

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:

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LOCAL BRIEVITIES.

Mrs. Maude Shultis, who has been visiting the Misses Story, returned to Pendleton Thursday.

Weather prognostications for today and tomorrow: Today, rain; tomorrow rain, slight temperature changes, with southerly winds.

Frazier Lodge, I. O. G. T., of 3-Mile will give a basket sociable Saturday evening, Oct. 27th, at 8 o'clock.

From latest reports it is probable the man, Overton, who is missing from his home near Portland, is in San Francisco. It seems there was a woman in the case and that circumstances preventing their marrying, he fled from the scene of his sorrows.

Champion Corbett is now roasting Fitzsimmons because the latter is backward about signing the agreement to fight. He expresses his determination to drop Fitzsimmons entirely unless the latter signs by Wednesday.

Mr. Frank Dekum, the well known Portland capitalist and pioneer, died at 10:10 o'clock last night at his residence in this city.

The big hat, with its crowning iniquity of perpendicularly-arranged feathers, is the abomination of desolation to all theater-goers, and in such a hall as we have here, where the floor is level, the owners should be indicted for robbery in cheating the fellow who has to sit behind them, out of the worth of his money.

The city recorder's court was visited this morning by three Misses John Doe, two of whom were charged with being intoxicated, and the third with selling liquor to minors.

The county clerk has been doing a lively business the past two or three days in the matter of marriage licenses, which have been issued as follows: J. E. Rand and Bertha Johnson, T. J. Harper and Miss Mary A. Lance, G. F. Boswell and Edith A. Straight, and William S. Woodcock and Anna L. Woodcock.

Captain John W. Lewis has opened an office in the Chapman building, directly over the land office, and will prepare land papers and assist parties in perfecting title to government lands.

The day has been a nasty one, drizzle, drip, fog, not enough moisture to class it as a rainy day, too much to class it as respectable. A stretchy, yawning sort of a day that had hours of waste time between its dawning and its end.

The Wizard Oil Company show tonight for the last time. It is safe to say that no company ever before gave so much and so general satisfaction, for the money as it does.

The leading article in the Forum for November will be "The Political Career and Character of David B. Hill," by an anonymous writer, who will attempt to make an independent measure of Senator Hill's position and influence in national politics.

District court meets November 12th. Hood River will apply to the county court at its next term to be incorporated.

Judge Bradshaw tells us there was quite a snow storm on the Tygh hill last night.

The county jail has seven inmates, most of them awaiting the action of the grand jury.

County court meets November 5th and commissioners meet the 7th of November. All bills against the county

must be filed by November 6th, or they will lie over until the January term.

There will be preaching tomorrow night at 7:30 o'clock at the Christian church by Rev. J. E. Horn and Wednesday night by Rev. Gibson of La Grande.

Sarah E. Dalk and J. F. Dalk, her husband, have sold lots 1 and 2, in block 11, first addition west to town of Hood River, to August Buchler; consideration \$778.50.

The Hood River Glacier says the money for building the schoolhouse at that place is available, and that the work will be done as rapidly as the weather will permit.

The O. R. & N. has made a rate of 60 cents per 100 pounds on cabbage to Omaha. Now if a like rate can be secured on potatoes it would permit the shipping of our surplus.

Wm. O'Brien was today committed to jail by Recorder Dufur, to await the action of the grand jury. He is charged with the crime of larceny from the person, the alleged offense being the taking of a watch from the person of E. L. Boynton.

The 14,000 still refuses to show up, and there seems to be no clue whatever that gives promise of unearthing it. Yesterday several parties amused themselves by searching the old buildings and out-of-the-way places between the alley north of the express office and the river, but nothing was all that was found.

Are you a good guesser? If so, you want to get on to Pease & Mays' scheme and guess the number of toothpicks on the cone in their show window and get the "best safety in the Dalles." This is for the young folks, but for those who want something safer than a safety they offer a fine oak bedroom set.

The rainfall for the past twenty-four hours .45 of an inch.

Good clean rags will be accepted at this office in exchange for old papers. The papers we have been selling at 25 cents a hundred.

The signal service man at Portland predicts occasional rain and warmer tomorrow. There was also occasional rain today, several of them.

The rain has served to temporarily shut off the wheat arrivals but there is plenty here to keep everybody around the warehouses busy loading it into the cars for some time.

The steamer Regulator is carrying large cargoes of freight on her up trip, which indicates that our merchants are getting in their winter supplies.

The Winans Bros., have purchased an engine for hoisting rock and material used in repairing their fish wheels and have the same in place and ready to begin operations as soon as the rain lets up a little.

Two hundred men are working at the upper part of the locks and are making good headway. The gates have all arrived and will be put in as soon as the masonry is completed.

Mr. A. Winans tells us the salmon run is entirely over. Yesterday three hauls were made with a seine without catching a salmon, and one of the scow wheels was run all morning with the same result.

C. E. Bayard has moved his office to the little building recently put up by Max Vogt, just back of French & Co's bank, on Washington, and T. A. Hudson has moved into the same building, each occupying half of it.

The O. R. & N. has discharged a large number of its employees at work in the construction department. It is said that between 500 and 600 men will be, or have been thrown out of work by this reduction of the force.

The Rev. M. C. Aleridge will preach at the Congregational church at Lyle, Wash., on the 28th inst. at 11:30 a. m.; subject, "Revivals, and What Revivals Mean." A lecture in the evening at 6:30; subject, "Spiritualism Exp." Rev. M. C. Aleridge is an able speaker. Come out and hear him.

Married Thirty Years.

Wednesday evening a very pleasant gathering assembled at the residence of Hugh Gourlay, the editor of the Klickitat Republican. The occasion was the pearl anniversary of Mr. and Mrs. Gourlay, who were married in Smithboro, Ireland, thirty years ago.

To conclude the exercises of the evening, J. G. Maddock united Mr. and Mrs. Gourlay in marriage in Davy Crockett western style. The closing scene in part might be described by the poem: "Two lusty lads, well dressed and strong, Stepped out to lead the bride along, And two young maids of equal size, As soon the bridegroom's hands surprise."

What We Think of Each Other.

There is nothing further concerning the express robbery, except that the company has offered a reward of \$1500 for the recovery of the money, or ten per cent. of any portion of the amount recovered. Besides this a reward of \$250 apiece is offered for the arrest and conviction of the robbers.

A Surprise Party.

Saturday night a party of the friends of Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Phirman gave them a large sized surprise. About 8 o'clock two wagon loads of them arrived at the Phirman domicile on Chenoweth creek and proceeded to take possession of the place.

Record Your Brands.

The legislature of 1893 passed an act concerning the branding of stock, that seems to be not generally known. The act provides that "All brands shall be recorded in the county where the owner resides, and in such other county where such animals usually range; and no evidence of ownership by brand shall be permitted in any court of this state, on or after Nov. 1st, 1894, unless such brand shall be recorded as in this act provided."

A retired newspaper man gives this philosophical reason for quitting the business: "A child is born, the doctor in attendance gets \$25; the editor notes it and gets 0; it is christened, the minister gets \$10; the editor writes it up and gets 0; it marries, the minister gets another \$10; the editor gives a column puff and gets 000; in course of time it dies, the doctor gets from \$5 to \$100; the minister gets another \$5; the undertaker \$25 to \$200; the editor prints an obituary and gets 0000—and then the privilege of running free of charge a card of thanks," and a half column of "pome."

C. E. Morgan in Jail.

Mr. Charles E. Morgan, a well-known insurance solicitor, was arrested last evening for larceny by embezzlement on a warrant from Justice Geisler's court, sworn out by Mr. U. K. Arnold, of the insurance firm of Boyd & Arnold.

Morgan is charged with the embezzlement of \$633 from Boyd & Arnold, while in their employ as sub-agent of the Hamburg-Bremen Fire Insurance Company. The knowledge of his peculations reached his employers in July last, and he was discharged from their employ immediately.

Morgan is married, and has lived with his wife at Sunnyside for some time. They have no children. The unfortunate man has a large circle of acquaintances in Portland, as a result of several years' residence here, and they will receive the news of his downfall with deep regret.

Mr. Arnold told an Oregonian reporter last night of the causes leading up to the arrest. Morgan was appointed sub-agent of the Hamburg-Bremen Insurance Company, of which Boyd & Arnold are the agents for Portland, on January 1st, of this year.

"Morgan seemed to work industriously for some time," said Mr. Arnold, "but got into trouble during the flood of this year. He went over to the East Side, and for several weeks I did not hear from him. Finally when the waters had subsided sufficiently to allow me, I drove over there to look him up. This was on July 1st. I found Morgan in a saloon, and learned that he had been on a continuous spree. When I asked him for the money he had collected on several policies he had issued, he put me off, saying he would settle later."

"The long and short of it all," concluded Mr. Boyd, "that I found he had collected several hundred dollars, and when confronted with the condition of affairs he acknowledged his crookedness. I asked him to settle with me, and as he did not have any money, I told him to try and secure me. This he did not do, and several months having since passed, during which time he has avoided me, I concluded he would not try to settle. So far as I know, he has embezzled \$633. My real reasons for having him arrested are the result of reports I have received that he was getting ready to leave the city for California."

She Wanted the Hat.

And now Salem comes to the front with a case which shows the omnivorous habits of the average Oregon infant. A 9-months-old girl of Charles Cannon, its mother claimed some three months ago, had swallowed a hatpin, about five inches in length. As the child seemed to be healthy and suffered no inconvenience after the alleged feat, the mother's story was discredited.

Mothers should learn from this episode not to leave their jewelry or jim-cracks in reach of girl babies, for if they are in style they are gone sure. Nothing can withstand the American female infantery.

Good For Gum Boots.

Yesterday was a gloomy, drizzling day and last night the rain came down heavily and steadily and so it continued the greater part of today, only coming somewhat more mildly. It is gloomy, item-destroying weather, that sends a man's good nature down to the freezing point and seals his mouth to everything except fault-finding.

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WASHINGTON LETTER.

From our regular correspondent.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 19, 1894.

The democratic managers are still very much at sea as to Mr. Cleveland's real attitude towards Senator Hill. It may be true, as has been repeatedly stated by Mr. Cleveland's friends, that he intends to make a big contribution to Hill's campaign fund, to register and to vote for Hill, but nobody has been found willing to say that Mr. Cleveland had made any such statement as to what he would or would not do, and it looks to a man unprejudiced that all of these statements made public by Cleveland democrats have had but one object in view—to compel Mr. Cleveland to do as the party managers wish him to do.

It seems odd that the democrats have one scheme that they invariably try to work just before every national election, whether congressional or presidential and congressional combined. That is to get it widely published that their campaign committee has its hands tied for lack of money. The story was promptly started this year and every newspaper man who calls at democratic headquarters is filled up with it.

Vice-President Stevenson's recent statement that the sugar trust had gone all to pieces and that sugar was to be cheaper than ever as a result of democratic tariff legislation, was astonishing news in Washington, where it is known that the trust made a deal with certain prominent democrats, agreeing to wait until after the election before raising the wholesale price of sugar, in return for the promise that no changes would be made in the sugar schedule of the tariff law at the coming short session of congress.

Another democratic reform was this week semi-officially announced by those connected with the administration. It is that the excellent policy inaugurated by the republicans, of detailing army officers to serve as Indian agents, is to be abolished and the positions to be filled by the appointment of politicians. The alleged reason given is that the army officers are needed by the army.

Much has been said by democrats about the great reduction in salaries paid by the government which were made by the democratic congress. According to the book of congressional appropriations, an official publication, compiled by the clerks of the house and senate committees on appropriations, the number of salaries reduced by congress was 69, the annual saving being \$26,800, while the number of salaries increased was ten, the annual increase being \$33,741.

Mr. Emil Schanno, of the horticultural commission, returned Sunday from attending a meeting of the State Horticultural Society at Ashland. Some very handsome fruit was shown. Mr. Schanno is highly pleased with the Ashland country and predicts for it a brilliant future even without its mining interests, which are rapidly coming to the front as a rival to the fruit industry.

liant future even without its mining interests, which are rapidly coming to the front as a rival to the fruit industry. The latter though is permanent, and can never be worked out. The fruit area is much larger than he expected to see and there is room for thousands of families, who can secure good homes and make comfortable livings with less work than anywhere in the world.

PERSONAL MENTION.

Mrs. Dr. Houck of Mitchell was in the city yesterday, and left for Portland today.

Mr. and Mrs. L. D. Ainsworth returned Friday from a visit with relatives in Salem.

Mrs. W. P. Short of Sellwood spent Sunday with the captain and her son, Ray, in this city.

Judge Bradshaw arrived home from Prineville today, having finished his term of court there.

Mrs. Isabella Gray arrived home this morning, after an extended visit to New York and Bridgeport, Conn.

Mr. Martin Donnell and wife returned Saturday from a trip to Victoria and the Sound cities. They will leave for Goldendale tomorrow.

Dr. A. Dietrich and family were in from Dufur yesterday.

John A. Zunnwald of Wamie, W. B. Presby of Goldendale, Wm. T. and Geo. Vandervoort of Dufur, J. Jones and son, and James Brown of Tygh Valley, are all registered at the Umatilla.

MARRIED.

In the pastor's study, in this city, Oct. 19, 1894, Mr. T. J. Harper and Miss Mary A. Lance, Rev. J. Whisler, pastor of the Methodist Episcopal church, officiating.

BORN.

In this city, on the 20th, to the wife of J. W. Blakely, a 9-pound boy.

Frank Dekum's Funeral.

The funeral of the late Frank Dekum took place at Portland, at 10 o'clock this morning. Shortly before he died he stated that he was a plain man and wanted his funeral conducted in an unostentatious manner.

Major Hartwig, who for the past year has been engaged allotting the lands of the Warm Spring agency to the Indians under the Individuality Act as amended in 1891, has finished his labors.

The success that has attended the use of Dr. J. H. McLean's Volcanic Oil Liniment in the relief of pain and in curing diseases which seemed beyond the reach of medicine, has been truly remarkable.

Bidad—I understood you have been making love to my wife. Tapleigh—Er—er—Bidad—I want to give you a warning! Tapleigh—Er—er—Bidad—Look at me, and see what you'll come to if you persist. Good day.—The Reporter.

For the many accidents that occur about the farm or household, such as burns, scalds, bruises, cuts, ragged wounds, bites of animals, mosquitoes or other insects, galls or chafed spots, frost bites, aches or pains in any part of the body, or the ailments resulting from exposure, as neuralgia, rheumatism, etc.

There has been an afternoon party for women only every day this week. The women will need the assistance of the men, however, a little later, when the fall hats begin to arrive.—Acheson Globe.

St. Mary's Academy

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BOARDING AND DAY SCHOOL FOR GIRLS.

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