It often happens that young men, in setting out in life, encounter a " streak of luck" such as to make streamous efforts after prosperity. unnecessary ; so, too, with towns ; and it often happens that towns, like men, are spoiled by prosperity which comes uncarned. But when either towns or men find their "streak of luck" diminishing, it is evidently a plain duty to turn immediate attention to their own natural resources Common prudence urges this when we would merely hold our own: if we would do more-grow, increase our trade and influence, and with these our own material prosperity, we must look up, and use, our reserved means.

If left to its present scope our trade will steadily diminish; for the merchants of the towns above us are gaining increased ability to obtain supplies by railroad and steamer without troubing the Dalles; and furthermore, the farm produce that now forms so large a part of this trade material is rapidly increasing throughout the interior. Nor is there any prospect of its ever becoming less, for agriculture east of us is fostered by a standing premium to the ex ent of the amount of its freight from the Williamette Valleyirrepealable until it reaches the capacity of the country to raise crops, or the limit of demand. It therefore behooves men of means and ability, who are interested in the prosperity of our city, to invest at oace, where investment is sale, in that which may develop new wealth and enterprise. Prominent among our reserved resources is

OUR PROSPECTIVE WOOL MARKET. We have around the Dalies a sheep range unsurpassed in any part of the Pacific Stope - v semi-circle of 290 miles' radius, north, east and south, of which this place is now, and prospectively the natural market. Over this vast range the grass is fine, and its entire availability for flocks is only limited by want of surface water in summer. When the time comes that shall call for such investments, enlightened skill will open wells in many luland valleys, now dry, and thus increase tea and twenty fold their natural wealth. The wool trade alone from this region, if properly developed, together with the allied branches of business it would carry with it, would more than sustain the present population of the Dilles. There is enough of this to warran the building of a woolen factory here: water power to run it could be obtained at no greater outlay than it cost the Salem Company to turn a branch of the Santiam to their place, by Five Mile Creek at the Five Mile House and bringing it into town. But whether we accept our advantage or not, our wool trade will be in time torced upon us, for the larger benefit of some Williamette town. Wool can now be carried from the Dalles there for one cent per dound. Wheresoever manufactured, it needs no prophet to discern the fact that the wood business is coming, for history fatis to reach back to a time when men failed to turn grass like ours into money.

Indian News .- fue Unjh e Avalanche, of the 11th inst., contains some account of re cent Indian affairs in the neighborhood of the mines, which we condense:

Jack Clark, or " Champagne Jack," a packer in the employ of Frank Drake, was killed last | Church week, near the mouth of the Owyhee River,

About the same time five Government mules were stolen from McWilliams' ranch on Jordan Creek. On the 6th inst., seven solders went in pursuit; followed down the Owyhee twenty miles, crossed over, and about five miles south of the river, came upon two Indians with the mules. The mules, two posies and a gun were captured. The two red gentry were killed and scalped in good style.

All the stock on Baxter's ranch on Jordan Creek was run off, consisting of seven or eight head.

Since our last issue, the relakins fired on a man twice near the summit this side of Snake River, in the vicinity where Mr. Cox was killed Seven of the red devils were seen. They seemed to form two parties. As things stand, an army of seven Indians could well be separated into two corps-and operate easity with success.

A report, apparently reliable, has been re-ceived of a fight in Paralise Valley, Nevada, in which seventy Indians were slain by the Nevada Cavalry.

WALDRON BROS., Wholesale & Retail Druggists,

Main Street, Dalles, Oregon.

WE NOW OCCUPY OUR NEW TWO STORY FIRE
Oo. and offer to the public a full and complete stock of
Drugs. Medicines and Chemicals. consisting in part of LAMP WICKS & CHIMNEYS, KEROSENE. TURPENTINE, HOPS, BAGE.

SPONGES ACIDS, LINSEED, LEECHES, LARD, CASTOR AND NEATSFOOT OIL, CORK INDIGO AND LANPBLACK. TRUSSES, SHOULDER BRACES, SUPPORTERS.

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Our stock of FANCY GOODS is of the finest and best quality; new styles and large assortments, such as LUHIN'S PERFURERY. HAR.

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COLOONE, TOOTH AND
FANCY SOAPS AND NAIL BRUSHES
TOOTH POWDERS, AND COMBS. PURE WINES AND LIQUORS,

For Medicinal purposes.

Our facilities for buying goods are second to none in the State, and we shall at all times sell at a small advance from cost. Ready sales and small profits.

PHYSICIANS' PRESCRIPTIONS Carefully compounded at all hours of the day and night.

Dalles, Sept. 9, 1845.

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RUDIO'S STONE BUILDING, WASHINGTON STREET, DALLES. HERE we will continue to sell articles usually kept in a fir-t-Class Drag Store, at 20 per cent. LESS THAN ANY STORE IN THE CITY. Our stock

Pure Wines and Brandy, Patent Medicines, Fancy & Common Soap, Hair Brushes Corks, Acids, Tooth Powder, Alcohol, Extracts, Spongos, Trusses, Braces, Paints, Varnishes, Hops, Supporters, &c, Olis, Behemian Tollet Sets,

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H. L. CHAPIS, [ul9ff] JUSTIN GATES.

TO TEAMSTERS AND DAIRYMEN! FEED! FEED!! BRAN.

> SHORTS. GRAIN,

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OF ALL KINDS, FOR SAE BY

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R. H. LAW,

25 Front Street, Portland, Opposite O. S. N. Warehouse

MILLINERY AND DRESS-MAKING.

M 188 O'ROURKE DESIRES TO INFORM the Ladies of Dalles and vicinity, that she has just received a fresh supply of Fashionable Goods,

The latest Paris, New York and San Francisco style of BONNETS, HATS, RIBBONS, LACES, FEATHERS FLOWERS, &c. A full and well-selected assortment of

Ladies' Ready-Made Garments. Also, a Fashionable assortment of

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NEW SALOON.

NEW STONE STORE, WASHINGTON STREET. THE UNDERSIGNED would respectfully announce that he will open a first class Saloon in French & Gilman's New Stone Building, THIS EVENING, and is prepared to serve customers with the best of

Wines, Liquors and Cigars. EREE LUNCH

Every day and Evening. JOHN RINDLAUB. oc28tf.

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W 16L ATTEND promptly to Sales of Real Estate.

Dry Go ds, troceries, Horses, and Muses. Wilreive and forward Goods entrusted to his care; sell Grain and Hay on Commission, and rent Real Estate upon Reasonable terms. Consignments Solicited. Sale

AUCTIONEER

Tuesdays and Saturdays. MAIN STREET, DALLES.

NOTICE.

S. HOLLAND IS MY AUTHORIZED AGENT to during my absence. There indebted to me or to Fayne & Co., are requested to pay him immediately and save costs, as he has orders to collect. F. A. O. PAYNE.

Dalles, Nov. 13, 1865.

J. JUKER,

CIGARS, TOBACCO, SNUFF,

PIPES, &c.

ALWAYS IN STORE THE BEST BRANDS OF

Cigars, Tobacco, Matches, &c.

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POCKET CUTLERY,
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COMES and BRUSHES, of all kinds,
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CHINA ORNAMENTS
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Also Powder Shot, Lead, Powder Flasks, Baskets, and
many other articles too numerous to mention.

23- Interior dealers supplied with Cigars, Tobacco, etc.
at less than Portland prices, with freight added. oc-3

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Merchants, Families, Hotels and BAR-ROOMS.

ULIUS KRAEMER HAVING BOUGHT THE EN-tire Stock of Merchandize and Book Accounts of the late firm of M. Seller & Co., in this city, to which he has added of his own importation, while doing business in Portland) an immense ctock of the best manufactured

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All of which he offers at reduced rates. Persons wishing to buy any of the above-mentioned articles, will do well to give me a cull before purchasing elsewhere. Orders from the interior promptly attended to, and goods packed to go secure. Don't tall to call on me. Rudio's Stone Building, Washington street, balles. JULIUS KRAEMER. Dalles, March 17th, 1805.—mbl7tf

BOOT AND SHOE STORE.

F. WYCKMAN MAS REMOVED HIS BOOT AND SHOE STORE to the building on Main street, nearly opposite Moody's Hall, where he has just received, direct from San Francisco, an unusually fine and well selected stock of

BOOTS AND SHOES, of the very best quality and latest styles EVER BROUGHT TO THIS MARKET

including the celebrated ENGLISH HUNTING SHOE manufactured by Benkert. Also, a large assortment of Ladles' and Children's Gaiters. Of the latest Styles, just received from the best Phil-adelphia makers. Also, a very large assortmen, of

FINE DRESS BOOTS.

Gentlemen who prefer to have their Boots or She made to order, can rely upon obtaining a next and easy fit.

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From Wallula and Umatilia to Portland,.....\$0 02 per lb " Dallos to Portland...... 1 " "

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Wines,

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NOTICE TO FARMERS. PARE DALLES LUMBER AND MANUFACTURING COMPANY has recently attached a

FLOURING MILL

to their Steam Sash and Door Factory, in this City, and are now prepared to CHOP FEED, GRIND WHEAT and CORN, and warrant to give the best satisfiction. On hand constantly and for sale

FXTRA FAMILY FLOUR,

SECONDS OR WIDDLINGS;

BRAN AND SHORTS,

CHOP FEED, CHICKEN FEED.

Also, a Superior article of CORN MEAL, from new Corn.
The highest market price paid for WHEAT, CORN and BARLEY.
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Opposite Cohn & Bohm's, WOU CAN FIND THE LATEST AND MOST FASH-IONABLE GOODS, in the line of

BONNETS, MATS, FEATHERS, FLOWERS, EMBROIDERY, Dress Trimmings, &c.

In order to make dress complete, it becomes necessary that a BONNET or HAT, Handsomely Trimmed, should Give me an early call, and I will endeavor to suit verybody in TASTE and at HEASONABRE PRICES. Particular attentior past to

Embroidery and Braiding Stamping.

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CORNER OF SECOND AND WASHINGTON STREETS DALLES, OREGON,

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having fitted up the above Market in the BE T STYLE, will keep constantly on hand all sorts of Fresh and Cared Meats, Of the best quality furnished at the LOWEST RATE.

My motto is to "PLEASE ALL."

PARTIES HAVING SUPERIOR STOCK FOR SALE
will do well to call at the Franklin Market.
JOHN EPPINGER. Dalles, February 19th, 1865.

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constantly on hand all the varietesties that the market can possibly

FRESH & CURED MEATS, and always of the b st quality

FAMILIES, HOTELS, AND STEAMBOATS supplied on reasonable terms.

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JOHN MICHELBACH.
Dalles, March 31st, 1865.

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MEATS OF ALL KINDS. A LIBERAL SHARE OF PATRONAGE is an assortiment of Means and of an good as quality, as the country affords: and will

Deliver the same to Purchasers in the City. Parties the same to a tender to the company of the parties that the give us a call before disposing of it elsewhere.

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Southeast corner of Washington and Third Sts.
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NOTICE.

C EORGE LIEBE is my duly authorized agent during my absence in the Eastern States, to attend to the collection of all accounts due me, and also the late firm of Wintermeir & Munger.

A. WINTERMEIR.