

The Weekly Chronicle.

THE DALLES, OREGON

LOCAL REEVITERS.

Mr. Hal French has bought out Mr. Malcolm Jameson in the real estate business.

Edward F. Terry, the motorman of the Inos, was released from jail last evening at 9:30 o'clock, the bonds of \$5,000 having been furnished.

The Wasco county luminary is extinguished. Its genial rays are no more, and the cockroach plays tag around the paste pot, with the scissors for sole spectator.

Mr. A. Bettingen is doing a good job in front of his property on Second street by removing the mud and putting rock in its place. He intends to practically demonstrate the value of a good piece of road.

Mr. Hal French, who is associated with Mr. J. M. Huntington in the real estate business, has fitted up their office in an elegant manner, and to give it an important touch it is connected with the Western Union Telegraph system.

James Wedle plead guilty of larceny before Justice Schutz yesterday. John Krier, his partner, plead not guilty, and Wedle appeared against him as a witness. As a result he was bound over under \$750 bonds to appear before the grand jury.

Sheriff Woolery of Seattle arrested Ed Henderson on the 8th inst., on a telegram from The Dalles, Or., where he is wanted for an assault with a deadly weapon. He will be held till Sheriff T. A. Ward, of Wasco county, arrives with the requisition papers.

There is little land in Hood River valley but what is well suited to apple growing. Mr. Geo. Triplov is planning shortly to put out ten to fifteen acres to standard winter apples on his place on the side of Dead Point mountain, just west of the forks of Hood River.

A petition has been forwarded from Wasco, Sherman county, for a military company at that place, which will bear the letter A. It has not yet been heard from, but the request will doubtless be granted. The uniforms have been ordered and are expected to arrive at any time.

From a private dispatch we learn that Whitney Boise, chairman of the state republican committee, was arrested today in Portland. The present session of court is striking the high places, and our people can no longer be surprised.

Henry Reis, working for Mr. A. Bucher, fell from a haymow this morning about seven feet, sustaining a severe circular cut around the arm, near the shoulder. Dr. Hollister was hastily summoned, who took eighteen stitches in the dismembered flesh, and the wounded member will recover in due course of time.

We are reliably informed that Josiah Allen's wife, the noted personage, will be in The Dalles on the 19th inst.

The ladies of the M. E. church will serve clam chowder on Wednesday evening, in the vacant store next door to the First National bank.

Mrs. Helen Stafford's class in physical culture for ladies will begin Saturday at 3 p. m., at the court house. Gents class, 7:30 p. m. same place.

J. Mullen, the photographer, will be at Tygh Valley until the 20th. He requests that those desiring pictures of superior finish give him a call.

Every young man and his best girl with have the opportunity to take a lesson in love-making from Timothy Trott and the fair Matilda at the Kris Kringle entertainment Dec. 19th.

During the heavy blow yesterday Capt. Kennedy's steamer Inland Star dragged her anchor and drifted across the river, and lies today moored on the Washington shore near the ferry landing.

A number of boys were arrested by Marshal Frank Maloney Saturday night for stoning a Chinaman. After promise of better conduct they were released. This should serve as a lesson to them.

A preacher who came out west to Idaho was shot dead by a cowboy recently. During a revival meeting he turned suddenly on the cowboy and asked him if he was prepared to die.

"What is the lesson taught us in the parable of the seven wise virgins?" asked an Iseo Sunday school teacher of her pupils. "That we should always be on the lookout for a bridegroom," said the smallest girl in the class.

Joe Bates, of Prairie City, while felling a tree came near killing his boy. The boy became frightened when the tree fell and ran under it, and was struck by a limb, which broke his thigh and threw his knee out of place.

Apart from the grand jury, who have indicted Markle, Sherman and Kelly, there is a committee of 100 citizens appointed to investigate the condition of the finances of the county. The committee finds that the money deposited in

the bank cannot be recovered. In one instance where Sheriff Kelly deposited \$50,000 only \$5,000 can be recovered and this even was not a part of the original deposit.

The large audiences which greeted the Stutz company last week have shown that an opera house would be a profitable investment in The Dalles, given good troupes. Considering the dull time, no better patronage could be expected even in cities twice the size of The Dalles.

The total amount of county funds on deposit in the Oregon National bank is \$160,117.88, as stated in the indictment. Besides this the county has \$168,977.24 in the Northwest Loan & Trust Company, an allied institution, for the recovery of which Judge Moreland and Commissioners Holbrook and Stone began a suit in the state circuit court last Monday.

A Texas editor advises the following method: Find out all you can about yourself; if your life is as good and upright at eleven o'clock at night as it is at noon; if you are as good a temperance man at a fishing excursion as you are at a Sunday school picnic, if, in short, you are really the sort of a man your father hopes you are and your sweetheart believes you to be.

Yesterday was one of the most changeable days imaginable. The sun shone out bright and warm, with spasmodic gusts of wind, attaining a velocity of about forty miles an hour, accompanied with sharp sprinkles of rain. The temperature fell from a maximum of 54 to 40 degrees within a few hours, and Kansasites, as well as those from the Dakotas, began to feel that the old blizzard was following them to Oregon's gentle climate. But before the sun had disappeared behind the hills in the west, a calm set in, and all that was left to tell of the storm's visit was a fine covering of snow on the Klickitat mountains, north of the city.

A dancing club will be organized in the city in a few days. An earthquake shock of considerable force was felt in the Yakima country Saturday.

Big dolls, little dolls, all sorts and conditions of dolls, center window at Pease & Mays. On Saturday night, Dec. 30th, the ladies of the M. E. church will give their annual entertainment and supper.

The news which was received here of the arrest of Mr. Boise is now proven untrue. The rumor was started in Portland.

The atmosphere is quite humid today with a nominal temperature. Barometrical indications are that a rain storm is almost at hand.

The annual ball of the Jackson Engine company will be a masquerade, and great preparations are being made for the event, which occurs on January 1st.

Messrs. Saltmarsh & Co. will ship a carload of porkers and a car of beaves to Portland tonight, also will send 90 head of hogs by steamer Regulator, from their stockyards in the morning.

The Yakima Republican by inuendo, accuses the city council of extending \$100 aid to a destitute soiled dove, and believes it could be in better business by relieving the respectable poor of that city.

Letters have been received by parties in The Dalles from Omaha and Minneapolis, asking about what quantity of apples can be secured for these markets. The quotation at present in Omaha is \$2 per bushel.

Dr. L. L. Rowland, Dr. J. A. Richardson Dr. W. T. Williamson, the board of physicians to designate the location of the Eastern Oregon insane asylum, passed through this city Sunday evening en route for Baker City, and are expected here in a very few days.

The river at this place has taken on a sudden rise, probably from rains and melting snow in the mountains, east of this. As we go to press the gauge registers 13.6, having risen over two and a half feet since last night, when it was falling slowly. At 2 p. m. today the rise was 2 inches an hour.

The Chronicle is clubbing with many of the very best newspapers of the country for little more than the price of this paper alone. Select your next year's reading and have it off your mind. The Chronicle furnishes news of the city, county, state and general news of the world, supplemented by the Prairie Farmer, (Chicago), American Farmer, (New York), New York Tribune, McClure's Magazine and Cosmopolitan.

Destroying Valuable Property.

The shade trees planted by Mr. Leslie Butler, who owns a vacant lot opposite the court house, were broken and destroyed recently by unruly boys. The action amounts to nothing less than crime. It is not the value of the trees which is destroyed, but the loss of time in their growing, which can never be made up. These and other malicious pranks by the boys from time to time should induce the officers to keep a close watch upon them, and make an example of the first one caught doing mischief.

MITCHELL NEWS.

Weather very pleasant with cool nights.

The average attendance of scholars at the Mitchell school is about 35. Mrs. Estes, wife of our school teacher, has been quite ill the past few days.

Measles in a light form are harassing several in the neighborhood at present. The sheriff at Prineville reports the jail at that place to be empty. Something unusual.

Miss Boardman, sister of the proprietor of the Central Hotel, has been ailing quite seriously the past three weeks.

The mail carrier's schedule of time has been changed to one day later than heretofore. He has also abandoned his wagons for a pack horse.

S. F. Allen reported snow to be about one foot and a half deep as he returned from Prineville the 25th of last month. That is on the mountains between that place and Mitchell.

Last Sunday night recorded an accident that proved almost fatal to a citizen of our town. James Chamberlain and Bud Edmunson were seriously disturbing the peace by their drunken spells when the marshal made an attempt to arrest them. Resistance was made by Chamberlain, when a scuffle ensued. The marshal had his revolver in his hand, and in some way it went off, shooting Chamberlain in the right leg just above the knee, breaking the bone square off. His case is very painful, but at present date he is doing very well. Drs. Honek and Hemlock attended the case. Bud Edmunson was fined \$10 and warned to do so no more.

E. V. E. Mitchell, Dec. 7, 1893.

Forepaugh's Sharp Practice.

The financial abilities of Adam Forepaugh were great, if we are to believe Mr. Stutz, who relates a very good story on that enterprising circus manager. He said that in Canada there was a duty of 7 cents a pound on all show paper printed outside of its borders for use in Canada, and 20 per cent. of the bill additional, making nearly 9 cents a pound. The bill provided that all goods uncalled for should be sold at public auction after two years. Forepaugh desiring to play in Canada after a two years' run in the United States, sent \$10,000 worth of paper to the bonded warehouse there—several carloads of it. In two years when it was to be sold, no one wanted this useless paper and a party bought it for \$100 to fill a hole in his land. The next session of the legislature increased the time to ten years, but Adam had all the show paper he wanted in Canada and billed the realm for nothing.

Stutz as Rip Van Winkle.

J. G. Stutz scored the triumph of the week last evening in Rip Van Winkle. Everyone has read of Rip and how he slept for twenty years, well, those who heard Stutz give Rip's famous toast "Here's to your good health and your family's good health and may you live long and prosper," received an idea of this famous character which reading alone could not give. The acting in the third and fourth scenes where Rip has his sport with those "yolly dogs"—Heinrich Hudson's men—and then also when Rip Van Winkle awakes from his sleep and marvels how things have changed since "last night," was especially good. Miss Libbie Noxon made a capital Gretchen and Mr. Beiden as Nick Vedder was very acceptable. Little Alberta as Minnie Van Winkle charmed the audience.

Tonight the Stutz company close their very successful engagement in "Fanchon the Cricket." They will next play in Vancouver and from thence go to Portland.

A Picturesque Bridge.

Messrs. Triplov and Winans of Winans propose to construct a bridge across the west fork of Hood River, which will make that stream at that point of Tyrolean beauty. Two cliffs wall the stream here, upon which twin abutments will be built. The span will be 150 feet across and 90 feet to the water.

From this point to the junction of the forks the water seethes and boils in powerful cascades. The setting of basaltic rocks which line these streams, the stately pine trees, and the grand mountains near at hand, make a scene worthy of a grand artist.

A San Francisco man has stolen Sam Klein's brains, and has patented a fan attachment for rocking chairs. There are few of our citizens who during the heated spell of last summer did not observe the genial Sam rocking in front of his store with this identical fan attachment cooling his expansive brow. McCartney, the San Francisco inventor, might make a fortune, and there is no telling but what he got his ideas in The Dalles last summer.

Now Try This.

It will cost you nothing and will surely do you good, if you have a cough, cold, or a dry trouble with throat, chest or lungs. Dr. King's New Discovery for consumption, coughs and colds is guaranteed to give relief, or money will be paid back. Sufferers from a gripe found it just the thing and under its use had a speedy and thorough recovery. Try a sample bottle at our expense, and learn for yourself just how good a thing it is. Trial bottles free at Snipes & Kinersly's drug store. Large size 50c and \$1.

A TERRIFYING INSTRUMENT.

The Historical Seal and Cross Bones of the U. S. L. O. at The Dalles, Or.

Away back in the '70s when this office was new and time hung heavily on the hands of the solitary clerk allowed by the honorable commissioner, an idea struck him to make more forcible the picture of the penalties invoked by a breach of the provisions of section 5392, Revised Statutes. He got up the picture alluded to. On the otherwise barren expanse of about a foot square of paste-board is printed the text Title LXX—Crimes—Chapter 4, Section 5392, and then follows the statute. Underneath the text is a picture of a skull and cross bones, very nearly as follows:



The honest claimant and his corroborating witnesses have only a small idea of the penalties hanging over them for a breach of truth, as provided in the text of said statute No. 5392. One look at the above described card would freeze them into truth and last forever.

Wants a Public Meeting Called. HARTLAND, Wash., Dec. 9, 1893. EDITOR CHRONICLE—I have read with interest the articles in your columns concerning extension of time for paying for forfeited railroad lands, also the \$2.50 paid by settlers for the double minimum lands within limit of the proposed Northern Pacific railway. The United States gave the homeseekers choice of going beyond railroad limits to pre-empt land at \$1.25 per acre or settle within the proposed limits and pay \$2.50 per acre in consideration of the benefits that would necessarily follow. The settlers performed their part of the contract in good faith. The government has not furnished the proposed railroad. The settlers are thus swindled out of one-half of the purchase price of their land.

The Northern Pacific has been given land in lieu of every alternate section, but the settler has not been remunerated for his loss. He has received neither lieu land nor the return of his money and interest thereon. This great wrong demands such legislation as will place this class of settlers equal financially with all more recent pre-emptors in the same locality. If the treasury is so depleted that this just claim cannot be refunded, the United States should immediately issue land warrants to such claimants, said warrants transferable. In case an extension of time is not granted for paying for forfeited lands, these warrants could be made to serve the purpose of the money which is not to be had. I suggest that all such claimants hold a meeting in The Dalles in the near future to adopt some plan for redress.

WILLIAM L. LEE. Mr. Lee is deputy master of the Washington state grange, which body petitioned congress on the foregoing subject, which petition was disregarded. He further says: "Such claimants are continually receiving propositions from law firms in Washington, D. C., proposing to collect said claims for 25 per cent. of the amount. If all parties concerned unite, as one man, and procure competent counsel, they could collect the entire sum with interest."

Advertised Letters.

Following is the list of letters remaining in the postoffice at The Dalles un-called for, Friday, Dec. 9th, 1893. Persons calling for same will give date on which they were advertised: Hynen, Mr. Michell Booth, Mr. Joseph Boreson, Joney M. Clarke, Mrs. Mary Courtland, Harry Cover, Lee Roy Davenport, S. H. Farrens, Mrs. M. M. Hoyt, Mr. S. Hughes, Samuel Kerr, Miss Florence Kelly, E. B. Koehler, Miss Carrie Springer, S. D. Sissions, Miss Maud Turner, Charley H. Wing, Claude Wright, Robert T. Weigel, Christian Wooder, Sam Isenberg, Henry M. T. NOLAN, P. M.

Some of the leading citizens of the county should get together and formulate plans for representing Wasco county at the midwinter exposition. Oregon took a generous share of prizes at the world's fair and Wasco county has secured unparalleled honor at the state fair. Ergo, Wasco county leads the world. We should improve our opportunities. Nature can tint the apple with beautiful hues, and paint the rosy blush of the peach and pear, but she is powerless to make of herself a public carrier and found.

For Sale or Rent.

I will sell or rent my farm on 8-Mile on reasonable terms. Anyone wishing for such an opportunity will please apply at once at The Chronicle office. Mrs. MATILDA HART. FRIDAY, NOV. 17th, 1893. 31w.

PERSONAL MENTION.

E. G. Warren of Dufar is in the city. G. W. Smith of Endersby is in town today.

Mr. J. M. Elliott of Mosier is in town today. G. W. McKelvey of Pleasant Ridge is in the city today.

Mrs. Marion VanDuy of Independence is in the city. Mr. Winans of Winans is up paying this city a short visit.

James Darnielle came into the city from his farm today.

Albert Allen and Harry Gilpin of Fairfield are in town today.

Amos Root of Mosier and George W. Triplov of Winans are in the city. Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Cooper came down from Rufus yesterday and left on this afternoon's train for Mosier, where they will attend the wedding of Miss Bertha Phillips and Mr. Edgar Husbands this evening.

Mr. A. Allen of Boyd called today on this office. He informs us farmers are very busy at farm work, plowing and sowing wheat. This is quite a contrast from the reports in the east, where the winter king reigns supreme with old Boreas as his associate.

Mr. Rufus Wallace of Rufus gave THE CHRONICLE office a pleasant call today. Mr. Wallace informs us that, although the farmers in his section of the county have had the misfortune to lose heavily by the fall rains, they are not at all discouraged, but are exerting themselves to the utmost and will have more grain acreage for the next season than ever before.

Mrs. P. E. Michell is in the city from Columbus.

Mr. P. Deitchemmiller is up from Mosier today. Mrs. Richard Power of Mosier is in The Dalles today.

Mrs. James Nickell of this city, left today for Portland. Mr. Winifred Roberson of Portland is in the city visiting friends.

Mr. Fell, who operates the new Pendleton wool scouring mills, was a passenger to Portland today. Mr. Edgar Husbands and Miss Bertha Phillips were married at the Mosier school house Saturday by Rev. Mr. Aleridge.

Mr. Geo. W. Wells of Portland was in the city yesterday.

J. C. Luckey came up from Portland on the noon train today. Mr. A. A. James, a prominent attorney of Arlington, is in the city today.

Mr. W. H. Huriburt, assistant general passenger agent of the Union Pacific, came up from Portland on the noon train.

At Salt Lake City, Utah, Nov. 15th, 1893, Helen Elizabeth, daughter of Wm. and Lizzie McCoy, aged 6 months and 7 days.

A Remedy Suggested.

It is well known, says the Walla Walla Statesman, referring to the whisky-to-Indians cases, that many innocent men are convicted upon the unreliable testimony of a number of Indians eager for fees. This has often been demonstrated near Walla Walla, on the Umatilla reservation. And, further, it is a notorious fact which has been given to the public heretofore by Umatilla county newspapers, that men have been known frequently to deliberately sell liquor to Indians for the purpose of being transported to Portland, where light sentences were imposed, the accused thus saving his fare. There are many reasons why the present system is pernicious and tends rather to increase than diminish crime, thus creating enormous expense. The present session of the U. S. court in Walla Walla will necessitate an expenditure of not less than fifteen thousand dollars, two-thirds of which is caused by Indian cases. Various remedies have been suggested. One is that the fee system be abolished, both as to the Indian witnesses and officials of the government. Officials should be employed under a salary commensurate with the duty performed. Another remedy suggested is that the Indian who purchases whisky should be made equally guilty with the white man who sells it, and receive equal punishment. Then, it is claimed, there would not be such an opportunity for fraud on the part of the swash and he would not be so anxious to become a stool-pigeon for others; also the fear of punishment would make him hesitate before committing a crime.

Mr. J. P. Blaize, an extensive real estate dealer in Des Moines, Iowa, narrowly escaped one of the severest attacks of pneumonia while in the northern part of Iowa during a recent blizzard, says the Saturday Review. Mr. Blaize had occasion to drive several miles during the storm and was so thoroughly chilled that he was unable to get warm, and inside of an hour after his return he was threatened with a severe case of pneumonia or lung fever. Mr. Blaize sent to the nearest drug store and got a bottle of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy, of which he had often heard, and took a number of large doses. He says the effect was wonderful and in a short time he was breathing quite easily. He kept on taking the medicine and the next day he was able to come to Des Moines. Mr. Blaize regards his cure as simply wonderful. For sale by Blakeley & Houghton.

Ask your dealer for Mexican Silver Stove Polish.

Markle, Sherman and Sheriff Kelly, Indicted.

The sheriff of Multnomah county, Pennumbra Kelly, George B. Markle, president of the Oregon National bank, and D. F. Sherman, the cashier, were arrested by a deputy sheriff at 1 o'clock this afternoon on an indictment returned against them by the county grand jury at 12:30 today, in which they are charged with the larceny of public money.

The indictment against the three men, which was returned at 12:30 o'clock, and consisted of their report today, is a model of brevity and clearness. It simply sets forth that Kelly, Markle and Sherman "feloniously and fraudulently did embezzle, loan and convert to their own use moneys belonging to Multnomah county."

President Markle, of the Oregon National bank, and Cashier D. F. Sherman were arrested in the bank at 1 o'clock by Deputy Sheriff Morgan and were taken immediately to the court house. Sheriff Kelly saved the trouble of a formal arrest by appearing there himself. Within a few minutes of their arrest Mr. Markle and Mr. Sherman had prepared the bonds, which were fixed in each case at \$20,000.—Telegram, Friday.

An Editor Horsewhipped.

For the publication of an article in reference to the character of his father, Henry Liebe, young Alfred C. Liebe this afternoon horsewhipped Bruno Sittig, editor of the Freie Presse, at the corner of Third and Washington streets, with a riding-whip, over the face and body. Henry Liebe, it will be remembered, was recently shot by his nephew, Christian Hess, who claimed to have been a victim of heartless persecution at the hands of Liebe, which drove him to shoot Liebe and kill himself. In referring to this affair the Staats Zeitung did not touch as gently as young Liebe desired on the reputation of his father, and this made the occasion for the horsewhipping administered to Sittig. The two men met about 1 o'clock and Liebe began striking Sittig across the face with a riding-whip. He struck a number of blows over the head and body of the editor before the arrival of Officer Durrenberger, who placed Liebe under arrest and took him to the police station. There he was charged with assault and battery and was released on \$20 bail.—Telegram.

The opal, supposed by many to be unlucky, belongs to October, and to those who are born in that month it is said to bring happiness and hope.

November is represented by the topaz, which means that those who wear it rightfully by reason of their birth may claim fidelity and friendship.

It isn't in the ordinary way that Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription comes to the weak and suffering woman who needs it. It's guaranteed. Not with words merely; any medicine can make claims and promises. What is done with the "Favorite prescription" is this: if it fails to benefit or cure, in any case, your money is returned. Can you ask any better proof that a medicine will do what it promises?

It's an invigorating, restorative tonic, a soothing and strengthening nerve, and a certain remedy for the ills and ailments that beset a woman. In "female complaints" of every kind, periodical pains, internal inflammation or ulceration, bearing-down sensations, and all chronic weaknesses and irregularities, it is a positive and complete cure.

To every tired, overworked woman, and to every weak, nervous and ailing one, it is guaranteed to bring health and strength.

-How is - Your Blood?-

I had a malignant breaking out on my leg below the knee, and was cured sound and well with two and a half bottles of S.S.S. Other blood medicines had failed. WILL C. BEATY, Yorkville, S. C.



I was troubled from childhood with an aggravated case of Tetter, and three bottles of S.S.S. cured me permanently. WALLACE MARK, Manville, I. T.

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