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## ITEMS IN BRIEF.

(From Saturday's Daily.)

Mr. J. Anderson, of Dufur, spent the day in the city.

Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Lake, of Wamic, are visiting in the city.

The city council meets tonight to consider the tax levy for 1898.

John Palmer has been quite ill at the Columbia Hotel for some time, but is convalescent.

Wm. De Mars, general manager of the Western Union Telegraph Co., was in the city today.

Ben. F. Dennis, of Forest Grove, is visiting his old school fellow, Geo. Ernest Stewart, in the city.

A few days ago 22,000 bushels of wheat changed hands at Athena, at 65 cents. M. McCamas was the purchaser.

Charles Clark, of Oysterville, Wash., who has been visiting J. J. Wiley in this city, left on the boat this morning for his home.

Miss May Enright, secretary of the Columbia Southern, is visiting in the city. She expects to make Wasco her future home, and will move there in about a month.

Heppner is one of the few cities in Oregon that is clear of dept. It now pays its city warrants on presentation and has no bonded incumbances hanging over it. Good for Heppner.

W. A. Storie, superintendent of bridge carpenters for the O. R. & N., was in Portland yesterday, but returned last night, and is today pushing the work on the Mill Creek bridge.

Bert Phelps is down from Heppner visiting old friends. He is firm in the belief that Heppner is the best town in Eastern Oregon outside of The Dalles, though he is still partial to his old home and associates here.

Mr. and Mrs. E. O. McCoy came down this morning from Grants. Mr. McCoy says the wheat market has been quite brisk at Grants the past few days, and a considerable amount of wheat has cianged hands.

There was an interesting time at Wamic the other day when the republicans met to elect delegates to the league convention at Portland. The Mitchell and anti-Mitchell forces lined up in full force, and the latter got away with the contest.

Yesterday at 10 o'clock a city prisoner who had completed a sentence of five days was released, and at 2 o'clock he was picked up by the city marshal, roaring drunk. He was promptly returned to jail and this morning was fined $25.

Many residents of The Dalles will regret to learn that John Bruhlman has sold the Rockland dairy, and will ere long remove from the city. Max Sherer has bought the business and will conduct it in the future as Mr. Bruhlman has in the past.

There were two sheriff's sales at the court house today. The P. T. Sharp farm was sold under foreclosure, and was bid in for $6,800. The other sale was that of a horse belonging to I. V. Howland, and was bought by the plaintiff, Peter Godfrey, for $21.

One thing that is greatly needed in The Dalles is a steam laundry. At present some $300 is sent to Portland every month for laundry work, all of which would be kept here if there were a good steam laundry. Some enterprising person would make money by establishing a business here.

Charles Clarno has leased his place on the John Day river, including the ferry boat, to Frank Malone for one year. If at the end of his time Mr. Malone wants to retain it at the price of the first year, $300, he can do so for two years longer. Then if Mr. Malone wants to buy it he has first chance for $1500.

When W. W. Wilson got to Portland the other day on his way to Klondike he found so many going that he became discouraged, and returned to The Dalles to again assume his duties as steward in the Umatilla House. He thinks anybody who has a sure thing on a living here is unwise to go chasing after gold in Alaska.

While hunting Wednesday, in the vicinity of Joseph Harbert's farm, on Mill creek, near Walla Walla, Charles Green, aged 15, was accidentally shot. He was crawling through a fence, pulling the gun after him, when the gun was discharged, the contents tearing away a large portion of his right hand, and lacerating it very badly.

Between March 5, 1894, and July 1, 1896, there were issued by the state board of education 1395 teachers' certificates and diplomas, 462 college and university diplomas, 290 state diplomas and 477 state certificates. The time of the issuance of these papers covered a perion of 28 months, the average monthly issuance being 48. At the same monthly average as for the preceding period, the number of papers issued during the past 18 months was 864. The estimated number of papers issued between March 5, 1894, and January 1, 1898, is 2229.

[From Monday's Daily.]

F. H. Woodcock, of Wamic, was in the city today.

Robert Hynd, of Heppner, is visiting in the city.

Simeon Bolton and family have returned from a trip to Goldendale.

Recorder Sinnott went to Portland yesterday and is expected home Wednesday.

Hon. W. H. Moore, of Moro, was in the city last night, and went to Portland today.

R. C. Jessee, of Prineville, is in the city, having come down after a load of supplies and fence wire.

Mayor Nolan went to Portland by boat today. He will attend the republican league convention in that city tomorrow.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Mays jr., of Antelope, arrived here yesterday, and went to Portland today to visit Mrs. Mays' parents.

Ed. Dunn, section foreman at Latourelle on the O. R. & N. has been transferred to the Heppner branch, and has gone to that place to reside.

Dr. Gesner, of Prineville, and A. R. Lyle, of Cross Keys, arrived here Saturday. Both will attend the republican league convention in Portland tomorrow.

Saturday afternoon a game of football was played on the fairgrounds between a picked team and the high school club, resulting in the defeat of the latter.

Ex-Sheriff John Combs, of Crook county, and I Sichel, a former merchant of Prineville, were in the city last night en-route to Portland to attend the republican league convention. Both are delegates.

Dr. Deitrich, of Dufur, was a passenger on this morning's train for Portland, he being one of the delegates from Dufur to the republican league convention.

Messrs. Ed. Kelsay, C. L. Gilbert, T. J. Driver, Frank Menefee and Joe Bonn, left by train this morning for Portland. They go to attend the republican league meeting.

With what Dallesites have gone to Klondike and those who went to Portland today to attend the republican club league, the streets present rather a deserted appearance.

Messrs. E. E. Lytle and D. C. O'Reiley, of the Columbia Southern went to Portland on this morning's train. Mr. Lytle will go to San Francisco before returning.

The many friends of Harry Lonsdale were pleased to see him again on the streets. Mr. Lonsdale has had a severe attack of pneumonia, but is now on the road to restored health.

The Christian congregation has employed Rev. E. V. Boltz as pastor for the coming year, and regular services will be held each Sunday in the church during the spring and summer.

Two work trains will be put on the O. R. & N. line at the messhouse near Deschutes tomorrow. The crews belonging to the trains will be engaged repairing the road east of here.

There are only 14 survivors of the war of 1812-14, but 3278 widows of soldiers of that war are drawing pensions. It seems likely that our civil war widows will be drawing pensions in the year 2000.

Be not deceived! A cough, hoarseness or croup are not to be trifled with. A dose in time of Shiloh's Cure will save you much trouble. Sold by Blakeley & Houghton, druggists, The Dalles, Or.

Dol Palmer, who has had charge of the W. U. telegraph office in The Dalles the past year, has been transferred to Portland. The operator appointed to fill his place will arrive here in a few days.

Hugh Glenn is home from Astoria, having about completed his work on the Astoria and Columbia railroad. Mr. Glenn says about three miles of track is being laid daily, which will complete the road in a very short time.

In narrating an accidental death, an exchange says "the deceased was married and leaves a widow." Except for this plain statement, readers might have supposed that the man was single and left a widow, or that he took his wife along with him.

The government Alaskan relief expedition left Vancouver today with an outfit that will probably be lost in the Alaska mountains, and the next thing heard of will be another relief expedition sent out to hunt up these men and supply them with food and clothing.

Last night the Umatilla house was thronged with gentlemen from Sherman county who were going to Portland to attend the republican "love feast." A T.-M. reporter circulated around among them some, and from what he could learn they were about equally divided on the question of Mitchell and anti-Mitchell.

Phil Brogan came in yesterday from Antelope, and says some genuine winter weather has been experienced there. While it has not been extremely cold, there has been from two to three inches of snow, and sheepmen have been feeding for several weeks. They still have plenty of hay, but a storm of two or three weeks would cause a shortage of feed in that section.

The revival meetings at the Christian church closed last night after continuing through the past four weeks. These services have been successful in every particular, there having been ferty additions to the church membership as the result of the work of Elder Boltz, the new pastor; besides a general revival of the interest that has been dormant in this church for the past eight months.

From Tuesday's Daily.

Mrs. G. C. Blakeley went to Portland today.

John Harlin, of Bakeoven was in the city today.

Hon. B. S. Huntington went to Portland this morning.

W. H. Kennedy, chief engineer for the O. R. & N., is in the city.

Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Collins returned last evening from a visit to Portland.

This morning the rock crusher was put to work again under the supervision of Marshal Lauer.

Take Laxative Bromo Quinine Tablets. All Druggists refund the money if it fails to Cure. 25c. For sale by Blakeley & Houghton.

Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Harman, of Portland, were in the city last night and left this morning for Dufur to visit friends in that city.

Last evening the Dalles City brought up 40,000 feet of lumber for Mays & Crowe to be used in their new building on Third street.

During the month of January the county clerk of Wasco county collected $553.59 in fees and turned the same into the county treasury.

The frame work of Mays & Crowe's new building is up, and from general appearances the structure will be completed ere the spring trade begins.

Dogs are reported to be worth $400 a head in Dawson. It would be a Klondike for The Dalles if all its canines could be put on the market at that price.

Mrs Zender, of Pullman, Wash., is in the city visiting her sister, Mrs. R. Newlin. She arrived on the Spokane train this morning and will spend several weeks in the city.

John Lawler, a former Dalles boy who was for many years connected with the city fire department, is back on a visit. Mr. Lawler has been in Portland the past five years.

On account of ill health, Postmaster J. A. Crossen has found it necessary to seek a milder climate, and has gone to Phoenix, Arizona. During his absence the office will be in charge of J. L. Story.

Dyspepsia cured. Shiloh's Vitalizer immediately relieves sour stomach, oiloming up of od, distress, and is the great kidney and liver remedy. Sold by Blakeley & Houghton, druggists The Dalles, Oregon.

The big steam shovel was brought up from Albina last night and is housed at the machine shops today. It will soon be put on the O. R. & N. line and used to fill in bridges and culverts along the road.

Word was received here this morning that the little daughter of W. H. Wells was drowned at Prosser, Wash., yesterday. Mr. and Mrs. Wells will arrive here by tomorrow morning's train with the remains for interment.

Cure that cough with Shiloh's cure The best cough cure. Relieves croup promptly. One million bottles sold last year. 40 doses for 25 cents. Sold by Blakeley & Houghton, druggists.

J. W. French, who has been confined to his room with illness for several weeks, was able to be on the streets a short time today, and got as far down town as the bank. His many friends hope that he will now speedily recover.

Heavy shipments of freight from the east are passing down the O. R. & N. road every day. The requirements for the Klondike trade and the natural demands of Oregon have caused extraordinary heavy shipments to be made.

J. A. Perkins, of Antiquity, O., was for thirty years needlessly tortured by physicans for the cure of eczema. He was quickly cured by using DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve the famous healing salve for piles and skin diseases. Snipes, Kinersly Drug Co.

Today J. L Kelly shipped eight large oxen to Troutdale to be butchered for the Alaska trade. Seven car loads of hogs are expected to arrive from La Grande, for the same destination, and tomorrow J. H. Jackson will ship 40 head of hogs by boat to Troutdale.

For constipation take Karl's Clover Root Tea, the great blood purifier. Cures headache, nervousness, eruptions on the face, and makes the head clear as a bell. Sold by Blakeley & Houghton, The Dalles.

The business of the Great Northern Furniture Store has increased to such an extent that the proprietors have found it necessary to have more room, and are negotiating for another building to be erected by the side of the one they now occupy.

Karl's Clover Root Tea is a pleasant laxative. Regulates the bowels, purifies the blood. Clears the complexion. Easy to make and pleasant to take. 25 cents. Sold by Blakeley & Houghton, druggists, The Dalles, Or.

Here it is the first of February and no severe weather yet. Birds are singing in the trees, green grass growing on the hills, and everything having the appearance of spring. What other states but Oregon and Washington can boast of such a climate?

Why suffer with coughs, colds, and a grippe when Laxative Bromo Quinline will cure you in one day. Does not produce the ringing in the head like sulphate of quinine. Put up in tablets convenient for taking. Guaranteed to cure or money refunded. Price 25 cents. For sale by Blakeley & Houghton, druggists, The Dalles Or.

There is one thing lacking in the new bridge the O. R. & N. Co. has built across Mill creek. A splenpid promonade has been constructed on either side of the track about half way across the stream, and there it terminates. Had the promenade been extended across to the west bank, it would have been very convenient for the young people of the town, as it would have made an attractive stroll, and no doubt the young men of the city would have donated enough to have extended it across had the company called on them.

### COTTON AND TOBACCO.

**Seed Will be Distributed in Eastern Oregon by the O. R. & N.**

Five hundred pounds of cotton seed, the first installment for the O. R. & N. Co's. industrial department, have arrived in Portland from Texas, says the Oregonian. The seed will be sent out for experimental planting in Umatilla and other counties of Oregon and Washington where the conditions seem favorable and where there will be assurance of careful treatment. The planting time for this cotton seed is in April.

Tobacco seed has been sent for and it will arrive in a few days. This seed will be planted as soon as it shall be obtainable, in hotbeds or boxes that can be protected from possible frost. The plants will be transplanted in the fields when all danger of frost shall have passed. Experiments in tobacco culture, like those in cotton raising, will be under the supervision of agents of the O. R. & N. Co., though in a few cases careful and responsible farmers may be supplied with seed for experiment. The object is to gain reliable knowledge from these experiments and not to trust to miscellaneous guess work.

**Educate Your Bowels With Cascarets.**
Candy Cathartic, cure constipation forever 10c, 25c. If C. C. C. fail, druggists refund money

**A Five Mill City Tax.**

The common council met last Saturday evening for the purpose of levying a tax to meet current expenses for the year. Mayor Nolan presided and there were present Councilman Wood, Stephens, Kuck, Johnston, Clough and Johns.

A motion was made and carried levying a tax of 5 mills on each dollar of taxable property within the corporate limits of the city on the assessment of 1897, to pay expenses for the ensuing year and pay interest on the bonded debt. This makes a total tax of 34½ mills on all property in the city, 22 mills for state, county and public schools, 7½ mills special school tax and 5 mills city tax.

**Notice to Populists.**

Inasmuch as the county central committee has had notice of the action of the state central committee, and the county convention will be called in due time, all inclined toward populist principles will beware of pretended leaders. C. L. MORSE,
H. F. DAVIDSON, Chairman.
Secretary.

[In view of the fact that J. C. Young and W. S. U'Ren are flooding the country with letters addressed to populists insisting that they ignore all propositions of union of the reform forces, the above warning is indeed timely.—ED]

**As Viewed Abroad.**

Messrs. Mays & Crowe received the following letter from Miller, Sloss & Scott, wholesale hardware dealers of San Francisco, concerning the souvenir edition of the Times-Mountaineer:

"Your very elegant souvenir edition of January 1st, 1898, showing the resources of your counties, came duly to hand and we wish to compliment you on the complete and handsome way in which it is gotten up. It speaks well for the enterprise of The Dalles and especially for the leaders in the hardware trade."

AN OLD AND WELL-TRIED REMEDY.—Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup has been used for over fifty years by millions of mothers for their children while teething, with perfect success It soothes the child, softens the gums, allays all pain, cures wind colic, and is the best remedy for diarrhœa. Is pleasant to the taste. Sold by druggists in every part of the world. Twenty-five cents a bottle. Its value is uncalculable. Be sure and ask for Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup, and take no other kind.

### NOTES FROM WAMIC.

**Events of That Section as Recorded by a Correspondent.**

While hunting squirrels last week Jack Swift's boy and Jimmy Johnson came on the track of a panther, and procuring a dog followed the beast to his hiding place in a clump of bushes. The boys were armed with only a shot gun loaded with No. 6 shot, but Swift fired on him at close range and succeeded in putting out an eye the first shot. This so enranged the animal that it made for the boys, but by the assistance of the dog and gun they kept out of his clutches. They fired six loads of shot into his carcass before bringing him to the ground, and in the melee the dog was almost skinned. The panther weighed 139 pounds, and measured eight feet in length.

Samuel Brown died at his home near Wamic on the 23d. The old gentleman had suffered for years with stomach troubles. He leaves one son, Davis Brown, living in Wamic.

James Pattison and wife visited Wamic last Friday.

The Baptists commenced a series of meetings here today. Rev. Fredinberg, of Moro, is attending the meetings.

A. E. Lake has been called to Dufur on account of the illness of his son who is attending school there.

Justice Swift's court was in session today, and Henry Zweidler was given an examination on the charge of having shot a cow, the property of F. Wisterman. Will H. Walker conducted the prosecution, while the defendant presented his own case. He was held in bonds of $250 which were furnished.

After suffering many years with consumption, Mrs. Jenny Garrety died at her home near Wamic on the 24th. Mrs. Garrety was a highly respected lady, and her death throws a gloom over the entire community. Her maiden name was Jennie Lucas, and she was married at The Dalles in 1886 to Thomas Garrety, a car painter in the employ of the O. R. & N. Co. In 1890 he was transfered to La Grande and afterwards to Albina, where he died in 1895, leaving Mrs. Garrety and three children, two boys and one girl. After his death, Mrs. Garrety returned with her children to Wamic where they have since resided.

The Artisans here installed officers on the 22d, and the installation was followed by a public meeting address by A. J. Brigham and others, after which a splendid lunch was served to over 200 persons.

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**Everybody Says So.**

Cascarets Candy Cathartic, the most wonderful medical discovery of the age, pleasant and refreshing to the taste, act gently and positively on kidneys, liver and bowels, cleansing the entire system, dispel colds, cure headache, fever, habitual constipation and biliousness. Please buy and try a box of C. C. C. to-day; 10, 25, 50 cents. Sold and guaranteed to cure by all druggists.

**A Good Suggestion.**

ED. TIMES-MOUNTAINEER:

My attention being called to the plan of action for a union of parties against the gold standard, let me make a suggestion through your columns.

To follow the plan as discussed throughout the state, i. e., "to have populist, silver republican and democratic conventions on the same day; have a committee of three elected from each convention to meet and apportion the offices fairly between the three parties and report such apportionment to their respective conventions." Then each convention to declare nominations for their portion of the ticket in order and place all candidates in nomination, but not vote for them, then the three conventions unite and by ballot of the entire body select from those nominated, The ticket resulting would then be one backed by the three parties. Each nomination would be a whole number and not a third of a nomination.

Each convention to choose its own set of state delegates and the delegations from Sherman and Wasco to meet at Portland and name the legislative ticket. As in this suggested plan no man could be nominated outside of the party entitled to the places, a strong ticket would surely result and it would be one wherein all parties are directly interested. Yours for union. M. J. ANDERSON.

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**The New Lutheran Church.**

The Lutheran Church is now complete and the architect, Mr. A. Anderson, has instructed the building committee to accept the building, and taken all farther responsibility for the same, under the condition that the building committee will employ mechanics to correct some mistakes made by the contractors and will put the building in a condition so it will be fully in keeping with the plans and specifications. The building committee has accepted the building and has paid the full price of the contract and also a liberal price for all extra work to the contractors, and now the committee will have the errors corrected, and then the new Lutheran Church will be as strong and substantial as it is neat and attractive. D. W. Pierce & Son, of Goldendale, Washington, have received the contract for placing the furniture, and they have already delivered the altar, pulpit, reading desk and hymn books. This part of the furniture is really beautiful, and the pews will, no doubt, be of the same quality. The Lutheran Church will probably be ready for dedication in 6 or 8 weeks. By order of the church council.

**Don't Tobacco Spit and Smoke Your Life Away.**

To quit tobacco easily and forever, be magnetic, full of life, nerve and vigor, take No-To-Bac, the wonder-worker, that makes weak men strong. All druggists, 50c or $1. Cure guaranteed. Booklet and sample free. Address Sterling Remedy Co., Chicago or New York.

**He's a Daisy.**

Several days ago some of the charitable societies of the city were informed that there were two unfortunate women on the hill living together who were in destitute circumstances. The women and their children were promptly supplied with the necessities of life, and one of them being sick the delicacies required for her to eat were supplied. A few evenings later the husband of the sick woman, a piece of humanity by the name of Brown came home (he had been at Hood River) and proceeded to create a famine in the cupboard, by devouring everything nice that he could find. Next morning the Elk's charity committee was notified of his conduct, and they informed him that his presence would not be needed about the premises. Brown has made himself scarce since, and will probably not be of any more annoyance. If he is the authorities will take him in charge.

**Marriage and Divorce in Walla Walla.**

For every four marriages in Walla Walla county during the year 1897, there was one application for divorce. This somewhat remarkable fact was discovered, says the Walla Walla Union, after a careful search of the records of the county clerk's office. There were 149 marriages recorded during the year and 38 applications for dissolution of the marriage tie. Of this number of divorce cases, only one was dismissed without the decree prayed for being granted, and eight are still pending, some of which were instituted during the last few days of the year and the time for default or answer has not yet expired. In two cases which have been pending several months, lack of money with which to pay the fees required has prevented the issuance of the final decrees, and in one case death intervened and dissolved the bonds before the slowly-moving machinery of the law could reach a verdict.

Out of the 38 cases, 32 were commenced by wives, the grounds upon which the complaint was based being in three-fourths of the cases abandonment and non-support.

**To Cure Constipation Forever.**
Take Cascarets. Candy Cathartic. 10c or 25c. If C. C. C. fail to cure, druggists refund money

### G. A. R. REUNION.

**An Interesting Meeting Held by the Old Veterans Last Saturday Evening.**

On Saturday evening the G. A. R and W. R. C. met in joint assembly in their hall, to make arrangements for the encampment which is to be held in this city in April. Adjutant-General W. M. Morse and wife, of Portland, were present, and a reception and banquet were tendered them in connection with the meeting. H. H. Learned presided and stated the object of the meeting, and said the Commercial Club had kindly considered the matter and agreed to appoint committees and help to make the encampment a success and credit to the city. Committees from the Commercial Club, G. A. R. and W. R. C. will be appointed at once, and they will immediately enter into the work.

As the aroma of coffee permeated the hall, all agreed they could talk better with "something to drink." The tables were spread and laden with good things, and the way beans and coffee disappeared, proved that the supper was the right thing in the right place.

The meeting was again called to order, and Adjutant-General Morse called for the good old national air "America," and with Mrs. J. M. Patterson at the piano, the building fairly trembled with the enthusiasm from the voices that entered so heartily in the singing of this soul inspiring song. This was followed by Adjutant-General Morse who made remarks on the work, membership, etc., of the G. A. R., and concluded by paying many compliments to The Dalles and the hospitable people he had met here. Capt. Lewis told a "story." Col. Patterson and others made remarks, which our space will not admit mentioning, and after singing "Marching Through Georgia," the members and friends bade each other good night. ONE WHO WAS THERE.

**Dreadfully Nervous.**

Gents: I was deadfully nervous, and for relief took your Karl's Clover Root Tea. It quieted my nerves and strengthened my whole nervous system. I was troubled with constipation, kidney and bowel trouble. Your tea soon cleansed my system so thoroughly that I rapidly regained health and strength. Mrs. S. A. Sweet, Hartford, Conn. Sold by Blakeley & Houghton, druggists, The Dalles, Oregon.

**Wasco City Election.**

The town of Wasco is now a full-fledged city, having recently been incorporated by the county court of Shearman county, and yesterday its first city election was held. The officers who will preside over the destinies of the city are Geo. N. Crossfield, mayor; B. Johnson, recorder; C. Campbell, marshal; V. C. Brock, treasurer; W. M. Booth, Wm. Reynolds, W. A. Murchie, L. Clark and P. L. Kretzer, councilmen. The election was hotly contested, and the winning ticket had an average majority of 13.

**What Dr. A. E. Salter Says.**

BUFFALO, N. Y.—Gents:—From my personal knowledge, gained in observing the effect of your Shiloh's Cure in cases of advanced Consumption, I am prepared to say it is the most remarkable remedy that has ever been brought to my attention. It has certainly saved many from consumption. Sold by Blakeley & Houghton.

**A Good Price for Beef.**

Saturday evening 138 beef cattle belonging to Dr. V. Gesner, of Prineville, arrived at the stockyards here in charge of Minor Lewis. It required 14 days to bring the cattle from Prineville, and they arrived here in fine condition. They had been fed all winter on Mr. Lewis' farm near Prineville, hence were all prime beef, and were readily sold to Charles Butler, of Port Townsend, at 4 cents a pound on foot. This is the best sale yet reported here this winter, but it will likely be the ruling price from now until range beef is ready for market.

**Bargain n Town Property.**

Some 20 lots in Kramer's addition to Dalles City to be sold on easy terms. Also a six room new house. Enquire of Frank Kramer. jan.15.


## At Four Score.

**Dr. Miles' Nervine Restores Health.**

UNCLE EZEKIEL OBEAR, assessor and tax collector, Beverly, Mass., who has passed the 80th life mile stone, says: "Dr. Miles' Restorative Nervine has done a great deal of good. I suffered for years from sleeplessness and nervous heart trouble. Would feel weary and used up in the morning, had no ambition and my work seemed a burden. A friend recommended Dr. Miles' Nervine, and I purchased a bottle under protest as I had tried so many remedies unsuccessfully, I thought it no use. But it gave me restful sleep, a good appetite and restored me to energetic health. It is a grand good medicine, and I will gladly write anyone inquiring, full particulars of my satisfactory experience."

Dr. Miles' Remedies are sold by all druggists under a positive guarantee, first bottle benefits or money refunded. Book on diseases of the heart and nerves free. Address, DR. MILES MEDICAL CO., Elkhart, Ind.

Dr. Miles' Nervine Restores Health


### ATTEMPTED JAIL DELIVERY.

**A Well Laid Plan Nipped in the Bud by Deputies Kelly and Fitzgerald.**

On Tuesday Deputy Sheriff Kelly was busily engaged at his desk in the sheriff's office, hardly having time to devote any attention to the jail. Sheriff Driver being away, hence all the duties of the office devolved upon Mr. Kelly, when he observed one of the prisoners was unusually jovial, marching up and down the aisle of the jail corodor, singing loudly. At first the singing rather annoyed Mr. Kelly, and as he worked on the books, began to surmise something was going on inside the jail, as none of the other three prisoners were in sight or appeared to be making any noise. Consequently he called Jailor Fitzgerald and requested him to go inside the jail and see what was going on. When Mr. Fitzgerald entered the jail the four prisoners gathered around him and insisted upon entertaining him by showing specimens of drawing; but Mr. Fitzgerald is too well experienced in handling prisoners to heed their sociability, and began making an inspection of the interior of the coridor. He soon discovered that a brick had been removed from the wall next to the lavatory, and that it was concealed by placing the dining table near the wall so as to cover the hole from which it was taken. The prisoners were ordered into the cells where they are confined of nights, and it will be some time before they are given the customary freedom of the jail during the day time.

The jail is so constructed that it would have been impossible for the prisoners to have worked their way out unless they were supplied with good tools, as through the center of each wall is a plate of chilled steel, that would resist ordinary force, and both inside and out there is a tier of brick resting against the plate. But had not the vigilance of Mr. Kelly discovered their scheme, the prisoners would soon have done considerable damage to the jail, for when one brick was removed others would have been easily taken down Messrs. Kelly and Fitzgerald certainly deserve credit in checking the would-be jail breakers before more damage was done.

Wasco county has indeed been fortunate in the past with regard to securely keeping its prisoners, since none have escaped since the new jail was built, and since Mr. Fitzgerald has held the position of jailor, and his careful guarding of the premises both day and night has prevented prisoners from attempting to damage the building. During the day he is constantly within call of the court house and at night he sleeps in a room adjoining the jail, consequently prisoners can do but little devilment without being detected. Were it not for his constant vigilance it is likely the county would frequently be called upon to repair damages done the jail by prisoners.

Mrs. Mary Bird, Harrisburg, Pa. says: "My child is worth millions to me; yet I would have lost her by croup had I not invested twenty-five cents in a bottle One Minute Cough Cure." It cures coughs, colds and all throat and lung troubles. Snipes Kinersly Drug Co.

### OREGON FOREST RESERVE.

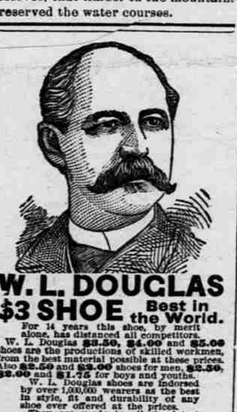
**Hon. John Minto Declares Part of the Reserve Should be Opened to Settlement.**

Hon. John Minto, of Marion county, delivered the third lecture in the agricultural college course Wednesday evening. His subject was "Forest Reserves"

He apologized for the fact that his address was controversial in character, offering in palliation the fact that rights of the people are trodden under foot by the ill advised establishment of the reserves. He said he thought that if forest reserves were to be set apart at all it should be done by state governments, because the latter are more familiar with the surroundings and needs of communities contiguous to the reserves.

"There are now in Oregon," he said, "16,000,000 acres of timber, of which 6,000,000 are handy to settlements, available for use as firewood and building purposes, while 10,000,000 are in the mountains. The estimated annual growth, board measure, is 2,000,000,000 feet and the annual consumption 540,000,000. At $8 per 1,000 feet the annual decay is worth $17,000,000. This sum ought not to be locked up in a forest reserve, keeping enterprise from opening up and utilizing these forests. The value of the timber locked up in the reserves is equivalent to 50 consecutive wheat crops in Oregon."

The forestry committee, by whose influence the reserves were set apart, proposed, he said to educate a body of trained foresters to guard the reserves against the encroachments of settlers, keeping, meanwhile, government troops on duty as guards. He likened the proposition to the situation in Germany, where 5,000 foresters are maintained to guard German timber lands, and he asserted an unwillingness to help maintain this additional army of government employes. He combatted the ide of those who favor the forest reserves, that timber in the mountains preserved the water courses.

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