

The Weekly Chronicle.

THE DALLES, OREGON

Clubbing List.

The CHRONICLE, which gives the news twice a week, has made arrangements to club with the following publications, and offers two papers one year for little more than the price of one:

Table with columns for Regular price and Our price. Lists publications like Chronicle and N. Y. Tribune, Chronicle and Weekly Oregonian, Chronicle and Cosmopolitan Magazine.

LOCAL BRIEVITIES.

Wednesday's Daily.

This is another of those days when a heavy ride inside of the street sprinkler would be enjoyable.

The local passenger arrived in on time today, the first time since the flood—that is the flood in the Columbia.

Quite a party will leave here tomorrow for Hood River, and from there will go to Cloud Cap, and possibly to the top of the mountain.

A small lot of wool was sold this morning at 10 cents. This is the highest price paid this season, and has only been paid once before.

The Dalles is shipping from one to two carloads of melons daily. Many of them go to Portland but the bulk of the trade is with points East.

Front lake has suddenly come into prominence, as the most pleasant and available spot for a summer outing that can be reached from The Dalles.

Rita, the five-year-old daughter of County Auditor Simeon Bolton of Klickitat county, Wash., fell in a well yesterday and was drowned.

A. G. Phelps, our promising young lawman, who graduated from the law department of Michigan University last spring, has been appointed by District Attorney Jayne as his deputy for Wasco county.

The grass and stubble everywhere is dry as tinder and hunters and camping parties should use every precaution to prevent fires getting started.

That wholesale man Blandford says that if he was at the seaside, he would smoke his cigar without troubling himself about Falb's tidal wave.

The regular subscription price of the WEEKLY CHRONICLE is \$1.50 and the regular price of the WEEKLY OREGONIAN is \$1.00.

Several wagon loads of wheat were brought in from Klickitat county today. It sold for thirty cents a bushel.

Those who have bills to present to the county court, which meets Wednesday, September 5th, will remember to hand them to the clerk by the evening of the 4th.

Thursday's Daily.

One hundred sacks of wool were unloaded at the Wasco warehouse today.

Labor day is so called because on that day labor takes a rest, and nobody works.

L. V. Wilson and Frank Allen of Mitchell and John Baker of Calebare are in the city.

The doors of the city jail swung listlessly on their hinges all night, having nothing to guard.

The Hill school is clear of the foundation and ready for the rollers on which it will be moved.

The mercury marked 97 today. Blandford, who is running the weather, needs to be pulled out of the Gregonian sewer.

The sale of the Dr. Rinehart property took place at the courthouse door this morning to satisfy a mortgage.

There are several reasons why collection day should come on Saturday, September 1st. The 2d being Sunday, would force it over to the 3d and that is labor day and a legal holiday.

September 1st E. B. Hood will open a second-hand store in the building opposite his stable on Second street. A

brokerage business will also be carried on in connection with the store, and auction sale will be held weekly, on Saturdays from 11 to 2 o'clock.

There was a decided hiatus in telephone affairs at 3 o'clock this afternoon. Everybody seemed suddenly inspired to talk to everybody else, and in a moment all the bells were ringing.

The local markets are fairly glutted with melons of all kinds—except bud. The pay car came up yesterday afternoon, making the railroad boys reasonably happy.

Mr. Wheelton's notary public commission being a renewal, was filed for record yesterday.

One disciple of Silenus graced the dock in the recorder's office this morning, and faced the mayor \$5 worth.

Mr. John Stoddard, formerly at Hood River in charge of the Oregon Lumber Co.'s mills, died at Salt Lake last Saturday.

The heavy wind prevailing last night cleared the air of smoke, from which we judge the country east of us must have plenty of it this morning.

We are requested to state that the ladies of The Dalles Lodge, I. O. G. T., will dispense ice cream and cake Saturday evening in the high water building opposite Michell's undertaking rooms.

Yesterday was another scorcher but about sundown a fresh breeze swept up from the Columbia, bringing with it considerable sand and dust, but it was none the less welcome.

"Are you a judge of reprobrates?" said an old lady as she walked into the judge's office.

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Columbia River Conference.

The twenty-first annual session of the Columbia River conference of the Methodist Episcopal church convened here this morning, with the following members in attendance, and Bishop I. W. Joyce presiding: Edward Baker, Prineville; G. M. Booth, Spokane; W. Bower, Milton; Henry Brown, Lewiston; M. R. Brown, Waterville; C. J. Brown, Spokane; F. L. Buzzell, Grangeville; W. B. Carithurs, Moscow; Perry Chandler, Dayton; J. M. Denison, Heppner; Wm. Dewewe, Latah; W. B. Eakin, Weston; W. T. Enster, Colfax; Nathan Evans, Ellensburg; V. C. Evers, Walla Walla; J. H. Feak, Ritzville; D. E. George, Lewiston; C. E. Gibson, Asotin; James Greenslade, Pataha; J. W. Helm, Fort Simcoe; J. W. Horne, Portland; Lee A. Johnson, Watsburg; J. C. Kirkman, Colton; R. H. Manier, Cheney; M. H. Marvin, Pullman; J. M. McDonald, Goldendale; Ed McEvers, Garfield; M. M. Miner, Adams; G. R. Moorehead, Antelope; R. C. Motor, Arlington; N. E. Parsons, Spokane; Henry Rasmus, Spokane; G. E. Rawlins, Wasco; J. W. Rigby, Lone Rock; Wm. H. Sellick, Pendleton; T. A. Towner, Walla Walla; John Uren, Moscow; W. W. Van Dusen, Spokane; Robert Warner, North Yakima; J. C. Warren, Palouse; John Whisler, The Dalles; W. J. White, Wardner.

Probationers—E. C. Alford, Portland; T. G. Hodgson, Hood River; Wm. Hoskins, Portland; F. A. LaViolette, Spokane; G. G. Muller, Davenport; T. J. Fertig, Pomeroy; Frank L. Johns, Columbus; Chris Johnson, Prosser; Edward Smith, Wilbur; J. E. Williams, Dixie.

The following ministers are in attendance as visitors: H. B. Elworthy, Hillsboro; Dr. Sulliger and W. C. Wilding, Vancouver; H. K. Hines, G. W. Gue, Wilmot Whitfield, Portland; Dr. A. N. Fisher, editor Pacific Christian Advocate, Portland; Dr. S. A. Keen, evangelist, Delaware, Ohio; Dr. J. C. Hartzell, Cincinnati; P. C. Hartzel, agent American Bible Society, Salem, and Thos. P. Boyd, Portland.

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The new teachers added to the corps are Melissa Hill, Elsie Ball, Lena Snell, and M. N. Strattan.

Miss Hill graduated from the University of Oregon in June. She attended the university two years, having previously taught in The Dalles schools, and resigned her position to go to the university. She is well known by the majority of our readers as a successful teacher.

Miss Ball completed the public school work in January, 1891, with an excellent scholarship record. Since then she has had three terms' experience teaching.

Miss Snell arrived in the city Tuesday. She is a well-known teacher of Gilliam county, having taught there eight or nine years, and having served on the county board of examiners.

M. N. Strattan, the assistant principal, has lately completed a year's study at the Valparaiso, Indiana, normal school. He is a teacher of six years' experience, four years in Nebraska, and the last two years in the high school at Defiance, Iowa. Mr. Strattan is expected in The Dalles Friday of next week.

A Mosier Industry.

For some days a poor fellow has been selling around town some very fine pieces of silica for polishing metal. More than one person has looked upon the stuff as a manufactured article, but such is not the case. The man's name is W. T. Meeks and he gets the silica from a claim located by him fourteen miles west of The Dalles. It is in the natural state and the cakes that he sells are sawed out of the vein that runs across his place. It is likely that he has a very valuable property, for it is seven feet in width and of unknown depth, extending across his forty acres. The silica can be taken out in blocks six feet through. A well-known Buffalo chemist assayed specimens of it two years ago and learned that it was ninety-eight per cent pure. Inasmuch as that found along the Atlantic coast seldom runs higher than twenty-five per cent, and must be refined, Meek's property, which can be used in its natural state, should be worth a great deal.—Portland Tomahawk.

Took a Shot at Them.

The Troutdale couple who were married a few evenings ago had to adopt stronger measures with serenaders than did the Albino pair that called out the police department to tone down the boisterous crowd bent on extending congratulations. The newly married pair of Troutdale were so annoyed that the bridegroom too a shot at the night prowlers. Fortunately no one was hit, but the crowd all dispersed. The disappointed revelers then retaliated by moving on the town, where they roused every sleeping inhabitant by their noise, so says a correspondent. They wound up by killing a cat and stretching it up in front of a hostelry, together with an appropriate sign. The proprietor says he would like to meet the parties who did the work, under conditions which he prefers to name. Troutdale is a lively town.

Public School Notice.

The examination for admission to The Dalles public schools will be held at the Court street school Thursday, Aug. 30th, beginning at 9 a. m. New students and others without certificates of promotion from these schools are requested to be present. New students should bring reports from the school last attended.

Beginning classes in the first grade will be organized at Academy Park, East Hill primary and Union street schools. Children reaching the age of six years before Dec. 1, 1894, may start in these classes. All such beginners intending to enter during the fall term should start the opening day of the schools and at the schoolhouse most convenient to the home.

JOHN GAVIN, Principal.

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An Old Way Bill.

Yesterday Col. Sinnott unearthed an old freight bill of the O. R. & N. dated Feb. 12, 1864. In those days freight was charged for by measurement instead of weight. The articles are suggestive of the trade in those days, consisting of four kegs of brandy, four boxes of eggs, two gunny bags of bacon, six barrels of whiskey, and a pipe of liquors. The whole lot measured 119 feet, and cost from San Francisco \$64.50, the charge from Portland being \$36, or about \$18 per ton, as against \$8 at the present date. The bill is in a remarkably good state of preservation, in spite of the thirty years that have passed since the colonel paid it. The ink was good, for it is as fresh looking as if made yesterday. The freight came up on the steamer Wilson G. Hunt.

Improper and deficient care of the scalp will cause grayness of the hair and baldness. Escape both by the use of that reliable specific, Hall's Hair Restorer.

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At Prices within reach of all.

We hesitate not for Congress to decide, but have marked our goods to please the people. Large stock of

- Gents' Furnishings, Boots and Shoes, Ladies' Hosiery, Ladies' Kid Shoes, Ladies' Underwear, Children's School Shoes, Calicoes, Men's French Calf Shoes, Amoskeags, Oxford Ties, Outing Flannels, Quincy Cloth.

A Thorough Clearance Sale. Watch our Center Window for Bargains.

Order Groceries, Telephone No. 20.

JOLES, COLLINS & CO.

His Black Silk Pants.

A celestial who is engaged in ironing the soiled garments of his white brethren, came into our office this morning for the purpose of investing two-bits of his hard earned money in second hand papers. To what base uses our exchanges may be put by enclosing the varied and numerous family washings is of course no business of ours, though we wish to say right now that though we get a quarter of a cent apiece for them, the money return is but a trifle compared to the value we receive before they leave us. But this is all a digression; what we wanted to say was that this celestial had on a pair of black pants made of silk and gorgeous beyond description. They were cut full, with flowing drapery gathered in a plait at the side. He was awfully proud of them, and at our request turned himself around so that we could admire the beauty of the combination. They were long waisted in the back, and as the top only came to the usual height the lower end of the waist reached nearly to his knees, giving them an appearance of empty fullness that was simply killing. They were cut over a pattern used by his grandmother's aunt when cloth was cheap, but the Chinaman was inside of them and happy.

Of Good Grit.

A young man named Joe Hooker while on his way from Goldendale to a sheep camp on the Big Klickitat, was thrown from his horse by its falling. He was not hurt in the fall but as the horse regained its feet it kicked, striking him on the leg and breaking both bones close to the ankle. Knowing he could get no help, he bandaged his leg and then after two hours' limping around succeeded in catching his horse, and then rode five hours before he reached aid which he found at Mr. William Gilmore's, who hitched up a team and took him to Goldendale.

PERSONAL MENTION.

Mr. Alex. Scott of Grass Valley is in the city. Mr. Ed. M. Williams went to Clatsop this morning. Martin Donnell came from Goldendale this morning. Hon. W. C. Hindman of Baker City, who has been visiting his daughter, Mrs. L. S. Davis of this city, returned home yesterday. Mr. F. P. Wegstein, an old Nevada friend of the writer, arrived on the Regulator last night and will remain just as long as we can persuade him to stay. He has been employed in the banks at Colfax and Farmington for five years, has been on a vacation for several months and goes back to take his place again by Sept. 1st.

Mr. J. G. Koontz is on the sick list. Mr. T. J. Watson came up from Hood River this afternoon.

Mr. I. C. Richards came over from Goldendale yesterday. Mrs. A. C. Phelps returned to Collins landing this morning.

Miss Thompson of Goldendale is the guest of Miss Grace Marden.

Hon. Geo. H. Williams is in the city the guest of Rev. O. D. Taylor.

Mr. W. B. Perry, a prominent Hood River fruit grower, is in the city.

Mr. Frank Malone, one of John Day's chief sheep owners, is in the city.

Mrs. A. R. Byrket of Hood River came up on the Regulator last night.

Mr. H. H. Campbell and family arrived home from Mt. Hood last night.

Mrs. D. R. B. Winniford of Sunnyside is visiting her son, Mr. J. F. Haworth.

Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Jewett came up from White Salmon last night, but returned this morning.

Rev. A. Kaufman, U. B. minister of Hood River, came up this afternoon to remain during conference.

Miss Ruth Cooper, who has been visiting relatives in the valley, and also spent some time at Yaquina bay, returned home last night.

Mr. Ernest F. DuBrul of Cincinnati is the guest of Mr. Roger Sinnott. They were classmates at college, and Mr. Du Brul is getting acquainted with our great and glorious country before settling down to business. He expects to visit Cloud Cap in a day or two, and then leave for the Yellowstone.

Governor Moody and daughter, Miss Edna, are in the city. Mr. D. A. Turner of Hood River is attending the conference here, coming up yesterday. Mr. John Baker of Caleb made us a pleasant call this morning. THE CHRONICLE will be a regular visitor at his place for the next year.

Notice is hereby given that a petition to incorporate the town of Hood River will be presented to the Hon. Commissioners' court at its September term, 1894, said incorporation to be bonded.

BOB.

In this city, Wednesday, August 23d, to the wife of J. P. Benton, a daughter.

THE CHRONICLE is prepared to do all kinds of job printing.