

Important Notice

TO THE LADIES OF THE DALLES AND VICINITY.

In anticipation of the approaching Elks ball, we have just received from New York a few high-grade Novelties in Dress Trimmings for evening wear. The assortment, though limited, comprises the choicest creations of the largest exclusive manufacturers of Dress Trimmings both in this country and Europe.

PEASE & MAYS.

All Goods Marked in Plain Figures.

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 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 tonight.

Going—Manhattan shirts at 98 cents—A. M. Williams & Co.

A good strong wind has been blowing for the past few days and at present writing our streets are comparatively dry.

Remember the Club Minstrels will repeat their performance tonight. Do not fail to see them. They are par excellence.

Saturday our streets were filled with farmers, who, taking advantage of the pleasant weather and good roads, came to town to do their early spring trading.

There is an unfortunate disposition in man to attend much more to the faults of his companions which offend him than to their perfections which please him.

The Dalles Club Minstrels gave a grand street parade today and created a great deal of attention. Undoubtedly they will be greeted with a good house tonight.

At the residence of Geo. L. Mann, today at noon, Mr. Ira L. Decker was united in the holy bonds of matrimony to Miss Alta M. Durham, justice Bayard officiating.

Miss Mitchell is absent from school today on account of sickness. Her place is being filled by Miss Mabel Collins. Miss Wrenn of the Court St. school is also on the sick list, Miss Ida Friday is her substitute.

Floyd and Roberts, of Seattle, will leave for Dawson City, Alaska, February 15th, and will carry letters for fifty cents each. Forward letters to 105 Cherry Street, Seattle, Wash. D. C. Floyd is a former resident of this city. 30-td

There will be a cattle men's meeting held at the court house in this city on Saturday, February 4th at 1 p. m. The object is in regard to protecting their right on the forest reserve. All interested in the matter are earnestly requested to be present.

At the fire last evening it was again shown that the fire department is in

need of an efficient hook and ladder truck and rigging. A committee has been appointed to solicit funds for the purchase of a suitable outfit and it is needless to state they will meet with success.

A very pleasant dancing party was given last Saturday night at the residence of Micheal Doyle on Chenoweth creek. About twenty-five couples were present and a most enjoyable time was had. Excellent music was furnished and the lunch served was one of the finest.

The following is the high score at Estebenet & Esping's bowling alley for the week ending Sunday night: Monday, Chas. Frank, 57; Tuesday, D. W. Mann, 66; Wednesday, O. Keisay, 55; Thursday, H. Staniels, 50; Friday, W. Wilhelm, 55; Saturday, Speiceinger, 54; Sunday, Scot Cathcart, 50.

It has been mentioned by one of our citizens that some compensation be rendered to those who at fires ruin their clothes. For some cause or other the fires in this city lately have occurred on Sunday when the majority of people have on their best. In many instances men render valuable assistance to property owners and the city and by so doing damage their wearing apparel to a great extent. It has often been noticed and commented on numerous times, that those who have the least at stake do the larger part of the work at fires. It is suggested that either the property owners or the city should make some compensation for the loss sustained by having clothes ruined by water and otherwise. Our fire companies are volunteer and their services are always at the disposal of the city. However, a man working for small wages can ill afford to lose several dollars for clothes ruined at each conflagration. Somebody has got to do the work. Who usually does it? We will leave it with you. Give those who are willing to work and save property for others, as good as they had when they went to the assistance of those who needed it immediately.

Wood—Wood—Wood.

We can furnish you with strictly first class, dry, fir wood at the same prices which you have been paying for inferior quality. Send us your orders and get the best. Phone 25. Mchl. Jos. T. PETERS & Co.

Cash in Your Checks.

All county warrants registered prior to Mch. 14, 1895, will be paid at my office. Interest ceases after Jan. 14, 1899. O. L. PHILLIPS, County Treasurer.

Cook Wanted.

A good female cook can get a position in a restaurant in the city. Apply at this office. 23-1f

Men Wanted

To cut cord wood. Inquire at The Dalles Lumbering Co. 24tf

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

COLUMBIA HOTEL FIRE.

A Serious Conflagration Narrowly Averted—Excellent Work Done by the Volunteer Firemen.

At 5:15 last evening the shrill whistling of a locomotive was heard and almost immediately the peals of the fire bell rang out announcing to our citizens another fire. It was found that the Columbia hotel was in flames and within a few minutes the Hook and Ladder Co. was on the scene, followed closely by the Columbia Hose Co., who in six minutes from the time the alarm sounded, had a stream of water playing on the flames. The Jackson Engine Co. had their engine located at the intersection of Second and Court streets and did most effective work. The fire caught from sparks falling on the roof from a flue in the northeast portion of the building. Mr. Toomey, proprietor of the hotel, formed a bucket brigade and was doing effective work when the wind which was blowing furiously at the time caught the flames and spread them rapidly, so when the firemen arrived it appeared as though the whole east side of the hotel was on fire. Many expressed themselves as confident the building was doomed and also a great portion of that end of town. However, the firemen worked gallantly and too much praise cannot be given them, for it was one of the best fought fires that ever occurred in the city. Inside of fifty-five minutes from the time the alarm was sounded the fire was out. This would have been good work for a paid department.

Our water commissioners are to be congratulated, for yesterday's fire proved that the new system which was recently put in is a decided success. There were seven streams from the city water works playing on the building, and at the time, the indicator at the engine house showed ninety-five pounds pressure. This alone is undoubtedly the cause of saving a greater portion of the town from a conflagration similar to the ones of '91 and '98.

During all the other large fires there has always been a lack of water but from present indications we need have no further fears in this line for as soon as all streams were cut off the reservoir showed that the water had fallen but four inches. The O. R. & N. Co. did most excellent service and the pressure from their pump house was sufficient to blow several of the nozzles off.

With this great amount of water pouring into the building the house was fairly flooded and the flames checked. The entire roof of the east wing of the hotel was burned and charred but the rest of the building was not damaged only by water. As yet the actual losses cannot be ascertained, but it is estimated that T. T. Nicholas, owner of the building will sustain a loss of between four and five thousand dollars. No insurance. J. A. Toomey, lessee, will lose about \$400 with no insurance, while numerous roomers lost a great deal of their belong-

ings. Estebenet and Esping's bowling alleys were flooded with water but they went to work immediately after the fire and drained their building and today the alleys are in as fine condition as usual. Chas. Frank, proprietor of the Butchers and Farmers Exchange will sustain a loss of about \$500, mostly caused by breakage and leakage, for everything in his place of business was taken out. He is fully covered by insurance. Some things were removed from Wm. Jones' cigar store but his loss was so trivial that it is not estimated. Further particulars in regard to the losses will be given as soon as we are able to ascertain them.

PERSONAL MENTION.

Fred Wallace, of Antelope, is in the city.

T. H. Johnston, of Dufur, was in the city today.

M. J. Monteth, of Chicago, is in the city on business.

Chas. B. Johnson and wife, of Moro, spent Sunday in the city.

W. W. Ames and son, Arthur, of Columbus, are in the city.

Wm. Heisler, who is interested with the Dufur Milling Co., is in the city on business.

Miss Mamie Smith, of San Francisco, is visiting at the residence of Mrs. L. Clarke.

H. Braab, manager for Bissinger & Co., in this city, returned last night from a short visit to Portland.

Joe Howard returned this morning from the East, where he has been some time. He will leave in the morning for his home at Prineville.

Mrs. W. A. Kirby and little daughter, Maude, who have been sojourning in Portland for the past few days, returned home Saturday evening.

Capt. Wand returned Saturday from Alaska, where he has been for the past few months. As the boat he is master of on the Yukon is frozen in, he will probably remain in the city until the first of March.

In Olden Times

People overlooked the importance of permanently beneficial effects and were satisfied with the transient action; but now that it is generally known that Syrup of Figs will permanently overcome habitual constipation, well informed people will not buy other laxatives, which act for a time, but finally injure the system. Buy the genuine, made by the California Fig Syrup Co.

SEEDS

CHOICE Northern Grown SEEDS In Bulk at J. H. CROSS Feed and Grocery store Cor 2d & Federal Sts.

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At Vogt Opera House

TO-NIGHT

The Dalles

Club Minstrels.

Elegant Costumes. Latest Songs, Specialties

AND CAKE WALKS.

General Admission 50c.

Children 25c.

Reserved seats on sale at the Snipes-Kinersly Drug Co.s'

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.