

Immense January Clearance

is still going on in full blast. You will miss money saving opportunity if you do not attend this great and immense CLEARANCE SALE. Remember the stock is getting lower every day; we are out of some things. All Pendleton is talking about the big values we are giving for so little money. The crowd of people that have bought of us this week will testify as to the bargains.

Not cheap goods but
good goods cheap

Alexander Department Store.

Gasoline Engine for Sale

horse power gasoline engine with pipes and fittings, oil tanks, water tanks, everything necessary to set up and operate. Engine parts are all new, being in use only a few weeks. Price is very economical and guaranteed to be satisfactory. Price including fittings. Address

East Oregonian, Pendleton, Oregon.

HOW DO YOU expect people to know what you have to sell if you don't ADVERTISE?

ARE STILL FIGHTING

WHITMAN STUDENT'S
OPINION OF FILIPINOS.

Harry Tash Says the War Has Only Commenced, and May Never End.

The following letter was received by Dr. M. Stiles, of Walla Walla from Harry Tash, a Whitman college graduate:

Malmoo, P. I., Nov. 29, 1901.—Dear Mr. Stiles: Not having forgotten my promise, I will now drop you a few lines before school calls. As you have heard ere this, we arrived safely in Manila, after the most pleasant voyage possible, on August 21. We went ashore on the 23d and remained some of us for five weeks, awaiting transportation to our respective locations. The 540 of us were scattered to the four winds. Some went to the far northern Vigan; some to the southern isles, some to Jolo and Mt. St. Clair, in the province of Alby, Tabaco, and myself here in Malmoo, two towns four miles apart.

You, of course, want to know something of the country. Just shut your eyes and think of everything we have in America—now we have the same here except mosquitoes. Now think of everything we haven't in America and you have it. This is as though one had been transported to some other planet.

I found nothing as I had expected it. I had pictured a wild rock country, swarming with reptiles and monkeys, inhabited by a wild, savage people. I also thought the war here was over. All my ideas were wrong—immensely so. In the first place the country is not wild and barren, it is beautiful and you see spots as fertile as you find anywhere. The people are not savages. You find some very cultured men and women, people who have had college educations and who are indeed intelligent. Social life among such is refined, and in many ways corresponds to our social life at home. The people are hospitable to excess. When you are in the house of one of these people you are at home. Everything and everybody is at your service. They will receive no money for any kind of service when in their homes. They adhere strongly to the Catholic faith. They are exceedingly fond of dancing. Sunday is their dance day as Thursday is their day for bathing. You may wonder at this last expression, but it is a fact that on Thursday they spend all day bathing.

War Just Commenced.

At first my school was always very small on Thursday. I have now persuaded them they can bathe as well on Saturday.

As to snakes and reptiles, they are

very few. Monkeys are found in the mountains only.

As to the war, it is not well commenced yet. It is my opinion it will never end. They say they want a president the same as in America. They are fighting more today and with more deadly effect than ever before.

As to the openings for a person here, there are two and only two. If I were a doctor and had a little money to run a little drug store in connection with my practicing, I would sure come here. There are advantages for a good medical man which cannot be found anywhere else in the world. The other is a government position. The country has great resources, but it will take millions to develop them. Lumber sells at a fabulous price. You should see a saw mill here. They have them on every street corner. It consists of two naked "hoppers," a rude saw made by hand from a rude piece of steel with teeth filed in it and this is fastened in a rude frame and a large log one end of which is fastened firmly to the ground and the other in the air. One man stands above and the other below—this is the saw mill of the Philippine Islands. On a mahogany log they sometimes saw all day for one board. Then these boards being very rough, are planed by hand with a little jack plane, which a carpenter at home would not have for a gift.

Hemp Industry is "it."

The hemp business is the all important one. At present hemp is very dear, and every possible means of conveyance of the same to market is used. Carabou carts, little ponies which are not larger than dogs, and even men and boys through the road, each heavily burdened with hemp. It is even pitiful to see a young man carrying from 100 to 200 pounds on his head and shoulders.

A few years ago this province was noted for its fine caribous. A little more than a year ago the plague killed 95 per cent of all the cattle. At present a plague is sweeping the horses and they die like flies. You see dozens where they have died along the road. Since the cultivation of rice depends entirely upon caribou at present no rice is raised here. Thousands of acres of fine level land lie overgrown with tall grass with here and there a fat caribou grazing.

The school system here is working well so far as I know. Seeing the wretched condition of education when we came and to hear the little fellows read and sing now, you would not believe that such a change could have come about in two months. If you should pass my school some morning at 8 o'clock and hear a hundred little voices singing "America," you would not believe you were in a savage country. They would rival many of the third and fourth grades in the public schools at home. As to climate here, it is delightful.

at least I have found it so thus far. We are now having the rainy season. When we were in Manila they told us the rainy season was nearly over, but here they say it has just commenced. The thermometer has never stood above 87 since we have been here. The average temperature so far has been below 80.

HARRY A. TASH.

Catarah Cannot Be Cured

With local applications, as they cannot reach the seat of the disease. Catarah is a blood or constitutional disease, and in order to cure it you must take internal remedies. Hall's Catarah Cure is taken internally and acts directly on the blood and mucous surfaces. Hall's Catarah Cure is not a quack medicine. It was prescribed by one of the best physicians in this country for years, and is a regular prescription. It is composed of the best tonics known, combined with the best blood purifiers, acting directly on the mucous surfaces. The perfect combination of the two ingredients is what produces such wonderful results in curing catarah. Send for testimonials, free.

F. J. CHENEY & CO., Props., Toledo, O.
Sold by druggists, price 75c.
Hall's Family Pills are the best.

WARMTH GOOD FOR MOTHS.

Open Winter Will Probably Cause Repetition of Codlin Apple Infection.

Walla Walla, Jan. 17.—Walla Walla people are having trouble in securing good apples for use at this time, even though winter has not set in and ordinarily fruit would be plentiful in this section. Apples are selling at \$1.40 and \$1.50 per box on the market, and it is next to impossible to secure clean fruit at this price.

Last year the codlin moth did great damage all over the Walla Walla valley and the wormy apples so much disliked is very much in evidence as a result. The moth was the pest that did practically all the damage to apples, and the loss has been felt keenly by every one.

The present open winter is said to be favorable to the moth pest and a repetition of the trouble of last year is looked for next season. In that event serious loss will result all over this section.

It Girdles the Globe.

The fame of Bucklen's Arnica Salve, as the best in the world, extends round the earth. It's the one perfect healer of cuts, corns, burns, bruises, sores, scalds, boils, ulcers, felons, aches, pains and all skin eruptions. Only infallible pile cure. 25c a box at Tallman & Co.

WALLA WALLA IS GOOD.

Had Only One Criminal Case in Justice Court in Month.

Walla Walla, Jan. 17.—A. L. Lafferty was yesterday found guilty of petit larceny by a jury in Justice Glassford's court, and sentenced to pay a fine of \$25, being released on satisfactory bond. Lafferty was accused of taking \$9.50 from a man by

the name of Hagman, stopping in the city temporarily, from Idaho. This is the first trial by jury in a justice court, of a man charged with crime, in many months.

MYSTERY CLEARED.

K. Peterson Went From Walla Walla to California and Was Murdered.

Walla Walla, Jan. 17.—Word has just been received in this city from Los Angeles, Cal., of the foul murder of K. Peterson, who for many years made his home in this city. In 1891 Mr. Peterson left for California, and a few weeks ago he was waylaid and murdered. For a time the matter was shrouded in mystery, but a few days ago the body was found and the case cleared up. Death resulted from a blow with a dull instrument.

Blown to Atoms.

The old idea that the body sometimes needs a powerful, drastic, purgative pill has been exploded; for Dr. King's New Life Pills, which are perfectly harmless, gently stimulate liver and bowels to expel poisonous matter, cleanse the system and absolutely cure constipation and sick headache. Only 25c at Tallman & Co.'s drug store.

The loss of life by railroad accident reported to the Chicago Tribune during the year 1901 was 3,669, as compared with 4,109 in 1900 and 3,696 in 1899.

For Sale!

Eight lots with dwelling and barn,
\$3,000

House has seven rooms, bath, cellar and wood house, city water, hard finished on stone foundation.

Also four lots and new cottage,
\$1,250

Two lots and house, \$1,000, part cash, reasonable time on balance, or will sell on installments. See

FRANK B. CLOPTON,
817 Main Street.

22th annual Clearance Sale

For To-day

Quilts...

A large assortment of Quilts were placed on Sale this morning

1.25 quality now90
1.75 quality now 1.28

For To-day

Burt & Packards
and
Lewis A. Crossetts

Box Calf Shoes for Men. Sold everywhere at four and five dollars—now

per pair, \$3.00

For To-day

Fur Collarettes...

\$1.25 instead of \$2.00

Imported Veyella cloths, the latest Material for Waists.

45c instead of 69c.

Imported French Flannel, Patterns and colorings the latest,

59c instead of 75 and 85c.

For To-day

Men's Under-Wear...

Worth up to \$1.25
Clearance Price

75 cents
Per Suit.

For To-day

20 dozen Men's
Shirts...

All laundered, stiff bosoms with separate cuffs, and lot of soft bosom, collars and cuffs attached

Always Sold for 75c to \$1
Clearance Price

48c.

For To-day

Men's Overcoats.

Worth

\$7.50, \$8.00, \$9.10

Clearance Price

\$6.50

THE PEOPLES WAREHOUSE