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**LOCAL BREVITIES.**

**Saturday's Daily**  
Fair weather and warmer is booked for tomorrow.

The wheat market shows signs of stiffening. The local market is very firm. The farmers are disposed to hold for better prices.

The elegant Ludwig piano used in the parlor scene at the theatre last night was kindly furnished by the Jacobsen Book & Music company.

See the ad. of The Dalles fair. No pains are being spared to make this fair one of the grandest events of the kind ever held in the state.—Condon Globe.

By the way the people of The Dalles attend theatres there must be a good deal of money floating around. The Dalles is said to be the best show town in the state.

The fall opening of Mrs. Phillips' millinery store last evening was well attended by a large number of ladies who greatly admired the fine stock of goods displayed for inspection.

The ladies of the Good Intent society will serve pumpkin pies with sandwiches and coffee at the Methodist church next Friday evening. Only 15 cents will be charged and a good time promised.

Revival services at the Christian church continue with unabated interest. Large audiences are in attendance every evening, and the pastor, Rev. Hazel is preaching instructive and profitable sermons. The services this evening will be of special interest, the subject being, "The Fat Man Fell and Broke His Neck." The public will be cordially welcomed.

Mr. C. E. Ladd, of the well-known Portland banking firm of Ladd & Tilton, came to The Dalles on the noon train to look after property interests here belonging to the Ladd estate, principally the stone building on the northeast corner of Second and Washington streets.

Sheriff Driver returned from Hood River this morning, having in charge J. Rotherneil, who was arrested upon a charge of larceny. The prisoner was taken to the county jail, and this afternoon brought before Justice Davis for arraignment. He pleaded not guilty. The preliminary trial will be held next Monday. Rotherneil will be defended by Dufur & Menefee.

This is the busiest day The Dalles has seen for a long time. The streets have been crowded with wheat teams from the country, while our business men have been rushed selling goods. This season is going to be a prosperous one for our bustling city. The eyes of the Northwest are upon The Dalles, where the prospects are the brightest for a city of twice its present size within the next five years.

About 6 o'clock last evening a pair of pants and a pair of boots were stolen from in front of R. E. Williams' clothing store in the East End. They were hanging by the doorway and while Mr. Williams was in the back part of the store the thief purloined the articles. He did not get far away, however, but was soon rounded up by Officers Blakey and Connelly. At the time of the arrest he had the stolen pants on. A complaint was filed against him this morning and his case will come up Monday.

**Monday's Daily.**

C. F. Stephens has just received a shipment of the famous Douglas shoes.

See A. M. Williams & Co. ad. on dress goods and trimmings in this issue. This firm makes it a specialty to have the latest ideas in all lines.

The public is invited to attend the annual inspection of the militia this evening at the new armory building. This is the one time of the year when the boys make their best showing.

Major Sidney Collins, brigade inspector of the Oregon National Guard, arrived in The Dalles this morning from Arlington. He will conduct the inspection at the armory tonight.

The members of the Congregational Y. P. S. C. E. are requested to be present at the business meeting of the society, Tuesday evening, at the church. The meeting is called for 7:15.

The Regulator stopped at Lyle this morning and took on a band of sheep shipped to Troutdale. About 500 were in the band. Seeing a lot of sheep driven aboard is one of the pleasures of travelling by steamboat.

Look out for the comely pull social given by the Independent Workers. It is for all Good Templars. Dress for the

occasion—overalls and kitchen aprons. Bring your saucers. Everything free for I. O. G. T.

It is rumored the Arlington Record has changed hands and Mr. W. A. Maxwell of the Goldendale Sentinel has become the purchaser. Under the editorship of Mr. Johns, the Record has been an ably conducted paper, which we are sure will be the case when Mr. Maxwell assumes charge.

The services at the Christian church are every evening attracting more attention. A crowded house greeted Mr. Hazel last night and at the close of the service two persons were received for baptism. The subject for tonight will be "The Famous Words of Chilo." The services begin at 7:30 p. m.

The case of the State vs. Julius Rotherneil charged with larceny, came up before Justice Davis this afternoon, but owing to the failure of getting the necessary witnesses from Hood River, the matter was postponed till tomorrow morning. It is understood a vigorous defense will be made to the charge.

Wheat is going up. Acting under advice from Portland and the East, the warehouses increased their offers to 40 cents a bushel, a rise of 1 cent since Saturday. The mill is paying 41 cents. This is much better than 35, which was being paid some time ago and it looks as if the 50 cent mark might yet be reached.

The Wasco Warehouse Company have purchased machinery for a chop mill and will run such a concern in connection with the other departments. A building is now being constructed at the rear of the large brick building, which will be used as the chop mill and also give additional room for the storage of wheat.

Large shipments of wheat are being made every day from Lyle. None was taken this morning, however, as the lower deck of the Regulator was crowded with sheep. Four or five hundred sacks have been the average amount shipped for several days. The amount of business done at Lyle adds considerably to the revenue of the boat company.

The large drying house of Arthur Bourland, situated on Chenoweth creek, about five miles from town, burned to the ground last Friday. A large amount of dried peaches were destroyed. The fire caught from the furnace and before aid could arrive, the building was destroyed. The loss was about \$100. Mr. Bourland immediately came to town and purchased materials to rebuild.

A gentleman from across the river informed THE CHRONICLE today that representatives of the Paul Mohr portage road had secured from Mrs. Gilmore right of way through her farm near Rockland, and in doing so the promise had been made that the road would be in active operation within a year. Most of the land necessary for the remaining right of way has already been secured.

The stock yards were crowded with sheep yesterday and today. D. P. Ketchum purchased from Davis & Clair 1800 head out of a band of 5000, which had just been brought back from Mt. Adams. Two car loads from the 1800 were shipped to Troutdale and three more will be sent tonight. The remainder will be taken to 8-Mile for pasturage till such a time when they are wanted at Troutdale. Those sheep of the Davis & Clair band, which were not sold, were taken to Crook county, where they will pass the winter.

Mr. Henry Herbring has returned from a business trip to New York City. He was absent from home just three weeks, the greater part of which time, not used in travelling, was spent in New York City. Mr. Herbring also made a short stay in Buffalo and spent a day in Chicago. The weather in New York was intensely warm and he longed for the pleasant days and cool nights of Oregon. New York City, says Mr. Herbring, is enjoying considerable business activity and presents a livelier appearance than does Chicago.

Col. James Jackson, U. S. A., and Col. David Dunne of the Oregon National Guard arrived on the noon train from Portland. They will be present at the militia inspection tonight and, it is expected, will address a few words to those interested in the military organization as to how best greater efficiency can be secured. Col. Jackson is a regular army officer with a splendid record and takes a great interest in the National Guard of Oregon. Colonel "Thompson" of the Third Regiment hopes there will be a large attendance of visitors at the armory this evening.

The opening for the fall season of millinery at Mrs. Briggs Saturday attracted a large crowd of ladies. In both afternoon and evening the tastefully furnished parlors were thronged with the followers of fashion, who expressed great admiration for the beautiful exhibition that had been arranged. To one not initiated in such mysteries, the number and variety of hats and bonnets were dazzling, but the visiting ladies—men were at a discount—seemed in perfectly familiar surroundings, but could not help wondering at the elegant display that had been made. We may expect to see some pretty, new hats soon worn upon the streets.

Michael Murphy, who was arrested Saturday afternoon, charged with stealing a pair of pants and some boots from R. E. Williams' store, had his examination Saturday afternoon before Justice

Davis. Officers Connelly and Blakey and Mr. Williams testified for the prosecution. Murphy had no witnesses, but made the statement that he secured the clothes from another party. At first he was unwilling to take an oath that what he would testify to was true, but finally did so. It availed him nothing, however, for the justice found him guilty and fined him \$20. Not having the necessary wealth, Murphy availed himself of the alternative and went to jail to serve a ten days' sentence.

**Tuesday's Daily.**

The same sort of weather is predicted for tomorrow that we are having today.

The subject of the discourse at the Christian church tonight is "Emerson's Hero."

As we go to press we understand that the non-commissioned officer's sword has been returned to its scabbard.

The famous trial at Grand Dalles still drags out an existence, though it is expected a definite result will be ascertained this evening.

The carpenters who went down to Cascades to extend the lower incline of the portage so that better facilities for loading the cars could be obtained, returned last night, having completed their labor.

The pile driver which has been at work upon the new warehouse, was moved yesterday to the incline leading to the Regulator dock and is now repairing some piling on the east side of the incline.

There will be a business meeting of the members of the Young Peoples' Society of Christian Endeavor tonight, at the Congregational church. The meeting is called for 7:15 and it is to be hoped there will be a large attendance present.

Work on the boat company's new warehouse had to be suspended today because of lack of lumber. A wood scow was loaded down the river, and waiting for a favorable wind to wait her to town. The scow will probably arrive today, and work be pushed vigorously.

Anyone who wants an agreeable home can rent the house of Rev. A. Horn on Ninth street, having seven rooms with a nice garden. Mr. Horn, who has a successor in Rev. E. Mack in this city, will settle near Goldendale in the center of his usual Klickitat county mission field.

The Regulator expects to take on a cargo of wheat at Lyle today. There is large amount waiting to be shipped as fast as the boat can take it. A lot of lumber was taken down this morning, which will be used in enlarging the wheat platform at Lyle. The present facilities are proving inadequate.

More wheat teams have been in town today than at any time during the present season. Second street was a moving line of six-horse teams. The East End resembled a busy street in a large city. At one time this morning fourteen wagons were in front of the Diamond Mills waiting to discharge their loads. Both warehouses were having all the business they could handle. The price still remains steady, 40 cents being paid at the warehouses and 41 cents at the mill.

The attention of Justice Davis is being occupied this afternoon with the examination of Julius Rotherneil, charged with larceny. Deputy Prosecuting Atty Phelps and H. H. Riddell appear for the prosecution, while Dufur & Menefee represent the defense. At a late hour this afternoon the State was still introducing its testimony, which went to show that Rotherneil had no authority to cash the check, which he is charged of doing. The private prosecutor is a young German lad unable to talk or understand English, so the services of Mr. Liebe were employed as interpreter.

What came near being a fatal accident happened this morning. Dick Nolan and Ralph Gibbons together with John Bonn were standing on the Regulator wharf looking to the other side of the river where Andrew Larsen was engaged in pulling a big sturgeon, which he had caught in his net, out of the water. The three gentlemen on the wharf concluded they would go and see the fun and so, taking a boat, they pulled to where Mr. Larsen was having a tussle with the sturgeon. Mr. Gibbons and Mr. Nolan got in with Mr. Larsen and were helping to pull the net, when the latter gentleman lost his balance and fell over into the water. The rope, upon which he had been pulling, was tangled around his body in such a way that had it not been for the assistance of the gentlemen in the boat with him the occurrence might have had a serious ending. As it happened, nothing worse than a ducking was the result.

**Will The Dalles Move to Hood River?**

Certainly, on Friday and Saturday next. Cheaper than to stay at home and no end of fun. Only costs \$1 for gentlemen and 75 cents for ladies, for steamer both ways, coaches from landing and return and admission to fair.

Just the season for an enjoyable trip, bright days and moonlight nights; beautiful reflections of bluffs and trees in grand old Columbia, an immense hall crammed with the glories of the autumn fruitage, crowds of happy people, all Wasco, no Cascades county. Come.

**SUPERINTENDENT.**

Say, why don't you try De Witt's Little Early Risers? These little pills cure headache, indigestion and constipation. They're small, but do the work.

**"THE ARABIAN NIGHTS."**

The Performance at the Baldwin Last Night Very Fine—It Would Bear Repeating.

The comedy given by Miss Tittell and the Home Dramatic Club last night at the Baldwin, was by far the best amateur performance ever witnessed in The Dalles. Every seat in the large hall was taken before the doors were opened and the injunction to come early had been so generally obeyed that there was no annoyance or disturbance during the acts.

Promptly at 8:30 the curtain rose on the first act of the play, showing the stage beautifully furnished, representing the parlor of an English house. The plot told of the trials and tribulations into which Arthur Hammingtop had been plunged by an unfortunate adventure he encountered while personating Haroun al Raschid, the caliph of the "Arabian Nights." The situations which resulted were excruciatingly funny and the audience was in a roar of laughter from beginning to end.

Miss Tittell, as "Rosa Columbia," the disturbing element in the plot, showed herself to be an actress of great merit. Her appearance was greeted by hearty applause from the audience and her acting was of a kind very pleasing. Mr. Lonsdale, who took the part of "Arthur Hammingtop," had a very difficult role to act, probably the hardest in the cast. That he did it well is slight praise, for it was the opinion of everyone present that Mr. Lonsdale surpassed his former efforts in the histrionic line. He had a perfect conception of the character he was impersonating and from first to last acted with true artistic skill. Mr. Lonsdale is deserving of all the compliments he received. Mr. Nicholas Sinnott is well known in amateur circles and he fully justified all the good things that have been said about his powers of acting. In the part of "Ralph Omeroid," he appeared to his best advantage and acted the part of the man who was married against his will and without his knowledge in a way that was very pleasing. As "Joshua Gillibrand" Roger Sinnott scored a big success. His make-up was stunning and a better representation of a London young man with sportive inclinations, it would be difficult to imagine. Mr. Sinnott acted with the ease of a professional. Mr. John Hampshire, John for short, he is better known as Johanie, can always be counted upon for doing whatever he has to do in the best possible manner. His part last night did not give him a full opportunity to show his powers, which are of a high order, but he acquitted himself admirably.

The ladies of the play were beyond criticism. Mrs. Blakeley was a capital mother-in-law of the kind so unjustly abused in the funny columns of newspapers. She was perfectly natural and acted with great ease and grace. The dialogues in which she scored the shortcomings of her prevaricating son-in-law, were especially fine. Miss Rose Michell as "Daisy Maitland," looked and acted the bright American girl in her own inimitable way and aided greatly in the success of the evening. Miss Myrtle Michell and Miss Ketchum, in their respective roles, were fully up to the high standard the cast as a whole had set. They both were the recipients of deserved praise for the natural ease and grace of their acting. At the end of the second act the members of the cast were compelled to respond to a curtain call, showing how well the audience appreciated their efforts.

The music by the Orchestra Union was especially worthy of mention and makes possible the statement that The Dalles has the finest amateur orchestra and dramatic club in the state. The receipts last night were very large.

**The Mohr Portage.**

Indications point now to work being soon commenced upon the portage railway across the river. A meeting of the promoters was held in Portland yesterday, at which officers were elected and a board of trustees chosen for the ensuing year. The company also authorized certain contracts for the construction and equipment of the portage railway. Mr. Paul Mohr, the president of the concern, leaves today for New York and London to complete the arrangements authorized by yesterday's meeting. Mr. Mohr expects to remain at London until January, and he will attend to all matters, including plans and finances. The following are the officers elected for the Columbia Railway & Navigation Company, which is the title of the organization which expects to build the portage from Grand Dalles to Columbus; President, Paul Mohr, of New York; vice president, David K. Stevens of Tacoma; secretary, Victor K. McElheney of New York; treasurer, Francis P. Lowry of New York. The board of trustees consists of the president, vice president, secretary and treasurer and Messrs. C. O. Bates of Tacoma, Hon. W. Lair Hill of Oakland, Calif., C. B. Niblock of Chicago, A. A. Hutchinson of New York, and W. D. Tyler of Tacoma.

Mr. Mohr gives out the statement that he expects to be ready to begin active operations as soon as the question is decided just when the locks will be completed. The people of Eastern Oregon hope that the reorganization of the company is sincerely meant, and work will be actively begun in the near future.

**"Old Hickory" Wagon**

Is knocking them all out. Best material, best ironed, best painted, best made Wagon on the Coast.

Our 3-inch "Old Hickory Wagon" has as large Spokes, Felloes, Etc., as any other make of 3 1/2 Wagon, and is Better Ironed. Don't take our word for it; measure it yourself. And the Price? What's the matter with it? It's all right. Come and see it.

**MAYS & CROWE,**

Second and Federal Sts., THE DALLES, OR.

A fleet of boats on the upper river will be a welcome sight to the people along its banks.

**A Wasco County Farm.**

Through the kindness of Mr. Max Vogt, the editor of THE CHRONICLE was given an opportunity yesterday of visiting his farm, twelve miles from town. In company with Mr. H. Glenn, Mr. T. A. Hudson, Mr. Vogt and the driver, Mr. Henzie, the scribe got into a light spring wagon and was soon speeding countrywards. The best that can be said for the road leading through Thompson's addition is that it is horrible. Fall of rocks and chug holes, it is a wonder a loaded wagon is able to travel in safety. An effort has been made to secure a different route through this vicinity, one that will have fewer grades and rocks; every traveller will wish that the new road will be speedily constructed. A three hours' drive brought the party to their destination.

The ranch of Mr. Vogt consists of 600 acres, composed of bottom land, hill and bench land, nearly every foot of which is capable of cultivation. A beautiful creek runs through the farm and falls at such a rate that water could be turned over a large number of acres. A walk to the top fields, of which mention has already been made, was full of interest. There are two hop fields, only one of which was visited. In that one six acres were covered with a luxuriant growth, such as the Willamette valley, in its most favored portions, could not exceed. Mr. Vogt, by his experiment, clearly demonstrated that Wasco county lands are suitable for hop culture, but the price at present being so low, there is little money in their cultivation. A country dinner cooked and served to suit the most fastidious put the party in a good humor and clambering into a farm wagon they took a ride around the fields. The rains had done the country a good deal of good and the wheat for next season has made a fine start. The quantity of fruit upon the place is immense and of the best flavored varieties.

A ride home in the cool of the evening made a fitting close to a very pleasant day.

**Court House Notes.**

Today was a very busy one with the county clerk. A large number of deeds were filed for record besides a great amount of routine business to be attended to. The medical license of R. J. Pilkington, who graduated from the medical department of Willamette University in 1890, was recorded. Besides this, the map of the Valley Improvement Company of Hood River was filed; also a patent issued from the United States to Peter J. Herke, for the new 1/2, sec 12, tp 1 n, r 12 e, W. M. The same property was afterward deeded to George A. Liebe.

A sheriff's deed to A. S. Blowers was recorded, conveying lots 1 and 2, block 4 in Winans' addition to town of Hood River and block 2 and lot 1 in block 4 in town of Parkhurst. A. S. Blowers and wife conveyed to Frank C. Price, the sec 12, tp 1 n, r 12 e, W. S. Merser and wife sold to Mary Bell Van Camp, lots E and F, in block 64, in the Fort Dalles Military Reservation. The same property was then deeded by the above grantee to Mary E. Bowman.

The Kangaroo court in the Wasco county jail is holding daily sessions. The business that comes before this august body is dispatched with hearty manner, and resembles the initiatory ceremonies of some of our prominent

secret societies. The latest bulletin has just been issued, and reads as follows:

**DAILY BULLETIN**

In the Kangaroo court for county of Wasco, state of Misery. Now on this day, the journal being read, the following proceedings were found to have transpired. Two subjects have been brought for trial within the last twenty-four hours. The first, a well known professor of Aesculapius was duly examined and pleaded not guilty. But, notwithstanding his strenuous efforts, he was convicted of being an inmate of the county jail, and received a sentence to pay one dollar, or receive twenty-five cobs. But the aforesaid man of pills being gritty said, he would take the cobs, but after thirteen of the cobs had been administered, there arose a walling of a lost soul, and the fine was straightway paid. The other one pled guilty and bought the tobacco.

**THE INMATES.**

Several months ago THE CHRONICLE noted the disappearance of Henry Stark, a well-known citizen of Antelope. Stark came to town with a four-horse team, expecting to take back a load of freight. He was seen on the afternoon of the day he disappeared, but from that time on nothing was heard of him. It was known he had considerable money on his person and for this reason considerable uneasiness was felt. The mystery has just been cleared up by the return of Stark, who in a conversation with Sheriff Driver, said he had gone to Portland, from which place he had been shanghaied. He had been put aboard a ship and taken to sea, but as the vessel touched at San Francisco Stark made his escape. It took him some time to reach home.

**Advertised Letters.**

Following is the list of letters remaining in the postoffice at The Dalles uncalled for Sept. 21, 1895. Persons calling for the same will give date on which they were advertised:

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| Adams, Mrs Josie  | Adams, F B          |
| Baker, Mrs Jennie | Benson, Dr W E      |
| Burnham, Ella     | Careson, Mrs A F    |
| Clark, Dr L B     | French, E D         |
| Garrett, Rev Wm   | Graves, Chas        |
| Gomez, John       | Gossen, Miss Minnie |
| Hill, C E         | Jones, Mrs S J (2)  |
| Kirkham, John     | Long, Lemon         |
| Mathis, E R (2)   | Maddron, L          |
| Mosher, Wm G      | Stowers, Mrs M C    |
| Smith, Miss Louis | Smith, Bill         |

J. A. CROSSEN, P. M.

Mrs. E. E. Davis, of San Miguel, Cal. says: "I am trying in a measure to repay the manufacturers of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy for the great good their remedy has done me. For years I was a constant sufferer from weak lungs and bronchial asthma. My rest at night was disturbed by a hacking cough, so that I felt miserable the greater part of the time. Many remedies recommended by friends were tried, none of which proved suitable to my case. I did not experience any beneficial results until I began taking Chamberlain's Cough Remedy. After two bottles of the large size have been used I am pleased to state, my health is better than it has been for years. The soreness has left my lungs and chest and I can breathe easily. It has done me so much good that I want all who are suffering from lung troubles, as I was, to give it a trial." For sale by Blakeley & Houghton, Druggists.

The healing properties of De Witt's Witch Hazel Salve are well known. It cures eczema, skin affections and is simply a perfect remedy for piles.

**BORN.**

In this city, Sept. 30th. to the wife F. W. Bailey, a daughter.

**Garland Stoves are the World's Best.**

We respectfully invite all those in need of a cook or heating stove or steel range to call and examine our new line and get our prices. We have a very large assortment to select from, we can give you splendid bargains this year, and will guarantee to save you money, simply because we are satisfied with small profits.

We are also prepared to do plumbing, tinning, hot water heating, furnace work and employ none but first class workmen, practical and experienced in this class of work. All work guaranteed. Special inducement to cash buyers.

**MAIER & BENTON,**  
HARDWARE DEALERS and PLUMBERS,

Next door to Snipes-Kinersly Drug Co.; A. Bettingen's old stand, Second street.