

# Grand Opening of WHITE GOODS.

Thursday will be "White Goods Day." A day on which the first showing of New Spring and Summer Styles will be displayed.

It's a yearly event—one which we are making great preparations for. We will display the most marvelous collection of

Dainty Sheer White Goods,  
French Organdies, Silk Mulls  
and Swiss Batiste

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Grand Opening Thursday, March 7th.

All Goods Marked  
in Plain Figures

## PEASE & MAYS

### The Dalles Daily Chronicle.

WEDNESDAY - MARCH 6, 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.

Found—A postoffice key. Owner can find it at this office.

Early Rose seed potatoes for sale at the Stadelman Comm. Co. m5-1m

The fortnightly will meet with Miss Virginia Marden tomorrow afternoon at 2:30, when a new book will be read.

The regular March term of the county commissioners' court convened this morning with all the members in attendance.

A "crazy" social will be given by the Junior League at the M. E. church Friday night, at 7:30 o'clock. The admission fee will be 15 cents.

They are the talk of the town—those swell spring and summer shirts that Pease and Mays have in their window. Do not fail to see them.

The state insane asylum has at present 1203 patients, with a staff of 141 officers and employees. They are supported at an average per capita monthly cost of \$10.46, or a per capita daily cost of 37 cents.

A special meeting of the city council will convene tonight to draw up specifications for lighting the city, for the guidance of the parties who are offering to bring light and power from Hood River and the Deschutes.

Mr. W. Markillie went to Portland this morning to complete the purchase of a stock of clothing and gents' furnishing goods which he will open up, as soon as they arrive, in the new store building next door to Adcox & Company's jewelry store.

At the entertainment to be given Friday night, March 8th, at the residence of Mr. E. O. McCoy, by the Ladies' Aid Society of the Congregational church, the following program will be rendered: Soprano solo, Miss Myrtle Mitchell and Mrs. Woodworth; contralto solo, Mrs. H. W. Taylor; recitation, Mrs. Maud Eddon; instrumental duet, Mr. Wm. Birgfeld and Miss Genevieve Fish; Baritone solo, Rev. D. V. Poling; selection, male quartet.

The following story is told of a Montana justice of the peace named Reed, who administered justice and other

things in the town of Belknap in the early '70s. Judge Reed performed at Belknap in the winter of 1878 a marriage ceremony that is classic in Western annals. He made the bride swear that she would support the constitution of the United States and the organized acts of the territory of Montana; that she would be ever loving, faithful and true, and would be ever willing to defend with her life, if necessary—the honor of her God, her country and her flag. The bridegroom was compelled to swear that he would split the wood, carry the water, shovel the snow, build the fire, and under any and all circumstances try to be a perfect gentleman. Instead of returning her devotion with slurs and scowls he would repay it with kisses and kind words. If he ran shy of kisses he was to call on the justice of the peace, who was long on kisses but short on girls. Reed wound up this unique ceremony by making the couple recite the Lord's prayer in unison. And the ceremony ended with a crack of a revolver and a pop of beer corks.

### More About the State House Janitor.

J. H. Gates, the ex-janitor of the state house, whose sudden rise to fame and prosperity gave him at least state-wide notoriety, was in the city yesterday, in close and long consultation with his attorney, L. H. McMahan. It is learned that Mr. Gates has been at Eugene and Cottage Grove, for several days, and his stay in these cities gave rise to divers speculations and local gossip. Gates dresses well, appears to have plenty of money and maintains the serious aspect of one who is of importance to others. What an interesting story Gates might give the reporter. But Gates speaketh not.—Salem Statesman.

The Woodburn Independent, one of whose editors had J. H. Gates arrested at this city on the charge of the larceny by bailer of \$1500, fails to go into particulars in reference to the matter as fully as the Democrat would like to see. In the meantime Mr. Gates is getting extravagant and has subscribed for a Eugene paper.—Albany Democrat.

### PERSONAL MENTION.

Miss Bessie Lang has returned from a two weeks' visit with friends in Portland.

Miss Susie Gambell, of Portland, arrived here today and is the guest of Mrs. Bela Huntington. Miss Gambell comes here to organize a class for instruction in vocal music.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Mahear and family, of Eight Mile, moved into town today and have taken up their residence in Mr. Mahear's dwelling on the northeast corner of Third and Laughlin.

**CASTORIA**  
For Infants and Children.  
The Kind You Have Always Bought  
Bears the Signature of *Wm. D. Galt*

### "THE WIFE"

Cast of Characters for the Beautiful Play to be Given by Home Talent.

John Rutherford, Senator from New York..... Percy H. Levin  
Robert Gray (attorney at law)..... O. B. Krier  
Matthew Culver (in politics)..... R. Grimes  
Major Howard Q. Putman (compelled to take life easy)..... J. Irwin  
Silas Truman (of the Produce Exchange)..... H. E. Northup  
Jack Dexter (Columbia '02)..... Will Crossen  
Randolph (secretary to Rutherford)..... J. McCowen  
Helen Truman (an only daughter)..... Mrs. Maude Eddon  
Lucille Ferrant (from New Orleans)..... Miss Georgia Sampson  
Mrs. Bellamy Ives (in charities)..... Mrs. G. Blakeley  
Kittie Ives (coming out)..... Miss Rose Michell  
Mrs. Armour (a member of Truman & Co.)..... Miss Virginia Cooper  
Agnes (Mrs. Rutherford's maid)..... Bessie Eddon

### SYNOPSIS.

Act I—Newport, July. The proposal.

Act II—Mrs. Oliver Dexter's in Washington, February. The Husband.

Act III—Rutherford's library. The same evening. The marriage tie.

Act IV—Rutherford's library. April. The wife.

In order to make this production a popular success, it has been decided to place the price of admission at fifty cents, with no extra charge for reserved seats. Tickets may be had from members of the football association and exchanged for reserved seats at Clarke & Falk's, or at the latter place on and after 9 a. m. Thursday, March 7th.

Birgfeld's orchestra of eight pieces has been engaged for the music, and the specialties that will be introduced between acts will be announced in a day or so.

### Rate War May Soon End.

With a view to end the long-continued rate war between the Astoria road and the O. R. & N., President Mohler, of the O. R. & N., has submitted to President Hammond, of the Astoria road, the following schedule of passenger rates between Portland and Astoria:

Single trip by rail ..... \$2.50  
Round trip ..... 4.00  
Single trip by boat ..... 1.75  
Round trip ..... 3.00  
Lower berth ..... .75  
Single berth ..... .50  
Section ..... 1.50  
Room ..... 1.25  
Meals ..... .50  
Clatsop beach by rail, round trip ..... 4.50  
To North Beach ..... 4.50

### Flayed Out.

Dull Headache, Pains in various parts of the body, Sinking at the pit of the stomach, Loss of appetite, Feverishness, Pimples or Sores are all positive evidences of impure blood. No matter how it became so it must be purified in order to obtain good health. Acker's Blood Elixir has never failed to cure Scrofulous or Syphilitic poisons or any other blood diseases. It is certainly a wonderful remedy and we sell every bottle on a positive guarantee. Blakeley, the druggist.

Why pay \$1.75 per gallon for inferior paints when you can buy James E. Patton's sun proof paints for \$1.50 per gallon, guaranteed for 5 years. Clark & Falk, agents.

### Senator Johnston to Elmer Green.

DUPON, March 5, 1901.

### EDITOR CHRONICLE:

My attention is called to a communication in The Chronicle of March 2nd headed "Is This a Lie Too?"

To any person familiar with the name attached to the communication, or rather with the man Elmer Green, and his reputation for the past fifteen years, it would not be even necessary to read the lines to know it was a lie; all that would be required was the signature to brand it as such.

The article relates to the charges of The Chronicle that I pledged my word of honor not to vote for Mr. Corbett. Green tells of such a pledge made in Johnston Bros. store and calls as witnesses Eli Humman and S. H. Edmondson, both business men of Dupon. Each of the gentlemen mentioned say they have no knowledge of such a conversation, nor never heard me make a pledge to Green nor any other person. Both gentlemen deny ever hearing the senatorial question discussed in my presence. Their reputation as business men should certainly be sufficient to settle the charge.

Green says you can imagine how cheap he feels. I can imagine how cheap he feels if he feels natural, for he is a cheap man; a man who in every neighborhood where he has resided is notorious only for his inability to tell the truth.

Green may have influenced votes in my favor, but if so it was among men who did not know him, and I feel assured that when his neighbors become acquainted with his character an ordinary lie will be considered a virtue in him compared with his other acts.

Yours Truly,  
T. H. JOHNSTON.

### District Clerks' Annual Report.

The following is a summary of the annual report of the schools in District No. 12 (The Dalles) for the year ending the first Monday in March, 1901:

Number of persons between 1 and 20	1476
No. pupils on register	1114
No. teachers employed	17
No. holding state certificates or diplomas	14
No. holding first grade certificates	3
No. legal voters in district (estimated)	700
Total number books in library	452
Total number books purchased during year	126
No. pupils enrolled in private schools (est.)	150
No. teachers employed in private schools	6

Following are the receipts and disbursements from March 1, 1900 to March 1, 1901:

RECEIPTS.	
Cash, March 1, 1900	\$ 1422 76
Special tax 7½ mills	845 18
Delinquent tax	181 57
County school fund	5397 25
State school fund	2285 40
Tuition	415 30
Miscellaneous	5 76
	\$18166 22
DISBURSEMENTS.	
Teachers' salaries	\$ 9271 25
Janitors' salaries	1122 00
Clerk's salary	399 00
Interest—Bonds, \$1000.00; Notes, \$281.25	1683 00
Warrants, \$198.75	153 25
Phone and water rent	828 38
Printing	531 63
Court street closets and sewers	71 55
Gen. repairs and improvements	571 30
Books, library and indigent pupils	130 00
Fuel	103 50
Insurance	21 00
Light, two years, and meter	21 00
Trees and care, East Hill Primary	314 83
Stationery and supplies	7 50
Judges and clerks, election	1500 00
Payment Willhelm note	1145 00
Net warrants redeemed	1145 00
Total	\$17614 09
Cash on hand March 1, 1901	552 13
	\$18166 22
GENERAL STATISTICS.	
Liabilities of district—	
Bonded indebtedness	\$20000 00
Notes	4000 00
Warrants	2010 00
Total	\$26010 00
Less cash on hand March 1, 1901	552 13
Net indebtedness March 1, 1901	\$25457 87
Net indebtedness March 1, 1900	27632 24
Reduction during year	\$ 2174 37
Taxable property in district as shown by 1900 roll	\$1,149,202 00
Special tax levy 7½ mills.	

### Notice.

All members of the Degree of Honor will please bear in mind that we have moved into the small K. of P. hall, and will meet on the first and third Thursdays of each month. Tomorrow evening after our business session the doors will be opened to all members of the A. O. U. W. Refreshments will be served, and a social time spent, to which all members are invited.

### STOCKHOLDERS' MEETING.

Notice is hereby given that there will be a meeting of The Dalles, Portland & Astoria Navigation Company, at the company's office in The Dalles, on Saturday, April 6, 1901, at 2 o'clock p. m., for the purpose of electing seven directors and transacting such other business as may properly come before said meeting. By order of the president, The Dalles, Oregon, March 5, 1901.  
L. E. CROWE, Sec'y.

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Of the product of this well-known brewery the United States Health Reports for June 28, 1900, says: "A more superior brew never entered the laboratory of the United States Health reports. It is absolutely devoid of the slightest trace of adulteration, but on the other hand is composed of the best of malt and choicest of hops. Its tonic qualities are of the highest and it can be used with the greatest benefit and satisfaction by old and young. Its use can conscientiously be prescribed by the physicians with the certainty that a better, purer or more wholesome beverage could not possibly be found."

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## ATTENTION!

The Great Northern Furniture Company wish to announce that after the return of their buyer, who has been contracting with the largest Eastern manufacturer, they will have succeeded in securing the greatest line of

### Furniture, Carpets, Stoves, &c,

which has ever been shown in the history of The Dalles. It has been the aim and desire of this most popular firm to introduce their immense stock at the first opportunity. The time has come. We are now ready to prove our assertions. Call and be convinced. We wish to call particular attention to our great line of

### BUGGIES AND GO-CARTS.

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## Great Northern Furniture Co.,

Second Street, opposite Obarr House.

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With every dollar's worth of goods purchased at my store for the next Sixty Days, I will give one chance on the following prizes:

- 1st—First prize ..... 1 Gent's Gold Watch and Chain
- 2—Second prize ..... 1 Ladies' Gold Watch and Chain
- 3—Third prize ..... 1 Smoking Set
- 4—Fourth prize ..... 1 Silver Butter Dish and Butter Knife
- 5—Fifth prize ..... 1 set Silver Knives and Forks

In addition to giving away these prizes I will sell goods as low as the lowest, and guarantee my goods to be fresh. Give me a trial.

### ROBERT TEAGUE.

WM. MICHELL,  
Undertaker and Embalmer  
Cor. Third and Washington Sts.

Notice No. 2

I call all persons indebted to the late firm of E. J. Collins & Co. and S. L. Brooks to call and settle their account or note, as the case may be, by the 1st of April; otherwise the accounts will be put into the hands of our collector.

All orders attended to promptly. Long distance phone 433. Local, 102.

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