

The Weekly Chronicle.

THE DALLES, OREGON
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A BLOW TO LABOR.

From a recent issue of Bradstreet's we learn that the railroads of the country during the first half of the present year, showed very satisfactory aggregate gains over last year. The total gross earnings of 145 companies, operating about two-thirds of the country's railroad mileage were \$349,099,773, a gain of 3.6 per cent. over the first half of 1894, while the net earnings aggregated \$102,767,786 a gain of 8.1 per cent., or more than twice the proportion of gain in gross earnings.

It is very evident from the above figures that the railroads have learned a thing or two about reducing expenses and at the same time working with the same efficiency. The great difference in per cent. gain between the gross and net earnings represents the amount that has been saved by employing labor at cheaper rates and making two men perform the work heretofore done by three. This is only one of the many evil results that has come to labor by the workings of a free trade administration. Great corporations have been compelled to practice the closest economy, and have learned how better to bring down the screws than they ever knew before. The temporary hurt which labor has received does not end the trouble, for when once people have learned to practice economy and have found out they can do without certain things, or certain help, will continue their economic methods hereafter. The grievous mistake the laboring men made in 1892 will be a long time in being corrected.

APPLIES TO US ALSO.

The Spokesman Review in commenting upon the coming fruit fair to be held in Spokane says:

The approaching fruit fair will have an educational as well as a social value. To thousands it will convey information upon the resources of this section, and instruction regarding the successful growth of the products of the garden and the orchard. The value of this information is beyond measurement. Its influence will extend down through the ages. Aside from these broad benefits, the fair will carry pleasure and wholesome excitement into thousands of lives. Hundreds of farmers and their hard-working wives will escape for a little while from the hum-drum duties of the home, to enjoy that variety and novelty so essential to good feeling and happiness, and to hear musical concerts of the highest order.

Entertainment of this variety is elevating and refining. It is incomparably more wholesome than the circus or the race course. It makes the people better, broader and happier. In fine, it makes life worth living.

These well expressed words apply without any change to The Dalles. Our fair beginning October 8th, will be the means of bringing much benefit and pleasure to the people of this district. Every endeavor should be made to induce large crowds to attend from abroad and treat them so well while here that they will go home with kindly memories of The Dalles, and both visitors and hosts may be benefited by the coming together.

A "BANNER DAY."

Carried away by its free-trade enthusiasm, the New York World said recently: "Yesterday was the banner day of the custom house. The entries for customs were 1519 and the receipts were \$438,295.95. No day in the history of the customs at New York, under the McKinley bill approached these receipts within \$50,000.

As for ourselves, we would much rather hear of banner days at American factories, on which more goods would be made and more wages paid than ever before. There is something absurd in this boasting of the influx of foreign goods at a time when many more worthy people are out of work and many more are working for low wages.

The McKinley bill can stand the implied sneer in the above paragraph. It did not destroy foreign commerce as its opponents held it would, but it held in check foreign imports that competed with home industries. It was not framed to create a "baner day" at the Custom House.—Economist.

The annual Methodist conference began its session in Portland today with the attendance of a large number of ministers and lay delegates. Many important questions will come for discussion before this body, none of which will approach in importance and interest the one regarding the admission of women as delegates. For many years

the Methodist church has wrestled with this problem, which now is nearer solution than ever before. The ladies are winning many supporters and as no valid reason exists why they should not be allowed to mingle in the deliberations of a church of which they form the greatest constituent part, a little more agitation will see the bars that hinder them lowered. The conference at Spokane took action favorable to the admission of women and it is expected the Portland meeting will not lag behind.

THE PRICE OF WARRANTS.

We have an opinion that Sherman county, having been set apart from Wasco county at a time when this region was considered an encumbrance to The Dalles, has done pretty well and may be considered thrifty, "padding her own canoe." (See quotations of warrants issued by the two counties—Sherman 97 1/2, Wasco 65 per cent.). And now if The Dalles wants our trade so very bad, let her obtain it without expense to Sherman county taxpayers.—Moro Observer.

Mr. Ireland is generally so correct in his statements and conclusions that the above quotation of warrants is surprising. Wasco county warrants long ago reached par and for the last three months have been selling at 1 per cent premium with more people ready to buy than there are to sell. It is no discredit to Sherman county to say its warrants are not so eagerly sought as those of its older neighbor.

The State Fair at Salem is attracting large crowds to the capital city, and promises to be an unusually successful meeting. In former years the State Fair was the one great time of the year to the people of the Willamette valley, and did great good in bringing together persons from all walks of life. In European countries the fets and fairs have become fixtures in the life of the people, while in America they have been allowed to degenerate in horse racing exhibitions. The general interest that is being taken in the State Fair is a sign that people are taking more interest in studying the products of the land in which they live, and becoming better acquainted with their neighbors. Such gatherings can do a great deal in breaking up the exclusiveness so prominent in this fin de siecle era.

One of the papers read before the annual meeting of the American association for the advancement of sciences enlarged on the wonders of modern engineering. Coal was referred to as a fossil, a preserved plant tissue, yet a man can mine enough of it in a day to obtain 133 horse power for ten hours equivalent to the physical labor of 1800 men. In Great Britain coal does the work of 100,000,000 men. By improved mechanical appliances the American farmer raises as much grain as three in England, four in France, five in Germany and six in Austria. In the United States one man can feed 250, whereas in Europe one man feeds only thirty persons. The speaker predicted that in the end the advance of engineering will obliterate the line between capital and labor in a manner satisfactory to all concerned.

According to Secretary Kincaid the future will show little change in the way Oregon's important offices will be filled. In a Seattle interview he says: "The political wire pullers are already charging their batteries for the two congressmen, one supreme judge and some circuit judges, who will be elected. Without a doubt, Binger Hermann, who has had ten years' experience as a congressman, will be elected to succeed himself; also W. R. Ellis, who has now been congressman two terms. There is no doubt but that United States senator John H. Mitchell will be re-elected to his seat by the next legislature."

The United States is in the banking business and has outstanding \$650,000,000 of demand obligation, payable in gold. The treasury reserve of gold for redemption purposes has been established without any authority of law at \$100,000,000. When this amount is encroached upon and the amount of gold in the treasury is only \$99,999,000, grave apprehensions are felt; but when the amount is \$100,000,000 the country is perfectly safe. Nothing could be more ridiculous than that the United States government should be engaged in the banking business with all its attendant consequences.

General Greely and Engineer Melville look upon Mr. Andree's scheme of reaching the north pole by the aid of a balloon, as utterly impracticable and call the conception foolish. Unbiased people will call it just as sensible as the life losing and futile attempts with which Greely and Melville were connected. As means of producing great suffering with no compensating good the North Pole expeditions lead all competitors.

Governor McKinley speaks only the truth when he says "there were no indications of a return to prosperity until after the election of 1894 with its republican victories." They were the beginning of a better condition whose fulfillment will come with the republican triumph of 1896.

Tammany is not dead nor even sleeping. Its triumph in the New York state convention yesterday shows it is very much alive and rejuvenated after its enforced vacating from running politics.

The total production of wheat in the import countries for 1895 is estimated at 749,422,000 bushels, and the production in the export countries is estimated at a total of 1,651,701,000 bushels, making the total wheat crop of the world this year 2,401,123,000 bushels. The minister has also amended the estimate published at the end of August last year of the 1894 crops by increasing his then estimate of the total yield of 2,467,000,000 bushels to 2,632,736,000 bushels, thus making this year's world's crop of wheat 232,000,000 bushels smaller than that of last year.

The government statistics for last August have appeared and make interesting reading. The imports for last month exceeded exports by \$15,282,729 against an excess of exports in August 1894, of \$9,079,075. This difference between the two months is amply sufficient to explain why the gold is leaving the country and a further bond issue deemed inevitable. The net amount of gold exported during last August was \$15,159,782. By its own statements is the democratic party condemned.

THE SPIRIT OF THE NORTHWEST PRESS.

La Grande Chronicle: Tom Reed will have six months of the next congress to make or mar his chances, and a presidential candidate in the speaker's chair will be a novelty.

Wasco News: It is a fact that the proposed new road to The Dalles will put some of Sherman county's wheat fields within eighteen miles of that city. And the locks will be finished by the first of the year. Think of it.

Telegram: It becomes more apparent every day that the Oregon Industrial Exposition this year will compel the oldest inhabitant to acknowledge that he never expected to live to see anything like it.

Pendleton Tribune: Several English papers have recommended the nomination of President Cleveland for a third term. The English are great jokers.

Heppner Gazette: South Carolina was one of the thirteen original states while Montana is but a youngster, yet the former spent only \$552,000 for schools while the latter expended for that purpose \$700,000, for the year 1894.

Baker City Democrat: The German Emperor ought to know that suppressing papers and punishing editors is not a good way to put down socialism in Germany. The average socialist is perfectly happy when given an opportunity to pose as a martyr.

East Oregonian: Seattle people have taken stock enough in a glass works to insure its speedy construction and operation in that city. This reminds us that there are still a few shares remaining unsubscribed in the woolen mill which must be taken before work on the mill buildings begin. Can't you take a share?

Telegram: If the Cuban insurgents capture Havana their belligerent rights will compel the recognition that is now solicited. Such a victory would settle all doubt as to the permanency of the insurrection and place the revolutionist movement on something like a parity with the government it assails.

Pendleton Tribune: The free-silver men now left in the country, as well as the great horde of democratic officeholders, are not slow in discovering that, no matter what the financial policy of the country, no nation can long remain prosperous under a tariff law which has brought such disaster and humiliation, public and private, as has this hybrid, mis-shapen thing called the Wilson-Gorman-Havemeyer deficit bill.

Salem Statesman: Oregon ought to do her own insurance of every kind, and part of that of adjoining states. Portland's leading capitalists with their money hoarded up could not do a more profitable thing nor a more beneficial thing to the state in which they have amassed their fortunes than in the organization, with the assistance of other prominent Oregonians, of a great life insurance company.

Moro Observer: As to the matter of taxing people every time "the idea strikes a few," to make roads to accommodate outsiders, we may say we have opinions, which might not be to the interests of this Rattlesnake canyon scheme, without some assurance that Wasco county would do something more in the future to keep up her end of the road from the DesChutes to The Dalles, than she has done in the past.

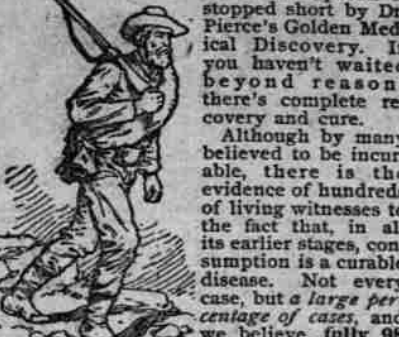
Arlington Record: The more thoroughly any subject is discussed the more certain are the people to render a correct verdict. This universal information is our strength. We may and do make mistakes, but we are always ready and willing as a people to correct those mistakes, and yet it can and must be truthfully said that we are constantly improving, which improvement and prosperity is the more readily seen when we compare our condition with that of other countries.

What Others Think of The Dalles.

Telegram: — Commercial travellers coming here from Pendleton, The Dalles Baker and Boise Cities, La Grande, Union, and other places of that size, tell wonderful stories of fast returning prosperity they find in all those places. They say that even for two years before the hard times set in they did not have so little complaint there as they now do. Business men are cheerful and the present state of affairs buoys them up with additional hope for a much increased good condition in the near future. Several commercial men said last night that they do not remember the time when so many interior merchants were prepared to discount their bills as at the present.

Persons intending to consult Dr. Lewenberg on his return to The Dalles, please read advertisement in an other part of the paper for instruction. 23-3t

THE ONWARD MARCH



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Executors' Notice.

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned, executors of the estate of H. A. Pratt, deceased, have on this day filed their final account in the County Court of the State of Oregon, for Wasco County, and that the Court has made an order appointing Monday, the 4th day of November, 1895, at 2 o'clock p. m. of that day, that being the first day of the regular November term of said court, as the time for hearing objections to the said final account and the settlement thereof, and the notice is hereby given by publication in The Dalles Chronicle for four weeks prior thereto.

All heirs, creditors and other persons interested in said estate are therefore hereby notified to file their objections to said final account, or to any item thereof, specifying the particulars of such objections, on or before the 4th day of Nov. 1895, and to show cause, if any they have, why said final account shall not be approved and allowed, and said executors discharged. The Dalles City, Sept. 6, 1895. Signed J. F. ARMOR, L. BUTLER, Executors of the will of H. A. Pratt, deceased.

Administratrix Notice.

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned has been duly appointed administratrix of the estate of L. J. Burget, deceased, by order of the County Court of the State of Oregon for Wasco County; all persons having claims against the estate of said deceased are hereby notified to present them with the proper vouchers thereof to the undersigned, at the office of Huntington & Wilson, The Dalles, Oregon, within six months from the date hereof. Dated September 24, 1895. MRS. A. T. BURGET, Administratrix.

Homestead Consolidated Notice.

LAND OFFICE, THE DALLES, OR., August 24, 1895. Notice is hereby given that the following named settlers have filed notice of intention to make final proof and commute to cash entry their respective claims before the register and receiver of the U. S. Land Office at The Dalles, Oregon, on the 7th day of October, 1895, viz: Levi C. Chrisman, Hd application No. 5119, for the S 1/2, NW 1/4 and N 1/2, SW 1/4, Sec 7, Tp 1 S., R 13 E. W. M.; and Frank Chrisman, Hd entry No. 5134, for the N 1/2, NE 1/4, Sec 12, Tp 1 S., R 13 E. and the N 1/2, NW 1/4, Sec 7, Tp 1 S., R 13 E. W. M. And that each of said claimants expects to prove his respective residence and cultivation of his respective tract, by two of the following named witnesses: E. H. Sharp, Frank Jones, Oscar Powell, Robert Hayes, all of The Dalles, Or. JAS. F. MOORE, Register.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.

LAND OFFICE, The Dalles, Or., Sept. 17, 1895. Notice is hereby given that the following named settler has filed notice of his intention to make final proof in support of his claim, and that said proof will be made before the register and receiver at The Dalles, Or., on October 31, 1895, viz: Emerson Williams, Hd. E. No. 3119, for the NE 1/4, Sec. 10, Tp. 3 S., R 13 E. W. M. He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon, and cultivation of, said land, viz.: Robert Kelly, W. H. Butts, The Dalles; James W. Cox, John M. Roth, Kingsley, Sepis. JAS. F. MOORE, Register.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.

LAND OFFICE, The Dalles, Or., Aug. 10, 1895. Notice is hereby given that the following named settler has filed notice of his intention to make final proof in support of his claim, and that said proof will be made before the Register and Receiver at The Dalles, Oregon, on Sept. 28, 1895, viz: Alexander Fraser, Hd. E. No. 3099, for the W 1/2, NW 1/4, and W 1/2, SW 1/4, Sec 32, Tp 1 N., R 13 E. He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon and cultivation of said land, viz: O. W. Cook, Jacob Christ, Caleb Brooks, R. L. McIntosh, of The Dalles, Or. aug14 JAS. F. MOORE, Register.

Guardian's Sale.

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned has been appointed, by order of the County Court of the State of Oregon for Wasco County, guardian of the property and person of James McGahan, a person incapable of managing his own affairs. All persons having claims against said James McGahan will present them to me at the office of Huntington & Wilson, The Dalles, Oregon, with proper proof thereof, within six months from the date of this notice. Dated July 22, 1895. J. A. GULLIFORD.

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At once he tumbled to himself And hid him to a store, And bade the clerk show him a suit Better than that he wore. "Ah, yes!" the clerk replied, "see here, A suit of 'HAPPY HOME,' 'They're just the thing, and now I'm fit With her, my love, to roam."

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