

WASH DRESS GOODS

Final Clearance Reductions in the Wash Goods Department. Lawns and Dimities, 700 yards of choice patterns, were 15 and 20c, now 9c per yard. Madras Lace Yaconas, 15c per yard, now 7 1/2c per yard.

LADIES' SHIRT WAISTS.

A great Clearance Sale of Ladies' Shirt Waists; one lot of Colored Percale. Shirt Waists that sold up to 85c. Your choice, 19c. One lot of Ladies' White Waists, made in yoke style, from fine Sheer Lawn, a waist made to sell for \$2.25. Your choice, 98c.

WRAPPER SALE.

Five dozen Lawn and Percale Wrappers, full sweep, ruffled yoke, and braid trimmed. For Friday and Saturday, 59c.

PARASOLS.

To close them out we will sell all our Fancy Parasols and Sunshades AT COST.

LADIES' SUMMER UNDERWEAR.

Ladies' Summer Underwear at about Half the regular price.

All Goods Marked In Plain Figures.

Pease & Mays.

The Dalles Daily Chronicle.

THURSDAY - AUGUST 24, 1899

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.

Special sale of fruit jars at Mays & Crowe's. Get our prices.

Paint your house with paints that are fully guaranteed to last. Clarke & Falk have them.

Clarke & Falk have a full and complete line of house, carriage, wagon and barn paints manufactured by James E. Patton, of Milwaukee, Wisconsin.

It is estimated that the number of persons in the United States out of employment at the present time is 700,000. A year or two ago, the number was stated to be 3,000,000.

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Clarke & Falk have secured the exclusive agency for James E. Patton's celebrated mixed paints in Klickitat, Kitz and Skamania counties, Wash., and Wasco, Crook, Gilliam, Sherman and Wheeler counties, Oregon.

Eighty head of horses for cavalry were fed at the Saltmarsh stock yards today. They were brought down from Elgin and are on their way to the Presidio at San Francisco. They are good-sized animals, averaging about 1,000 pounds.

The Telegram asks "Can it be that the prevalence of the name Dewey is the cause of all this untimely humidity?" Perhaps if the names of Summers or Oils had been chosen, we'd have had less winter and better prospects for a good crop.

Yesterday afternoon at 2 o'clock, at the home of the bride's mother in Durfur, Henry Hudson Jr. and Miss Marguerite Covey were wed. The newly married couple arrived in The Dalles last evening and are guests at the Farmers' Hotel.

This evening at the usual prayer service hour, in the Methodist church, an echo meeting of the national Epworth League convention, recently held

at Indianapolis, will take place. Rev. N. Evans, of the Goldendale church, who attended the convention, will take charge of the meeting and an interesting time is expected. All are cordially invited to be present.

Clarke & Falk have received a carload of the celebrated James E. Patton strictly pure liquid paints.

Last night the Maccabees again exemplified the work of the degree recently mentioned by THE CHRONICLE, which exemplification took place at Keller's after the usual work of the order. This degree is becoming very popular with the members of that order.

The Shaw Company begins a week's engagement at the Marquam in Portland next Monday. We notice by a Pendleton paper that Clay Clement was to have been in that city on the 9th of next month, but owing to his taking a trip to Honolulu first, will not appear till some time in December. There is an actor whom Dalles people would appreciate, and no doubt with a little effort he could be induced to give at least one night's performance here at the same time.

Brigadier Stephen Marshall from Portland, assisted by a number of staff and field officers, is to conduct a hallelujah wedding in the Baldwin opera house on Saturday evening, August 26th, at 8 o'clock. A big time is anticipated. The brigadier is a man of old experience along this line of business and can do the work up in style. Tickets can be procured from all Salvationists for 10c each. The brigadier will also conduct the usual Sunday meetings in the S. A. hall. A cordial invitation is extended to all.

In Humason's Addition to Dalles City, lots sell from \$100 to \$150 each. One acre of land contains 12 such lots, therefore one acre of land in that locality should be worth from \$1200 to \$1800. Now listen to this. Dad Butts has one acre of fine, level, well-watered land in this addition that he is going to sell to the first one that wants to buy it for the sum of \$450. Now, if any one wants to invest in city property investigate just what has been said. It is situated near the public school building and is beautifully located. Call or write to Dad Butts.

The national G. A. R. encampment will be held in Philadelphia from the 4th till the 9th of September. The Oregon delegates will leave about the 1st. There are nearly 5000 G. A. R. men in Oregon. Many of the rank and file intend to attend, but the delegates do not as yet warm up to the idea very enthusiastically. Every delegate is expected to pay his own expenses, and while it is a great honor to attend as a delegate, it means considerable of an

outlay to go such a long distance as where the encampment will be held this year.

The Oregon Press Association which met this week in Astoria elected the following officers: J. S. Stewart, Fossil, president; B. F. Irvine, Corvallis, vice president; Albert Tozier, Portland, secretary; Fred C. Baker, Tillamook, treasurer. The president was authorized to appoint the executive committee. Ashland was chosen as the place to hold the next annual meeting. The association was particularly fortunate in its choice of president, Mr. Stewart being one of the most aggressive newspaper men in the state and having the best interests of the association at heart.

So many letters addressed for delivery in Hawaii, prepaid at the rate of 2 cents per ounce, are being mailed all over the country, that N. M. Brooks, superintendent of foreign mails, has found it necessary to call the attention of the public to the fact that the postage rate of 2 cents per ounce applies only to letters addressed to persons connected with the United States forces in Hawaii. The rate applicable to letters addressed to other persons in Hawaii is the Postal Union rate of 5 cents per half ounce. If that rate is not prepaid in full, double the amount of the deficient postage is required to be collected of addressees upon delivery; that is to say, a letter weighing not more than half an ounce and prepaid only 2 cents, would be subjected on delivery to the addressee in Hawaii to a charge of 6 cents, or double the 3 cents short-paid.

Returning from a jaunt about the hills near his home four miles from this city, Sunday afternoon, Dick Elton complained of feeling ill. As his ailment seemed nothing more than a cramp colic, little was thought of it until Tuesday when the pain grew worse and a physician was summoned. Reaching there in the evening, he at once pronounced the trouble appendicitis, and arrangements were made to bring the patient to the city yesterday morning. In the afternoon about 4 o'clock two physicians performed the operation, but at once found that the bowels were ruptured and peritonitis had set in, making his chances for recovery doubtful. Dick, who is the youngest son of John Elton, is 14 years old and has always enjoyed good health. He was anxious for the operation to be performed and no fear was felt in regard to the result until the doctors discovered peritonitis had set in.

At 11 o'clock last night, Milton Raymond, the second son of R. E. and Violet M. Williams, aged 4 years, 3 months and 15 days, died at their home four miles from this city, in the Mt. Zion

neighborhood. He had been ailing for some time, but showed no signs of any serious trouble until 1 o'clock yesterday morning, when he was taken with spasms. During the day his tonsils began to swell, and to prevent his choking to death they were removed last evening about 6 o'clock. He was very weak and grew much worse until 11 o'clock when he died. Having no thought of anything beyond sickness common to children of his age until he was taken with spasms, and then to be compelled to give him up in so short a time has been a great trial to the parents, who have the sympathy of their friends here. The funeral took place this afternoon at 3 o'clock, and the interment was made in Odd Fellows' cemetery.

"Oh, if it had once got fairly started what a fire we'd have had," was heard many times last evening when it was discovered where the fire was; but it will take a pretty "foxy" fire to outdo the fire department these days, and that which started in the steam laundry last evening at 8 o'clock didn't succeed. 'Twas not a defective flue this time, but defective carpenter work which caused the fire. Instead of being placed at a safe distance from the chimney, the furring had been put directly against it, so that when the chimney burned out, the heat ignited the wood and it was soon ablaze. A small bucket of water and a ladder was near, so that it was kept in check until the firemen arrived and brought the hose into play on it. So methodically did the firemen work that the blaze was put out without anything in the laundry being injured by the water, a rare occurrence, showing the trustworthy character of our department. Mr. MacAllister has taken the greatest precaution to prevent fire; so much so that the insurance rate has been reduced, and every evening the premises are looked over to see that all is safe. None need feel concerned over fire originating there.

SUNSHINE BRINGS JOY.

Damage to Wheat Will Not Exceed Ten Per Cent.

The sunshine this morning brought gladness to the hearts of thousands of farmers in Oregon, and throughout the Northwest. The grain had stood every drop of rain it would without spoiling, and some had begun to show signs of sprouting and molding.

Reports received today at the weather bureau show that the damage to the wheat crop will not be so great as was expected. A summing up of all the reports indicate that the loss will be from ten to twenty per cent. This will be partially offset by the increase in the spring grain. Many reports say that the rains have benefited the standing grain, much of which was unmaturing when the rain began to fall. Up to that time some complaints had been heard of swiveled grain, but now they say spring wheat is well filled out, and in many sections promises to be as good as the fall grain was.

If these reports be correct, careful judges think the total loss to the crop in Oregon should not exceed ten per cent, provided good weather prevails.

As to continued fair weather, the weather bureau has a little in doubt yet. Mr. Pague says most of the indications are good, but it is not yet absolutely certain that the rain has entirely passed away. Should it begin to rain again in a few days no one can say what the damage will be.

While the rain has been general over the Northwest, persons who have just arrived in the city from Idaho and points beyond, say the crop has not been so badly damaged in Idaho and Montana as in Oregon and Washington, as the season is later in the former states, and not so much grain has been cut. Those from the Walla Walla and Eastern Oregon sections report great alarm on the part of the wheatgrowers, and declare that the coming of sunshine today has saved thousands upon thousands of wheat.—Telegram.

Klondike or Bust.

In early days, when emigrant wagons were not the uncommon sight they now are, almost every wagon had painted on the cover the eloquent inscription, "Pike's Peak or Bust." Upon returning it had been changed to "Busted, by —!" This morning the genuine article passed through our streets and was taken down the river on the Dalles City. The motto was somewhat different, however, and read thusly:

"Farewell to old Kansas,
We bid you adieu;
We may go to Klondike,
But never back to you!"

If they meet with the same fate most Klondikers have met, they'll wish they'd stayed in the land of cyclones and grasshoppers, and their motto will probably be alike to that of their fathers who bustled in endeavoring to reach Pike's Peak.

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O. N. G. vs G. A. R.

A soldier must of necessity be very versatile. 'Twill not do for him to be drilled in military tactics alone, he must be a real jack of all trades, and among them a forager. Realizing this our soldier boys set themselves about "brushing up" on this particular line of duty and accordingly donned their fatigue uniform Monday night after drill and sallied forth, choosing as their field of attack a water melon patch on Chas. Denton's place about a mile and a half from town. Creeping cautiously up on all "fours," everything seemed quiet along the water front not a shot or shell stirring in the air. Very quietly and in anything but military style they scaled barb wire fences, crossed creeks and finally found the enemy "smiling on the vine" and proceeded to dissect him, when suddenly on looking up they found themselves surrounded and right on the firing line, for at one end of the patch stood an old G. A. R., armed with an old fashioned gun that works with the pumping process, and starts in with a blaze which extends sixteen feet from the blazer end. On the other side was his comrade with a regular round of revolvers.

They had that "veni, vidi, vici" look which made the boys retreat in disorder, encountering first a barb wire fence, which left them tattered and torn; next a jungle which would have done credit to a Mania thicket, and last of all the creek. The latter somewhat cooled their ardor, and they finally escaped. Taking an inventory later they found they were somewhat negligee, but still possessed two hats and some "pante." In the future they'll be content with embalmed beef and never again run up against the boys of the G. A. R.

Public Announcement.

To my friends and former patrons: I take pleasure in announcing that I have arrived safe and sound from Manila, and have again entered civilian life, and can hereafter be found in business with my brother, D. S. Dufur, at the same old stand, where I will be pleased to meet any of my friends either for a social chat or business proposition of any kind. Comrades and old Vets. welcome.

Yo caro mucho trabajer,
GEORGE H. DUFUR.

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Bismarck's Iron Nerve

Was the result of his splendid health. Indomitable will and tremendous energy are not found where stomach, liver, kidneys and bowels are out of order. If you want these qualities and the success they bring, use Dr. King's New Life Pills. They develop every power of brain and body. Only 25c at Blakeley & Houghton's drugstore.

Cash in Your Checks.

All county warrants registered prior to October 1, 1895, will be paid at my office. Interest ceases after July 26, 1899.

C. L. PHILLIPS,
County Treasurer.

For Sale.

Twenty-three city lots for sale. From \$50 up. Inquire at Columbia Hotel. 8-23-1mo.

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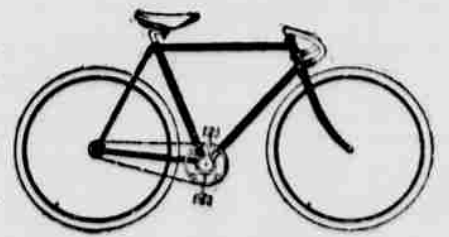
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Also repair Locks, Guns, Sewing Machines and all kinds of light machinery, etc.

This department is under the charge of Mr. J. Kirchoff.

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"Harmony" Whiskey.

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