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After all, there are few things quite as interesting as the question of dress. While clothes don't make the man, they afford a pretty good indication of their character after they are made. Time was when they told the story of their means, too; but that time is past. By confining your purchases to our store you can follow Shakespeare's advice, "*Costly thy habit as thy purse can buy,*" without bankrupting your exchequer, for we have decided to continue the special during this week of a line of \$12, \$13.50, \$14 and \$15 Suits for \$9.85. See windows.

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The Dalles Daily Chronicle.

Telephone No. 1.

WEDNESDAY - - - APRIL 18, 1900

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WAYSIDE GLEANINGS.

Children's parasols, 19c and 25c at A. M. Williams & Co.'s.

The merchants of Albany have agreed to close their places of business at 7 p. m.

The wool market at North Yakima opened at 12½ cents a pound. A year ago it was 7 cents.

Sixty-five cotton mills have been started in the South since January, with about \$15,000,000 new capital involved.

There will be a meeting of Dalles chapter, No. 6, Royal Arch Masons, tonight for work in the Royal Arch Degree.

No, dear reader, the street sprinkler is not dead, but he might as well be for anything he is doing in the way of laying the dust.

L. T. Robinson, of Hood River, has rented the "Palace of Sweets" store and expects to open a first class confectionery store some time next week.

The Hook and Ladder Company will

meet at the engine house Friday evening at 7:30 sharp for drill practice. By order of H. Taylor, foreman.

The Telegram says the steamer Irada is to start on the run between Portland and The Dalles in a few days, in opposition to the D. P. & A. N. Co.'s boats.

A. M. Williams & Co. have just received another invoice of silk waists. This time it's ribbon waists—positively the very latest novelty. You are requested to call and see them.

Special attention is called to the fancy-work table, at the Easter sale of St. Paul's Guild, under the supervision of Mrs. Sheldon, assisted by Mrs. Hal French and Mrs. Roger Sinnott.

Mrs. Dewey is engaged in a law suit respecting her full title to some land lots which came to her first husband, General Hazen. The lots are situated in Wichita, Kan., and were won by the general in a game of poker.

John H. Reagan, of Texas, the sole surviving member of the Confederate cabinet, is writing his recollections of the Civil war. He knew Jefferson Davis and other Southern leaders of 1861-65 better than any other man now alive.

The world-famous Passion Play will be put on the boards in this city on Wednesday and Thursday of next week. The proceeds will be for the benefit of the Catholic church. Full particulars later.

W. H. Marble, of Goldendale, returned on last night's boat from Portland where he went about three weeks ago to consult a specialist about his health. He feels so much improved that he expects to go

back to his trade of machinist and blacksmith upon his arrival home.

The Dalles Commission House will keep fresh milk at all times on hand and deliver it anywhere in the city at the following prices: One quart, \$2 per month; three pints, \$3; two quarts, \$4; three quarts \$5.50; cream 20 cents per pint. Fresh butter every day. 18a-1m

Rev. U. F. Hawk has returned from a short visit with Mrs. Hawk and their little son at St. Vincent's Hospital. The boy's condition is improving all the time and there is every hope of his complete recovery. The evidence grows constantly that the last operation struck the root of the disease.

The Walla Walla Statesman lost a subscriber the other day because it omitted to record the birth of a baby in the subscriber's family. Now it vows it is going to watch the "shadows of coming events" in the future and record the births two or three weeks before they occur.

It has been a question in the minds of Dalles people whether John Hampshire could attempt anything in the line of character stage work that he could not master perfectly. Tomorrow night at the entertainment in the Baldwin he will appear in a new role, which, it is said, equals, if not surpasses, his former work.

The new steamer Reliance will be put on the run between here and Portland next week. About the same time an opposition boat will compete for the passenger traffic. It is within the possibilities, therefore, that fares may drop for a time so low that even editors and

preachers may be able to afford the luxury of a trip to the metropolis.

All indications point to favorable action by the present congress on the proposition to promote Major-General Miles to the rank of lieutenant-general, and Brigadier-General Corbin to the rank of major-general. This is to be accomplished through an amendment to the army appropriation bill, which Senator Lodge has offered in the senate.

Miss Nellie Brown, a well-known young lady of Salem, and probably the best violinist among the young ladies, has joined the Salvation Army, and it is said will prove a valuable addition to it. She will train in Portland for the work she intends to follow. Miss Brown is a grand-daughter of the famous John Brown. She had intended to go to Europe to perfect her education on the violin, but has given it up for the S. A.

Ad Edgar, a former well-known stage-man and resident of The Dalles, late of Dawson City, was in town today. Mr. Edgar will leave for Cape Nome on the 10th of May. He left Dawson City in January. Among the Dalles people whom he left behind was William Grant, a former merchant of this place, later of Grant, Sherman county, who is in business in Dawson and doing well. Mrs. Miller, late of Miller's Bridge, was also in Dawson running an hotel.

The Dalles is the fifth city in population in Oregon. From a business point of view it is second only to Portland. No town in Eastern Oregon approaches it in this regard and it does more business and handles more money annually than half a dozen of the biggest towns in the Willamette Valley, outside of Portland, put together. The business of one bank in The Dalles last year amounted to over \$23,000,000. And the future of the city at the head of navigation was never brighter than it is at this moment.

Recorder Gates has been corresponding for some time with Dr. E. L. Stephen, mayor of Hinkley, Minn., who, with a number of friends and neighbors, are thinking of emigrating to the Pacific coast. The doctor has just written the recorder that he expects to reach here on a tour of observation some time in May, and that a number of Hinkley people, some of them with considerable means, are looking to the doctor's report for such advice as may determine their future action. A number of farmers and two proprietors of large saw mills are among the number of those who are anxious to come here.

The weather bureau report for the week ending April 16th, says the late frosts have seriously injured early fruit in some sections of Southern Oregon and done some damage in several localities in Eastern Oregon. Speaking of the Hood River valley the report says: "The valley was visited by stinging frosts Monday and Tuesday morning, but the damage done was slight. Winter apples are unhurt. Early apples, peaches, pears and prunes were considerably thinned, but they will make a good crop if not injured further. Early strawberry bloom was killed, which will put the crop back about two weeks."

Deputy Sheriff Sexton went out to Kingsley this morning to bring in William Greenley, of that place, who is reported as out of his mind. Greenley is an old man of close to 70 years. He has a son in the Salem asylum, and the father, although harmless, has been a fit candidate for that place for some time. Greenley has lately fallen into the habit of wandering aimlessly around the country of nights and spending most of his time in the Kingsley cemetery. He has an aged wife who, in spite of his mental aberration, has hitherto refused to abandon him, notwithstanding that she had been offered a comfortable home for the rest of her days with a brother in the Willamette valley.

At the meeting of those interested in organizing a Dalles branch of the Y. M. C. A., held in the Congregational church last night, after an address from Secretary Stone, of the Portland Y. M. C. A., and protracted discussion by citizens of The Dalles, it was definitely resolved to organize and committees were appointed to carry the resolution into effect. A committee on membership will see how many members can be obtained; a committee on finance will look after the ways and means, and a third committee will confer with the directors of the Commercial Club and ascertain definitely under what conditions the new organization would be allowed the privileges of the lower floor of the club room and the use of the athletic and other appliances. These committees will report to another meeting to be held in the Congregational church next Tuesday evening.

The Dalles has a new company of local minstrels that are deserving of a little free advertising. The company is composed of about ten Dalles youngsters and the star artists, or proprietors, or both, are Katy Nolan and Percy Long. They are billed to give two entertainments here next Saturday in the vacant store

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building across the alley south of the Columbia hotel. There will be a matinee in the afternoon and an entertainment in the evening. The price of admission is five cents and about \$6 worth of tickets have been already sold. The proceeds will be given to the Catholic Orphans' Home at Portland. Patrons are promised the usual program of songs, dances, cake-walks and original gags, and there is not a doubt in the world that they will get the full worth of the five cents admission fee.

Martin Donnell has one of his shop windows decorated with a lot of Indian pictures that have made the artist, Lee Moorehouse, of Pendleton, famous. To those on exhibition for some time have been added a picture of Chief Peo, chief of the Umatillas, and Paul Showaway, an educated high muck-a-muck of the same tribe, both of whom are now in Washington on some land matters, the guests of General Miles. The artist is an ex-Indian agent of the Umatillas and now clerk of the supreme court. He is an amateur photographer and claims to have a thousand Indian negatives. His famous "Coyote Twins" have brought him enough to build a \$5000 house. Some time ago the proprietors of Melin's Food offered him \$1000 for the copyright of the "twins." The Wanamaker department store of Philadelphia lately ordered 10,000 copies of the pictures, 5,000 of each. Mr. Moore has made a little fortune out of his amateur photography. Mr. Donnell claims to have sold here between 500 and 600 copies of the "twins" alone.

Have you seen those "swell" shirts at the New York Cash Store? All styles, stiff and soft bosoms, just received. Come early and get your pick.

Just arrived—a new lot of neckwear for gentlemen. Latest designs and colors. Be sure and see them at the New York Cash Store.

Garden Hose

We have laid in a large stock of Garden Hose and are carrying the same brand of Hose that we have been carrying for the last five years, which is the celebrated Maltese Cross Brand. We carry the same brand of Hose that the Dalles City Fire Department has been using for the last twenty years. The Maltese Cross Brand is without doubt the best grade of Hose on the market. Call and get our prices before buying.

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