

LOCAL AND PERSONAL.

Mr. John Farris of Wapinitia was in the city Tuesday.

Mr. Jacob Craft of Nansene was in the city Wednesday.

Mr. E. H. Guthrie of Rutledge came to town last Monday.

Sheriff Cates is in Portland attending a convention of Oregon sheriffs.

Messrs. A. W. Kelsey and W. L. Hinkle of Antelope were in town Tuesday.

Dr. L. Vanderpool of Dufur paid the Chronicle a pleasant visit Wednesday.

Those who appreciate good job work should patronize the Chronicle office.

A perpetual political meeting is said to be the Kansas man's idea of heaven.

Miss Lizzie Bonn has gone to Hood River to visit her cousin Mr. Joseph Bonn.

Messrs. John Baxter of Antelope and J. H. Menefee of Dufur were in the city Tuesday.

Mr. C. P. Heald, of Hood River, gave the Chronicle office a welcome call Tuesday.

Ma. S. E. Farris went out Tuesday to his ranch at Wapinitia to remain for a week.

Two cars of sheep were shipped from this place Tuesday by Chas. Butler, to Portland.

Thomas F. Ryan of Dufur was in the city. He says this hot weather is seriously hurting late grain.

At two o'clock Wednesday the thermometer at the corner of Second and Court streets stood 96 in the shade.

Two colts, a yearling and a two-year-old, both branded J. W. connected, on left shoulder are impounded at the Salmarshe corral.

From various parts of the county comes the report that harvest hands are likely to be very scarce in this county as well as all over Eastern Oregon.

Mr. Button, of Hood River, shipped by boat Wednesday to his farm at Hood River a large pair of black work horses that he purchased of Robt. Mays.

Mr. O. C. Stevens and wife have gone to Gilliam county to visit their children and for the benefit of Mr. Stevens' health which has been very poor of late.

Messrs. John Divers, H. Stranahan, William Erbeck and Chris Dethman of Hood River were in the city Wednesday making final proof on their lands.

Two carloads of wagons and one of headers are at the depot for Filloon Brothers. Mr. Geo. Filloon says, "We are prepared to eat the season's crop and move it on wheels."

James McGinty has commenced the excavation for the new reservoir on the Mesplee place. Six men are now employed and more will be added as they can be worked to advantage.

For a troublesome cough there is nothing better than Chamberlain's Cough Remedy. It strengthens the pulmonary organs, allays any irritation and effectually cures the cough. It is especially valuable for the cough which so often follows an attack of the grip. For sale by Snipes & Kinsery.

Mr. C. L. Phillips left Antelope Tuesday morning at 8:30 o'clock and arrived in The Dalles at 8 p. m. making the journey of sixty-five miles in a one-horse buggy in eleven and a half hours.

There are about twenty fish wheels between here and Celilo. Of these, only nine are now in operation, as the present stage of the water leaves the rest high and dry. Those in operation are doing fairly well.

H. C. Leuztner & Co. who are fishing with a seine opposite Crates Point are catching an average of about 1000 pounds of fish a day. One day this week they caught 1600 pounds, the best day of the season.

Mr. J. H. Hall left Tuesday morning for Oakland, Cal., where he has been offered a position as superintendent of a large shoe factory. His son Mr. Bert Hall has taken up some government land in Hood River and is there now making improvements.

Mr. John Caragher, a merchant at Caragher, Fulton Co., Ohio, says that St. Patrick's Pills are the best selling pills he handles. The reason is that they produce a pleasant cathartic effect and are certain and thorough in their action. Try them when you want a reliable cathartic. For sale by Snipes & Kinsery.

Mr. A. Hall-Monday came up from Hood River where he has been working on his claim for a few days. The claims near to that of our fellow townsman Mr. C. J. Roberts. Mr. Hall's hands bear evidence that grubbing out pine timber doesn't agree with them.

If this thing continues the town will soon be deserted. Mr. L. Rorden and family, Mr. R. Gibbons and family, Mrs. W. A. Kirby and child, Misses May and Zilba Cushing and Miss Virgie Cooper, all left by the boat Wednesday for Pasten creek in the Hood River country.

The Dalles, Portland and Astoria Navigation Co., have purchased the new hull of the boat "Myrtle" and registered it as the "City of The Dalles." The contract for its completion has been let to Paquet & Smith, and the boat is first class in every respect. Its capacity is nearly equal to the Regulator and it will be ready for business as soon as the latter is completed.

Mr. Bob. Regan returned from Hood River yesterday and reports that the camp of Messrs. Joles and friends are enjoying themselves immensely. Fishing is good and the generous hearted boys did not forget the disconsolate scribe who pines amid the sweltering heat and dust of the city for the refreshing shade and soothing calm of the pathless woods. Camp Joles has the cordial benison of a grateful editor for a nice mess of trout.

Mr. August Buchler met with a painful accident Monday that will confine him to the house for a few days. As our reporter learned it, Mr. Buchler was in the act of stepping off a switch engine on which he had been riding, when the engine came to a sudden stop while Mr. Buchler still grasped it, thus his left leg was knocked out of joint. Dr. Logan was promptly sent for and soon had the joint in place and Mr. Buchler will, no doubt be himself again in a few days.

Mr. J. N. Burgess of Bake Oven is in the city.

Mr. and Mrs. I. M. Sergeant returned home from the beach this morning.

The salmon pack of the Columbia river is expected to be 50,000 cases short of last year.

Mr. I. J. Powell of this city, who has been seriously ill for the past five or six weeks with gastric fever and other troubles, we are pleased to learn, is slowly recovering.

O. M. Pope, artist photographer, has opened a gallery on Second and Federal streets, The Dalles, where he is doing his best work at reduced prices. He will pay you to call on him when you come to the city.

Travelers in January last found on the hotel tables in Constantinople, Cairo and other Mediterranean cities, glass jars of fruit put up in Buffalo, N. Y., by the Erie Preserving Co., and noticed the same goods on sale in many of the bazars.

The following statement from Mr. W. B. Denny, a well known dairyman of New Lexington, Ohio, will be of interest to persons troubled with Rheumatism. He says: "I have used Chamberlain's Pain Balm for nearly two years, four bottles in all, and there is nothing I have ever used that gave me as much relief for rheumatism. We always keep a bottle of it in the house." For sale by Snipes & Kinsery.

The abundance of rather super-abundance of fish, in this section, this season, makes it imperative that some organized effort should be made whereby better shipping facilities and a better market should be obtained. There ought to be a good thing in this business for some smart energetic business man who would buy fruit for shipment or act as a commission agent for the fruit growers. A man who would not want the earth, ought surely to make good wages at it.

The wife of Mr. A. B. Manly of Albina, formerly of Wapinitia in this county, is reported as again suffering from injuries she received to the little finger of her left hand, some nine weeks ago, which badly shattered the small bones of the member, and caused a very painful wound which had to be reduced twice by the attendant physician. The hand again became inflamed a few days ago and it is feared she will yet have serious trouble with it. Mrs. Manly is a daughter of Mr. Hampton Kelly of Wapinitia.

In almost every neighborhood there is some one or more persons whose lives have been saved by Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy, or who have been cured of chronic diarrhoea by it. Such persons take special pleasure in recommending the remedy to others. The praise that follows the introduction and use makes it very popular. 25 and 50 cent bottles for sale by Snipes & Kinsery.

A party was given to Miss Lena Thompson at her home Saturday afternoon, in honor of her 12th birthday, and the occasion was one long to be remembered by the little girls. They were entertained in the afternoon by numerous games, and etc. Refreshments were served after which the wagonette came to give them all a very enjoyable ride. Those who were honored by an invitation were Misses Maie Beall, Grace Glean, Emily Crossen, Genevieve Fish, Ida Mulligan, Annie Wentz, Lillie Moss, Frankie Richmond, Maude and Frankie Congdon, Marguerite Kinsery, Florence Hiltion, Hattie Cram, Lena and Tillie Liebe, Bessie French, and Helen Hood.

Messrs. Leo Newman, Ben Mulligan, George Ruch, George Richmond, Johnie Dewey, George Arnold, Walter and Paul French.

McDonald Brothers of the East End saloon were yesterday brought before the recorder, charged by Mrs. Rebecca Williams with "permitting women to sing and dance and perform as musicians in a bar room and drinking shop," contrary to ordinance No. 8 of this city. A. S. Bennett appeared for the city and W. H. Wilson for the defendants. The following persons acted as jurors: Emil Schanano, J. S. Fish, H. L. Kuck, E. Jacobson, B. McCully and H. Knight. The witnesses for the city were Harry Hampshire, Con How, W. T. Jones and Rebecca Williams, none of whom, save Mrs. Williams, was willing to swear that he knew anything of women being in the place, during the time comprehended in the complaint, and Mrs. Williams would only swear that she had heard their voices, in the place. McDonald Brothers introduced no testimony in defense, and after the case was argued at length by the lawyers it was submitted to the jury which, after about half an hour's consultation, brought in a verdict for the defendants.

There is a very melancholy looking birdie and calf impounded in the Salmarshe calaboose under the indictment of having stolen or otherwise surreptitiously gained larcenous Deputy United States Marshal A. G. Johnson's garden valued at about \$20. She swears examination and is fully committed for trial before his honor Marshal Gibbons. What makes the matter possess a touch of deep pathos, is the fact that the editor's son is there, though under what charge we have not yet learned. We are fully prepared how ever, to certify as to her previous good character. As to the birdie, Mr. Johnson swears she is an old transgressor, well known for her thieving propensities in the Garrison neighborhood. When she comes up for trial Mr. Johnson will prove that she can open a garden gate, no matter how it is latched, slicker than any cow he ever saw in his life. She can eat corn, without a question. She has now four or five hundred yards of A. G.'s, sweet corn concealed on her person, or had, when she latched the garden gate after her.

Notice is hereby given to all persons knowing themselves indebted to the estate of H. Solomon to call at the store and settle the same, as all book accounts must be settled. J. E. Dawson, Assignee.

Receiving Wheat at North Dalles. The Chronicle is reliably informed that a wharf boat and warehouse will be built on the north side of the river for the purpose of receiving and shipping wheat and freight for Kliekikat county, thus saving ferrage into the city.

The little seven year old girl of Mr. William Dork of Eight Mile was brought into town this morning and placed under the care of Dr. Binehart. By some means the fingers of her left hand had come in contact with the spoke of a mowing machine and two of them were amputated at the second joint.

which has had a good sale.

The wool movement was quite brisk the fore part of the week, but a decline in prices has again checked it. The warehouses are quite clear of bales as the sales and shipments have nearly cleaned out the large amounts on storage, and the outside buyers have nearly all gone. Prices range from 13 1/2 to 16 1/2 with few offerings on the part of either buyer or seller.

OUR WHEAT MARKET. The reports of the previous week on the wheat prospect and probable market, is being confirmed daily. American harvests are realizing expectations in all sections, except in some localities where damage has been sustained by heavy storms.

European and Asiatic reports are still coming in of a discouraging nature to those countries, Cablegrams from Odessa Russia, indicate a shortage of 50,000,000 bushels of wheat and 360,000,000 bushels of rye, which is the bread of that country. In sown portions of India, the drought has devastated the famine districts, and as a whole her exports will be only nominal. It is doubted whether she will be able to export a bushel. In Prussia, there is a shortage, and already fears are entertained that outside markets will be dependent on her own difficulty.

Present reports from England indicate good crops, but taking into account the difficulty in France, Russia, India some of the Bulgarian provinces, there is a probability that all of America's surplus breadstuffs will be required to meet the demand, and that being the case, prices will be higher than for the past twelve years. Market quotations in Europe and the east, are inactive at present, but steady and indicate a firmness with an upward tendency. Futures on deliveries for 1891, have advanced three to five cents per bushel within the past ten days.

California buyers are offering an advance of five cents since last week, and Eastern Washington and Oregon are from contracting in futures, at 65 to 70 cents per bushel f. o. b. at station for the 1891 crop.

MISCELLANEOUS. The market is well supplied with all kinds of vegetables and fruits, watermelons and cantelopes are brought in in small quantities and find rapid sale. Both small and large fruit are in great abundance. Peaches sell from 20 to 35 cents per box of 20 pounds. Apricots sold yesterday at 2 1/2 to 3 cents per lb. Good apples sell at 40 to 60 cents per box of 45 lbs. Plums are quoted at 1 1/2 to 2 cents and summer pears at 3 cents per bushel.

Wheat sacks have taken a sudden advance in price. Last week Portland quoted Calcuttas at 7 1/2, and on Wednesday quoted the same, sacks at 8 1/2, and predict an advance on 1 1/2 cents quotations. The egg market is weaker than last week.

Butter is in good supply and steady. In smoked meats the market is firmer in town. Lard is steady at quotations. Beef cattle are in fair supply and the demand is good at former prices.

Mutton sheep are not as numerous, and offerings are limited at a slight advance on last year's quotation of corresponding date.

The Dalles wheat market is steady at 70 cents per bushel.

BAGS—Calcuttas, 9 1/2 by bale with an upward tendency.

OATS—The oat market is in good supply with more frequent offerings. Owing to the near approach of the new crop, a decline has taken place. We quote \$1.10 to \$1.15 per cental. Market very weak.

BARLEY—The barley supply is fairly good with a limited inquiry. We quote \$1.05 per cental sacked.

FLOUR—Local brands, \$4.00 wholesale and \$4.25 to \$4.50 retail; extra, \$5.50 to \$6.00 per barrel.

MILLS—The supply is in excess of demand. We quote bran and shorts \$17.00 per ton. Retail \$1.00 per 100 lbs. Shorts and middlings, \$20.00 to \$22.50 per ton.

HAY—Timothy hay is in good supply at quotations \$16.00. New wheat hay is in market at \$10.00 per ton loose, and \$11.00 to \$12.00 per ton baled. New wild hay is nominally quoted at \$15.00 per ton.

POTATOES—New potatoes, 1 cent per lb.

BUTTER—We quote Al 35¢ to 40¢ cents per roll. The supply is better than last week.

Eggs—The market is in better supply at 18 to 20 cents per dozen although a decline is looked for.

POULTRY—Old fowls are in less demand at \$3.00 to \$3.50. Young fowls are easily had at \$4.00 to \$5.00 per dozen.

HIDES—Prime dry hides are quoted at .07 per pound. Culls .05 Green .02 1/2 to .03, Salt .02 1/2 to .04, Sheep pelts .25 per skin \$1.00 to \$2.00; mink, 50 cents each; martin \$1.00; beaver, \$3.50 to \$5.00; badger, .25 each; fisher, \$2.50 to \$4.00 each.

WOOL—The market is quite steady. Wool is nominally quoted at .13 1/2 to .16 1/2 per lb.

BEES—Beef on foot clean and prime .02 1/2; ordinary .02 1/2; and firm.

MUTTON—Wethers are scarce, that is to say No. 1. Extra choice sell at \$3.50; common \$3.00 without fleece.

HOGS—Live heavy, .04 1/2 to .05. Dressed .06 to .06 1/2.

Bacon and hams sell in the market at .09 cents in round lots.

Lard 5 lb. \$1.10 to \$1.15; 10 lb. \$1.04 to \$1.08; .08 1/2 per pound.

HOBSES—Young range horses are quoted at \$25.00 to \$50.00 per head in bands of 20 or 30. Indian horses sell at prices ranging from \$5.00 to \$20.00.

Stock cattle are quoted at \$9.00 to \$10.00 for 2-year-olds, and \$14.00 to \$18.00 for 3-year-olds, with a few offerings. Stock sheep are ready sale at quotations, \$2.25 to \$2.50 per head.

Fresh milk cows are quoted from \$25.00 to \$50.00 each, with a few limited offerings and less buyers.

LUMBER—Rough lumber \$10.00 per M. Portland flooring No. 1, \$30.00 per M. Portland new pine \$30.00 per M. No. 1 oak \$35.00 per M. Lath \$3.50 per M. Lime \$2.50 per bb.

STAPLE GROCERIES. COFFEE—Costa Rica is quoted at 22 1/2 cents by the sack; Rio, 24; Java, 32 1/2; Santos—Golden C in half bbls, 5 1/2 cents.

Golden C in 100 lb sacks, 5 cents; Extra C in 100 lb sacks, 5 1/2 cents; Extra C in 100 lb sacks, 5 1/2 cents. Dry granulated in half bbls, 6 1/2 cents; Dry granulated in 100 lb sacks, 6 1/2 cents.

SUGARS in 30 lb boxes are quoted: \$2.00; Extra C, \$2.10; Dry Granulated, \$2.25.

SYRUP—\$2.25 to \$2.50 per keg. Beans—Jap rice, 6 1/2 to 6 3/4 cents; Island rice, 7 cents.

Beans—Small white, 4 1/2 to 5 cents; Pink, 4 1/2 to 5 cents by the 100 lb. Brock \$1.25 to \$1.50 per M. Lard \$18.00 per M. Liverpol, 60¢ sack, 80¢ cents 100 sack, \$1.50; 200¢ sack, \$2.50.

she lay in Equimault harbor and just the time that Gen. Schofield and his young bride paid the vessel a visit also.

Whether it was in honor of the general and Mrs. Scofield or of Mr. and Mrs. Filloon, John is not clear, but just at that time the band on board the Sprite, struck up the "Star Spangled Banner," and the guns thundered a salute of fifteen rounds. If the demonstration was in John's honor, he cannot for the life of him guess how they knew he was there. That is nothing, however. The same thing, or something very similar, happened to the writer seventeen years ago as he arrived from the east in the good ship Oriflamme, in the twilight of a summer evening. There was no band music, it is true, but the guns on shore made a racket, the like of which we never heard before nor since, and the little boat afloat of the Oriflamme, that let Portland know we were on board, it appeared, answered by firing off a mortar, while we stood almost touching it, the report of which so surprised our ear that it has never since recovered from the shock. Of course the evens few said that the salute was in honor of General Sheridan and his young bride who were on board but we were quite satisfied that this version was true.

The brothers are gathering in the cows to the pound in fine style these days. As many as fifteen to twenty five stray bovines and horses have been corralled and two or three of our citizens have had their cows impounded twice. The melancholy brindle that harvested A. G. Johnson's corn is still in durango vile, as she is the property of William Chambers now of Albina, and was tenderly placed in the care of Sheriff Cates, when Mr. Chambers moved here. Owing to the absence of the sheriff she has not yet had her trial, but so many charges are made against her that we fear it will go hard with her. If they are all true she ought to be sent to the penitentiary for life.

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ST. PAUL, Minn., July 23.—St. Paul has been made the headquarters of the national movement by the united farmers' alliance to corner the entire wheat of the country. At No. 237 Wabasha avenue for several days a large force of employees have been engaged in sending out circulars with the view of having all classes of farmers keep their wheat crop until prices have been advanced to a high point.

The plan is to unite all farmers in a gigantic wheat trust in which the producers shall be stockholders and by which speculators and wheat buyers will be squeezed to the wall. George M. Muller, editor of the State and a prominent alliance man is at the head of the movement.

The wheat crop of the United States for 1891 is estimated at 500,000,000 bushels. Promoters of the farmers trust believe that four-fifths of this can be held back by the farmers from four to eight weeks by which it is thought that prices will have gone skyward. Circulars have already been sent to the secretaries of alliances in all wheat growing states.

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