

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 Oregonian	3.00	2.00
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LOCAL BREVITIES.

Saturday's Daily

The canal at the Cascades is now full of water. When the river begins to fall the fishermen may get a big haul of salmon within the gates.

The upper river is falling quite rapidly. The river here has fallen 8 in fifteen hours, and will fall for the next four days. It now stands at 27.9.

The bright weather of today is very welcome, as were the showers preceding it. The conditions for grain are first-class, and this section will rejoice in a bountiful harvest.

For the benefit of those who were not able to attend the exhibition of this year's school work at St. Mary's academy, the rooms will be open to visitors tomorrow afternoon and all of Monday.

Dr. H. R. Hesse, the well known veterinary, has come to The Dalles as a permanent resident. He is one of the most highly educated men in his profession. The doctor is temporarily located at the European House.

The fishermen report the salmon to be coming a little better, but there is nothing like a run. When the water falls there will undoubtedly be a good catch as the amount reported at Astoria indicates a subsequent run here.

Dr. Ford, a prominent minister and lecturer of Seattle, will lecture at the Methodist church, on Monday evening, June 10th. Subject: "American Conflict; or who shall educate our youth." The admission will be 25 cents.

The new wool press in Moody's warehouse is in shape and the platform built ready for use. As soon as the wool receipts are small enough so that the men can give their attention to baling, the presses in both warehouses will be started.

Rev. U. N. Hawk, late of Montana, but now pastor in charge of the Methodist church at Goldendale, will occupy the pulpit of the M. E. church in this city Sunday evening. Rev. Hawk is highly recommended as a speaker, and all invited to be present.

That there are lots of sheep in the country can be clearly seen from the vast number that are crossing the river daily at this point. The inhabitants at the west end of town have occupation watching the efforts of the herders to keep several thousand sheep going in one direction.

Mr. W. H. Taylor of Dry Hollow is building a large Christmas dryer. When finished it will be very complete, as he intends buying a prune grader to sort the immense crop of prunes he has been drying. It is worth visiting for anybody interested in fruit culture.

Those in the drama had their second practice last evening. The different persons in the cast are showing great interest in their work, and Mr. Rasmus, the director, expressed himself very well satisfied with the progress that is being made. "Damon and Pythias" will be put on the boards probably about June 14th, and arrangements will be made to give it two nights if necessary.

The Wasco warehouse is being enlarged by extending the roof of the porch about twenty feet, thus forming a large shed for the storing of the large amount of wool yet expected. The upper floor in the warehouse is completely full and nearly all the space below is taken. Additional room will be provided till storage for all the wool is provided.

There is some talk of the Third regiment holding an encampment at Hood River during one of the summer months. Nothing has been definitely settled however. Hood River would be an ideal place to hold an encampment, but we doubt whether the finances of the state will permit any encampment this year. Such an occasion would be of great benefit to the organization.

The supreme court has ordered the proceedings brought by F. P. Mays, ex-United States district attorney, against Judge O. P. Mason referred to C. H. Sholes, of Portland, to take and report testimony. The proceedings were instituted to have Mason ousted from the bar because of connection with the Sunday Mercury under a former management. It was supposed that the case had been dropped and lost sight of—Portland Dispatch.

Mr. A. J. Shrum of Mitchell, Crook is in the city. He reports that in coming to The Dalles he passed over the new grade that is being built by Mr. Shearer, up Ourrent creek hill. Mr. Shearer hopes to have the grade completed in about a week for the use of heavy teams. This road, when finished, will be a great benefit to all who have to use it and

when completed will be one of the best in the state. Mr. Shearer is deserving of great credit for the excellent work he has done on this and other grades in Wasco county.

A young son of Mr. Henry Williams, who lives on 8-Mile, was seriously and perhaps fatally injured yesterday afternoon near Deschutes. The man was on horseback hunting stock. The horse stumbled and fell, throwing the young man underneath in such a way that the pommel of the saddle struck him in the abdomen. The injured man was taken to the home of Will Cushing and a physician hurriedly summoned. The doctor made him as easy as possible and it is to be hoped that no fatal results will attend the young man's accident.

Monday's Daily.

The case of the state vs. Carlisle was continued.

Warm weather is predicted for tomorrow and Wednesday.

The upper river continues to fall. A rise is predicted on Wednesday for the water above, as while the Columbia here will rise Thursday.

Mr. C. G. Abbott of Wapinitia is seriously ill. He is a pioneer aged over seventy years and has been a long time resident of this county.

Rev. U. M. Hawk of Goldendale preached last evening at the Methodist church. The attendance was good and the discourse very fine.

This week is the height of the strawberry season and all the grocery stores are filled with berries. A great many are being shipped away every day.

A citizen of The Dalles who owned a large band of sheep in Umatilla county disposed of them last week for two dollars a head. There were over 800 in the band.

Yesterday was the first warm day we have had for several weeks and the sunshine was quite a change from the preceding cloudy days. The grain needs some warm weather and it will do vegetables and fruits much good.

Many persons took advantage of the fine weather and placid river yesterday to take a sail on the water; the fishing boats became pleasure boats for the occasion, and made a very pretty sight with their white sails on the beautiful Columbia.

The wool continues to come in large quantities, but no further activity is noticed in the market. The most important transfer was the selling of 50,000 pounds belonging to Geo. Young of Bake Oven. This lot brought 9 cents per pound.

The son of Aleck Gray, who formerly lived on 5-Mile, but is now a resident of Eugene, died in this city at noon today. The young man was about 20 years of age and came to The Dalles about a week ago, suffering from tubercular disease. The remains will be taken to Eugene for burial.

A family reunion was held at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. I. N. Sargent. There were present their children, Mr. C. C. Sargent of Heppner, Mrs. Hunsaker of Waitsburg, and Mrs. H. E. Wilson of Nansene. They were all present to bid their parents, who leave on an extended Eastern trip, goodbye.

Mr. Curtis gave his audience some good advice yesterday as to the best way of putting hymn books in the rack. They should be placed with their long edges on the bottom of the rack as they are thus held more securely and prevented from being jammed against other books in a way that does damage to the covers and leaves.

The doctor gives a bad report from young Williams, who was so badly hurt last week. The young man has been moved into his brother's house in this city, where everything possible in the medical line will be done for him. The greatest danger is from internal injuries and it is yet too soon to tell whether or not these have resulted.

Some men from the fishing boat Lillian took up their nets Saturday and spread them on the beach to dry. Some little pigs came along on a tour of investigation and were mixed up with the nets to their lamentable damage. Five of the little fellows were caught. This goes to show that if you can't catch a salmon there is no reason why pigs shouldn't be caught.

Mr. William Rasmus, who is drilling the members of the Damon and Pythias caste, is an elocutionist of unusual ability and is having good success with his efforts among The Dalles amateurs. The rehearsal last Saturday night showed much improvement and the way in which Mr. Rasmus did his part proved him to be an actor of much force. The people of The Dalles will enjoy a treat when the performance is given.

The excursion by the orchestra which was to have been given May 26th, will be given Sunday, June 16th. Tickets that have already been purchased will be good on the new date. The trip will be made to Cascades and return on the Regulator. The dedication of the new Catholic church will take place at Cascades on the same day, and an opportunity will be given the excursionists to witness the ceremonies. It is expected Archbishop Gross will be present.

A special train of two cars passed through The Dalles yesterday. On board were President James J. Hill, of the Northern Pacific, and party. No lengthy stop was made and the train

soon hurried through to Portland. The movements of Mr. Hill are watched just now with a great deal of curiosity as there is talk of his obtaining control of the O. R. & N. We hope such a result will not come to pass as the railroad has just had one disastrous experience of foreign control and both the road itself and the country through which it passes will fare better under the present management.

The special train arrived from Portland at 2:30 this afternoon containing the members of the order of Railroad Conductors, who are taking a jaunt through the United States. They have already been in twenty-six different states and territories. The train was made up of a baggage car, diner, four sleepers and the observation car. After a short stay the cars were switched and the train proceeded to Portland. Conductor Miller was in charge of the party.

Tuesday's Daily.

Dr. Ford at the Methodist church, Monday evening, June 10th.

The observation car made its appearance on the local again today.

A marriage license was issued yesterday to Frank Steinmiller and Isabelle Watt of Mosier.

The upper river continues falling. A rise is expected to come Thursday. The river here is falling steadily.

The river has fallen a great deal in the last few days and the danger of high water is now considered over.

The body of young Albert Gray who died yesterday, was taken to Eugene on this morning's train for burial.

Frank Williams, who was hurt in the accident at Deschutes and brought to town, is reported not so well today.

The jury in the case of Urquhart vs. Eshelman returned a verdict a few minutes ago, in favor of the plaintiff.

The rehearsal for the play of "Damon and Pythias" occurs tonight. The members of the caste are requested to be prompt in attendance.

The work on the new opera house goes steadily forward, and a large force of men is at work. The building will be done about the first of next month.

The Fruit Union contemplates staying in The Dalles and are making arrangements for building a large warehouse on the lot this side of the Pease & Mays warehouse.

The trial of John Hawthorne, charged with the murder of the Indian, Karpolis, at Warm Springs a year ago, will occur in Portland June 21. Sheriff Driver will be one of the important witnesses.

Next Friday morning the demurrer in the case of the State vs. Ed. Martin will be heard. This matter was decided at the last term of court, but on motion of the defendant's counsel was reopened for another hearing.

The foot of Washington street is covered with cord wood. All the scows land and discharge their cargoes there. The Interstate is unloading today. The frequent winds of late have been favorable to bringing the scows up the river.

Seven cars of stock were shipped from The Dalles last night to Portland and seventeen will go today for the eastern market. Six of these will be filled with cattle and eleven with sheep.

Through traffic on the railroad is increasing and both the night trains are well filled with passengers. It is a good sign to see travel increasing as it shows an alleviation of hard times.

The young ladies of the First Christian church will give a Conundrum social on the lawn of Geo. W. Miller, corner of Eighth and Court streets, Wednesday evening, at 8 o'clock. Bring your best girl along and treat her to refreshments.

The Gibson family, who have troubled our city police for several years, were arrested again last night for vagrancy and upon promising to leave town today were released. They are pitiable examples of human wrecks.

The first berries from Wasco county were shipped this year on May 14th. Last year there were none sent till May 28th. The impression that this season is a late one is erroneous and the dates show that it is much earlier than a year ago.

The passenger train going east last night was a "double header," two engines being necessary to pull it. In addition to a large number of coaches there were two carloads of berries from Hood River besides 200 crates in the express cars. Two additional cars were to be added at Pendleton.

At the regular convention of Friendship lodge, No. 9, K. of P., held last evening, the following officers were elected for the ensuing term: John Gavin, C. C.; R. G. Davenport, V. C.; E. B. Dufur, prelate; J. S. Davis, M. of W.; John C. Hertz, M. at A. The new term begins on the first Monday in July.

In yesterday's issue the type made us say that the jury in the Maloney and Snelling case stood on the first ballot eight for conviction and four for acquittal. This was an error as can be seen from the context; what was intended was eight for acquittal and four for conviction.

Finest cabinet photos \$2.50 per dozen at Herrins studio Chapman block, The Dalles, Oregon. Eighteen first prizes taken. Clip this notice out and bring it with you and it is good for one photo extra with every dozen photos. j6-1m

THE WATER COMMISSION MEETS

Full Report of the Transactions Before The Board—Another Meeting Today.

At 3 p. m. yesterday the members of the water commission held a meeting in their office. Commissioner Hugh Logan, J. B. Crossen, W. H. Wilson, T. A. Ward and Hugh Chrisman were in attendance. In the absence of J. O. Mack, president of the board, W. H. Wilson was chosen chairman pro tem. After the reading of the previous minutes by Secretary Chrisman the following bills were ordered paid:

J. W. Blakemore, hauling	\$ 25
Snips-Kinney Drug Co., supplies	1 00
Mays & Crowe, supplies	5 20
Maier & Benton, supplies	50 50
W. H. Young, labor	1 20
J. J. Norman, superintendent	75 00
H. Laffin, helper	55 00
H. Chrisman, secretary	5 00
J. J. Norman, advance freight on meters	6 00
Buffalo Meter Co., meter	101 75

The treasurer's report as follows was read and accepted:

TREASURER'S REPORT.	
April 30—Cash on hand per report	\$1883 94
May 8—From Allison note	15 00
May 1-31—Norman, water rent	908 25
Total	\$2807 19

CONTRA.	
May 1—By warrant No. 54	\$ 17 69
May 1—By warrant No. 56	75 00
May 1—By warrant No. 57	55 00
May 1—By warrant No. 58	5 00
May 1—By warrant No. 59	20 00
May 3—By warrant No. 53	16 88
May 8—By warrant No. 55	75 00
May 18—Bills Rec. county warrant No. 974	10 00

Total \$2906 87

Cash on hand \$2806 87

Respectfully submitted,

I. I. BURGET, Treasurer.

The report of Superintendent Norman showed a total book account of \$1278.75. Of this amount \$908.25 has been collected, leaving a balance uncollected of \$370.50.

The bids for digging and filling the ditch on Fourth street from the corner of Liberty to the corner of Dr. Shakelford's house, were read and showed that Nil Stevenson offered to do the work for 35 cents per lineal foot, F. M. King and J. Stanfield bid 15 cents per lineal foot and W. R. Brown asked 8 cents for the same amount. W. R. Brown being the lowest bidder, was given the contract and instructed to give bonds in double the amount of his bid.

At this juncture S. B. Adams, as a committee of three appointed by the city council, appeared before the commission and asked that the city be released from paying the water rent of \$32 per month, which it has been compelled to pay. After hearing Mr. Adams' remarks the commission decided not to grant the request and that the city should continue to pay the water rent.

The bids of Mays & Crowe and Maier & Benton for 700 feet of four-inch pipe were postponed until the meeting today. In addition to the amount of cash on hand indicated by the treasurer's report the commission has about \$1500 worth of city and county scrip. As further business was necessary to be transacted, a special meeting was decided upon today at 4 p. m. to which time the commission adjourned.

AT ST. MARY'S ACADEMY.

Exhibition of Students' Work Held in the Building—A Fine Exhibit.

A CHRONICLE reporter visited St. Mary's Academy this afternoon to see the exhibit of the students' work for the past year. The well-arranged building was devoted to specimens of skill in the different branches of knowledge. In the two large rooms on the right of the hall was placed the work that had been chosen to go on exhibition as the best. Long tables, covered with neatly-written examination papers, told of attentive, industrious scholars and hours of study. On the walls were hung paintings in oil and water colors that bore evidence of much skill on the part of the artist. Some delicate samples of needle work attracted much attention from the spectators.

One of the most interesting portions of the exhibit was the work done by the boys of St. Joseph's school—little lads ranging 9 to 12 years of age. The specimens were all very creditable, and showed a talent that would have done credit to persons of maturer age. The boys had been given subjects upon which they were to write compositions; but, unlike most compositions, the subjects were required to be illustrated. The reporter recognized a well-drawn likeness of Father Bronsgeest, executed by a lad of eleven years. A picture of Pope Pius IX was also very creditable to the young artists. Some of the compositions were written on such subjects as the new cruisers of our government, and on each paper was drawn a picture of the particular subject about which the paper was written.

Among the exhibits particularly noticed were a crayon of two dogs' heads, by Miss Katie Quaid and some drawn fancywork by Miss Cassie Thorburn. The pictures in oil by Mrs. Baldwin included the "Cascade in Alps," "The Three Sisters" and several other very pretty paintings. Miss Downing from Condon, Gilliam county, had a picture of Castle Rock and one also of Mt. Adams, which showed much skill and training on the part of the young artist. Upon a table were some carefully prepared Herbariums by Alma Schanno,

Agnes LeDuc, Cassie Thorburn and Ada Smith. The flowers were arranged with much taste. Especially fine were the botanical specimens. Over one hundred and thirty had been prepared, but the limited room allowed only a small number to be shown. The different pieces will be taken to Montreal, Canada, for exhibition as soon as the commencement exercises are over.

The examination papers in all the different subjects which the students are taught, were placed on exhibition. They were wonderfully neat. One thing that especially commended itself was the requiring of the different subjects to be illustrated. In physiology one of the questions was upon the structure of the ear and on each paper was drawn a picture of the ear, showing on the part of the students a perfect comprehension of what they had studied. In other portions of the room were exhibitions of pen drawing, painting on tapestry, Roman embroidery, point lace, crochet work and studies from nature. Some papers in the theoretical music showed how thorough a course the student in that art must take.

The St. Mary's school has had a very prosperous year, considering the hard times, and the outlook is very bright. In the girls' department there have been twenty-eight boarders, and large numbers of day scholars, while in the St. Joseph school for boys there have been over fifty in attendance. At the commencement exercises, which will occur on June 14th, three young ladies will graduate. The prospective ones are Misses Alma Schanno, Cassie Thorburn and Agnes LeDuc.

A visit to this school, which is a pride and ornament to the city, will well repay any one who will go either tomorrow afternoon or Monday.

PERSONAL MENTION.

Saturday.

Mr. Winans of Hood River came up on the boat last evening.

Dr. Siddall took a trip down the river on this morning's boat.

Mr. T. H. Johnston of Dufur is in attendance at court today.

Miss Blanche Dufur from Dufur is visiting friends in the city.

Mr. C. J. Crandall was a passenger to Hood River on the Regulator this morning.

Mr. E. H. Merrill leaves Monday as a delegate to the I. O. G. T. convention in Portland.

Dr. E. R. Wingate of Spokane, formerly a resident of this city, is in The Dalles today.

Mr. E. N. Chandler, who has been in Wamie the last two weeks assessing, has returned to The Dalles.

Mrs. A. S. MacAllister and Mrs. Parker of Hood River went to that town this morning by steamer.

Mr. S. Vanlerol, who has been in The Dalles for the past week, returned to Portland this morning.

Mrs. Simeon Bolton and family, who have been visiting several days in Goldendale, returned home yesterday.

Mr. W. W. Wilson, of the Umatilla House, returned last evening from spending some time out of the city.

Miss Annie Thompson, who has just closed a successful term of school near Dufur, returned home last evening.

Mr. W. L. Hinkle of Antelope came in yesterday with his family to spend a few days in town. He says the roads are covered with wool teams coming into The Dalles.

Miss Lena Snell, who has been a teacher in the public schools during the past year, has returned to her home in Gilliam county. She was accompanied by her sister, Miss Lillian, who has been attending school here.

Monday.

Miss Salina Phirman returned home on the Regulator Saturday evening.

Mr. W. S. Williams of Boyd was a caller at THE CHRONICLE office today.

Charley Michelbach went to Collins Landing this morning to spend a few days catching fish.

Mr. A. C. Snowden of Tacoma, spent Sunday in The Dalles visiting his brother, Mr. G. D. Snowden.

Mr. Robert McIntosh left by the boat this morning to attend the Good Templars' convention at Forest Grove.

Wm. Eccles and Frank Davenport of the Oregon Lumber Co. at Viento, returned on the local train this afternoon.

Mr. Thos. Batty and Frank Batty, father and brother of Mr. Fen Batty, night clerk in the Umatilla House, were in the city Saturday.

Miss Grace Sharp is reported very ill again. Last Saturday she was considered much worse, but later reports say she is somewhat better.

Mr. Henry Blackman, collector of customs, about whom the democratic spoils hunters are gnashing their teeth, was in The Dalles on Saturday.

Guy McCully, son of Engineer McCully of the Regulator, who has been attending Mt. Angel college has returned home to spend the vacation months.

Mrs. Ada Wood Davis of La Grande a former teacher in The Dalles public schools is spending a few days with her friend Miss Melissa Hill of Dry Hollow.

Mr. Don Fisher, who has been a student in the electrical department of Leland Stanford, Jr., University, has returned home to spend his vacation. He will go back to school in the fall.

Mrs. J. H. Wood, wife of the pastor of the Methodist church, came from Portland by boat Saturday. Mrs. Wood and children have been spending the school year at University Park and are now home for the summer.

Mrs. Neil Boyer, who has been seriously ill for several weeks, was taken to Portland this afternoon on the local train. Mrs. LaDow, a relative from Portland, came up to accompany the sick lady on her trip. Her friends are very anxious to hear of her being better, as

the doctors have done everything in their power for her with no signs of improvement.

A. C. Sandford, who now represents the Cummins Harvester Co. in the Pacific Northwest, has started out for his summer travels in the interest of that concern. He will prove a first class man for his employers.

Mr. Geo. A. Hardy, who years ago was a resident of The Dalles and the life of every crowd he was in, came up today on the special train bearing the conductors' excursion. Mr. Hardy is now in the dispatcher's office of the Southern Pacific.

Mr. and Mrs. I. N. Sargent left today on the local train for Portland, where they will take the Canadian Pacific for the East. THE CHRONICLE joins with their many friends in wishing them the happiest kind of a trip and assuring them of a welcome on their return.

Tuesday.

Mr. A. A. Bonney of Portland is in town today.

Miss Gertrude French returned last evening from a short visit in Portland.

Will Freden left for Hood River this morning on a short fishing expedition.

Mr. J. M. Russell of Portland is in the city, numbered among the wool buyers.

Miss Thompson and Miss Riggs of Portland are visiting friends in the city.

Mr. M. Herick, of the cannery, returned last evening from a business trip to Portland.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Barnett have gone to Forest Grove as delegates to the I. O. G. T. convention in Forest Grove.

Mrs. Benton Mays and family returned on the Regulator last evening from a visit to Mr. and Mrs. Pierce Mays in Portland.

Mr. D. Parrott, who has been in The Dalles for sometime perfecting the engine for the flying machine, returned to Goldendale on the stage this morning.

Mr. D. Bannell, a former resident of The Dalles but who for several years has lived in Idaho, was a passenger on the Regulator this morning. He has been visiting his son, Dennis.

Mrs. W. E. Rhinehart left by the boat this morning for Portland, where she will spend a portion of the summer in hospital work connected with her medical studies.

Mrs. Wes Rice, who has been seriously ill for a long time, was taken to Portland on this morning's boat. He will be placed in the hospital and with careful nursing will soon be on the road to recovery.

Mr. Charles Shafer, a newspaper man of experience and much ability, did reportorial work on the steamer yesterday. Mr. Shafer was formerly on the staff of the Boise City Statesman.

Professor John Gavin and wife leave this evening for the Eastern states. They will visit their old home in Illinois and stop off at different places on the route. They will return about the middle of August.

MARRIED.

By W. C. Curtis, pastor of the Congregational church of this city, at his residence on Second street, Wednesday evening, May 29th, Christian E. Franzen, of Klickitat county, Wash., and Miss Rose Sill, of The Dalles, Or.

In this city Saturday evening June 1st by Rev. W. C. Curtis, at the residence of Mr. W. Rice, David W. Mann and Mrs. Nellie Jackson.

The Criminal Trial.

The case of Maloney and Snelling will probably go to the jury this evening. The following witnesses were examined this afternoon on the part of the defendant: Frank Gabel, Geo. Reed, Mrs. Maloney, Emma Phirman, Tom Maloney, J. J. Maloney, John Crate, Mrs. Douglass, Mr. Douglass, Bena Snelling, Mr. McGee, Mr. Mesplie, James Smith, M. Flemming, Swanson, Robt. Kelley, Hill.

At 2 o'clock Pros. Atty. Jayne began his argument for the state and following him came E. B. Dufur for the defense. Mr. Dufur was speaking as THE CHRONICLE went to press. The impression around the courthouse seems to be that either a verdict of acquittal or a disagreement will be the result.

Mountain Home School Report.