

Dry Goods Department.

Advance sale of

Percales....

Choice Spring Goods, regular 15c sellers, and so marked;

Special

for this week only,

12½c.

Celebrated W. B. Corsets,

Special sale, this week,

Less 25 per ct.

Grocery Department.

Creamery Butter....

Tygh Valley, Warner's and Trout Lake,

50c per roll

for Three Days only.

Van Camp's Soups....

Mock Turtle, Oxtail, Chicken, Clam Chowder, Bouillon, Vegetable

Special 9c,

This week only.

Shoe Department.

Broken Lot Sale....

of Ladies', Misses' and Children's Shoes.

Ladies' Welt Button...\$1.45

Ladies' Welt Button... 1.25

Ladies' Turn Sole, 2½ to 4..... .75

Ladies' Spring Heel, Button, 2 to 5..... .75

Ladies' Spring Heel, Lace, 3 to 6..... 1.00

Child's Kang. Calf, Button, 5 to 8..... .69

Child's Goat Button, 5 to 8..... .53

Child's Goat Button, 9 to 12..... .63

PEASE & MAYS

All Goods Marked in Plain Figures

OREGON LEGISLATURE.

The Senatorial Situation Is Unchanged.

Special to THE CHRONICLE]

SALEM, Feb. 16.—In the house this forenoon the bill to make eight hours constitute a day's labor on all public works was defeated.

Montague's bill appropriating compensation for the Indian war veterans passed. The amount, however, was reduced from \$50,000 to \$30,000.

The senate passed the assessment and taxation bill introduced by the committee on assessment.

The vote for senator resulted as follows: Corbett 31; Hermann 27; Inman 26; Williams 1; absent and paired 5.

SALMAGUNDI.

The Woodmen members are subjected to a good deal of joshing since the crusading of Mrs. Nation in Kansas, the wearers of the little ax being declared members of the "Nation Order of Joint Smashers."

In a letter to the Moro Observer, reciting his experience with pure bred chickens, Owen Thompson, of Monkland, says: "I started last spring with a pair of Wyandottes, and from the two have sold cockerels and pullets to the amount of \$26, eggs \$14, besides having eaten chickens and eggs enough to pay for their feed." He has left a nice flock of pullets worth \$25.

The page of the pipe at Windsor Castle holds an hereditary office which dates back to the time of Charles II. That merry monarch acquired the tobacco habit from some of his Virginia colonists, and required a page, which was paid a salary of \$500 a year, to keep his smoking apparatus in order. In a moment of generosity his majesty made the appointment permanent. Until 1795 the honor was held by the Duke of Grafton, who got hard up and sold it to a merchant named Harrison. As Queen Victoria did not smoke, the office was a sinecure, but the descendants of Harrison are entitled to the privilege of entering the presence of their sovereign at any time.

Some of the California oil excitement struck Albany the other day when it was learned that crude oil was floating on the water in the rear of the C. & E. depot. The Democrat man says he inspected it and sure enough there was the oil. Several men who knew oil struck matches to it and it sizzled and tried to burn. A railroad man said he had seen some of the California oil and it was crude oil all right. Certainly there is no more reason why there should not be oil here as well as in California. There was plenty near enough in sight to cause a boom for the city and bring Rockefeller here to put the field in his trust. When the Democrat informs its readers that Mr. John Turner, the thoughtful C. & E. agent, was the discoverer, it need not say any more.

The discovery of the Australian gold-fields was in some instances not altogether without romance, notwithstanding their prosaic surroundings, perhaps in no case more so than in that of West Pilbarra. It appears that a discerning youth of tender years picked up a stone to throw at a cow (some say a crow), and noticing that it contained gold, reported the fact to the "warden." This gentleman was so excited at the news that he flashed the intelligence by wire to the then governor of the colony, informing him that a lad had picked up a stone to throw at a crow—forgetting to add that he had seen gold in it. The governor, much surprised, but moved by curiosity, wired back: "Yes; and what happened to the crow?" (or cow). This elicited explanations, which led to the proclamation of the district as a gold-field, and in consequence of the rush that followed in the same year (1888) 3,493 ounces of gold were obtained, valued at £13,273, early attention being drawn to the district by the discovery of several large nuggets, one of which weighed 140 ounces.

It is said that more women than men have attained a century of life near the opening of the twentieth century. Most of them give their "recipes" for long life with firm conviction of their efficacy. Mrs. Mary Bradley, of Philadelphia, who is 101, says that a cold bath every day is the secret. Mrs. Beatty Lewis, of Saginaw, Mich., who is 104, claims that a diet consisting principally of bread and milk and excluding sweets, tea and coffee, is the key to longevity. Mrs. Mary McDonald, of Philadelphia, born, she says, 129 years ago, tells her friends to avoid worry, to work regularly and to sleep much if they would live long. Mrs. Calcestin-Nigro, of Philadelphia, born in Italy 108 years ago, says that the essentials are to live out of doors as much as possible, to drink

We do

Steam, hot water and furnace heating. Estimates made and contracts taken for heating old or new buildings.

Do not forget

That we operate a plumbing and tin shop, also a machine repair shop in connection with our hardware and implement store. Repair work of all kinds done.

MAYS & CROWE.

...Given Away...

With every Dollar's worth of goods purchased at our store during January and February, we will give One Chance on the following prizes:

FIRST PRIZE—One Aluminized Garland Steel Range.

SECOND PRIZE—One Rose Garland Cast Iron Heating Stove.

THIRD PRIZE—One set of Roger's Silver Plated Knives and Forks.

FOURTH PRIZE—One set of Carver's Knife, Fork and Steel.

FIFTH PRIZE—One Nickle Plated Tea Kettle.

SIXTH PRIZE—One Nickle Plated Condenser Coffee Pot.

SEVENTH PRIZE—One Nickle Plated Tea Pot.

In addition to giving away these prizes we will sell goods as low as the lowest, and will always be ready to serve the trade in the best possible way. We will positively not be undersold by any one. Our prices are right.

MAIER & BENTON.

plenty of grape wine, eat a great deal of meat and keep a contented mind. Miss Larisha Shaller, of Tylersville, Conn., who reached her one hundredth birthday on September 21, 1900, thinks that her long-continued life is due to the fact that she has taken a walk every day regardless of weather, with her feet so protected that she never takes cold. She adds that she never worries and her chief enjoyment is to read the Bible and sing hymns.

A gentleman came into our city last Saturday afternoon, says the Shaniko Leader, and walked up to the counter of the Columbia Southern Hotel and registered under the name of T. Burns, from Chicago. The proprietor, Fen Batty, was sizing him up while he was signing his name, and told him what the bill would amount to for supper, bed and breakfast, and after fumbling in his pockets, Mr. Burns said he would settle later and went out. Soon, however, he came back and gathered up his budget and left. On Sunday he had some important business to transact and hired a horse from Tunney & Nurse, to be gone a short time. Up to Tuesday morning no horse or man showed up. The owners of the horse, becoming suspicious, began to inquire about the man; but nothing could be learned except that he had been in Antelope. They then began telegraphing, with the result that Sheriff Keaton, of Wheeler county, found him in Fossil and arrested the gentleman. Roy Nurse immediately started for the man and the horse; and in all probability the gentleman with the high-sounding and euphonious name of Burns from Chicago will find quarters where board and lodging will not be required to be paid in advance.

How to Cure Croup.

Mr. R. Gray, who lives near Amenia, Dutchess county, N. Y., says: "Chamberlain's Cough Remedy is the best medicine I have ever used. It is a fine children's remedy for croup and never fails to cure." When given as soon as the child becomes hoarse, or even after the croupy cough has developed, it will prevent the attack. This should be borne in mind and a bottle of the Cough Remedy kept at hand ready for instant use as soon as these symptoms appear. For sale by Blakeley, the druggist.

Reports show a greatly increased death rate from throat and lung troubles, due to the prevalence of croup, pneumonia and grippe. We advise the use of One Minute Cough Cure in all of these difficulties. It is the only harmless remedy that gives immediate results. Children like it. Clarke & Falk's P. O. Pharmacy.

OUR CHURCHES

Zion Lutheran church, Seventh and Union streets—Services at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m.; Sunday school 12:15 p. m.; German service at 2:30 in the afternoon; Lutheran League meeting 6:30 p. m.

Calvary Baptist church—Rev. W. B. Clifton, pastor. Regular services at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. in the new church on Union street. Sunday school at 10 a. m.; B. Y. P. U. at 6:30 p. m.

Congregational church—corner Fifth and Court streets. Rev. D. V. Poling, pastor. Services at regular hours. Morning subject: "The Significance of Temptation." Evening subject: "A Story of the Time of Christ," in two chapters. The first chapter will be read. A number by the male quartet will be rendered at the evening service. Young people's meeting at 6:30 p. m. Subject, "Concession," led by Mr. Merrill. A cordial invitation is extended to all those not worshipping elsewhere.

Methodist Episcopal church—Corner Fifth and Washington, Rev. Ulysses F. Hawk pastor. Morning worship at 11 a. m.; Sunday school at 10 a. m.; class meeting at close of morning service; Epworth League at 6:30 p. m.; Junior League at 3 p. m.; evening service at 7:30. Class meeting every Tuesday at 7:30 p. m. Morning theme: "Finished Work." Evening theme: "What to Believe With Respect to God."

Your Face

Shows the state of your feelings and the state of your health as well. Impure blood makes itself apparent in a pale and sallow complexion, Pimples and Skin Eruptions. If you are feeling weak and worn out and do not have a healthy appearance you should try Acker's Blood Elixir. It cures all blood diseases where cheap Sarsaparilla and so called purifiers fail; knowing this we sell every bottle on a positive guarantee. Blakeley, the druggist.

Advertised Letters.

Following is the list of letters remaining in the postoffice at The Dalles un-called for February 16, 1901. Persons calling for the same will give date on which they were advertised:

Carral, John Campbell, C. L.
Fleck, Mrs. C. A. (3) Flannery, Frank
Fleck, C. A. Hagan, Jane
Jones, J. F. Johnson, Joz
Laughlin, Lizzie (2) Montgomery, K
McFarland (Poster) Marty, Moroni
Matson, Louis (2) Purcell, Mrs. A. J.
Ree, Bells Stuart, Mrs. May
Thomas, Ed Wilkins, Mr. J.
Wright, Mr. E. E. Weber, Karl

J. M. PATTERSON, P. M.

An experienced young woman wants employment as waitress, chambermaid or pantry maid. Apply long distance phone 799. 114-20

The Dalles Daily Chronicle.

SATURDAY - FEB. 16, 1901

Oysters

served in any style...

At Andrew Keller's.

TREASURER'S NOTICE.

All Wasco County warrants registered prior to September 1, 1897, will be paid on presentation at my office. Interest ceases after November 29, 1900.

JOHN F. HAMPSHIRE,
County Treasurer.

WAYSIDE GLEANINGS.

The Japs are expected soon. Watch for them.

A. M. Williams & Co. will open a grand sale of muslin underwear next Tuesday. Watch ad in Monday's paper.

A marriage license was issued yesterday afternoon to W. B. Sloan and Olive A. Rouse, both of the Dufur neighborhood.

For the thirty hours preceding 7 o'clock this morning 1.68 inches of rain fell at The Dalles, a very unusual quantity for this or any other time of year.

All ye that intend to keep lent, and all others who desire to attend a pleasant dance, remember that Professor Sandvig's regular Saturday night dance takes place tonight at the Baldwin.

Gumbert's Cigar and Tobacco House wishes to announce that their periodical department is now complete. Ring up local phone 231 and we will reserve any periodical published. The great and only New York Sunday World, 5 cents.

Mill creek was a raging torrent all day. This morning it was found that the flood had washed away the east bank at the railroad bridge leading to the company's shop and undermined one of the beams of the bridge so that traffic over it has been suspended all day.

Among the religious announcements in a Heppner paper is the following for tomorrow: Subjects at M. E. church next Sunday are: a. m., "The 3rd Commandment;" p. m., "Dukes Mixture, Seal of N. C. and Red Bell," or something about tobacco and tobacco users.

At ye Martha Washington party on ye 22nd of February, in ye Methodist meeting-house, there will be an interesting contest in which ye all may take part. After this ye may find good seats and listen to some mense and women's syngs and speak pieces. Ye, goodames will now serve something nice and dainty to eat.

A shadow social was given at the Dutch Flat school house Feb. 13th, for the benefit of the school library. A short program was rendered by the school, after which the shadows of the young ladies were auctioned off by Mr. O. L. Walter, who kindly acted as

auctioneer. A banquet was served by the ladies of Dutch Flat. The proceeds greatly exceeded expectations and all went home highly pleased with the success of the evening.

Two landslides below Bonnyville, that occurred last night, had not been cleared at the hour of going to press, and one train that arrived here this afternoon from Portland transferred its passengers and baggage at the slides. Over 100 passengers that arrived here from the east this morning were transferred, with their baggage, to the Dalles City.

The friends of Mr. and Mrs. James Duncan will be pleased to learn that Mrs. Duncan's progress towards the recovery of her health after submitting to a most critical operation for an internal tumor, is very encouraging. In this connection it is only just to say that the operation was performed at the Good Samaritan Hospital, and not at St. Vincent's, as THE CHRONICLE inadvertently said a few days ago. The operation was performed by Dr. Parker, assisted by Dr. Belle C. Ferguson, of this city.

Articles of incorporation were filed in the county clerk's office yesterday afternoon of the Upper River Transportation Company, with J. M. Russell, Geo. C. Blakeley and T. A. Hudson as incorporators. The object of the company is to build, lease, acquire by purchase or otherwise scows, barges and steamboats for the transportation of commodities on the Upper Columbia river and its tributaries, and also to transport the same over portages and around rapids. The capital stock is \$10,000, in shares of \$50 each. The object of the corporation, more explicitly stated, is to reduce the cost of the transportation of wool to The Dalles from the countries tributary to the upper river. The O. R. & N. Co.'s rates on wool discriminate against The Dalles and in favor of Pendleton, because once at Pendleton the O. R. & N. Company is sure of it, while if the wool is shipped and scoured here it has the benefit of the competitive rates given by the Regulator company. Viewed in this light, the enterprise is thoroughly practical, and it is hardly to be doubted that sufficient interest will be taken in the matter by the wool men to make it a success.

CASTORIA

For Infants and Children.

The Kind You Have Always Bought

Bears the Signature of *Wm. D. Little*

Wanted.

A girl to do general housework. Must be a good cook. Good wages for a competent party.

Mrs. T. J. SEUFFER.

A full line of Eastman films and supplies just received by Clarke & Falk.

The New Flour Mill Co.

W. Lord has been elected president, B. F. Laughlin vice-president, E. O. McCoy secretary, and French & Co., bankers, treasurer of the Wasco Warehouse Milling Co., recently incorporated to build a 500-barrel flour mill at The Dalles. Since the organization of this company it has bought up the stock of the Wasco Warehouse Company, and also that of the Union Warehouse Company. This makes it possible for the new company to handle in its own warehouses, direct from the producer, the wheat that it will require for flour, and gives the company an even chance with the exporters who, in the last few years, have been squeezing local dealers out of the wheat market in most of Eastern Oregon and Washington. This gives our farmers a lasting competition in the wheat buying business. The large flouring mill company will prove another advantage to our farmers in that it will require a large amount of high grade wheat, for which it can and will pay prices above those that can be paid by the exporters. This makes it possible for the farmer to get for his wheat just what it is actually worth for milling purposes. For the present the company will operate in Wasco and Sherman counties of Oregon, and Klickitat county, Washington.—Wasco News.

Serious Train Wreck.

A serious train wreck occurred at 1 o'clock this morning at a point on the O. R. & N. track, about thirteen miles west of The Dalles, when an engine and caboose that were going west to the scene of a landslide below Bonneville fell through a filled bridge and four of the train men and one Japanese were injured. When the engine and caboose came to a rest the front end of the engine pointed upward, while the back end of the tender pointed upward in the opposite direction and the caboose lay on top of the tender.

The marvel is that a number of the men were not crushed to death. As it is Ed Ruffino, the fireman, was taken from the wreck with his thigh broken and one foot crushed. Sam Winters, the engineer, had his hip crushed or broken, his left arm badly injured, a rib broken and his face scalded by escaping steam. Henderson and Meyer, two brakemen, were bruised about the body but perhaps not seriously. A Japanese laborer had his leg broken.

The injured men were brought to The Dalles under the care of Dr. Geisendorfer, who had gone to the scene of the wreck, and as traffic was suspended on account of landslides below Bonneville, they were placed on the Dalles City and taken to St. Vincent's Hospital.

Acker's Dyspepsia Tablets are sold on a positive guarantee. Cures heart-burn, raising of the food, distress after eating, or any form of dyspepsia. One little tablet gives immediate relief. 25 cts. and 50 cts. Blakeley, the druggist.

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