

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:

	Regular price	Our price
Chronicle and N. Y. Tribune.....	\$2.50	\$1.75
Chronicle and Weekly Examiner.....	3.00	2.00
Chronicle and Weekly New York World..	2.25	2.00

LOCAL BREVITIES.

Saturday's Daily

E. J. Collins & Co. have removed the awning from in front of their store building.

The East End yielded nothing to the reporter this morning, except dust, and lots of it.

Farley & Frank re-opened this morning and are prepared to transact any business in their line.

Paul Schulz, recently general agent for the Northern Pacific railroad, committed suicide at Tacoma yesterday.

Constable Trana brought three persons from the Locks last night, who had been tried in the justice court and committed to jail for being drunk and disorderly.

They were H. Martin, who was sent up for ten days and — Lynot and Wm. Burns, who were rewarded with five days each. This was what Jailer Fitzgerald calls a rush from the Cascades.

The hen down in Kinersly's window must have been awfully surprised yesterday, when she found as a result of a bath given her that her plumage had changed to a lively red color.

Her little brovet children, however, did not seem to object to the change, and today from sleeping under her protecting wings they have taken on a slight tinge of the same color. The hen is in style being a perfect cerese color with bluet trimmings around her gills, but, no doubt, feels that she is putting on too much even for Easter.

James Richardson, who was arrested yesterday for throwing rocks at the section men, was examined this morning, the charge being assault with a deadly weapon. The testimony showed that he was going after some of the men armed with a monkey wrench.

Mrs. Richardson was charged with resisting an officer and her examination set for 2 o'clock this afternoon, at which time she was fined \$10.

It was really unkind in Mr. Pague, in view of the fact that Easter comes but once a year, and that as a matter of custom nearly every woman has a brand new bonnet that she wants to wear, to order up a rain for that day, but that is what is on the docket. The report for tomorrow says it will be showery, followed by cooler weather.

Mr. Pague is not infallible, hence the weather may be fine, yet we advise all the CHRONICLE's lady readers to take their umbrellas with them to church, or post their better-halves, or to-be better-halves, as the case may be, to come after them in case of rain.

Monday's Daily

The King's Daughters will meet tomorrow at 2 o'clock at the residence of Mrs. W. S. Myers. A full attendance is requested.

And still the bicycle craze continues. In the distribution this morning Mrs. Lottie Koontz captured the bicycle at C. S. F. Baker's.

Captain Webb went over the Oregon City falls yesterday in his barrel. It is stated that 5000 persons were present on the occasion. Several went from here.

A Bangor, Maine, paper tells of the salmon season at that place and that the first fish, weighing 22 pounds, was caught in a pool amid the floating ice, and that it sold for \$22, or \$1 per pound.

A convention of Epworth Leagues of The Dalles district will be held at Arlington, Or., on May 15th and 16th, for the purpose of organizing a district league. About twenty leagues will be represented.

Rain is needed in the wheat fields, but still they can stand it for awhile as it is. From the indications today and the futile attempts that the weather clerk made to send down a shower, it is fair to presume that a good soaking shower is preparing for a visit to us.

The hen and ducklings are gone from the Snipes-Kinersly drugstore window. They attracted a great deal of attention during their brief stay, and it was really comical the way the little fellows would bite off a piece of bread and then streak it to the water pan for a drink.

Easter was appropriately observed in all the churches, and all of them were beautifully decorated for the occasion. The day was a perfect one in spite of Brother Pague's prognostications, and the churches were all well filled. The Sunday schools also had special programs for the day.

J. B. Crossen is in trouble again, and all because his sorrel cat, with the longitudinal stripes of white and yellor-red, has again abandoned the grocery store. All through Lent Jerry was an example of goodness, but yesterday he skipped. His return to Mr. Crossen will gladden

that gentleman's heart, and he promises to forgive Jerry without any mental reservations, if he will only come back.

Tonight at 8 o'clock the bids for Dalles City bonds will be opened, and if the bids are satisfactory will be awarded.

There has been great inquiry concerning these bonds, more than fifty letters having been received requesting information as to the interest, time to run, etc.

The Dalles enjoys a good reputation in the financial world, and the bids tonight ought to be well up in price and show a handsome premium. It will be a great thing for the city to bond its indebtedness, as it would reduce the interest charges, and with good management the city ought to slowly reduce its debt.

The Dalles has the bicycle fever bad, and while in most cases the temperature runs very high, an exception to the rule came under the notice of a reporter as he sauntered along the brow of brewery hill yesterday, when a young man, who was evidently a novice in the art, decided to ride leisurely down the grade—being unable to resist the inclination. At length, coming to the conclusion that he was going too fast on the down-grade and might eventually strike the moral wave in Portland, he made up his mind, break or no break to stop—and he did.

The last seen of him he was walking slowly toward a wheel hospital, with his head and a hand in slings (not vice versa) and his trousers somewhat the worse for the short stop. And now he's sorry that he slid.

A Fake Lottery.

The bicycle craze had a decidedly new feature yesterday. There has been a scheme for disposing of the machines of the genuine lottery style, and yesterday after a drawing for the machine put up by C. S. F. Baker, when it was learned that his sister, Mrs. Koontz, had drawn the lucky number the ticket holders became suspicious and began to investigate.

A boy named Ferguson had drawn the ticket from the box, and it is claimed that this particular ticket was crumpled and soiled to such an extent that it caused the first suspicion that all was not right. Some of those interested interviewed the Ferguson boy, who, it is said, admitted that Baker had hired him to do the drawing giving him a ticket which he held concealed in his hand when he reached in the box, and which of course he drew out and so won the prize.

When this became known there was considerable excitement and bad feeling and the result was that Baker was arrested, charged with selling false and fictitious lottery tickets. The case was set for trial at 2 o'clock this afternoon, at which time the defendant and his attorney, Judge Bennett appeared and, as the latter had not examined into the matter the case was continued until 4 o'clock this afternoon. The matter is before Justice Davis.

A Lively Runaway.

There was a lively runaway this morning that came near getting to be an epidemic. Sandoz' team, the wagon loaded with stable refuse, started the fun on Union street. As they came up the street Keller's horse hitched to a light back, snuffed danger and struck out ahead of them. Turning up Third street at the courthouse corner they started Bob Hood, who was driving up that thoroughfare, and he fearing a smash-up put the buckskin in his nags and tried to run ahead of the storm. Up Third they came at break-neck speed, and it was hard to tell for awhile which was going to come in ahead, but Hood side tracked himself the first opportunity, while the Keller horse getting all he wanted, was easily caught, but the Sandoz team were still headed towards Dufur and going faster than a flying machine when last they were seen.

Real Estate Transactions.

The following deeds were filed since our last report:
Elizabeth Boardman and husband to Charles Boardman, the sw 1/4 sw 1/4, sec 18, tp 2 n of r 11 e; \$100.
Geo W Filloon and wife to Emerson Talcott & Co of Rockford, Illinois, lots 7, 8 and 9 in block 10, Humason's addition to Dalles City; \$500.
H C McKamey to Katie Campbell, se 1/4 of ne 1/4, sec 32, tp 1 n of r 13 e; \$300.
Rosana McKamey and others to H. C. McKamey, undivided five-sixths of se 1/4 of ne 1/4, sec 32, tp 1 n of r 13 e; \$266 66.
United States to the heirs of James L. McKamey, se 1/4 of ne 1/4, sec 32, tp 1 n of r 13 e.
John Moabus to Mrs. Ann Moabus, lot 4, block 6 Dalles City; \$1 and other considerations.

When Baby was sick, we gave her Castoria.
When she was a Child, she cried for Castoria.
When she became Miss, she clung to Castoria.
When she had Children, she gave them Castoria.

Republican Club Meeting.

There will be a meeting of the Columbus Precinct Republican club at Fairfield schoolhouse, Saturday, April 20th, for the purpose of electing delegates to the state convention of clubs to be held at Portland.

J. H. RIDDELL.

Jos. T. Peters & Co. have cord wood, which is desirable in all respects, and respectfully solicit your orders.

City Council.

An adjourned meeting of the city council was held last evening, the mayor and full board of councilmen except S. B. Adams, being present.

A committee of the board of fire delegates, consisting of John S. Schenck and others, asked on behalf of said board that a fire-alarm system be put in. Thereupon the committee on fire and water reported progress in the matter, and asked further time, which was granted.

Petition of F. X. Kramer and Charles B. Adams, asking that that portion of what is known as Harrison street, between lots A and B, in Kramer's addition, be vacated, was read and referred to committee on public property.

The report and recommendations of the committee on finance in the matter of the claims incurred on account of the smallpox, and which were heretofore referred to said committee was read, and on motion it was ordered that the report be received and that the recommendations and claims be acted upon separately. Thereupon the following claims were acted upon and allowed in the following amounts:

Miss L McNulty, labor.....	\$ 10 00
H C Neilson, mdse.....	33 65
Harry Wazner, nurse.....	125 00
Stevens Bros, hauling.....	50
J S Schoelling, watchman.....	47 50
Neil Stevenson, ".....	10 00
B W Stone, ".....	39 33
J W Blakeney, ".....	15 00
G C Bills, ".....	30 00
Prinz & Nitschke, mdse.....	96 75
Mrs Davis, meals.....	4 00
Joe T Peters Co, lumber.....	11 18
N Harris, mdse.....	1 50
Wood Bros, meat.....	1 96
Vanbibber & Worsley, mdse.....	3 35
C F Stephens, ".....	40 35
Maier & Benton, ".....	17 65
Chrisman & Corson, ".....	6 65
W A Kirby, ".....	50
H H Campbell, ".....	3 85
J B Crossen, ".....	9 75

On motion the matter of allowing the water commission the use of the rock crusher boiler for siphoning out the old reservoir, was referred to the committee on streets and public property with full power to act.

On motion council adjourned to meet Monday evening, April 15th, at 8 o'clock.

City Bonds Sold.

The bids for Dalles City bonds were opened last night at 8 o'clock and were as follows:

A. H. Curtiss, of The Dalles, bid for \$20,000 worth, paying for each \$500 bond, \$550.50, or 10 and 1-10th per cent. premium.

Theis & Barroll, of Spokane, bid for \$40,000 worth, 2 and 1-20th cents premium.

E. H. Rollins, of Boston, 1 1/2 cents premium.

R. H. Hurd, Seattle, 8 1/2 mills, premium.

The bonds were sold to Mr. Curtiss and to Theis & Barroll. Mr. Curtiss pays to the city for \$20,000 bonds, \$22,020, and Theis & Barroll \$40,820. The total is \$62,840, or \$2,840 premium.

The bid made by Mr. Curtiss is peculiarly gratifying. It shows the confidence our own business people who are thoroughly acquainted with the country and its resources have in it. The bids from the outside are also good, all at a premium, though slight. The bonding of the city's indebtedness is a grand thing. It cuts the interest charges down by one fourth, and at the same time pays off nearly \$3,000 of the principal. With economical management the city's indebtedness should now be gradually wiped out. The city's warrants now are mostly in the hands of her own people probably 95 per cent. of the whole amount being owned here. The same may be said of our county indebtedness, and besides this, a large share of Klickitat county's script has found its way into the hands of Dalles people.

There is not a business proposition that crops up but shows that The Dalles is one of the thriftiest business centers in the Northwest and the ownership of our county and city warrants is no exception to the rule.

Thinks He is Bad.

A Portland exchange has the following concerning Hawthorne, who will be tried at the coming term of the United States court:

"The most important case is that of John Hawthorne, who is charged with the murder of Indian Policeman Karpolis. As Hawthorne is said to be a desperado of the ancient Eastern Oregon type, one of the kind that shoot upon very slight provocation, his trial will be interesting. He is a dangerous man. A grafter, who after working the city was caught and incarcerated in a cell at the county jail next to Hawthorne's, and who became well acquainted with him, has said that were Hawthorne to secure a pistol in the court room or while in charge of the officers, he would strew the earth with a few dead men in an effort to get away."

Mens' Overshirt; Mens' Underwear

Now opening up the finest line of dress shirts and underwear ever showed in The Dalles. Every shirt 36 inches long, made up in the very best way, in an endless variety of patterns, perfect beauties. Also an elegant line of spring and summer underwear. Call and inspect them, you will be more than satisfied, both as to style and price.

ROBERT E. WILLIAMS,
Blue Front store, opposite Diamond Mills. al6f.

Mitchell News.

Our spring is far gone; soon summer will be here, and we will have had scarcely a taste of spring's flavoring, and only a sniff of its sweets. Our days and nights still continue to be a little on the howling nature, and not at all to be trusted. If you should go out for a walk the advice to take an overcoat should be respected and acted upon, if not there should be no complaint if you return frozen to death and snowed under or drowned. Not so apt to be drowned, for the prayer most often heard is "More rain."

Many predict a complete drouth and failures entire in their general crops, especially to those who have no irrigating advantages.

On the John Day the fruit trees are beautiful in their gorgeous display of bloom. At this place buds are but lately begun to open, but the trees are loaded with them. The prospects are that the loads of bloom and fine display is all for naught, the frost has so little respect.

Our butcher, Mr. Miller, was sadly disappointed in not seeing his family by Tuesday's stage, but a letter that gives him hope another week. His disappointment does not unfit him for a lively outlook for his business interests. His greatest trouble seems to be to supply the demand of good appetites. So far he has been very fortunate in securing some excellent beef, as I can vouch for: R. E. Misner's building makes a fine show, as it stands a half-story above every other building in town.

Many persons have taken the mining craze and are bound for the Iron King mines. I do not doubt but they will return well satisfied—that they have been fooled.

Owners of sheep are very busy caring for their flocks, and report a very good per cent of lambs. "No grass" is a great complaint among the sheep men.

There is a general dullness prevalent that sunshine or shower does not drive away. Everyone seems unsteady or in doubt, failing to invest enough to keep up their business interest.

There have been sheep-buyers here for some weeks, but I have not heard positively of any sales. A few cattle men sold but not sufficient to make money a drug. Prices given for 2-year-olds, \$14 and \$15; yearlings, \$10 to \$13. Generally these sales were made by persons that were desirous of a little ready money, but with all people seem to be more hopeful than last spring.

E. V. E.

Mitchell, Or., Apr. 9, '95.
WASHINGTON LETTER.

From our regular correspondent.

WASHINGTON, April 12, 1895.

It has been difficult to collect money from the government ever since the Cleveland administration came into power, and it is going to be more difficult than ever. It has been the policy of the treasury to raise all sorts of obstacles to defer payment on government vouchers of all sorts. It was this policy that caused Senator Gorman to say on the floor of the senate that if all proper demands on the government were paid there would be a deficit of not less than \$100,000,000. At a cabinet meeting held after the decision of the supreme court, in the income tax cases, was fully digested it was decided that the calling of an extra session of congress should be avoided, if possible; and the possibility of keeping money in the treasury by delaying payments upon appropriations made by congress was considered. It is not certain even then that congress will not have to be called together.

That the exemptions of incomes from rents and state and municipal bonds will cut off at least one-half of the amount that would have been received from the income tax is admitted by everybody who knows anything about the subject. And not a few believe that the advice of eminent lawyers, based upon the failure of the supreme court to declare the law either constitutional or unconstitutional, will result in the failure of thousands to pay the tax. Men who were loud in their praises of the income tax now bitterly opposed to it, because of the exemptions made by the court. They say that these exemptions will defeat the principal object of those who advocated an income tax—the compelling of alien landlords to bear a fair share in supporting the government—and throw the principal burden of the tax upon business men, manufacturers and other large employers of labor, and their argument appears to be a good one.

The charge, openly made in Washington, that two of the four justices of the supreme court who voted to sustain the constitutionality of the income tax did so on a legal technicality and that in the absence of that technicality the vote would have stood 6 to 2 against the constitutionality of the entire law, instead of the clauses exempted, is not calculated to add to the popularity of the law, nor to the willingness of anybody to pay the tax.

Friends—of Senator Blackburn in Washington say that Mr. Cleveland's action in appointing a man named Joplin to succeed Mrs. Helm as postmaster at Elizabethtown, Kentucky, after the senate had refused to act upon the nomination of Joplin to that office, will greatly aid Senator Blackburn in his campaign for re-election to the senate.

Mrs. Helm is the youngest sister of Mr. Abraham Lincoln and the widow of a confederate brigadier who died in battle, and it was at the request of ex-Confederate soldiers in Kentucky that Senator Blackburn expoused Mrs. Helm's cause and succeeded in preventing action upon Joplin's nomination. Mr. Cleveland is opposed to the re-election of Senator Blackburn, on account of his views on the silver question.

Mr. Cleveland now regrets that his friends arranged to have him invited to Chicago to make a gold speech in order to counteract the silver element, which seems to be in a fair way to get control of the democratic party in that state. The principal cause of his regret is that it has been represented to him that if he makes that gold speech it will result in an open rupture between himself and Vice-President Stevenson, who is stated to be the beneficiary of the democratic silver convention, which has been called to meet in that state in June. The official relations between Mr. Cleveland and Mr. Stevenson have been strained for a long time, but the former is not yet ready for an entire break in those relations. It is regarded as certain that the Illinois democrats will at that convention declare in favor of free silver, regardless of anything that Mr. Cleveland may say; hence his regret that anything should have been said about his making a gold speech in the state. He is just human enough not to wish to put himself in a position to get knocked down by the Illinois democrats.

Senator Dubois of Idaho, who is now in Washington, has, as all the world knows, some very positive views on the subject of the restoration of silver as a money metal. He says: "In my judgment the outlook for silver is bright. A great majority of the voters want it restored, and they will find a way to secure what they want. They will not be fooled any more with meaningless resolutions in national platforms or by politicians who talk one way and vote another." Senator Dubois believes the restoration of silver will be the work of the republican party.

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Real Estate Transaction.

The following have been filed for record since our last report:

Mary Laughlin to Mrs. Carrie Butler e 1/2 of lot 5 and 10 feet of west side of lot 6, block 11, Laughlin's addition to Dalles City.

Fence Declared.

A dispatch from London received from China this morning says:

Li Hung Chang's son-in-law telegraphs that the treaty of peace was signed in Simonsaki today, April 16, and that the terms are:

First—The Independence of Corea.

Second—Japan's retention of the conquered places.

Third—Japan's retention of the territory east of the Liau river.

Fourth—Permanent cession of Formosa.

Fifth—An offensive and defensive alliance between China and Japan.

PERSONAL MENTION.

Saturday.

Mr. Alex Fargher is up from Portland. Rev. J. H. Wood returned from Portland on the noon train.

Mr. Rashky of Portland is in the city for the purpose of purchasing hides.

Mr. Harry Bochau, a former Dalles boy, returned this morning, after a two-year stay in Denver.

Mr. Remington, of Clarke county, Wash., came up on the Regulator last night and returned this morning.

Mr. John Parrott, who has been visiting his brother in Goldendale, is again home. He reports his brother as making good progress on his new motive power and machinery.

Col. Pollock, of Lexington, Ky., was a passenger on the D. P. & A. N. Co.'s line yesterday, from Portland to this city. He has been in California for several months and his comments on that section, in conversing with a CHRONICLE reporter last night, shows that he is a keen observer. He was delighted with Oregon and could not speak warmly enough of the grand scenery of the Columbia. Oregon, he thinks, has a grand future and will in the near future out-rank California as a fruit producer.

Monday.

Mr. Wood Gilman was in the city yesterday.

Mrs. C. L. Gilbert returned to Hood River this morning.

Miss Ethel W. Grubbs of Portland is in the city, the guest of Mrs. S. French.

Hon. E. L. Smith and S. J. LaFrance came up from Hood River this morning.

Mr. and Mrs. F. A. McFarland passed through today going from Hood River to Heppner.

Mrs. Geo. St. Johns, who has been visiting her mother in this city, returned to Tacoma yesterday.

Mr. Arthur Clarke, who has been in California for the past year, returned to the city Saturday night.

Among those going to the Locks today were Mr. and Mrs. S. L. Brooks, Rev. Curtis and wife, Mrs. R. F. Gibbons, Mrs. H. Glenn, Mrs. B. S. Huntington and A. S. MacAllister.

Governor Lord, Secretary of State Kincaid and Treasurer Metchan arrived here from Union this morning. They had been examining into the matter of the branch insane asylum at that place and stopped off here this morning to take the Regulator, and examine the portage railway and work at the Locks.

DIED.

In this city, Saturday night, the infant child of Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Morton.

In this city, Monday, April 15th, the infant child of Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Brown.

Clothing! Clothing!

We invite you to inspect our new spring stock of mens' suits, boys' suits and childrens' suits, latest cuts. Also a very large assortment of mens' and boys' pants in all the new styles. Never in the history of low prices has such been offered. We will guarantee to save you fully 50 per cent. Remember the location.

ROBERT E. WILLIAMS,
Blue Front store, opposite Diamond Mills. al6f.

Real Estate Transactions.

W. L. Vanderpool and wife and T. H. Johnston and wife to I. J. Powell, bond for a deed to block 28 in Johnston and Vanderpool's addition to town of Dufur; \$230.

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CHARLES S. MOSES.