

Daily Mountaineer.

FRIDAY EVENING, MAY 18, 1866.

HENRY A. WISS is permitted to go to any part of the United States he may choose.

RAILWAY communication between Charleston and Augusta, Ga., is now open for the first time since the close of the war.

It is probable that almost the entire sugar crop of Louisiana has been destroyed by the overflow.

WINTER weather in the vicinity of Mackinac Straits never was known to be more severe than during the present year.

THE Columbia river at this point is rapidly rising, and promises to give Main street a ducking should it continue a week longer.

THE Los Angeles oil refinery lately refined a quantity of crude oil taken from the Pico Spring, San Fernando.

THE Grand Lodge of Odd Fellows will adjourn to-night, and the members will return to their respective homes to-morrow.

THE difficulties of the New Almaden quicksilver mines having been settled, the company will soon resume work.

A PIUTE Indian lately entered the office of the Virginia City Union, and bought a copy of that paper.

THERE was but a single death in Sacramento last week, and that, a young child under three years old.

WE are under obligations to the messengers of Wells, Fargo & Co. for favors during the week.

THE New York News heads an article "A little story with a little moral." The same paper is in the habit of telling big stories with no morals.

A FRENCH company has formally signified their acceptance of the charter of the Virginia Canal Company, as awarded by the Legislatures of Virginia and West Virginia.

ONE-FOURTH of the persons just appointed to take charge of the twenty-four postoffices re-opened in North Carolina and Virginia are women.

THE New York News-Democrat—is still imploring, arguing for and demanding a proclamation of general amnesty from President Johnson to the Southern people.

THE Santa Cruz (Cal.) Sentinel says the weather was so hot in that vicinity a few days ago, that the thermometer of the Powder Mills marked 104°. Rather warm for making gunpowder.

It is thought that the Democrats in the event of failing to nominate President Johnson, for re-election, and not liking Grant or Butler, will take up and put forward for the position, General Amnesty.

PENNSYLVANIA is the only State, thus far, which has actually assumed the care of the children of her dead soldiers, and two thousand of these are now in schools in that State. The cost per pupil is about \$150 per annum, exclusive of clothes.

An agricultural reporter says the people of the Carolinas, Georgia, Alabama and Mississippi are planting all the cotton they can, but labor is scarce, and the freedmen are emigrating to the Southwest. Corn and wheat are promising.

GREAT damage was done to railroads and other kinds of property in Wisconsin, by the freshet which recently occurred there. No lives have been reported lost. At La Crosse, the water was so high that trains could not get into the city.

From recent scientific investigations in Europe it has been shown most conclusive that in localities where impure water has been drunk by the inhabitants the cholera has principally raged, proving impure water to be one of the chief causes of cholera.

Texas is not a man in the North who desires to postpone reunion for a single day, after being convinced that the readmission of all the late Rebel States is safe in respect to personal and national security. All the talk about keeping them out until after the Presidential election is "stuff."

THE Marysville Express consents to enter into full political communion with the supporters of President Johnson out-side of the Democratic party. It says, "we clasp their hands in political fellowship." It then goes on urging the President to cut off without hesitation the heads of all appointees who are opposed to him and place Administration soldiers on guard everywhere: "Administration soldiers" on guard are not as odious to Democrats of the Express school as formerly. We recollect when they were denounced as the " minions of a tyrant " by the same paper, and yet, a chief virtue which is claimed for Johnson by them is, that he is following out the policy of that same " tyrant," Abraham Lincoln.

THE opposing candidates for Governor, Judge Woods and Col. Kelly, addressed a large audience of ladies and gentlemen at Chapin's Hall this afternoon, on the political issues of the day. We were unable to be present during the opening speech of Judge Woods, and therefore cannot give a synopsis of it. Col. Kelly was still speaking when we went to press. The Colonel made one remark which we think will come home to his ticket: he said " he was opposed to those men who are rebels at heart, but shout Union for policy." This hits the Democratic candidates for Congress and Secretary of State a heavy blow.

UNION colored people doing business on the Mississippi, engaged in raising cotton for market, complain that they cannot travel on the river except as freight, and as they expect to furnish freight (cotton) in considerable quantities for transportation, they will be under the necessity of bestowing their patronage in that line, upon steamboat companies that will not insist upon treating both them and their cotton alike as freight. They should be baled up together.

LOST OR STOLEN.—A large audience assembled in Boston, recently, to hear Henry Ward Beecher deliver his lecture on "The Ministry of the Beautiful." But Mr. B., on being introduced, was compelled to confess that the expected lecture had been lost or stolen—he could not tell which. If it had been stolen, he would be sorry for the thief if he were compelled to read it. The lecture on "The Commonwealth" substituted for the one that the audience to hear.

THE heavy rains in the South and West have so raised the Mississippi that the most valuable sugar and cotton plantations of Louisiana are either flooded or in imminent danger of being so. An extensive crevasse had formed at Baton Rouge, and others below and above are hourly looked for.

AFTER four years of litigation, the final decree of distribution was made by Judge Cadwalder in Philadelphia recently, of the proceeds of sale of the steamship Bermuda and cargo. The whole amount realized was \$404,446 26, to be divided among the officers and crew of the U. S. steamer Mercedita, at the time of the capture about one hundred and fifty in all.

Judge White, an old and prominent citizen of Gunterville, Ala., is setting before the people the terrible state of affairs in that county, and soliciting aid for the starving people. Three cases of actual starvation have already occurred, and hundreds must perish if relief is not speedily offered.

IN Tennessee, forty-three newspapers are now published, with the prospect of having the number increased to fifty in a few months. Eighteen of the number are dailies and twenty-five weeklies. Nashville supports seven and Memphis nine dailies.

WE are informed that Mr. Eaton, whom we stated a few days since as being under arrest at Umatilla, for shooting Williams, the horse thief, was not arrested, but is now in Umatilla as prosecuting witness against Williams for the theft.

A SHORT time since during the performance at Music Hall, Virginia City, a woman who occupied one of the boxes fell out and dropped about ten or twelve feet to the lower floor. It appears she had risen from her chair, and in the act of reseating herself she missed the chair and tumbled head first out of the box. She recovered herself.

Gov. HAMILTON, of Texas, declines to be a candidate for the office he now fills by military appointment. His main reason is that he is poor and without a home, and cannot afford to spare four years of his life in official duties, while his family are in urgent need of his labor.

THE Pennsylvania Legislature has passed an act disfranchising all belonging in that State who deserted from the army or navy during the late war, and for the punishment of inspectors who, knowing them to be deserters, allow their names to go upon the voting lists.

THE Charleston Courier reports that three thousand two hundred freedmen have emigrated from North Carolina during the last three months to Massachusetts, Connecticut, and the other New England States, on contracts to work at \$20 per month, and that more will follow.

SPRING.—Now is the time to purify your blood. Hall's Sarsaparilla, Yellow Dock and Iodide of Potass is decidedly the best thing in use for that purpose. Sold by druggists everywhere.

Religious Notice.
CATHOLIC Church—Morning service: Mass, at 10 1/2 o'clock. Evening service: Vespers and Benediction, at 7 1/2 o'clock. Sunday School at 2 o'clock, p. m.
FATHER L. DIELEMAN, Pastor.

Columbia Lodge, No. 5, I. O. O. F.—Meets every Friday evening at 7 o'clock, in Gates Hall, corner of Second and Court Streets. Brothers in good standing are invited to attend. By order. N. G.

Wasco Lodge, No. 15, A. F. & A. M.—Holds its stated Communications on the First and Third Mondays of each month, at their hall, in Dalles City. Brethren in good standing are invited to attend. By order of the W. M.
SEYMOUR L. POPE, Sec'y.

NOTICE.
DURING MY ABSENCE Mr. W. LORD is authorized to transact my business. Any persons knowing themselves indebted to me, will please call upon him. Dalles, May 16, 1866.—my16w1 R. H. WOOD.

Notice to Democrats.
MR. GILMAN having declined the nomination as Candidate of the Democratic party for County Commissioner, we do hereby nominate JOHN WILLIAMS in his stead.
W. T. NEWCOMB,
Ch'n Dem. Co. Committee.

NOTICE.
THE UNDERSIGNED HAVING BOUGHT the Schooner *Perseverance* and half the schooner *Rapid*, from Terence Quin, all debts against the above named Boats must be presented to me by the 20th day of May.
Dalles, May 3, 1866. ASA STRONG, m10d2w.

PROF. MURRAY'S MAGIC OIL,
For Sale by GATES & CHAPIN.

ALSO, AGENTS FOR DR. DUNCAN'S
Whooping Cough Specific.

FRED. LIEBE, GROCERY, PROVISION, AND FRUIT STORE,
Washington Street, opposite French & Gilman's, Dalles. Has on hand a large and well-assorted stock of

GROCERIES & PROVISIONS, Fresh Butter & Eggs,
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Give Me a Call, Everybody PRICES LOW.
a18:stf F. LIEBE.

J. F. KELLOGG, DENTIST,
Main St., Dalles, Oregon.

AFTER NEARLY SIXTEEN YEARS Practice in his profession, would respectfully inform the citizens of the Dalles and the public generally, that he has leased the Dental Office lately occupied by J. W. GURLEY, Dentist, where he can be found prepared to attend to those requiring his professional services.
OFFICE HOURS—From 8 o'clock, A. M., to 12 M.; and from 1 o'clock, P. M. to 5 P. M. m31f

J. B. DICKERSON,
Dealer in all kinds of

GROCERIES & GRAIN, AT THE Lowest Cash Rates.

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Come One, Come All, and Give me a Call, AT CONSER & BARTER'S OLD STAND.
SUPERIOR CALIFORNIA RANCH BUTTER!
A Few Packages Choice, in quantities to suit, at a26tf BALDWIN BROS.

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Real Estate, General Merchandise, Groceries, Horses, Mules, Furniture, Stocks, &c. &c.

REGULAR SALE DAYS,

Tuesdays and Saturdays.

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ALWAYS IN STOCK THE BEST BRANDS OF

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PLAYING CARDS, POCKET CUTLERY, POET MONIES, COMBS and BRUSHES, of all kinds, PERFUMERY, of every description, CHINA ORNAMENTS, TOYS, DOLLS, etc., FISH HOOKS and FISHING TACKLE, MUSICAL INSTRUMENTS, FANCY GOODS, &c.

Also Powder, Shot, Lead, Powder Flasks, Baskets, and many other articles too numerous to mention. Interior dealers supplied with Cigars, Tobacco, etc. at less than Portland prices, with freight added. cc-8

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A full and complete assortment of all articles in the Photographic Line, at a SMALL ADVANCE ON SAN FRANCISCO PRICES. Merchants will please get our prices before ordering below.

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At Greatly Reduced Rates,

And offer bargains which cannot fail to satisfy anybody wanting articles in our line.

Fair Warning!

WE INTEND CLOSING OUR BUSINESS HERE by the FIRST OF JUNE next, and we take this opportunity of once more calling upon those indebted to us to call and settle. We will not, if we can help it, place any of our accounts in the hands of legal collectors; but if obliged to do so, we shall have recourse to that when this notice expires. a29j1 M. BROWN & BRO.

DALLES & ROCKLAND FERRY.

Landing—Foot of Union Street. THE PROPRIETORS ARE NOW PREPARED WITH STANCH AND ROOMY BOATS, to cross Travelers, Horses & Stock. In a Safe and expeditious manner, and at Reasonable Rates. a27G