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TAILORED SUITS.	LADIES' SKIRTS,	LADIEL JACKETS.
ad suit \$16.00	Serge, Broadcloth and Volle.	Blacks, Browns, Tans.
al sult \$15.00	Lot 1-Values, \$4.00 and \$4.50	\$8.00 values \$4.50
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nd suit \$9.50	Lot 3-Value \$6.00, for \$4.50	
red suit \$8.00	Lot 4-Value \$7.00, for \$4.75	\$14.00 values
S AT HALF PRICE.	Agents for Samson's GUARAN-	\$18.00 values \$10.00
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A Policy of Helplessness

and Venezuela, but "we are approach-

"We have taken the first step,"

Canada-maybe in Patagonia. But it

is not for him to protest and urge cantion. He is convinced that we are

the victims of our own helplessness. But it aids his policy wonderfully that

so many of the neighboring republics are less able to resist our "destiny"

To accommodate those who are partial to the use of atomizers in ap-

plying liquids into the nasal passage

for catarrhal moubles, the proprietors

than we are ourselves.

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President Schurman says, and fears that we may yet land up

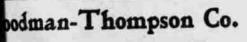
we wish it or not."

Monroe's message.

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OF FIFTY YEARS AGO.

Old Man Now 92 Years of Age, Who Organized a Pack Train From Wal-In Walla to Ft. Steele in 1857-Built One of the First Cabins at Walla Walla-In 1862 There Were Three White Women in the Inland

With a wife who is almost 60 years his junior partner, and with an old corncob pipe as a solace in his delining years, A. J. Miner, 92 years old, ives in a state of reminiscence at 237 Main avenue in Spokane, says an

in a favorite rocking chair, with his long, gray beard sweeping across his chest and with his corncob pipe going full blast, he told of the time when Spokane was nothing but a timber tract and Indians were drying fish for winter use in the woods where the city hall now stands. Mr. Miner packed goods from Walla Walla to Fort Steele in 1857, and frequently passed along the trail which then passed through the present site of

the city. Although Mr. Miner's massive frame is bent with age, and he is only a shadow of his former self, he is still able to read without the aid of glasses and is able to walk about the streets and around the house without the ald of a cane. He was born in Glasgow, Scotland, in 1813, and was brought to this country when 1 year old. His father was a member of the Virginia legislature just after the war of 1812. Crossed Plains in 1847.

settled near Salem, where he was engaged in raising cattle. He was one We are a pitifully weak people, if President Schurman of Cornell uni-versity is to be believed. Not that stands and built one of the first cabins there.

ally want to annex San Domingo Mr. Miner said yesterday: "In 185 ing a crisis that would seem to indi-cate expansion to the south, whether I organized a pack train and carried provisions from Walla Walla to Wild Horse, B. C. The first time I passed There was a time in the days of our through the present site of Spokane innocence and self-confidence when the Monroe Doctrine was thought to be a bulwark of strength to the Unit-ed States. But today, as President Schurmen and the termination of the termination of the termination of the city hall now stands on Front avenue. This was the great fishing the termination of termination of the termination of the termination of the termination of termination of termination of the termination of termination of termination of the termination of termin ed States. But today, as President Schurman sees it, it needs buttressing place for the Indians in those days The squaws used to take the fish in dipnets as they were trying to get up over the falls, and the bucks, after from the North to the South pole. The Dominicans owe some money to Belgians and Germans. We must seize Monroe's message. The asphalt trust dry them in the sun. the squaws had cleaned them, would Although there holds claims against Castro's govern-ment. Take over Venezuela and the were no railroads on the Pacific coast in those days, one could get over the trust may be saved from a second bankruptcy. Panama we have alcountry pretty cheap. Cayuses were but \$5 aplece, but grub was high. ready made out own, revolution and

"I built a store in Elk City, Idaho in 1861 and run it for years. In those days sugar was \$1.25 a pound, boots \$10 a pair, and common undershirts were \$2 apiece.

Charles Kendall a Pioneer

"The only house of any kind in the country within miles of Spokane was a small store built by Charles Kendall at Spokane bridge, east of here, in 1862: At that time there were only three white women in the Inland Em pire, one of them I think is now liv ing in Spokane, the other was my wife, and I forgot who the other one

The Boctor's Twins.

prepare Ely's Liquid Cream Balm. Price including spraying tube is 75 cents Druggists or by mail. The A worthy Glasgow doctor while en-Joying a holiday in Arran took the opportunity along with a friend to whiting fishing. During operations the

BAKER COUNTY IN SWEATBOX. Federal Officials Are Looking Into Possible Land Frauls.

That there is reason to believe that Baker county entries under the timber and stone act are passing through a microscopic investigation at the hands of certain federal officials has been made manifest to a number of people in these parts, but they are not shouting their knowledge from the house tops or mixing it with beverages, says the Baker City Herald.

Two months ago County Clerk Combs was requested by officials at Washington to furnish them with a verified and certified list of all the entries made and filed in this county during the year 1903. The list was furnished as requested and was found o contain 167 names. Beyond this request he was asked

to do nothing but since then several men known to be connected with the several departments involved in land fraud investigations have put in appearances here gone up to Sumpter He is probably one of the first men ho operated a pack train from Wal-Walla to Fort Steele, B. C. Sitting of avorite rocking chair, with his his include the state of the sta thing in which these specials are adept and there is little in their wake to tell of their work.

Much of the business involved in the formal acquisition of the great majority of the claims located in Ba-ker county during the year 1903 was done before United States commis sioners chiefly in Sumpter. It is suid that a number of these com-sioners in the timber districts in Oregon have been called to Portland fo hold converse with "that man Heney." as he seems to be desirous of ascer

information of taining from them which they would naturally be pospessed. Several well known cruisers who

have done an extensive business in the past in this part of the state have recently made trips to Portland and those who have returned are not inclined to talk of the matters which took them there, in fact, one of them In 1847 Mr. Miner and a party of was decidedly brusque to an old friend 123 crossed the plains to Oregon and settled near Salem, where he was en-he had learned in Portland in regard to the land frauds.

HOTEL ARRIVALS.

Hotel St. George.

N. H. Krause, Seattle. Linvell Davenport, San Francisco. J. N. Watson, Portland. French and wife, Moscow. Т. H. Burns, Portland. Fitzgerald, Portland. Watt, Denver H. Schumach, Granite Falls. Walter Ely, Athena. J. R. McDonald, Tacoma. Charles Gauld, Portland. L. Moshbacher, Chicago, D. Rummell, San Francisco. B. L. M. Young, Portland, L. Osburn, Portland, L. E. Flaherty, New York. A. Richardson, Adams. H. George McGilverw, Spokane, R. C. McKernan, Spokane, Mr. and Mrs. Charles B. Hanford, ashington, D. C. Robert N. Edwards, New York William Dunn, Portland. C. E. McNeil, Portland. D. Chase, Boston. Smith, Portland. O. M. Neumeister, Tacoma Harmon, Salt Lake. Cramer, Chicago. G, C. B. E. Hoch, New York. L D. R. Finley, Seattle

Hotel Bickers.

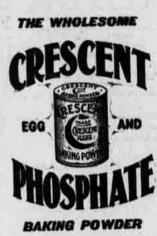
S. Pearson, Portland. Dr. H. C. Scallon and wife, Coeur d'Alene, Burke, Portland. Е. Н. W. Baker, Portland. K. Berg, Seattle. John Lindman. John Hendricks, Straw Andrews, St. Paul. Earnhart, Helix. Λ.



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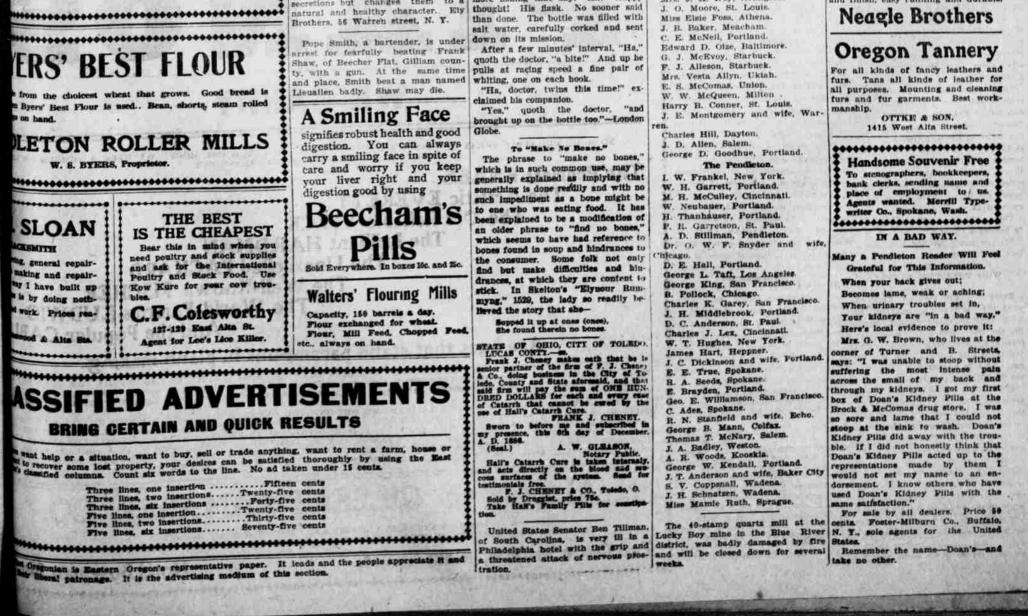
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