

Z. F. MOODY,

.. Wool Handlers and Grain Dealers ..

GENERAL FORWARDING AND COMMISSION MERCHANTS.

* OFFICES AND WAREHOUSES AT RAILROAD AND STEAMBOAT DEPOTS. *

Our Warehouses are equipped with every facility for storing and shipping at the lowest rates at which good service can be given. We employ only experienced wool graders, and have presses for packing the graded wool, as well as a press for compressing wool in bags as it comes from the ranch. We make cash advances to growers for shearing, and pay teamster's freight for hauling, on delivery of wool. We also make liberal cash advances to those desiring to hold their clips here for higher prices than those ruling at time of delivery. We have an active trade with local mills in hides and pelts, and can always secure the highest price for patrons. Wools and pelts sent to our warehouses are held, sold or shipped Strictly upon the Orders of the Owners. When desired we act as agents for Growers, and can always sell at the highest going price. Teamsters receipt books sent upon application. We always carry a supply of Wool and Grain Bags and are agents for Cannon's and the Skabacura Nicotine Sheep Dip, for which we forward circulars upon request. We have fireproof Warehouses at both the Railroad and Steamboat Depots. They are large and commodious and have sufficient capacity to store and display to advantage ten million pounds of wool.

Grain Bought and Sold. We pay at all times the highest market price for Wheat, Oats and Barley.

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LOCAL NOTES.

The Misses Lytle, of Wasco, are visiting in the city.

How does our climate strike our Eastern friends these days?

Mrs. Gwilt, of Portland, is the guest of Mrs. Chas. Stephens.

Mr. H. H. Spalding, of Salem, is visiting his daughter, Mrs. A. C. Giger.

For fine weather, come to The Dalles. Truly summer is upon us, as our gardens will testify.

The M. E. Sunday School will give an excursion by boat to White Salmon next Saturday.

Mrs. D. A. Vance is expected to arrive today for a short visit with her brother, W. E. Sylvester.

Mrs. Lounsbury, secretary of the emergency corps of Portland, is the guest of Mrs. H. S. Wilson.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Dukes, of Hood River, are attending the encampment, the guests of Mrs. C. L. Gilbert.

Yesterday the Dalles fire company erected an immense flag pole which will be quite an ornament to the city.

Mr. and Mrs. Hewitt arrived last evening to attend the convention and are the guests of Mrs. O. L. Barrett.

The I. O. O. F. grand lodge will meet at Roseburg June 1st. A number of the citizens of The Dalles are expected to attend.

The Esping property is to be sold to Mr. Hill, who is at present engaged in mining with our townsman J. H. Cradlebaugh.

A. M. Williams' handsome window decorations arranged in honor of the G. A. R. are attracting much attention from the visitors.

Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Kirkwood, of Portland, are expected to attend the encampment, to be the guests of Mrs. Mary Garrison.

The clever "Story About a Parrot," published on our children's page, should be credited to Miss Martha G. Thompson, of California.

The Ladies' Aid Society are having the Congregational church thoroughly renovated and it will not be ready for services for two weeks.

All the recipes given in our culinary department should be cooked on a Majestic Steel Range. Mays & Crowe will add this part of the recipe.

Macolm Jameson, an old Dalles boy, has enlisted in Co. E., of Portland, as First Sergeant. This company expects to leave Monday for the Philippines.

On behalf of the management of the library, the editor wishes to extend a vote of thanks to Max Vogt, who so generously donated a building to our use.

Mrs. F. W. Wilson is expected to arrive here today where she will remain until Mr. Wilson, who is at present in South Carolina, finds a suitable and healthy location.

With their usual liberality Pease & Mays contracted for an entire page in this issue, and we bespeak for them a careful perusal of the matter presented.

They claim to have the largest department store in Eastern Oregon and we think their claim is fully borne out by the facts.

Every lady who has not one, will want her husband to buy her one of those Majestic Steel Ranges at Mays & Crowe's. Perfection in the culinary art cannot be attained without them.

Mr. and Mrs. John Oglesbee, old time residents of The Dalles, are attending the G. A. R. convention. Mrs. Oglesbee is a prominent member of the Relief Corps of East Portland.

Let us call your attention to The Eagle Shirt, advertised in this issue. Pease & Mays carry a full line, Negligee and Laundered. When you buy "The Eagle" you get the best.

A number of young boys of the town have organized a militia company and engaged H. W. French as their instructor. They will begin drilling as soon as their uniforms arrive.

Mr. Rollins, a graduate of the New York Art School, and a well-known artist of Portland, will be in The Dalles this week, for the purpose of sketching some of our beautiful scenery.

The Dalles is fortunate in the possession of a new millinery store. Mrs. Campbell and her sister, Miss Wilson, are enterprising young ladies and are deserving of splendid patronage.

Read the Brown Shoe Co's. ad in this issue. It's up-to-date; they're up-to-date, and the products of their factories is up-to-date. They patronise this issue and Pease & Mays handle their goods; that's up-to-date.

Dr. Sutherland, in a recent letter, states that he expects to be in The Dalles in the early summer, and his many friends and acquaintances here will be pleased to learn that he has entirely regained his health.

Mr. W. D. Hoxter, who died in Portland last Friday, was the first man to ship a car load of horses across the country. Mr. Hoxter will be remembered here as visiting and lecturing in the interest of the refuge home.

Mrs. Caroline Dunlap, of Portland, is visiting her sister, Mrs. William Schackelford, of this city. Mrs. Dunlap is the pioneer kindergartener of Oregon. She is the author of the interesting article on "Cuba" which will be found on another page.

Strawberries are plentiful and cheap. A visit to the market shows a wealth of fruit and vegetables, which would do credit to any city on the coast, and would doubtless surprise our friends of the Middle States, who are hugging the fire while our housekeepers are cleaning house and taking down the winter stoves.

The weary editors were much refreshed and their hearts greatly gladdened by a box of Lowney's delicious caramels, the gift of the enterprising druggists Blakeley & Houghton, who have lately added this tempting line of goods. Husbands may look out for increased bills as weak and frail women cannot withstand this temptation.

Last Wednesday evening Miss Sybil Cushing entertained the members of the graduating class and the teachers of the

high school, at her home. A musical program was rendered by different members of the class. Refreshments were served, and after a very pleasant time, the guests took their leave, voting Miss Sybil an able entertainer.

This publication is strictly non-partisan, and espouses the cause of no party or candidate; but it has had advertising space to sell and has allowed candidates to avail themselves of such space for their announcements. A page of the publication was sold to the Republican campaign committee, and that committee is wholly responsible for the expressions contained therein.

Miss Harriet Stevens, of Portland, so well and favorably known among our musicians, will discontinue her course of lessons until September next, when her pupils will be pleased to meet with her again. Miss Stevens is a most charming young lady personally, and the noticeable improvement in her pupils the past term speaks volumes as to her ability as a teacher.

The Rector of St. Paul's Episcopal church has realized a long felt want and a needed improvement to the building, namely, a recess chancel, which will add materially to the churchly appearance. The contract has been let and it is expected work will begin next Monday. It is an interesting fact that the money for this purpose, quite a large sum, was raised by the Ladies of the Guild.

The ladies of the Episcopal church are doing a good work among the little people of The Dalles in maintaining a sewing school in the small school house. Everything in the sewing line is being taught from folding a hem to the finest embroidery, the latter being taught by Mrs. Sheldon, whose lovely work has been so much admired here. All mothers should realize the benefit to be derived from early instruction in this womanly art.

Friday afternoon a very enjoyable event took place at the private school of the Misses Taylor, it being the 10th anniversary of Bebe Vause's birthday. The rooms were decorated by the children, with red, white and blue paper chains and flowers. The little ones had a very pleasant time singing and playing games. Tables were prepared in another room, and the children were delightfully surprised with refreshments of ice cream and cake.

The ladies of the Public Library, who have had in charge the publication of this paper, wish to thank the business men of The Dalles who have so generously aided them in the way of liberal advertisements, and the Times-Mountaineer for its generous treatment, such patronage and kindness having insured the financial success of our undertaking. Our thanks are also due to the many contributors who have assisted us in our efforts to make this edition a success from a literary standpoint.

Among the many other improvements recently made by Blakeley & Houghton in their store, library shelves have been added for our books. The aid and encouragement given by these gentlemen to the library movement can never be forgotten by the management and promoters of the scheme. We thoroughly

appreciate such benevolence, and hope Messrs. Blakeley & Houghton may never regret having helped a good cause.

And now for the present year at least, we write "Vale." We have labored long and earnestly and found pleasure in our work. No more shall we listen with sympathetic ear to tales of editor's woes, as such tales can be but mere chimeras of the brain. Our work has progressed smoothly, so smoothly indeed, that next year we may conclude to inflict the good-hearted citizens with another and similar publication, but "sufficient unto the day is the evil thereof." As our object in the present undertaking was to achieve funds for the maintenance of our library, we can but feel every gratification of the result, and we close our pages with many thanks to all who have in any way assisted us.

The class of '98 of the Dalles High School will be the largest graduated from that institution for a great many years. It numbered seventeen before the militia boys were called, when Max Bartlett and Walter Dickey, both members of the class, were obliged to leave, reducing the number to fifteen, and as is usual among graduating classes of the present day the majority of the members are young women. As the class is so large, only ten will read their essays. The exercises will be held at the Vogt opera house, Saturday evening, May 28, when the Misses Elizabeth Bonn, Alice Ball, Mable Cross, Sybil Cushing, Bertha Hill, Josie Jenkins, Violet Kent, Anna Mann, Edith Randall, Bessie Rowland and Georgia Sampson, Messrs. Rudy Cradlebaugh, Charles Campbell, David Johns and Bert Pruyne will receive their diplomas.

WELCOME G. A. R.

The ladies of The Dalles are pleased to extend a cordial welcome to the visiting G. A. R. and their friends. Many of the women who are visiting us are prominent workers throughout the state for the public good, and as such, we welcome them.

It is an honor to any town to entertain a body of noble men and women for any length of time, and The Dalles is not lacking in appreciation of its position. We hope the G. A. R. will see fit to hold many more of their conventions here, as it will give us infinite pleasure to entertain so large a crowd to the best of our ability.

We learn that there are five or eight hundred visitors among us, composed of Grand Army veterans, auxiliary W. R. C. and Sons of Veterans. To those who came up the river for the first time, this boat excursion could but give the greatest pleasure.

Tonight and Thursday night the entertainment will take place at the Vogt, and the public will be invited. Wednesday night the business meeting will be held, and the next place of meeting decided upon. Thursday night's entertainment promises to be of unusual interest, as the program is made up of people from all over the state, including home talent. Dalles citizens will be out en masse to enjoy and lend encouragement to such meetings.

CHARLES S. MOORE.

The republican state convention held at Astoria on April 14, recognized in Charles S. Moore, of Klamath county, one of Oregon's most prosperous and honored native sons, and conferred upon him a deserved honor by nominating him for the office of state treasurer, as a reward for his natural worth and service to the principles of the republican party.

Mr. Moore was born in Marion county, Oregon, in 1857, and at the age of 17 moved to Klamath county, where he engaged in the general merchandise business, which he has successfully pursued ever since. During his residence in that county, he has been one of its foremost citizens, having been prominent in all public affairs, and took an active part in the formation of the county when it was established. His advice has ever been sought in matters pertaining to the upbuilding and development of the section in which he has made his home.

Mr. Moore has been a life long republican and took a keen interest in the welfare of the party even before he became a voter. For twelve years he has been chairman of the republican central committee of Klamath county, also a member of the state central committee, and has displayed much tact in conducting campaigns in that county. He has been a delegate to every republican state convention except one for the past twelve years, and was a delegate to the national convention in 1896. Two years ago Mr. Moore was elected county judge of Klamath county, which position he has filled creditably and acceptably to the people of that county. If elected to the office of state treasurer he will pursue the same policy that has controlled his actions in discharging other public trusts, and will prove an obliging and efficient officer.

MALCOLM A. MOODY.

The nomination of Hon. M. A. Moody as republican candidate for congress has been a source of gratification to this community, not only on account of the honor done us, but because we know the man, and know that in his election, which is practically assured, our state and district will have a faithful and efficient representative.

In these times of menace to the public honor and credit, it is absolutely necessary that those who are selected to protect and guard them be men whose records are so well defined as to guarantee their action in such a crisis.

Mr. Moody is a man of unflinching industry, of tireless perseverance and of such uncompromising integrity that he never sacrifices principle for personal preferment, as was proved by his refusal, two years ago, to accept the nomination which he now has, when he declined the congressional nomination rather than equivocate on the money question. He has never followed the vagaries of public opinion, nor striven to build up for himself a personal following outside his party's lines, but always has been and will be heart and soul for Sound Money and the advancement of commerce. These qualities exercised in Washington for the benefit of our state will be of inestimable value. A long residence in Eastern Oregon, and wide knowledge of its needs and resources, render Mr. Moody a highly available candidate, and we prophesy that his majority in June will indicate that this opinion is general throughout the district.

In the article written by Lucy Wilson Peters, the name printed Annie Puck should appear Annie Luck; also Dell Hinderman should be Dell Linderman. The name appearing Elder Stons should be Elden Storrs.