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This week we announce the arrival of several lines of Fall and Winter Goods including Ladies' Misses' and Childrens Jackets, Plush, Cloth and Golf Capes, Calico, Fleeced and Welch Flannel Wrappers, Colored Wool Dress Goods, Black Wool Dress Goods, Part Wool Underwear, All Wool Underwear, Wool and Cashmere Hosiery, Wool and Eiderdown Flannels---all colors, Silk Waists, Blankets, Comforts.

New Line Golf cloths and Cheviots for Rainy-day Skirts.

Ladies' heavy ribbed cotton hose	10c	Worsted dress plaids, for school dresses	12½c
Ladies' heavy ribbed hose, double sole and heel	12½c	400 yards wool dress goods, worth 35c to 60c	23c
Children's heavy ribbed cotton hose, all sizes	10c	Fleeced flannellette wrappers, worth $1.35	95c
Ladies' natural fleeced ribbed vests and pants	25c	Ladies' mackintoshes at one-half marked prices.	
Ladies' natural fleeced union suits	75c	Pure linen hock towels, hemmed ends, worth 35c	23c
Grey blankets—full size	65c	Fancy colored towels, worth 35c	23c
White Marseilles quilts	75c	Pillow cases, 36x45	12½c
All linen crash toweling	7c	School umbrellas	50c

We've opened up the largest line of direct imported Black Dress Goods this week ever shown in Pendleton. Call and see them.

Ladies' Knox Hats for Fall.

Pendleton's Big Store.

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We are now ready for business near Washington & Columbia River freight depot with a general assortment of lumber direct from our own saw mill, and can furnish anything promptly. Country orders in car loads shipped direct from our mill in carload lots at correct prices. Give us a call.

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GENERAL NEWS.

Paul Kruger, president of the Transvaal republic, is a fugitive in Portuguese territory.

The plague in India is again increasing. Over 12,000 deaths are reported to have occurred in India during the last week.

The people of Dallas, Texas, have subscribed nearly $15,000, in cash and six carloads of clothing for the south Texas flood sufferers.

The residence of Lord Salisbury in London is watched by Scotland yard detectives, owing to threats which are now said to be the work of a practical joker. Lord Salisbury left Schlucht today for England.

Drunken negroes are causing a reign of terror at Huron, 12 miles south of Bedford, Ind., on the Baltimore & Ohio railroad, and Judge Martin has been asked that the sheriff and a posse be sent to the town to quell a riot.

President Kruger and several Transvaal officials are staying at the house of Mr. Pott, consul of the Netherlands at Lorenzo Manques. It is reported that they will sail for Europe September 24, on the German steamer Herzog.

Lord Curzon of Keddleston, viceroy of India, has cabled the India office that good rains have fallen in Madras and central Bengal and on the Gangetic plain, relieving all present anxiety regarding the autumn crops in those territories.

Nine persons, members of the Duncan Clark Specialty company, were killed in a train wreck near Cairo, Ill., Wednesday. They were occupants of a private car. The rear truck of the car broke and it was thrown with great force from the track.

The question of withdrawing the American troops at once from Pekin is now before the president, and a speedy decision is expected and required. There are differences among officials in Pekin on these subjects, and the issue is for the president to decide.

The state department has received from Senor Aspiroz, the Mexican ambassador, a communication conveying the invitation of Mexico to the United States to participate in the international congress to be held in the city of Mexico, beginning October 22, 1901.

The Boers have decided to make a formal declaration of guerilla warfare. General Botha is understood to have dissented from this course, but, according to a Post correspondent with Lord Roberts' forces, he was overruled by the other members of the council of war.

PACIFIC NORTHWEST NEWS.

The Oregon State Press Association will attend the state fair in a body Tuesday, September 18.

Leathers, aged 65, was killed at Eugene, Wednesday, by falling from a tree. He was a farmer and was in Eugene with a load of vegetables and stopped at the home of Mrs. M. A. Hunsaker to pick some prunes.

Barney Connelly who was entombed for 60 hours in the Park tunnel, above Mullan, Idaho, by a cave-in, has been rescued. He was so weak and so badly injured that it was impossible to bring him down the mountian to Mullan, but he will recover.

William Spreitzer, aged 12 years, by his father, A. Spreitzer, as guardian ad litem, has sued Emmett Nealond 19 years of age for $1000 damages, in the state circuit court in Portland. Spreitzer's eye was shot out with an air gun by Nealond on August 12.

The grand jury was discharged at Jacksonville after returning not a true bill against G. K. Walker, who has been in jail since last June, charged with the crime of rape on his stepdaughter. The girl completely exonerated hi before the grand jury.

C. H. Bemenderfer, an ex-United States soldier, and recently a cook in Skykomish, Wash., committed suicide at Everett Saturday night by cutting his throat from ear to ear and by severing the veins of both wrists. He had been on a protracted spree at Seattle.

Last spring a man of Corvallis took a fishing trip beyond Philomath on a wheel and left his bicycle leaning against a log while he spent the day angling. On his return the wheel was gone, nor did a diligent search restore it. Last week it was found suspended from the limb of a tree above where its owner had left it.

Contagious Blood Poison

There is no poison so highly contagious, so deceptive and so destructive. Don't be too sure you are cured because all external signs of the disease have disappeared, and the doctor says you are well. Many persons have been dosed with Mercury and Potash for months or years, and pronounced cured—to realize when too late that the disease was only covered up—driven from the surface to break out again, and to their sorrow and mortification find those nearest and dearest to them have been infected by this loathsome disease, for no other poison is so surely transmitted from parent to child as this. Often a bad case of Rheumatism, Catarrh, Scrofula or severe skin disease, an old sore or ulcer developing in middle life, can be traced to blood poison contracted in early life, for it remains smoldering in the system forever, unless properly treated and driven out in the beginning. S. S. S. is the only antidote for this peculiar virus, the only remedy known that can overcome it and drive it out of the blood, and it does this so thoroughly and effectually that there is never a return of the disease to embarrass or humiliate you afterwards.

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LI STARTS FOR PEKIN

Prince Ching Arrives at Pekin Under Escort of British and Japanese.

ASSOCIATED PRESS INTERVIEWS CHING

Li Hung Chang Regrets the Newspapers Are Prejudiced Against Him, and Says English Papers Are to Blame.

Shanghai, Sept. 14.—Li Hung Chang starts for Pekin today.

Waiting for Li Hung Chang.

The following dispatch has been received: Pekin, Sept. 5.—Prince Ching arrived here yesterday, accompanied by an escort of British and Japanese cavalry. Sharp diplomatic play is expected for an advantage, but definite negotiations will not take place until Li Hung Chang has arrived here and the question of his authority is disposed of.

Ching is Interviewed.

An Associated Press representative saw Prince Ching today. The prince said he trusted that in the immediate future everything would be settled satisfactorily. He thought the treatment of Pekin was unnecessarily cruel, and that was especially true as regards private property. He was thankful, however, that the sacred city had been preserved. He had come to Pekin, he said, with full authority from the emperor to obtain peace by any necessary sacrifice, but felt sure the generosity of the powers would not exact anything degrading to the dignity of China or would there be any encroachment upon Chinese territory.

Li, Too, is Interviewed.

Shanghai, Sept. 14.—Li Hung Chang was seen by a representative of the Associated Press today. Throughout the interivew Li appeared in fine spirits and talked as one removed by reason of age and experience from the field of controversy. He regretted all the recent troubles and said he had no desire except "to smooth them over impartially." Li Hung Chang said he deplored the fact that the newspapers were prejudiced against him, and asserted this opposition originated with the English press of Shanghai, which influenced the papers of the world.

Russia's Demands.

Washington, Sept. 14.—The Chinese minister called at the state department this morning. Mr. Wu felt satisfied that Earl Li had already departed from Shanghai, unless the reported action of Russia had caused him to reconsider his proposed departure. According to these reports Russia has insisted that the emperor return and assume the full direction of governmental affairs, entirely displacing the empress dowager, and that Prince Tuan be punished for his part in the recent trouble.

Will Not Please the Powers.

It is said these demands will be made to Li Hung Chang.

Even more important than the departure of Earl Li, was the information conveyed by Wu that an imperial decree named Yung Lu, to join with Prince Ching and Li, as the commission to negotiate peace. Yung Lu is the commander of the national army in Pekin, and during the recent troubles was identified with the anti-foreign sentiment. His appointment is not likely to be well received by the powers.

Commander Botha Ill.

London, Sept. 14.—The following dispatch was received from Lord Roberts: "Machadodorp—Kruger fled to Lorenzo Marques and General Botha has been obliged to give over the command of the Boer army temporary to General Kilpoen, on account of ill health."

Three Murderers Hanged.

St. Louis, Sept. 14.—A special to the Post-Dispatch from Memphis, says: A mob broke into the jail at Tunica, Miss., today and took out three negro murderers, whom they strung to a tree within a hundred yards of the jail.

Hanging at Butte.

Butte, Mont., Sept. 14.—Daniel Lucey was hanged this morning for the murder of Patrick L. Reagan. It was the first legal hanging to occur here in twelve years.

Two Miners Killed.

Butte, Mont., Sept. 14.—Thos. Kelley and James Murray were killed in the Stewart mine this morning by an explosion of powder.

Admiral Sicard Dead.

Rome, N. Y., Sept. 14.—Rear Admiral Montgomery Sicard died here of apoplexy at 9 a. m. today.

The Wheat Markets.

San Francisco, Sept. 14.—Cash wheat, $1.05 per cental.

Chicago, Sept. 14.—October wheat, 75 3-8 to 75⅝ cents per bushel.

NEW YORK MARKET.

Reported by I. L. Ray & Co., Chicago Board of Trade and New York Stock Exchange Brokers.

Sept. 14.—The foreign markets were all higher this morning. Liverpool closed 6—4 1-8 against 6—3 3-8 yesterday. Under the above influence New York opened nearly a half cent higher, 83 1-8 to 83¼, but the advance brought out considerable wheat and the advance was lost the closing being 1-8 under yesterday. Stocks weak. Money, 1½ per cent.

Close yesterday, 82¾.
Open today, 83 1-8 to 83¼.
Range today, 82 5-8 to 83¼.
Close today, 82 5-8.

One of Fate's Irionies.

Captain Lans of the German navy, who took such a prominent part in the capture of the Taku forts, writes home that the Germans captured at that place 17 guns of various caliber and much ammunition. "These," declares Captain Lans, "are the guns which have killed and wounded so many of our brave fellows, and which, alas! like almost all the enemy's guns and ammunition, were from our native country. The guns are all modern quickfires from Krupp's."

THE COAL MINERS.

President Mitchell Regrets Politicians Made Capital Out of Strike.

Scranton, Pa., Sept. 14.—Very few men are working today in the eighteen mines owned by the Delaware, Lackawana and Western railroad company, which employ about 10,000 mine workers. The collieries for the Ontario and Western railroad, employing 2000 men were shut down. The Delaware and Hudson company's mines are working with a small force.

Has Sympathy of the Public.

Indianapolis, Sept. 14.—John Mitchell, president, and W. B. Wilson, secretary and treasurer of the United Mine Workers of America, today say they are highly pleased with the manner in which the general anthracite coal strike order was received by the public. Mitchell regrets deeply that the politicians are undertaking to make capital out of the strike.

Miners at Work.

Hazelton, Pa., Sept. 14.—Mining operations are in full blast, every miner being anxious to work today and tomorrow, these being the last two days allowed by the United Mine Workers for preparation for the strike.

THOROUGHBRED BUKCS.

J. E. Smith Will Have a Good Exhibit at Street Fair.

J. E. Smith received five thoroughbred Spanish Merino bucks by express Thursday from Galena, Ill. Each one was crated separately, and the five cost Mr. Smith close to $700 laid down at Pendleton. They were from Peck & Sons, the oldest breeders of Spanish Merinos in the United States, and are of Vermont stock. It would be unnecessary to add that they are good animals. They are simply the highest type of Spanish Merinos, celebrated the world over as wool producers.

Mr. Smith is expecting five Horned Delaine bucks from Weston, Mich., to arrive any hour. They will be about as expensive as the Spanish Merinos, so that the 10 animals will represent an outlay of something like $1400.

Mr. Smith will have three pens of bucks on exhibition during the street fair. The above 10 animals, five thoroughbred Rambouillets and five thoroughbred Oxfords will compose his exhibit. Mr. Smith has been engaged in the sheep business in Umatilla county, living near Pilot Rock, for years, and has done much to increase the value of sheep, by bringing in the best thoroughbred stock that could be bought from the best breeders of the east. His pens will certainly attract favorable comment.

A Thousand Tongues

Could not express the rapture of Annie E. Springer, of 1125 Howard st., Philadelphia, Pa., when she found that Dr. King's New Discovery for consumption had completely cured her of a hacking cough that for many years had made life a burden. All other remedies and doctors could give her no help, but she says of this royal cure—"it soon removed the pain in my chest and I can now sleep soundly, something I can scarcely remember doing before. I feel like sounding its praises throughout the universe." So will every one who tries Dr. King's New Discovery for any trouble of the throat, chest or lungs. Price 50c and $1. Trial bottles free at Tallman & Co.'s drug store; every bottle guaranteed.

Windfall for St. Helen's Hall.

The trustees of the diocesan schools of the Episcopal church in Oregon have just received a legacy from the will of the late Felix Brunot of Pittsburg for the benefit of said schools, amounting to $33,365. This large bequest will insure the perpetuity of both St. Helen's hall, where Miss Eleanor Tebbetts is maintaining a girl's school of first rank, and the Bishop Scott academy where Dr. J. W. Hill has trained hundreds of boys for the past 21 years.

The Episcopal church is to be congratulated on its good fortune, this bequest being the second large one that has come to it within the past month.

Bargains Offered in Waterfalls.

There is a gentleman in Norway who offers to sell to English speculators in the picturesque and useful a small matter of 230 waterfalls. Of course they are fixtures, and, unlike castles, monuments and similar property, calculated to enhance the beauty of this or that site, can not be exported. They are not offered for drinking purposes, but for the purpose of generating electricity to be utilized on the spot or to be bottled and shipped to anywhere and everywhere. The would-be vender is perfectly serious, and the whole thing is, indeed, feasible.

Stops the Cough and Works Off the Cold.

Laxative Bromo-Quinine Tablets cure a cold in one day. No cure, no pay. Price 25 cents.

MORE THAN 5,000 DEAD

Refugees Have Commenced to Arrive at Houston.

CLAIMS FOR LIFE INSURANCE

Proof of Death Cannot Be Made in Many Instances, and the Companies Are in the Dark as to Course to Pursue.

Houston, Texas, Sept. 14.—The Post today prints a list of 2701 names of the Galveston dead, compiled from various sources, but believed to be authentic. There were hundreds of bodies burned and buried in the sea and the sand, where no identification is possible. Other hundreds were buried on the beach, few of whom have been identified. Some bodies are still in the ruins of Galveston and scattered along the beach. There seems no doubt that the number of dead will reach beyond the estimate of 5000.

Refugees Arrive at Houston.

About 1300 refugees arrived here from Galveston last night. Four buildings have been set apart for the benefit of the refugees. There have been delays in the transportation of provisions because of the lack of boats. There are now more boats, and the work today will be more rapid and complete.

Regarding Insurance Policies.

Agents of several insurance companies are passing through to Galveston. They say there is certain to be much confusion. They do not know what action will be taken by their companies concerning the payment of claims without proofs of death.

The Galveston Fund Grows.

Austine, Texas, Sept. 14.—The fund for the relief of the Galveston sufferers aggregates nearly $1,000,000 and probably will reach $1,500,000 by tomorrow night.

ROBBING EXPRESS COMPANIES.

A Novel Graft Enjoyed by a Man Skilled in Chemistry.

Express companies here have discovered a clever swindle, which has relieved them of a large amount of money and has been shrouded in mystery for a long time. The man who is being looked for is known by so many names that it has not yet been found out what his right name is or who he is.

The swindler is a chemist. Special detective officers who are in this city have at last found the secret of his operations.

He would appear in New York at one of the local express offices with a package valued at $10,000, which he would order sent to some part of the United States. He then followed the package to the place of its destination, where under a different name he would appear as the consignee to whom the package was sent. The package is looked for but, notwithstanding the fact that it is registered on the books, it is not to be found. The sender then returns to New York, where he presents claims for loss of valuable property sent in care of the company.

It has been discovered that the box contained a consumptive chemical preparation which so entirely destroys, the covering of the parcel and everything in it that not a trace is to be found. This has occurred a number of times, and from certain indications it would appear that he is not alone in his operations, as a number of times the package has been called for by a woman.

A messenger who has been connected with the affair by having one of the parcels in his care said today that the work of the swindler is causing great havoc at many local express stations, where the employes have been suspected of having committed robbery.

Education a Test in France.

The French potache is only a boy, anywhere from 6 to 16 years of age, but he is at once high school boy, collegian and university student from the beginning. In France, unless a young man has been a potache, he can all his life be nothing except a shop-clerk or a day laborer. He can not be a physician or a horse doctor or a chemist's clerk, a notary or a full-fledged advocate, and army officer, or even a school teacher, or responsible agent of commerce, unless he has passed the proper university examinations.

Allen Halverson of West Prairie, Wis., says: "People come ten miles to buy Foley's Kidney Cure," while J. A. Sparo of Helmer, Ind., says: "It is the medical wonder of the age." Knoppen's Pharmacy.

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