

The Wasco News.

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J. W. AMOS, Editor.
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The following from the Oregonian shows that the people before McKinley was elected: "President McKinley has shown himself to be a mere instrument in the hands of politicians. He has shown it in all possible ways, and the whole country is talking about it. In civil and military affairs it has been the same. Such ability as he has is neutralized by his excessive amiability. Something more than mere compliance in action is required in a president of the United States." If the Oregonian continues to fight the administration as it has been doing recently, it will cause McKinley some little trouble in getting nominated a second time.

Laurier talks of war over the Alaska boundary case. He seems to think that even arbitration will not do, and that the British lion will pull a few of the tail feathers out of the American eagle over it. This shows how little Laurier knows. It shows what a mistake his mother country has made in putting him to the front. These two nations have too much in common to let a matter like that cause serious trouble. There is too much at stake. It would mean the disruption of the world.

The manner in which the Oregon boys talk of this makes it look as if he were actually unqualified. It doesn't seem reasonable that so many would talk against him unless there was a reason for it, and the fact that comes from the Oregon boys makes it the more plausible to us who live in Oregon.

The question now is, since the president has been so deeply humiliated, whether he will consider his debts to Alger and the political rings fully and finally discharged, and whether he will begin to show some independence.—Oregonian.

The Oregonian seems to find fault with our soldier boys because they evince a desire to save a few dollars by being mustered out at San Francisco. Certainly the boys have earned all they are liable to get. Let them get all they can.

Robt. G. Ingersoll is no more. Death claimed him Friday. The United States lost a man who was little thought of; but they lost one of the brightest orators that ever faced an audience.

At last Alger is out. He went out without any great fuss. Now Ethel Root is in; and the Oregonian says he is just a thing to fill up. It is to be hoped not, yet we fear Harvey is right.

According to reports the state fair this year is to be the best one Oregon has ever had. It is reasonable to think so, for there are good men at the head of it.

The boys expect to get started home from the Presidio about August 8th. This will give Portland abundant time to prepare a reception.

Tell Your Sister.
A beautiful complexion is an impossibility without good pure blood, the sort that only exists in connection with good digestion, a healthy liver and bowels. Karl's Clover Root Tea sets directly on the bowels, liver and kidneys, keeping them in perfect health. Price 25 and 50 cents, at A. J. Barnett's.

Come to the Front.
Since the Wasco club did so well in a recent game with the Goldendale, some of our citizens have concluded their good enough to play with the League; so in accordance, the Wasco members of the National League have championed to challenge them for a championship game. The challengers are in shape to play the game at any time, so will allow the boys to set the date. Of course there is no doubt as to the result of the game, but the boys should feel highly gratified at being noticed, and perhaps they can raise the standard higher even than they did at their last attempt. The members of the League are:

Andrew Barnett, c. Dad Armstrong, R. W. Brock, c. N. Draper, r. E. G. Foster, c. Wash Reynolds, of Ab Woolley, c. Geo. Pailman, f. Everybody is invited to see the game.
JUDOK WALKER, Captain.
Bathhouse Sisters' Public Installation.
Lillian Temple No. 17, R. S., held a public installation at their hall Thursday evening July 20th.
When all was in readiness a bugle call was sounded by Mr. J. E. McPherson, whose kindly assistance had been secured by the ladies, and as the doors of the ante-room were thrown open, Miss Addie Lewis, representing Flora, the goddess of flowers, entered the lodge driving four little girls who bore a litter covered with flowers and wreaths of flowers. All were dressed in white covered with profuse floral decorations. She was followed by twelve ladies robed in Grecian costumes of a delicate cream tint, who, after escorting the Grand Chief, Mrs. Susie E. Parmenter, of Salem, Oregon, to the installing chair, gave a beautiful and artistic drill as an introduction to the installation ceremony. These

opening exercises were beautiful indeed, and were so perfectly performed as to show that a very worthy and careful interest had been taken in their preparation. Mrs. J. M. Patterson presided at the organ, and her excellent rendering of the march added greatly to the successful execution of the drill.
Mrs. Lilly Brock delivered the gavel to the Grand Chief, who, assisted by Mrs. E. Hoag as grand master and Mrs. Lilly Madden as grand manager, installed the officers of the temple for the ensuing term, as follows: G. O. T. Mrs. Belle Crockett; P. O. T. Mrs. Rose Ward; M. of F. Mrs. T. J. Roberts; M. of F. and C. Mrs. Mae Munkie; Manager, Mrs. Emma Lucas; E. S. Mrs. Mildred Bright; M. E. C. Mary E. Jory. We are informed that the excellent junior guild is Mrs. Hattie Andrews, who was unavoidably absent, and will be installed at a later date.

The installation ceremony is similar to that of other orders, and is very impressive.
Mr. A. H. Kennedy and Mrs. Bright rendered an instrumental selection with mandolin and organ, and Mr. V. C. Brock sang Tirzah's Serenade, after which the Grand Chief made some well chosen remarks upon the teachings of the order. This was followed by "The Last Rose of Summer," by Mrs. E. O. McCoy, in a very pleasing and expressive manner, and a vocal selection by Mrs. Jory, the title of which we failed to learn. Another instrumental duet by Mr. Kennedy and Mrs. Bright closed the evening's exercises, which were both instructive and enjoyable, and did credit to those participating.

Does This Strike You?
Muddy complexions, nauseating breath come from chronic constipation. Karl's Clover Root Tea is an absolute cure and has been sold for fifty years on an absolute guarantee. Price 25 and 50c, at A. J. Barnett's.

A New Enterprise.
The near approach of another grain harvest makes this, we judge, a suitable time to present to your attention a matter which W. F. Burrell and his associates are about to inaugurate, new to the shipping history of Portland, and yet of considerable interest to every farmer and dealer in grain in this Northwest, who markets his product at this point, namely, the establishment at Portland of a grain storage warehouse, in which all shippers have equal advantages, to be operated wholly as a public warehouse, thereby materially increasing the present facilities for the disposal of grain and affording to all the long-desired opportunity of availing themselves of the competition which prevails when desirable blocks of wheat or other cereals are freely offered to all who may wish to buy.

The dock on which we will operate will be Montgomery No. 2, having a capacity of 750,000 bushels of wheat, the newest, largest and altogether the best dock in the city. It is not our intention to buy grain, but if so desired, we will act as brokers for its sale, thus bringing within reach of all our customers those benefits which accrue from representation on "spot."

A cleaning and grading plant will be installed, thoroughly equipped throughout for the handling of "off grades," which we anticipate will be an attractive feature of the establishment, as only a small margin over cost will be charged for each operation. Briefly, we shall endeavor to merit your confidence and business by looking after your interests in such a manner as to be productive of the best results. Some minor details yet remain to be decided upon prior to placing before you the definite terms upon which shipments will be handled, and the principal intention of this letter is that our claim to your consideration may not be overlooked. It is proper to say here that those of the leading dealers in Eastern Oregon and Washington with whom we have had the opportunity of discussing the matter have already expressed the intention of giving their business to this warehouse, and, if you should be in the city, we would be very glad to have you make us a visit and exchange views on the subject with our Mr. Jas. S. Patterson (formerly with Messrs. Balfour, Guthrie & Co.), or Mr. J. M. Turner (until lately with Mr. A. Berg). In recommending this to your careful thought, we should like to hear at your convenience whether the plan generally outlined meets with your approval and if any improvements suggest themselves to you.
MUTUAL WAREHOUSE CO.

ADDITIONAL LOCALS.
One 35 second-hand truck for \$30.00, at W. M. Barnett's.
Order whatever you like at the Star Restaurant. It will be given you.
If you want a souvenir, "On to Manila" book, call at the News office.
Get your photograph taken at Vaughn's gallery and you will get a good one.
Trembling hands, weak limbs and unsteady gait. Hudyan cures. All druggists, 50 cents.
Call on us and get your home insured in one of the best insurance companies in existence.
Palpitation of heart, indigestion, sleeplessness, melancholia. Hudyan cures. All druggists, 50 cents.
W. H. Bast has about completed a unique and substantial cottage for Mr. John Elder, half-mile east of town.
Lafe Barzee was hauled up before Recorder Heman Friday evening and fined \$5 for indecent behavior on the street.
A. J. Barnett has moved his store from the Draper building across the street into the Reynolds building, the place he formerly occupied.
Dr. I. M. Smith of Moro was a passenger on the Columbia Southern on Tuesday evening, returning home from a short vacation in the Cascades.
Belle Vandlingham has again been arrested as a result of the sorim-age Friday evening, and was placed under bonds to appear in Justice Jos. Marsh's court tomorrow.
W. H. Andrews' team ran away on

Tuesday evening. They ran up the hill west of town, when Jim Brady bestrode a saddle horse and caught them. No damage done.

That derrier for unloading grain from header beds is all right. Will make a close price to get one introduced. Call and see it on my lot back of store.
CHARLEY JONES.

"I have used Chamberlain's Cough Remedy in my family for years, and always with good results," says Mr. W. B. Cooper of El Rio, Cal. "For small children we find it especially effective." For sale by Marsh & Medler.

The leading mutual fire insurance company of the state wishes an active agent for this county, and offers liberal terms to a capable man who will devote his time to the work. Address J. H. Bridgeford, manager, 309 Abington building, Portland, Oregon.

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A QUAIN BIT OF GERMANY.
Region Just Out of Berlin Remarkable for its Old Customs.
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Contest Notice.
United States Land Office, The Dalles, Or., July 11, 1899.
A sufficient contest affidavit having been filed in this office by Frank Silvey, contestant, against the Homestead Entry No. 2027, made by Edward Stymont, contestant, in which it is alleged that he has abandoned said tract for more than six months, said parties are hereby notified to appear, respond and offer evidence touching said allegation at 10 o'clock a. m. on September 4, 1899, before the Receiver and Receiver at the United States Land Office in the Dalles, Oregon.
The said contestant having, in a proper affidavit filed July 5, 1899, set forth facts which show that after due diligence, personal service of this notice can not be made, it is hereby ordered and directed that notice be given due and proper publication.
J. P. LUCAS, Register.

Notice for Publication.
Land Office at The Dalles, Oregon, June 19, 1899.
Notice is hereby given that in pursuance of instructions from the Commissioner of the General Land Office, under authority vested in him by section 2455, U. S. Rev. Stat., amended by the act of congress approved February 22, 1895, we will proceed to offer at public sale on Friday, the 28th day of July next, at 10 o'clock a. m., at this office, the following tract of land, to-wit:

NE 1/4 sec. 31, T. 1 N., R. 18 E., W. M. Any and all persons claiming adversely the above described land are advised to file their claims in this office on or before the day designated for the commencement of