. Such a law would probably either put a stop to the foolish marriages which take place when the petitioner for a license can scarcely scrape up enough money to pay for the document, and in nine cases out of ten never pays the minister, or will compel a man to support his family when he gets a dozen children around his hearthstone, instead of depending on the county or turning them out to battle with the world before they have received an education.

Time after time have ladies of our city solicited aid for poor families, and upon making a visit of mercy to relieve the distressed wife and little children, found a lazy, worthless man laying idly around the house, ready to consume the dainties brought to his sick wife. Sympathy for those dependent upon him compel the charity, although they would hesitate some time before fostering his idleness. Were he unable to work the matter would assume a different phase.

Then many fathers forget that having been the author of the child's being, 'tis his duty to bring the child up in the best manner possible, giving him at least a common school education before turning him out to earn, not only his own living, but that of the entire family, while he himself makes no effort in that direction. Many times have our hearts yearned for little lads who have called at the newspaper offices, and with tears in their eyes, asked for a job of carrying papers, saying they "must work." Of course in a number of cases this is unavoidable, but in many 'tis the result of having a worthless father.

To this cause also may be attributed the downfall of many young girls, who are compelled, at an age when they should be under the mother's protecting care, to battle with the world, which she knows nothing about, for a living for herself and perhaps a host of smaller brothers and sisters.

While we would not discourage the idea of teaching the children to work and giving them a trade, it should be made the business of the father to care for them to the best of his ability until they are of reasonable age to care for themselves.

The petition from Baker is all right and should receive the support of the legislature.

At Vogt Opera House

SATURDAY, JAN. 28.

The Dalles Club Minstrels.

Elegant Costumes. Latest Songs, Specialties

AND CAKE WALKS.

Reserved Seats 75c. General Admission 50c.

Reserved seats on sale at the Snipes-Kinnersly Drug Co.'s store, commencing Tuesday morning, Jan. 24, 1899.

Not Cheap Goods, but Good Goods Cheap.

We are determined to sell the entire stock of Dry Goods, Clothing, Notions, and Groceries

Cheap for Cash.

SAMUEL L. BROOKS,

Successor to E. J. Collins & Co.