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wise oracle can see

days that are to be In this later land of ours, by the sun-down

occan's rim Old World quaint and grim

Greeting from her latest offspring, from the last link and the best,

Greeting, to that olden country, where the kingly prophets wrought,

Where fair Science had its birth place, and where Genius made its home,

weekly as its birth,

ther progress cease. Here must science work its wonders, here

from our hills the bards sublime That will guide the course of nations to the

superstitions weight, With its faiths, and cruel dogmas, and its

creeds of hell and hate. Oregon! fair land of promise! who will deem

toms of a dreamy poet's brain? Here my youthful feet first wandered, here my childish spirit drew

or drinks the dew.

thy rugged mountain heights. dred star-lit nights;

Rested by wild, unnamed rivers, where the checkered sunlight shines

boughs of kingly pines. From Mount Hood's snow-covered summit

way to the sea

As resistless as the current that has swept the red man on

and his heart and hopes are gone. Now I see vast cities stretching where the

of the hearth and home: And the pulsing heart of Progress in its

mighty impulse feel, Rushing on with all the swiftness, and the

strength of steam and steel, things that used to be,

Surely bringing this fair country to its noble destiny.

Vegetables of all kinds in great abundance. Have new corn.

day besides the Sabbath, especially when there are services in the valley-Mr. W. C. Beck has just returned from Cornucopia, having supplied the market there with vegetables. Wm. Holcomb supplies Hogem. Fruit is

DAISY.

### THE COVE.

Conveyancers and Abstracters. Who shall stay the hand of Progress? What

All the greatness, and the grandeur, of the

This with joyous pulse sends over to the days,

In the mighty chain of Empire that has reached the distant West?

And with gleams of inspiration all their words of wisdom taught.

In the gardens of old Athens, in the halls | They will travel by the regular stage of ancient Rome

it spans the circling earth. Now, beside the blue Pacific must its fur- litive treat to ride to Union now.

must art and wealth increase, The accumulated wisdom of the ages of the

Here must come to full fruition, here must the east. yield its fruit at last. From our schools must come the scholars,

latest space of time. Here a nobler race be nourished, free from

these visions vain? Who will deem these thoughts, the phan-

From thy beauty inspiration, as a wild flow-

I have rambled through thy valleys, climbed Camped within thy leafy forests on a hun-

Through the leaves of oak and maple, and

gazed with wondering estasy At the grand Columbia rushing on its swift

Till his birthland swarms with strangers,

Indian used to roam, And the hum of toiling thousands, builders

Crushing out the last faint traces of the

-Amos K. Jones.

# Eagle Feathers.

We would se glad if those desiring to run races would select some other

not near so plentiful here this year as

Our Sunday school sustained quite a loss when Mr. and Mrs Beezely left, but with the assistance of Mr. Heap. (who is well qualified) hope to run the school successfully and would gladly welcome any one in our valley who will work for the cause of truth and righteousness.

The delightful showers occasionally it may interfere with having which is with the largest yield that has ever been known in the valley. John Fewis well pleased. Harvest hands gener- quantities of silver. ally scarce, but wages good.

## A Spicy Letter From Our Regular

July 28th, 1887.

Wm. Holmes is building side walk this week, and otherwise improving his town property. Wm. Pugh, formerly of Cove, has

gone to Pendleton where he expects to work at carpentering. Huckleberries are ripening in the mountains and excursions after the

luscious berries are now in order. Ben. Owenby has returned from Idaho and will be engaged in buying horses in this vicinity for the next ten

Infant baptismal services were performed at Ascension church last Sua. court. day. Seven infants and children received the hely rites. S. Burroughs went to Baker City.

Thursday, to make arrangements to fill a shingle contract for the Bradley Mining Co. of Cornucopia, A large party from Cove will go rusticating to Wallowa Lake next week,

and intend being away several weeks. Ere the puny arm of Progress, that was Robinson & Layne have received their new stage for the Cove and Un-Stretched its fateful fingers westward, till ion mail line. It is covered, and runs with such smoothness that it is a pos-

Charlie Dickinson, the affable wield-

Son's establishment, has accepted a vesting machinery this season. position in Jaycox & Foster's store at Union, while Mr. Jaycox is absent in tice of the Peace for this precinet and well for the future of Island City. Considerable trouble was experi-

Well what kind of a time did you panies, of Hartford, Conn., and New substitute a substantial dam. As yet, have on the Fourth, anyway?—W. D. York City respectively, paid our town he has not put in an appearance and lard.-C. G. O. I wish some christian companies at Summerville. would inform me what is the matter like fixing up a house and making it attractive, no telling what may happen.-W. R. H. Did you hear the Fourth of July joke on calico Sam?-E. A. R. What a pretty shoe you He seems to be thoroughly conversant wear.-M. E. Ask me the proper way with his subject and will no doubt to attach a wringer to the Acme wash- make his visit to our town one of profer.-May S.

Elgin Echoes. July 26, 8857.

Items very scarce at this place. Mrs. Carlton died a few days ago. The health of the neighborhood is, generally, good.

Snyder & Co. are enlarging their drug and grocery store. Work in this place is still pushing ative,

and hands are very scarce. Master Jasper Cowan is just recovering from a slight attack of the meas-

finely under the superintendence of Prof. J. L. Hindman. Jesse Jackson, our efficient school

Territory, where he will canvass for Our farmers are making hay while the sun shines. The hay crop is not so good as we anticipated earlier in

Mr. D. Chandler has raised a neat little barn on his place, and Dr. Mc-Naughton is hauling lumber for a barn on his place. We had a lady lecture to us last

the season.

Wednesday evening on the subject of spiritualism. She is also a mind reaper and a faith-curer. Mr. C. N. White has pucchased a fanning mill outfit and will take the field soon to sell the best fan to clean wheat I ever saw. It cleans every-

thing out of the grain except the flour. Hope he will do well with it. The work on the Baptist church progresses very slowly. The church has called the Rev. Mr. Moore to take charge as its pastor. He will locate here about the first of September. We

trust he will do much good among us. Try it. We thought we had struck a gold are refreshing to most everything, but bonanza a few days ago, but it proved to be copper ore. If we could find the being carried on very extensively now, ledge it would prove a source of revenue. The piece found weighed 33 ounces. Some think the whole town site ell has put up a derrick with which he of Elgin is underlaid with paying

Ladies and gents' summer goods con-Francisco, at Levy's.

## Summerville.

The Cr p Outland-Death from Diph-theria-Social Notes-the Natives Investigate Threnology.

# LATE IMPROVEMENTS.

Farmors busy having, D. Sommer is in Portland the pres-

The hav crops good in this section of country.

Several loads of drummers in town on Tuesnay. The child of Mr. Logan is lying at the point of death, with diphtheria. Two fights in town the past ten days.

Fines promptly paid in recorder's Mrs. Ada Prescott, of Island City, is visiting at Mrs Joseph Truesdal's, the

present week.

A. J. Patten started across the mountains this morning in pursuit of an absconding debtor. Mrs. William E. Rinchart and family are camping out in the mountains

the present week. Several parties were out in the mountains launting and pleking buckleberries, hast week.

F. B. Collins is having his new house

mence lathing next week, Our agricultural implement dealers er of the yard stick in A. J. Foster & are disposing of a vast amount of har-

filed his bond with the county clerk. enced, this week, in hiring hands to James Chattin, arrived here from Ce- vs I, C, M, & M, Co, was decided, he help with the hay harvest. However, dar Rapids, Iowa, on Friday of last would put in a new wheel, and make several Missouri immigvants came in week, and will probably locate here. other changes in the mills, also re-

R. I am open to challenges from any a visit on Tuesday, and appointed Mr. it is feared he has been lost in that rifleman since I got my new 38-55 Bal- F. B. Collins as local agent for these game of peek-a-boo. Prof. J. A. Aulguire, the eminent with myself.—R. J. There is nothing phrenologist, is in our city the present week, and delivers each evening a lecture on some branch of phrenology, The Prof. is making many friends here and his lectures are largely attended.

> it as well as one of pleasure. A man that will deliberately talk about something he knows nothing about and state what he claims to be facts, to the detriment of good, honorable citizens, without any grounds whatever, he had better do it in the presence of parties who are of the same ilk as himself and not in the presence of a good, honorable, upright citizen.

even though that citizen be a sear rel-Died.—Thursday, July 26, 1887, of diphtheria, the 5 year old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Logan. The funeral on Wednesday was largely atten-Our Sunday school is prospering ded by friends of the family. Death is a sad leveler, and many there are who must needs suffer because of his pres- yesterday. ence. Still it is sweet to know that in teacher will leave soon for Washington | the great hereafter we may meet with those "who once were but are not," Mr, and Mrs. Logan have the sympathy of the entire community in their

sad affliction. of the city.-H. C. R. I am going to hope ere this time next month to be nave my head felt.-A. J. P. You had the proud possessors of a brick store beter comb out a few of the enrellectual whichilties before you do so,-the boys. The phrenologist says that B. D. H. is a lover of spirits. What makes S. L. McK, hold his head so high?inquirers. Ask Prof. Aulguire.-C. I hereby certify that Prof. Aulguire is the "boss" phrenologist of the Pacific Coast, and will further state that I know whereof a speak.-B. D. H. Me 100.-S. L. McK.

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## ISLAND CITY.

Sally Am's Weekly Budget of News Notes and Poetleal Pointers,

Was it much of a party? Oh, well, Here's the praise of the paper, instinted; But, bul;! If you ask one to tell for total, 'I you ask the to tell
My orderion, it's not what they've hinted.
The support? Ah well, that would pass;
The flowers? Who talked of flowers?
The music '—They call it first class.
In this much valued paper of ours.
The guests then? All who went
Were the very clite of the city.
It's called a most charming event;

But folks sometimes (ib, more's the pity.

Business very dull. Farmers are busy making hay while the sun shines.

Mr. Carter and family have gone for a short stay to the mountains. Wm. Snyder, the new barber has located next door to Preston's shoe shop.

Truth does not destroy, but crystel-

izes, and makes permanent the charactor of a good man, leaving it a priceless legacy to society. Saturday evening a very enjoyable party was held at the Island City House. Dancing and social converse

was indulged in until 12 o'clock, Johnnie Clark sold over \$1000 of farming machinery, etc., on Monday of this week. Riley Cooper, with painted and the plasterer will com- amount. Knapp, Burrell & Co, sold a like

The house and lot next door to the

bank, and nearly opposite the post

office, was sold a few days ago for three

hundred dollars. The house itself cost Jacob Collins has qualified as Jusnear one thousand dollars. That speaks Campbell, the expert millwright, in-Mr. Bishop, a brother-in-law of Mr. formed the writer, after the Gove & Co. and were at once put to work with Mr. A. F. Gastner, special agent of move the brush-heap that held the the Phonix and Home insuronce com- water for the mill to run with, and

## SALLY ANN.

Wallowa City Warblings. July 25, 1887.

The saloon is progressing nicely and will soon be all enclosed. Mr. Tucker, of Arkansas, has arrived here and will make this his home.

Mr. Burleigh will soon begin build-

ing a large addition to his house here.

R. F. Stubblefield's residence is well under way and will be finished this week. Burning hot days all the past week

with a very slight thuder shower on

Friday. The first issue of the new paper was made on Friday. We leave the people to judge of its merits. Mr. Gardiner, of Prairie creek, who

So far the famous red fish have been very scarce, the run being very small for some cause. A few were caught Charlie Conoway has the frame of

is erectiag the hotel here, purchased

Roberts claim adjoining town on the

north.

the particulars.

gles. The Alder store will be moved into it for a while, immediately on its completion. Work on the foundation of the new Boys, I won't stay in the d-d town. brick will soon be caused. The exca--H. W. I am the boss gum chewer vation will be completed to-day. We

his store up and already for the shin-

in our town. Mitchell's saw mill burned to the ground on Saturday night at about 8:30 o'clock. About everything around the mill was a total loss. Thousands of feet of fine lumber now lies in ashes. We have been unable to learn any of

More anon, BENNETT FLAT.

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healthy that they can enjoy their meals and

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