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Weekly Statesman. SATURDAY MORNING Has the Largest Circulation, THE OLDEST PAPER.

General Business Cards. FOOT & HEALEY, MANUFACTURERS OF Boots and Shoes.

ST. PAUL'S SCHOOL, WALLA WALLA, W. T. A Boarding & Day School FOR GIRLS.

F. W. ABERNETHY, PROPRIETOR OF THE WALLA WALLA FOUNDRY AND PLANING MILL.

W. H. STANLEY, PROPRIETOR OF THE SASH, DOOR & BLIND FACTORY.

E. ALDER, PROPRIETOR OF THE LAGER BEER BREWERY.

JOHN B. STEHL, PROPRIETOR OF THE STAR BREWERY.

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MERCHANT TAILOR. F. VETTER, MERCHANT TAILOR—CLOTHING MADE TO ORDER.

POETICAL SELECTIONS. JOY OF INCOMPLETENESS. If all our lives were one broad glare of sunlight, clear, unclouded;

THE TWELVE POLITICIANS. Two politicians cutting quite a shine— Black Friday swallowed Richardson and then there were nine.

MORMON TALK IN MEETINGS. Elder Orson Pratt said, we had heard many great and glorious things concerning the work of God and the establishment of His Kingdom.

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Some Wonderful Fountains. The wonderful Crystal Palace at Sydenham, England, with all the accessories and surroundings, forms a picture a more fit for the genius age of the Arabian Nights' marvels than this realistic century.

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DISAPPOINTED ADVENTURISTS. A Little Party of Thirty Gathered in a Hall in Maine, Prepared to Ascend, and Find Their Calculations Deceptive.

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TONGUELESS AND TALKATIVE. A Woman Coughs up Her Tongue. Through Dr. D. R. Jennings, of Cleveland, Ohio, who has been attending some of the annual ceremonies of the high degree Masons in Cincinnati during the past week, we have learned of a tongueless woman living in Northern Ohio, whose history furnishes an unparalleled feature in medical annals.

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The Tulp Mania. Of all things in the world in which to make a corner, to excite a speculation, to be puffed by brokers, it would seem as if flowers would be the last.

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Absent-Minded Mrs. Whistler. The facts in Mrs. Whistler's case seem to have been these: Mrs. Whistler has singularly absent of mind, and on the last Sunday that she attended her own church Dr. Baudrey began to read from the scriptures the account of the deluge.

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F. W. AMERTON, on the charge of exhibiting a deadly weapon, was tried before the District Court, Saturday last, and honorably acquitted.

There will be preaching in the United Brethren church, to-morrow, at 11 o'clock, A. M., and at 8 o'clock, P. M., under the auspices of the M. E. Church, South.

The school in District No. 1 is closed, there being no money to pay teachers. This district has a large revenue, yet owing to bad management, or rather mismanagement, is constantly in debt.

UMATILLA RESERVATION.—The telegraph is responsible for the statement that the House committee will report favorably upon Lane's bill to remove the Indians from the Umatilla reservation and open the same for settlement.

FRANK KIMBALL, who for the past year has been visiting his friends and relatives in the Eastern States, is again at home. Frank's trip was made mainly for the purpose of improving his health, and we are glad to state that he comes back looking stout and hearty.

SENATOR MITCHELL has induced Postmaster General Jewell to overrule Underwood's recommendation to have the service on the mail route from Kelton to Boise City reduced. The daily service will be continued. In this matter Senator Mitchell has placed the people of this country under an obligation which they will not fail to remember.

THE SALEM WOOLLEN MILLS have been destroyed by fire. These mills were the first of the kind erected on the Pacific coast, and at one time were regarded as very valuable property. Recently they had run down, and just before the fire the mills had been turned over to W. C. Griswold, on condition of his securing an indebtedness of \$60,000. The fire is supposed to have originated in spontaneous combustion.

FARMING IMPLEMENTS.—This is the season of the year when farmers should examine their reapers, mowers, threshers, etc., and if out of order have them repaired. In matters of this kind it is never well to wait till the last minute, and then rush to the machine shop and expect to have your job done at a moment's warning. Give the machinist time and he will turn out a better job and at a more reasonable price.

COUNTY BUILDINGS.—The county commissioners have determined to have the roof of the present court house building raised six feet, and in this way make the room on the second floor answer the purpose of a court room. This will give a ceiling 12 feet in the clear, and in all respects make a better court room than the hall for which the county pays at the rate of \$100 for each term of court.

GRANGERS' CELEBRATION.—The Grangers' Council, at their last meeting, appointed a committee to arrange for the celebration of the fourth of July. We think it would be well to let the town committee arrange for a joint celebration. If there is a town celebration, and another in the country, neither will amount to much, but if the farmers and people of the town can agree upon a plan of co-operation, they can make a grand demonstration.

VALUABLE SAVED.—The county auditor, having determined to erect a fire-proof vault for the safe-keeping of public records, the auditor will no longer require the very expensive fire and burglar proof safe now in use. This is one of the finest safes ever brought to the country, and is now offered for sale at a low price. Any business house having large accumulations of treasure, or valuable papers, will find the purchase of this safe a good investment.

SALE OF PROPERTY.—The lot on Main street, next door to A. Scholl's butcher shop, was sold on Monday last, at public auction. The sale was made in pursuance of an order of the Probate Court. The lot fronts 20 feet on Main street, running back 120, and improved by a frame building, now used as a restaurant. The price realized was \$1410, which considering the times may be regarded as a fair figure. The Old Fellows made the purchase, and it is understood intend at an early day to erect a hall upon the lot.

THE SPRING BUSINESS opens out briskly, all our leading houses having a full run of goods; and this is more especially at Dusenberry Bros., where there is a constant throng of customers waiting to secure the great bargains. Just now they are making a specialty of men and boy's clothing, and from their immense stock all sizes, from the big fat man down to the smallest boy, can rely upon getting the good goods. Ladies' dress goods also in endless variety, and in fact every article required for the wardrobe or household. Call at Dusenberry's and secure some of the new and cheap goods.

GRAND OPENING AT SCHWABACHER BROS., who are now receiving their spring and summer stock, and offer the finest assortment of goods ever brought to the Northern country, and as a consequence can be sold at astonishingly low prices. In the line of men's and boy's clothing, they have all the latest and most fashionable styles, and from the smallest boy to the largest man can guarantee a perfect fit. The ladies also have been cared for, their stock embracing every article in the line of ladies' wearing apparel, including the latest fashions. Call and examine the new stock, and you will be surprised at the bargains offered.

MANSLAUGHTER.—Hugh O'Reilly, a soldier charged with the murder of a comrade, was brought up for trial before the District Court, on Monday morning. All of Monday was occupied in hearing the evidence, and Tuesday was devoted to the argument of counsel. The case was given to the jury on Wednesday morning, and at the opening of Court on Wednesday afternoon, the jury returned a verdict of manslaughter, the punishment for which is not less than one year nor more than three years in the penitentiary. The killing was attended by circumstances of great provocation, and hence the verdict. Had O'Reilly moved in a higher circle it is even doubtful whether any conviction could have been had. A poor and lonely man, the purity of his wife was possibly as dear to him as life itself.

TEMPERATURE.—At 12 M. yesterday, the thermometer in the STATESMAN office marked 70 degs. A pleasant breeze made the weather delightful.

GATLING GUNS.—Quite recently a couple of Gatling guns have been added to the armament at Fort Walla Walla, and assigned to Col. Whipple's company. These guns are mounted on wheels very much after the style of ordinary field pieces, and being of light construction are calculated to move rapidly. The idea is based on that of the revolver, with this difference that the barrels instead of the cylinder revolve. The guns are furnished with ten barrels each, and the cartridges are arranged to drop into place from an arrangement not unlike the hopper of a mill. The gun barrels are made to revolve by means of a crank, and as the barrel comes into place a cartridge drops down, and is pierced by a kneside the discharge follows. Each piece is provided with 24 cases of cartridges, 40 cartridges in each, making 960 cartridges, and these can be discharged with almost inconceivable rapidity. An army marching in close file, could almost be decimated with one of these guns, and we take it that with the general introduction of this murderous weapon there must be a corresponding change of tactics. Wednesday last we were present at a trial of these guns, and the above is the result of our observations. The gun was fired at a target distant about half a mile, and when trained on the center several of the shots were planted in the bull's eye. The gun is so arranged that it can be trained directly upon an object, or by a slight change it can be given an oscillatory motion, scattering shot in every direction. During the civil war we had an opportunity of seeing the most effective weapons then in use, but as compared with the Gatling gun they were all measurably harmless. These guns have not as yet been generally introduced into the service, but if the experiment now being made prove satisfactory, it is intended to furnish two companies in each regiment of cavalry with the guns, and train the men to their use. The officers at the Garrison speak favorably of the gun, and express the opinion that in a campaign against the Indians it will prove an efficient weapon.

PAINFUL AFFAIR.—At an early hour yesterday morning, W. T. Barnes was riding along near the city cemetery, when he observed a young man evidently attempting to escape, and closely followed by another man who was shouting, "Stop thief!" Mr. Barnes put spurs to his horse and overtaking the fugitive, an explanation followed that was simply shocking. The fugitive was the son of his pursuer, and being ordered away from home, had taken one of his father's horses. Under these circumstances Mr. Barnes decided to interfere and led the father and son to their duty.

THE old saloon building, next door to Schwabacher Bros., was placed on wheels this week, and the lot it occupied is to be appropriated to the extension of the Messrs. Schwabachers' store. The new building is intended to be highly finished, and from the plans and specifications promises to be an architectural ornament to the town. This extension will give the Messrs. Schwabachers the largest store room in the Northern country, and will enable them to conduct their large and constantly growing business more conveniently and to the better satisfaction of customers.

ARM BROKEN.—Last Monday afternoon, Miss Phillips, a young lady of this city, met with an accident, on Main Street, above the bridge. In company with her brother, C. Phillips, she was riding in a buggy, when the horse took fright and turning suddenly, upset the vehicle throwing its inmates out. Miss Phillips had both bones of her right arm broken; her brother escaped with a few scratches. The buggy was not seriously damaged. Dr. Bingham was summoned, set the broken bones and removed the unfortunately injured to her home. We understand she is doing well.

WHERE TO BUY.—Our country friends when coming to town, will carefully scan the columns of the STATESMAN, and learn where they can make purchases to the best advantage. As a rule, it is safe to avoid houses that are too poor to advertise. The sales of all such are so limited that they are compelled to charge high rates. If you want to buy at low figures, always go to the houses that advertise their goods and in that way are enabled to sell at low prices.

THE PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH, now being erected at the corner of Poplar and Third streets, is already enclosed and from the progress the workmen are making promises to be completed in a very brief period. It so happens that the Episcopalians, Catholics, United Brethren, and Methodist churches are all located in the same quarter of the town, and now with the Presbyterian church added, that promises to be a religious neighborhood.

PHOTOGRAPHS.—Mr. J. S. Smith, of The Dalles, is now canvassing this city for orders for enlarged photographs. He will take small photographs, ambrotypes, daguerreotypes or ferrotypes, and copy the same enlarged to any size, and finish them either plain, or in India ink or water colors. He has examined specimens of Mr. Smith's work, and can recommend him as an accomplished artist.

DRESS MAKING.—A lady friend desires us to call attention to Mrs. Addison, an excellent dress-maker, whose residence is on the north side of Mill Creek, in what is known as the old Kelly house. Ladies desiring dresses made in the neatest and most fashionable style, can depend upon Mrs. Addison giving satisfaction. In all cases her charges will be reasonable.

FRUIT.—We are informed that the fruit trees all through the valley are in excellent condition and promise abundant crops. Peaches that last year were a total failure, this season will yield abundantly. With the aid of the will yield abundantly. With the aid of the railroad, our fruit growers this year ought to be able to supply the Portland market with early fruit.

RAILROAD DEPOT.—We notice that the Railroad Company has erected a commodious depot at the railroad terminus, connected with which is an office and other conveniences for transacting the business of the road.

BABY CARRIAGES in great variety at the San Francisco Cigar Store. These carriages can be sold several dollars cheaper than at other stores in this city.

Annual Exhibit of the Finances of Walla Walla County, W. T., for the Year ending April 30th, 1876.

Table with 2 columns: Description and Amount. Includes items like Cash on hand, Amount of tax levy for 1875, Amount of tax delinquent for 1875, Total amount collected on taxes during the year, etc.

Summary statement of County Orders cancelled and outstanding during the year ending April 30th, 1876:

Table with 2 columns: Description and Amount. Includes items like Amount of County Orders outstanding May 1st, 1875, Amount issued on salaries and fees of officers, Amount issued for jurors, witnesses and court expenses, etc.

TERRITORY OF WASHINGTON, County of Walla Walla.

I, B. Jacobs, County Auditor in and for said county, do hereby certify that the foregoing exhibit shows a true and correct statement of the finances of said county, for the fiscal year ending April 30th, 1876. Witness my hand and official seal, this 4th day of May, 1876.

R. JACOBS, Auditor of Walla Walla County.

County Commissioners' Court May Term, 1876.

Commissioners present, C. S. Bush, C. C. Cram, and Frank Lovell. In the matter of a change in county road leading from Walla Walla city to Oregon State line. Said road declared a public highway, and that portion of the old road lying between the point changed to be vacated, and that the supervisor in whose road district said change is located, proceed to open the same of a width of sixty feet. Road from Walla Walla city to Walla. Viewers appointed, D. M. Jensen, W. T. Barnes and Henry Capleton, to meet at Walla Walla city, on Monday, 22d day of May, 1876, with surveyor. Change in the road from Walla Walla city to Walla. Commitment to August term, 1876. Change in the county road from Dry Creek to Independent school house. Viewers appointed, Theodore Jensen, Wm. C. Johnson and A. G. W. King, to meet at Milton Evans' place on Monday, May 22d, 1876; (no survey) three viewers to make review. Road from Walla Walla to Walla. Viewers appointed, John Eason, Henry Ertmer and A. G. W. King, to meet in Walla Walla, Monday, June 12, 1876, with surveyor; takes three viewers to make review. Change in cross road from road leading from Walla Walla city to Maxon's school house, intersecting road running east, north of lot 10, on each side of said road. Viewers appointed, Wm. Glasford, Thomas Turner and P. L. Hawley; to meet on Monday, May 22d, 1876, in Walla Walla city, W. T. In the matter of vacating a portion of the road from Walla Walla city to Maxon's school house, intersecting road running east, north of lot 10, on each side of Walla Walla river, was continued to August term, 1876. County road from Walla Walla city to intersect Walla Walla road. Viewers appointed, J. M. Armstrong, M. B. Ward and C. Moore, to meet at Walla Walla city, June 10th, 1876, with surveyor. In the matter of vacating a bridge across the Touchet river, on the road known as the Erwin road, crossing with the Colville road. Continue to August term, 1876, for petitioners to furnish a plan and specification of said bridge, to the Board of County Commissioners. Bonds of officers approved: Luchner & Schumacher, Stone & Tatro, J. R. Montague, C. S. Bush, Rich & Stang, Henry Wind, D. Kelling, Thomas O'Brien.

In the matter of school land leases. Leases were granted to the following named persons, to-wit: Charles Kitcher, northeast quarter of section 16, township 12 N., range 18 E., for 20 years, to be paid for in cash, \$1000.00. R. J. Lawler, north one-half of southeast quarter of section 17, north range 18 E., for 20 years, to be paid for in cash, \$1000.00. Frank Eason, northeast quarter of section 34, township 12 N., north range 18 E., for 20 years, to be paid for in cash, \$1000.00. G. T. Wells, south one-half of northeast quarter of section 26, township 12 N., north range 18 E., for 20 years, to be paid for in cash, \$1000.00. J. G. Myers, south one-half of southeast quarter of section 8, township 12 N., north range 18 E., for 20 years, to be paid for in cash, \$1000.00. The above persons will call on the auditor and obtain the money for the same.

Cost bills in Justice of the Peace courts, allowed and ordered paid amounting to \$74.70. Examined cancelled warrants for the months of February, March and April, amounting to \$127.13, and find the same to compare with the books of the Auditor and Treasurer. In the matter of public printing for the ensuing year. Awarded to W. H. Newell, his being the lowest bid. Issuance of the County Court House given to State Investment Insurance Co., of San Francisco, M. F. Jones agent, on \$2000 of \$41000, for one year. In the matter of releasing school lands in cases where school land leases have expired, or may hereafter expire, are required to apply to the County Auditor for new leases for said school lands. In the matter of monthly settlements between the Auditor and Treasurer. The Board examined the books of the Auditor and Treasurer, and found them to agree, and that the balance in the Treasurer's hands March 31st, 1876, was \$10,000.00. Ordered that the settlements made between said officers for the fiscal year ending April 30, 1876, be and the same are hereby approved. In the matter of building vaults and repairing Court House. Ordered that the Auditor publish in the STATESMAN a list of sealed proposals will be received by the Board of County Commissioners at the August term, 1876, of said Board of County Commissioners, for building vaults and repairing Court House, under the plans and specifications on file in the Auditor's office, said work to be completed by the 1st of October, 1876. Bidders can put in separate bids for carpenter and mason work, payable in county warrants, to be issued when said work is completed. The Commissioners reserve the right to reject any and all bids. R. Jacobs, County Auditor.

OPPENHEIMER & Co., of Fort Colville, have secured the beef contract for Fort Walla Walla. Their bid was a fraction less than 4 cents. The lowest bid made by Walla Walla butchers was a fraction less than 5 cents. Considering the advance in the price of beef cattle, it is doubtful whether the contract will pay.

THE PLAGUE is raging in the East with great virulence, and this fact may serve as a warning to ourselves to prepare for the hot days of summer. In this city special attention always seems necessary to secure attention to municipal cleanliness.

COL. C. W. WINGARD, Paymaster U. S. A., a brother of Hon. S. C. Wingard, is ordered to the department. For several years he has been a student at San Francisco. Maj. Ruckie will take his place at San Francisco.

EXCURSION.—A large excursion party passed over the Railroad yesterday, going as far as Walla Walla. The Railroad managers have exhibited great liberality in the matter of free excursions.

A. R. AYERS, Clerk of the District Court, has placed us under many obligations by polite attentions.

ICE CREAM and Arctic Soda at Lamson & Taylor's. That is the place for the young men and girls to stop at when out promenading.

CHURCH BELL, one of the first missionaries to this country, was in town in the early part of the week. CHARLEY CHURCH has commenced his law campaign, and promises when it gets real warm to see the patient.

GRAND OPENING OF THE CENTENNIAL SPRING TRADE!

No Advance in Prices! BUT A Still Further Reduction!

We are now opening out the Largest and Best Selected Stock of DRY GOODS, FANCY GOODS, Boots and Shoes, Ladies' and Gents' Hats, Groceries and Crockery, and last, but not least, the best and finest assortment of MEN'S & BOYS' CLOTHING, Ever brought to Walla Walla, which have all been marked down for the Spring Trade,

At Ruinously Low Figures!

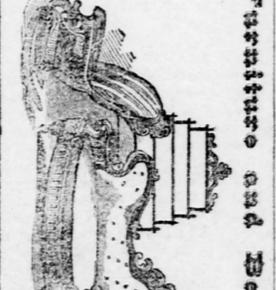
Call at the well known House of SCHWABACHER BROTHERS, AND Secure Better Bargains, Than can be offered by any other House in Walla Walla.

GRAND LOTTERY. FIRST GRAND LOTTERY. WASHINGTON TERRITORY. Approved Nov. 12, 1875. BY E. P. FERRY, Governor of Washington Territory. CAPITAL \$300,000! Divided into 60,000 Tickets at \$5.00 each, OR, ELEVEN FOR \$50.00.

Walla Walla Bakery AND PROVISION STORE. O. BRECHTEL, MANUFACTURER OF Bread, Pilot Bread, Cakes, CRACKERS OF ALL KINDS. Dealer in Family Groceries, CONFECTIONERIES, WINES, LIQUORS AND CIGARS.

FREIGHT & PASSENGER RATES OF THE Walla Walla & Columbia River RAILROAD COMPANY. Rates on Down Freight, Rates on Up Freight, SPECIAL FREIGHTS.

The County Commissioners of King county, Washington Territory, appointed M. S. Booth, Esq., Auditor of King county, Capt. Geo. D. Hill, U. S. A., Treasurer King county, and John Collins, Esq., Trustees, into whose hands the whole of the property is deeded in trust for the prize holders.



PASSENGER RATES. From Walla Walla to Weston, Oregon, \$3.00. From Walla Walla to Whitman, 2.00. From Walla Walla to Walla Walla, 2.00. From Whitman to Walla Walla, 2.00. Way Passengers, per mile, 10.

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