

The Weekly Chronicle.

THE DALLES, - - - OREGON

FRIDAY, - - - FEBRUARY 26, 1892.

LOCAL AND PERSONAL.

From the Daily Chronicle, Tuesday.
 Grant Mays left this morning for the Antelope ranch.
 Malcolm McInnes left at noon today on a business trip to Sherman county.
 George W. Filloon spent last night in the city and left on the noon passenger today.
 J. M. Cummings of the Wasco News gave the CHRONICLE office a pleasant call today.
 It is estimated that only 30 per cent. of last year's wheat crop has left the barns and elevators of the west.
 Pendleton, Umatilla county, has organized a Penoyer Club, in honor of the idol of the Oregon democracy.
 The Oregonian failed to reach The Dalles today, but readers of THE CHRONICLE get the news all the same.
 Two dead broke tourists were accommodated at their own request with free lodgings at the city jail last night.
 Miss Addie and Andrew Steel, left last evening on the six o'clock train upon a visit to Mr. and Mrs. E. F. Dean of Blaine, Washington.
 Geo. Weir, the once genial manager of Staver & Walker's Inland Empire branches, has become so ill that he has been removed to Portland, his former home, reduced to a mere skeleton.
 The Astorian says everybody in that town has either paid or not paid his taxes. That reminds the Telegram of the man who said he never drank unless he was alone or with somebody.
 The Mic-Mac Glee club will give a concert on next Monday evening, the 29th of February, for the benefit of St. Paul's Sunday school. No effort or expense will be spared to make the concert a complete success.
 V. P. Steers, of Tygh Valley has sold out his interests there and will leave on the Regulator in the morning for Orillia, Wash., where he and his brother Allison have made arrangements to go into the dairy business. The CHRONICLE wishes them abundant success.
 Tom Bolton of Rutledge left on the noon passenger today for Walla Walla to bring down the famous stallion Sultan, once owned by the late Mr. Jos. Wooden of Kingsley. Mr. Bolton has purchased Sultan from Walter Wooden and intends to use him on his horse ranch in Sherman county.
 This morning Dr. Rinehart, assisted by Dr. Logan and Mr. Will Moody removed a tumor, nearly as large as a man's fist, from the neck of a young man named Slavin, who came all the way from North Yakima to place himself under the care of Dr. Rinehart. The operation was a complete success, and the patient is now resting nicely, with every hope of complete recovery.
 "Dr." True, the fake tooth carpenter and bogus mineral salt peddler, who lately gulled the people of this town to the tune of about a thousand dollars or more, while in Pendleton the other day traded off his pet monkey for a second-hand watch. The new owner of the monkey then presented it to a saloon keeper who placed it among the other attractions of his whiskey mill.
 A curious case, involving the ownership of a child, will come before Judge Bradshaw as soon as its present custodians have responded to a writ of *habeas corpus* by presenting the child in court. A Japanese and his wife have possession of the child, and claim to be its parents, but the claim is denied by a Chinaman and his wife, who insist that they are its parents. Both parties are ready to do any amount of swearing in support of their claims, and it may take the wisdom of Solomon to unravel the mystery of the child's parentage.
 From the Seattle Post-Intelligencer we learn that our former fellow townsman C. E. Bayard is one of a number of gentlemen who have filed in the auditor's office, Seattle, articles of incorporation of the Washington Consolidated Mining and Milling Company, with a capital stock of a million dollars. The company owns gold and silver claims named the Merchants, Buckeye and Ella in the Sawtooth mountains near Elk City, Idaho. Mr. Bayard is a member of the board of trustees. The company has gold bearing quartz that assays \$50 to the ton and concentrates that assay \$250 to \$300 to the ton and the prospects are good for very rich returns.
 Less than two weeks ago, in an unguarded moment, Hon. Robt Mays accepted from Jud Fish the present of a thoroughbred sooner dog. Mr. Mays sent him out to one of his ranches and then the trouble began. After the dog had eaten up about \$50 worth of eggs and chickens, several ax handles and gnawed the shaft off a wheelbarrow, an order was given for his execution which was duly carried out. Now report has it that one point Mr. Mays has made up his mind and nothing short of an earthquake or a cyclone will ever move it. The first man who brings a sooner pup or a partridge cochon rooster on any foot of earth owned by Mr. Mays will have to lick him if the presenter has to chase him a mile to catch him.

If any place can beat Wasco county for big babies it has now a chance to report. Thursdays forenoon, the 18th inst., the wife of Wensel Pashek of Lower Fifteen Mile presented her liege lord with a baby boy weighing 14 1/2 pounds. The mother and child are doing nicely but report says it will be some time before the father recovers from the surprise of finding a boy almost big enough to do the family chores the moment he stepped into the world.
 Quite an enthusiastic meeting of The Dalles Republican Club was held last night when, after the usual routine business and the passage of a resolution instructing the executive committee to secure the vacant rooms over the CHRONICLE office for the future meetings of the club, Editor Mitchell gave a rousing speech in favor of a protective tariff and an honest dollar after which Hon. W. Lair Hill presented a masterly argument on behalf of the republican policy of protection. Mr. Hill claimed that the question of good wages, of profitable return for labor lay at the root of the whole protective system. Destroy protection and you reduce the income of the toiler to a level with that of the under paid labor of Europe. Reduce the toil of our laborers to a mere struggle for existence and you sap the foundation of our free government. A free government to be successful must have a prosperous and contented people.
 The band boy's ball last night was a complete success. The attendance was good, the hall being comfortably filled, the music by the Bettingen orchestra was excellent, a very pleasant and enjoyable time was had. Charley Phillips did himself proud as caller, the venerable George Knaggs presided with characteristic dignity at the door. Mrs. Al Varney rendered valuable service at the piano, while Al himself sawed the "bull" fiddle. Al Bettingen acted as musical director while his accomplished father discoursed classic music on his clarinet and Dick Fieber made the ambient air vibrate with his silver cornet. A pleasant feature of the evening and one highly appreciated was a large basket of button hole favors for the ladies and gentlemen, in the form of rose buds and heliotrope blossoms furnished from the Mission garden by Mrs. Al Varney. Dancing commenced about 9 o'clock and was kept up vigorously till one when under the mellow strains of "Home, Sweet Home," the happy crowd wended their way to rest and pleasant dreams.
 The first steamer that ever plied on the waters on the Pacific has been lying on the rocks near the entrance of Vancouver harbor since August, 1889. Her name is the Beaver, and she was built in England in 1835 for the Hudson Bay Company. As she could not possibly have carried coal enough to last her from London to the mouth of the Columbia River, she was rigged out as a brig and made voyage under sail in 165 days. She outsailed her consort, a bark, by 22 days and announced her arrival before the company's station with a broadside from her battery of six nine-pound guns. She made trips up and down the Columbia River from 1836 until the Hudson Bay Company's charter expired in 1850, when the Imperial Hydrographic Office purchased her for use in exploring the coast of the Pacific. After many years of this work she was sold, and her remaining days were spent carrying ore and supplies and towing logs until wrecked in a gale in 1889. Efforts have been made to purchase her and refit her as she originally appeared, but all offers were rejected.
 From the Daily Chronicle, Wednesday.
 Hon. W. K. Ellis spent last night in the city and left for home on the noon passenger today.
 Mr. Clark Fleck, for many months a member of the CHRONICLE force has just returned from a trip to Portland.
 The owners of the Cosmopolitan hotel property today began the work of a thorough reconstruction of the foundations of that large building.
 In the suit of Middleton vs. The Sun Publishing Co., tried before Justice Doherty today, judgment was rendered for the full amount of wages sued for.
 John Filloon & Co., successors to Filloon Brothers, have temporarily opened an implement store in one of Moody's warehouses in the East End.
 The attention of Judge Bradshaw, in the circuit court, was taken up almost wholly today in arguments of the suit in equity of Moody vs. Miller, a case of long standing.
 The CHRONICLE is pleased to learn that the health of Hon. E. L. Smith of Hood River, which has long been a matter of serious regard to his many friends, is almost completely restored.
 J. A. Nichols of Boyd is in the city. He reports plowing in full blast in his neighborhood and says the ground was never in better condition nor the prospects more hopeful for good crops.
 Uncle Linus Hubbard has presented this office with a handsome double photograph, taken by D. C. Herrin of this city, of the Whaleback steamers Colgate Hoyt and C. W. Wetmore, passing through the Sault St. Marie canal.
 Close to the hour of noon today six Indians were observed tenderly carrying the corpse of a fellow aborigine to the edge of the river below the mouth of Mill creek where they placed it in a skiff and started on a funeral procession to Memaluse island.
 Mrs. A. W. Ferguson of Astoria, one of the old and respected pioneers of this city is visiting Mrs. Judge Thornbury. Mrs. Ferguson's late husband was sheriff of this county away back in the 60's and was at one time grand worshipful master of the Masonic order of the state.
 Judge Thornbury went down this morning on the Regulator to Hood River to familiarize himself with the necessities of that section in the matter of improving the eastern approach to the Hood River bridge and the grade on the state road leading down to Hayne's Spur.
 A meeting was called last night in this city for the purpose of organizing a local union of the United Brotherhood of Carpenters and Joiners of America. Over a score of persons responded and the proper steps were taken to obtain a charter. The union will start out with 25 charter members.
 Mr. R. B. Wilson, the gentlemanly traveling freight agent of the Northern Pacific railway has presented this office with a handsome mounted Rand & McNally map of the United States. The map is one of 2500 purchased by the company for gratuitous distribution among its patrons.
 The crop of prisoners at the city jail was larger than usual last night, three drunks and one victim of impecuniosity having been pulled in. One drunk paid his fine, another—an old offender was sent off to herd sheep, while the third is working out his fine. The victim of impecuniosity will also have a chance to earn a square meal under the generalship of Jack Stanfels.
 The pastor of the M. E. church of this city is preparing a religious service for young men between ages of seventeen and thirty-five years, for tomorrow evening at 7:30 to be held in the basement of the new church, and he specially requests the attendance of every young man in the city. We can assure you that you will be kindly treated and given a royal welcome. Ladies also invited to be present. Services every night this week.
 The CHRONICLE office had the honor of a visit from W. L. Freeman, of Lower Fifteen-Mile, today. Mr. Freeman is the man who forced open a horse car belonging to the Union Pacific and jumped out his horse which the company was holding for an extra freight charge after a contract had been entered into to carry the horse for a specified sum. Mr. Freeman is the only man in Wasco county who ever got even with the Union Pacific.
 The *habeas corpus* case reported yesterday, involving the ownership of a child, which was expected to be tried before Judge Bradshaw, has been settled, but just how is unknown to even Mr. E. B. Dufur, the attorney for the plaintiff. It will be remembered that a Japanese and his wife had possession of a child which a Chinaman and his wife claimed as theirs. The Japs made a similar claim for themselves. Hence the writ. Yesterday afternoon the Chinaman settled the accrued costs and withdrew the suit, but who has possession of the child we have been unable to learn.
 Mrs. Maud Fowler was the happy recipient of a pleasant surprise party last evening at her residence in this city. The Woman's Relief Corps and quite a number of other ladies met at Mrs. Patterson's and from there repaired to Mrs. Fowler's, to the great surprise of that lady. Twenty-three ladies were present, but to save space and time I will omit the names. Sufficient to say quite an enjoyable time was had in playing games and having a general social time. Light refreshments were served in the form of delicious cake and fruit. At the hour of ten the ladies dispersed to their separate homes all feeling happier for the hours spent in social chat with one another.
 We are permitted to copy the following extract from a private letter received a few days ago from Washington and written by a gentleman well known in this city and one thoroughly familiar with what is going on at the capital.
 "It is no use to hope for an appropriation for a public building at The Dalles. I have conversed with many democratic statesmen in the congress and of the lobby and all appear agreed that the Holman resolution was not meant for 'bunkum' but was in the line of practical politics and will be adhered to rigidly and the more particularly so when the republican state and districts are to be sufferers. There will be some sort of showing of fairness in the appropriation bills for current expenses but no new works provided for. Hermann has been making a gallant fight for relief of The Dalles in his advocacy of a portage railroad. No man could have done more. I doubt whether any other one could have done so much. I cannot say what he thinks, but for myself I am free to confess I have no hope. Even with a republican congress it was uphill work. It was fight, fight, fight, for everything had or allowed for our state. Effort and diplomacy gained all we got even when all the circumstances were favorable and so I am of the opinion now that we need expect nothing whatever this year; then we shall not be disappointed."
 From the Daily Chronicle, Thursday.
 F. Dehm is reported to be very sick.
 George Nolin of Dufur is in the city.
 S. B. Phillips of Kingsley was in the city today.

Dr. Aug. C. Kinney of Astoria is at the Umatilla house.
 W. H. Wilson of this city, was appointed a notary public last Tuesday, by Gov. Penoyer.
 B. S. Huntington has resigned his position as local attorney for the Union Pacific railroad.
 It is estimated that Klickitat county will have twenty per cent. more grain in cultivation this year than last.
 Six "tourists" who arrived on the blind baggage last night were accommodated with lodgings in the calaboose and fired out of town this morning.
 The merry lays of nearly every species of song bird peculiar to this climate now fill the air with vocal melody as they announce and welcome the approach of Spring.
 Byrne, Floyd & Co., the leading wholesale and retail druggists have just received a large invoice of toothpicks, which they are selling at six boxes for a quarter.
 Evangelical Lutheran Service will be held next Sunday at 10:30 a. m., at the Chapel on Ninth street. Sunday school at 2:30 p. m. Everybody welcome to attend. A. Horn, pastor.
 The prescription business of Byrne, Floyd & Co.'s, has increased rapidly of late, and they have provided a competent force of clerks to make it at all times convenient to fill prescriptions accurately.
 The west bound passenger train, due here at 6:10 last evening, was five hours late. The cause of the detention was an accident in Wyoming, about the particulars of which no information could be obtained. Mum is the word all along the line with U. P. R. R. employes.
 Mr. Hunt, the Court street photographer has presented this office with a handsome picture of Dalles City taken from a position directly above the city reservoir in the pines. It is a very handsome picture and gives a charming view of the first city in Eastern Oregon.
 Jake Craft has a smile on his face that extends from ear to ear. Cause why: his daughter, Mrs. W. R. Haynes of Nansene, on the 23rd instant, presented her husband with an eleven pound daughter. So Jake is a grandpap and this is the first granddaughter born to Uncle Jake in Haynes family.
 It is seldom a concert ticket survives the lapse of time so long as one just found by George Joles, in the yard of the Joles residence. No man has any idea where it came from or what brought it there. It is clean and preserved and reads as follows: "Concert and festival at Moody's hall, for the benefit of the sisters of charity, on Monday Evening, May 3rd, 1869. Tickets—one dollar." How many voices sang at that concert of 23 years ago are now hushed in the stillness of the tomb!
 A good house greeted the contestants for the Demorest medal, last night. After the singing of a few selections Mrs. Smith French, in a few well chosen words explained the origin and objects of these contests. W. J. Demorest, a wealthy resident of New York city, conceived the idea some few years ago. The books from which the selections are made as well as all the medals are furnished entirely at Mr. Demorest's expense. Not less than eight persons are permitted to enter a contest. In the present case a silver medal is the reward. The victor in this contest will drop out of the next and transfer the medal to the winner. After eight persons have won the silver medal they may contest for a gold medal on the same general method. The gold medalists may then contest for a gold diamond studded medal which is permanently retained by the winner.
 Nine young persons had prepared for the contest last night. One for some cause dropped out, leaving eight. The programme already published in the CHRONICLE was gone through with this exception. The following are the names of the contestants: Georgia Sampson, Lorina Lee, Ruth Fisher, Archie Barnett, Pearl Butler, Daisy Alloway, Neddy Baldwin and Nona Rowe. The prize was well and ably contested. The only regret was that each could not have had a medal. Where all did so well it was no wonder the judges took some time to settle who should have the prize. Finally Judge Bennett appeared and announced that the judges had awarded it to Miss Nona Rowe and Mrs. Smith French presented it to the young lady in a short and appropriate speech. The subject matter of these contests cannot fail to have a good, moral effect. The tendency and object of the contests are wholly in the interests of sobriety and temperance. As such they deserve the sympathy of every good citizen. Many will be pleased to learn that another contest is expected to come off in the near future.

MARRIED.
 This morning at the residence of W. H. Glacius of this city, Joseph S. Miens to Jane Strachan. Elder G. H. Barnett performed the ceremony and the happy couple left for their future home near Eight-Mile.
 DIED.
 In this city February 23rd, at 3 a. m., of consumption, Mrs. Isabel Thomas, wife of A. S. Thomas.
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