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FEBRUARY 19, '89

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PROGRAMME.

Opening Address..... Rev. G. H. Lee
Violin and Piano Duet—Potpourri..... Schlegel
Mr. Everest and Mrs. Fletcher.
Recitation..... Miss Proctor
Duet..... "A Friendless Pilgrim,"
Mr. S. E. Dean and Rev. G. H. Lee.
Tableau..... "The Soldier's Dream,"
Song..... Miss Everett.
Recitation..... "Smack in School,"
Mr. H. A. Faxon.
Select Reading..... Dr. F. C. Campbell.
Ballad Horn Solo—"Alice"..... Ascher.
Mr. Fletcher.
Recitation..... "The Soldier Brothers' Last Battle,"
Mr. James Howard.
Violin and Piano Duet—Serenade..... Schubert.
Mr. Everest and Mrs. Fletcher.
Tableau (by request)..... "Washing Day,"
Mr. F. R. Mitchell.
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TO-DAY'S TELEGRAMS. STATE AND COAST NEWS.

PORTLAND POINTS.

A Tragedy in the St. Charles—He "Gayed" Him Once Too Often—A Bad Eye—Notes of Interest.

PORTLAND, Feb. 17.—At 9 o'clock last night the bell from one of the rooms in the St. Charles Hotel was rung violently, and the clerk was sent immediately to ascertain the cause. The ringing came from the room of one H. A. Ray, who registered there from San Francisco yesterday. There was no response to the knock of the clerk upon the door, and he raised the window and effected an entrance, where he found a man lying on the floor with his head in a pool of blood, and a woman nearly crazy with excitement, and said he had shot at her. Word was immediately sent to Holman & De Lin, and also Dr. McKensie, but before they arrived the man was dead. By ten o'clock the coroner arrived, and he and the doctors and several others went to the room where the shooting had taken place. Between the door and the bed, a space of about eight feet, lay the man. He was elegantly dressed, having on a diamond ring, a gold watch and a beautiful Odd Fellows' charm. The wound which caused his death was about two inches above, and slightly back of the right ear. Considerable blood was flowing from the ear, but upon careful examination only one bullet hole was discovered. His pistol, a Smith & Wesson 38-caliber, was lying beside him with two chambers empty, which confirmed the lady's story as to his shooting at her. When he registered, he claimed the woman to be his sister. A number of letters were found on his person, and a small note book in which was printed with a rubber stamp, the following: "H. A. Ray, plumber, gas and steam fitters' supplies, water pipes and steam pumps, water works company, Seattle, W. T." From a long editorial in his pocket, clipped from a newspaper, it was found that right had been granted to Ray by the city council of Chehalis to put water pipes along the principal streets of that city, and that Ray, Dobson, Parr and Forrest were the incorporators of a water company, to be established at Chehalis. There was nothing found on his person which in any way accounted for the rash act. An inquest will be held to-day, at which time further particulars will probably develop.

The weather turned colder last night, and along toward morning it began to snow, and is still snowing, but the ground is barely whitened, and it melts as fast as it falls.

John Ford, an employe of the Oswego Iron Works, was brought down to St. Vincent's hospital yesterday with a bullet wound in his cheek, and a bullet lodged in his abdomen. He had been shot by another employe of the works by the name of Espridge, who is now in the Clackamas county jail at Oregon City. It seems that Espridge had a few days ago brought a young woman who was waiting on the table at Oswego to Portland, and had staid here some time with her, and since his return has been keeping himself pretty full. Yesterday afternoon, Ford was "guying" him about his little time, and Espridge became enraged, and several hard words were exchanged. Everything went off quietly for a time, but later in the afternoon Espridge got a revolver, and was going to wage war on the foreman of the works. "They are going to hang me anyway, and I might as well kill a few men as not." The foreman talked him out of the notion of killing him, but he turned toward where Ford was working and fired five shots at him, one taking effect in the cheek, and one about an inch above the heart, but the latter struck a rib and glanced off, lodging in the lower abdomen, from which place it was soon extracted. Ford's wounds are not serious, and it is thought he will be able to attend to his duties in a short time.

A horse belonging to Mr. Keith, the oyster man, was left standing unattended at No. 34 Hall street, when some small boys, out of pure mischief, struck the wheels with a switch, which frightened the horse, and it came tearing down Third street at a break-neck speed, never turning out of the way for anything till it came to a halt in front of Mr. Keith's oyster house. The cart was alone, save a dog which always rides on the seat with the driver. Little or no damage was done to the cart or the horse, but the dog was seen afterwards with a broken leg.

Yesterday afternoon as the P. & W. V. train was coming toward the city, near Dundee, a pile of wood which was corded up alongside the track fell against the car. A passenger, whose name could not be learned, was sitting with his arm leaning outside the window, and the hanging wood caught it, breaking it in several places. The train was running about 25 miles an hour, and it is supposed that the jar caused the wood to topple over just at that time.

A. A. Roberts, a real estate agent of Heppner, is in the city for the purpose of having his eye doctored. A little over a month ago he came to the city for that purpose, and the physicians inserted a silver tube in his eye, and was told to allow it to remain for a month or so, but the eye began getting sore and he came to have the tube taken out. Three prominent physicians of the city worked on it for an hour or more this morning, but failed to find it, and decided that it was not in his eye. It looks very strange that a tube five-eighths of an inch long could be lost from one's eye without them knowing anything about it.

The following Heppnerites are in the city: W. R. Ellis, M. C. McDougall, F.

O. Borg, C. W. Youngren, J. H. Stanley, Sieg Baer, and W. G. Boyer. D. W. Bailey and A. D. Stillman, of Pendleton, are in the city.

MURDER IN PORTLAND.

An Italian Kills a Countryman Over a Glass of Beer. PORTLAND, Feb. 18.—Last night two Italians, Charlie Olson and Frank Jachetta, got into a quarrel over a glass of beer and stepped to the sidewalk from the saloon in which they were at the time to have the quarrel out when Olson dealt Jachetta a heavy blow with his fist, which the latter resented as soon as he could recover from the effects of it, by drawing a revolver and shooting Olson through the lungs, causing death instantly. Jachetta turned and ran away but was captured by two colored boys who, with much trouble, detained him until the officers arrived.

DRINK AND SUICIDE.

No Ends the Life of a Citizen of Chehalis. CHEHALIS, W. T., Feb. 18.—H. A. Ray, who committed suicide in Portland yesterday, was vice-president of the Chehalis Water Company. At a late meeting of the directors of the company all paid their assessments with the exception of Ray, though nothing was thought of it at the time. On Thursday last he borrowed money to go to Vancouver to file on a piece of timber land, and also collected a sum of money on some stocks which he did not turn over to the parties to whom they belonged. The woman with Ray at the time of his death was not his sister, as reported, her real name being Mrs. I. N. Lewis. She states that Ray drank heavily before he committed the deed.

KILLED AN INDIAN.

Four Lo Asked for Bread and Received a Bullet. ELLENBURG, W. T., Feb. 17.—Several days since two Indians went to Jim Patchell's ranch near Ruby City, and demanded food. Persisting in their efforts to obtain it they attempted to break in the cabin door. Patchell shot through the door, killing one of the Indians. He then went to Ruby City and surrendered himself to the officers.

FATAL RUNAWAY.

PORTLAND, Feb. 18.—This morning Miss Powell, sister of Division Superintendent Powell, was thrown from a carriage by a runaway team, while coming from the depot, her head striking against a telegraph pole, injuring her to such an extent that she will probably not recover. She is at present in an unconscious condition.

TOUGH ON BAKER.

The Long Creek Wagon Road Appropriation Makes the Brother Howl.

The Baker City Blade is a Republican paper published in Baker City. Its editor and proprietor is one of the grand old party, and at present is sucking "party pap" at Salem as a clerk in the employ of the Legislature. He has left an assistant in charge of the affairs of his newspaper, who it seems, is much excited over Senator Raley's work in securing a \$12,000 appropriation to build a wagon road from Pendleton to Canyon City. He means as follows, which is indeed interesting reading to us Pendletonians:

The appropriation of \$12,000 by the Legislature for the construction of a wagon road from Pendleton to Canyon City is a menace to the interests of this town, which our merchants and business men generally can not well afford to ignore. It is stated that while the proposed road is longer by some twenty-five miles than the one between Baker and Canyon, the grade is far better, there being no divides to cross; so that much heavier loads may be hauled without "doubling" and time and labor to both men and teams thus saved. It should also be remembered that the great bulk of the freight going into Grant county comes from the west. The railroad rates from Portland to Pendleton are \$1 per hundred; from Portland to Baker \$1.50, a difference of \$0.50 per ton in favor of Pendleton and against Baker. During the past year it is safe to say that 2000 tons of freight went into Grant county via Baker City. On the opening of the new road, taking 2000 tons as the annual tonnage into Grant county via Pendleton, a saving is made to the people of that section of \$20,000 per year. A saving will also be made to them on the shipment of their wool and other exports. If the mere item of handling freight for Grant county were all, it would effect but few interests one way or another in Baker; but business, trade and travel follow the freight lines. People of Grant county who now come here to trade, will, when the new road is opened, go to Pendleton to spend their money. It will be a good thing for the people who are backing the scheme; it will be correspondingly tough on Baker, where every commercial interest in the town will suffer loss.

The Blade does not believe the appropriation of State funds for the construction of wagon roads in the interest of private parties, is either legitimate or constitutional. In this road matter it is the taxing of every other county in the State for the benefit of Umatilla and Grant. That similar appropriations are made for one or more other counties does not mitigate the theft. The Oregon Legislature, however, seems to be an assemblage of carrion crows met biennially to pick a meal, by general consent from the carcasses of the State. If, within the range of legal possibility, the issuance of the State's funds for the construction of wagon roads and other private enterprises ought to be enjoined through the courts.

Dayton Chronicle: If Walla Walla does not bestir herself and assist Waitsburg to secure the Hunt road, it will be well for the people of Waitsburg and Prescott to make Hunt a proposition to build directly up the Touchet from Shaw's place, thereby leaving the Garden City at the wrong end of the line.

A band of cattle trampled to death two brothers named Avery, near Cheyenne, Wyoming, Saturday. The brothers were out hunting on foot at the time.

EASTERN NEWS.

CHICAGO MARKETS.

CHICAGO, Feb. 18, 1:15 P. M.—Wheat, shade easier; cash, \$1.04 3/4; May, \$1.07 1/2; July, 94 3/4. Corn, firmer; cash, 34 1/2; March, 34 3/4; May, 36. Oats, firmer; cash, 25 1/2; March, 25 3/4; May, 27 15-16. Barley, nothing doing. Pork, steady; cash \$11.22 1/2; March, \$11.22 1/2; May, \$11.37 1/2. Lard, steady; cash \$6.62 1/2; March, \$6.62 1/2; May, \$6.72 to \$6.75.

THE SALVATION ARMY.

The Army Having a Hard Time in Deer Lodge, Montana.

HELENA, Mon., Feb. 17.—The infernal machine which was reported to have been found in the rear of the Salvation Army hall at Deer Lodge turns out to be a big red fire cracker and a small Chinese bomb. It is the general opinion that some men and boys of the army placed the bomb and cracker near the window, and exploded the other bomb near the house, where a child of one of the women of the army was sleeping, in order to create sympathy. The processionists have been egged and subjected to shocking indignities nightly of late, hence the ruse.

MURDERED HER HUSBAND.

A Child's Story Proves Her Mother Guilty of Murder.

HELENA, Feb. 17.—Mrs. John Page has been arrested here, charged by the coroner's jury with poisoning her husband. Her daughter Julia, aged eight years, testified that she saw her father, while splitting wood, take something from a bottle which looked like flour. Finally she broke down and confessed to telling a falsehood. She stated that her mother had told her the story and ordered her to repeat it on pain of punishment. The husband and wife had been quarreling for sometime past, hence the murder.

A BUILDING COLLAPSES.

A Fourteen Story Building in Chicago Tumbles to the Ground.

CHICAGO, Feb. 18.—The Owing's block, one of the finest office buildings in the city, fourteen stories high, collapsed this morning. A dozen workmen in the basement heard the crashing above and made their escape without the least injury. A number of persons on the upper floors went down in the ruins, but the number killed or fatally wounded is not, as yet, known.

ALARM IN ANOTHER CAMP.

The People of The Dalles are Crying, Too, Over Spilled Milk.

From the Times-Mountain. A bill has passed the legislature making an appropriation for a road from Pendleton to Canyon City, and this is an appropriate occasion to remind our business men of what "might have been." In a few years the enterprising citizens of Umatilla county will have the means of attracting the trade of Grant county, which has hitherto found its outlet at The Dalles, and would have continued to do so if proper efforts had been made to afford the producers of that region a good road to this city. Several years ago, and at different times we have called the attention of our people to the fact that however many our natural advantages, the interior would seek some other point for trade without we furnished them facilities in the shape of roads and bridges. The wool clip of Grant and Crook counties has been marketed in this city, and if we expect to retain it we must expend a few thousand dollars in bettering the condition of the roads. This fact is well known to all, and if we desire this trade we must do something, and not expect that the trade will be forced to The Dalles. There are many points along the route from here to Canyon City and Prineville that can be improved, and with this improvement the citizens will come here as readily as go elsewhere.

This a matter of utmost importance, and there should be no delay. A meeting of the board of trade should be called at the earliest date, and a committee appointed to see what can be done in the premises. If a subscription is taken up we are satisfied a sufficient amount can be raised to put this road in excellent condition. It is true that it is now late to regain the prestige already lost by our negligence; but it is possible that we may retrieve our fortunes by an extra effort. Whatever can be done must be done in the next year if The Dalles desires to retain this trade of the interior. If not, there is no use urging the matter any further, but let the town depend for its future growth, not upon any facilities which it may offer districts naturally tributary, but simply the increase in population and the development of the contiguous country.

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The liquor license fee in Tacoma is to be raised to \$1000.