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2d.

THE DALLES to PORTLAND and Return.

Round Trip \$2.00. Tickets good going Saturday, July 3d. Return Thursday, July 8th. Boat leaves The Dalles at 8:45 a. m. Leaves Portland at 7 a. m.

3d.

SPECIAL EXCURSION.

THE DALLES to PORTLAND and Return. ROUND TRIP TICKETS, \$1.50.

Monday, July 5th; returning Tuesday, July 6th. Steamer Regulator will leave The Dalles at 6 a. m.; arrive in Portland at 12 noon. The grand parade at Portland will take place at 2 o'clock p. m.

THE FIREWORKS AT NIGHT

Will surpass anything heretofore attempted in Portland in pyrotechnic display.

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Which will be in Portland during the entire celebration. All tickets must be purchased at the office or wharf boat on Court Street.

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The Dalles Daily Chronicle.

WEDNESDAY, - - - JUNE 30,

WAYSIDE GLEANINGS.

Random Observations and Local Notes of Lesser Magnitude.

Firemen's excursion Will take place July 11th

Only \$1 to Multnomah and return. Today has been very sultry and it looks as if rain may come.

Two furnished rooms to rent, with or without board. Apply to Mrs. P. O'Connell, Liberty street.

Some of the delegates to the Sunday school convention left for their homes on the Regulator this morning.

The O. R. & N. company are clearing up the debris left by the flood on their property at the foot of Union street.

The city council meets tonight to hear reports of the officers of the fiscal year now closing. All bills should be presented this evening.

Tommy McNeil, a young boy, living on the hill, was kicked by a horse last evening, and had a narrow escape from sustaining serious injuries.

Those of our citizens who have not had an opportunity of seeing the locks, will have the chance if they attend the excursion to Multnomah Falls, July 11th.

Miss Nellie Butler, daughter of Mr. Leslie Butler of this city, has been chosen as one of the teachers in the Couch public school, Portland, for the year.

The firms of A. M. Williams & Co., Pease & Mays and Mays & Crowe, will observe the 4th of July by closing their places of business on Saturday. Other firms will probably do likewise.

Rev. A. W. ... pastor of the First Congregational church in Portland, will deliver an address at the convention tonight upon "The Authenticity of the Bible." Dr. ... is said to be an eloquent preacher.

The Woodman and Workman lodges are moving their headquarters from the Fraternity hall to the Schanno building. This building has been recently remodelled throughout and presents a very handsome appearance.

The ladies of the Methodist church will serve ice cream and cake tonight at Bunnell building, 11th and Court. The charge is 10 cents, and those who go will get a money worth. The ladies hope to see their friends of the church and will do their best to entertain them.

The firemen's excursion, which was to have occurred on Saturday, has been postponed until July 11th, when the Regulator will make a round trip to Multnomah Falls. Tickets will be \$1 for the round trip. This excursion, including as it does a trip through the locks and rapid, will be a very pleasant one to all. The receipts

will be for the benefit of the fire tournament, to be held in this city next September.

The tourist travel on the Regulator and Dalles City is very large. Many people come as far as the locks on one boat and return on the other, while others come to The Dalles and take the train from here East. The beauty of the scenery along the river, together with the comforts of the boats and the courtesy of the officials, have made this trip the favorite one with sightseers.

Work on the handsome new residence of Mr. E. O. McCoy, on Fifth street, is being rapidly pushed, and the outside work will soon be done. When completed, it will be an ornament to the city. The outline shows it to be a large two-story structure of handsome design, occupying a slightly site. The foundation is composed of a peculiar sandstone, the formation of which makes a very pretty effect. The cost will be somewhere between \$3000 and \$4000, and will easily rank as one of the handsomest residences in the city.

That miscreant we spoke of yesterday still lives. Some more of his despicable work was seen this morning when Mr. E. O. McCoy discovered his fine dog, "Don," had been poisoned. It was evidently a case of strychnine, and though efforts were made to save the animal, they proved unavailing. If Mr. McCoy or Mr. Faulkner could discover this dog-poisoner, the chances are he would learn a lesson which would be a warning for himself, and start him in a new occupation. Several other cases of poisoning have been reported.

School Report.

Following is the report of Wooddale school, district 52, for the term beginning April 5, 1897, and ending June 25, 1897:

Number pupils enrolled, 31.
 Number belonging, 27.
 Average daily attendance, 21.
 Number of days taught, 60.
 Number of days attendance, 994.
 Number of days absence, 131.
 Number of times tardy, 9.
 Number of visitors, 37.

CATHERINE E. DAVENPORT,
 Teacher.

Notice to Taxpayers.

On and after July 1, 1897, costs will be added for the collection of all taxes due Wasco county on all delinquent rolls now in the hands of the sheriff. This is an imperative order from the county court, and the sheriff has no option but to collect such taxes by levy on property if not paid voluntarily by property owners. All parties concerned are hereby notified that no leniency will be shown in the collection of taxes after July 1, and that levy will be made on all property delinquent after that date.

T. J. DRIVER,
 Sheriff of Wasco County.

Club Meeting.

There will be a special meeting of the Commercial Club Wednesday evening, to consider some very important matters. It is urged that every member be present on that occasion.

THE CONVENTION CONTINUES.

Interesting Sessions Held and Eloquent Addresses Given.

The following committees had previously been appointed:

Resolutions—R. J. Ginn, W. J. Hughes, Rev. Morrison, Mrs. H. B. Morse, Mrs. W. D. Dever, Mrs. F. Bardou.

Finance—A. P. Macy, Dr. Frazier, Rev. McElreese Ross, Mrs. G. W. Shaw, Miss Jacobs.

Nominations—Rev. C. C. Poling, Rev. G. W. Gue, Mr. E. Peeples, Miss Ella McBride, Mrs. Gilkie.

The following report of the exercises of the Sunday school convention yesterday afternoon came in too late for publication yesterday, and is printed below:

TUESDAY AFTERNOON.

Discussion developed the great need of a field worker, and it was moved that the matter of the field worker be referred to the executive, with power to act. The reading of a letter from G. H. Himes to the secretary in regard to the work in Clatsop and Jackson counties simply emphasized the need.

At 1:30 there were conferences of the superintendents, teachers and primary workers, led by E. Peeples, A. W. Barnard and Mrs. E. W. Allen. These conferences were for the purpose of comparing notes in the various lines of work, and were very helpful.

At 2:15 devotional services were led by Rev. C. A. Nutley, after which came reports of departments of work.

Report of the home department was made by Rev. Poling of Portland. When he took the work there were only two home classes in the state. There have been four classes organized. The home class is intended to take in those who cannot for any reason attend the regular Sunday school—travelers, railroad and steamboat men, every employee who has to work on Sunday, all invalids, busy people, etc.

The report on primary work by Mrs. E. W. Allen of Portland was very interesting, as her work always is. A year ago there were two Primary Unions, now there are four and a prospect of several more at points where preliminary work has been done. Mrs. Allen in her report gave an idea of how the union works and how the meetings are carried on.

House to house visitation was brought out in a letter from Rev. G. A. Blair of Portland. He asked that a superintendent of the work for each county be named at this convention and reported to him so that he may be able to push the matter through some responsible person in each county. Discussion brought out how the work is done.

"Progressive Methods," by D. D. Oliphant, secretary of the Chamber of Commerce of Portland, interested and instructed the convention.

A letter from the W. C. T. U. of the state of Oregon was read by Mrs. French, also a letter from Gov. Taylor of Tennessee inviting the convention to attend the exposition at Nashville.

The question box was conducted by

Rev. G. W. Gue D. D.

Election of officers was held and resulted as follows: President, Wm. Wadhams, Portland; first vice-president, Mrs. Smith French, The Dalles; second vice-president, Rev. H. L. Wood of Shedd; secretary, A. A. Morse of Portland; financial secretary and treasurer, D. D. Oliphant, Portland. Superintendents of departments—State Primary—Mrs. E. Allen, Portland.

State Normal—F. R. Cook, Portland. State Home—Rev. C. C. Poling, Portland.

House to House Visitation—Rev. G. A. Blair.

TUESDAY EVENING.

A large crowd attended the convention exercises last evening. They began with a praise service, led by Rev. W. R. Winans of the American Sunday School Union, following which came an address by Rev. Ray Palmer of Portland, entitled "Is This Old World Growing Brighter?" We regret everyone could not have heard Mr. Palmer, as his thoughts were of a high nature and couched in beautiful words. Both Mr. Palmer and Dr. E. P. Hill, pastor of the First Presbyterian church in Portland, who spoke upon "Unseen Helpers," are speakers of recognized rank, and the impression they produced upon the people of The Dalles was most favorable.

WEDNESDAY MORNING.

On Wednesday morning at 9:30 a model Sunday school was opened in the session. It was organized with thirteen classes and 107 members, Prof. R. R. Steel of Portland being superintendent. The session was conducted as a regular Sunday school, beginning with an opening exercise, then the lesson, during which a collection of \$3 25 was taken, and a closing exercise, including a review by the superintendents.

This was followed by a discussion on the past hour, which was helpful and instructive.

The reports from the field by the Sunday school missionaries, were made by Revs. Travis, Winans and Hughes. In Rev. Travis' report, it was developed that there are over 132,000 Sunday schools reported by the International Sunday School Association, and that there are of officers, teachers and scholars, 12,286,000, and as many more children in the country who have no religious training at all. Here we have the bright and the dark side of the work—the success and the need. Rev. Hughes gave an interesting account of his work in the destitute districts of Eastern Oregon, with the use of a map. Rev. Winans covered the state in a general way. The greatest difficulty is the fact that the people are so scattered, and not greed or lack of desire on the part of the people for religious instruction.

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