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#### LOCAL BREVITIES.

Saturday's Daily.

A marriage license was granted today to F. H. Miller and Ethel Cook.

Lee Bunch, the engineer at the brewery, has his left eye bandaged from the result of a fall several days ago.

A deed was filed for record today from Y. A. Gray to T. F. Gray. The consideration was \$1, and the property conveyed, ne 1/4 of sec 37, tp 1 n, r 13 e.

A good deal of ice is floating in the river today, and is congregating at the bend below town. The ferryboat has discarded the use of its cable till the river is free from ice.

In yesterday's CHRONICLE where it read that a deed was recorded from Mary Laughlin to Frank Laughlin, in place of the latter the name of Frank Creighton should have appeared.

The sidewalks this morning were covered with a film of ice, which made walking exceedingly precarious. Most people were third party men, for the time being, and took the middle of the road.

Union street is the popular resort today. The coasting is excellent, and sleds starting from Tenth street come as far as Second. The hill has been crowded with youngsters all day, and from the noise they made, the enjoyment must have been immense.

Any of The Dalles Democrats who are counting upon going to the national Democratic convention should wire for rooms in Chicago, as that city was chosen as the place for holding the big meeting. Four ballots were cast, Cincinnati, St. Louis and New York being the other contestants.

Some time ago Mr. W. W. Wilson and Charles Connelly had their picture taken and sent the photograph to Japan, where a Japanese artist painted their likenesses. Mr. Wilson received the picture yesterday, and has been showing it to his friends as a sample of what the Japanese can do in artistic lines. The likenesses are very good.

The city streets were given over to sleighing last night. The snow had packed so that the runners glided easily over the frozen surface, while the temperature was just at the point where it was both comfortable and exhilarating to be in the open air. A half-dozen or more four-horse sleighs, filled with jolly young people, paraded the streets, while a host of cutters sped along after them. Among the sleighing parties was one composed of members of the Epworth League of the Methodist church.

The members of the Republican state central committee will meet at Portland,

Wednesday, February 5th, at 10 a. m. At that time the time and place of holding the state convention will be determined. What is the matter with The Dalles being the proper place for holding the state convention? Portland has been well treated by the committee for many years and it would be a graceful act to give to the metropolis of Eastern Oregon the honor of being the convention city. Every candidate and delegate would be treated fairly and hospitably.

Last night was the regular banquet night at the Union Whist Club, Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Glenn being the entertainers. At the conclusion of the whist playing Mrs. Hudson and Miss Marden were found to have tied for the first prize, but a drawing of lots gave it to Mrs. Hudson. Mrs. Hilton won the booby. The banquet tables were arranged in an unusually pretty manner, large potted plants being in the center, while cut flowers added to the beauty of the scene. After supper the members enjoyed themselves in dancing. The whist club contains some genuine humorists, and they were at their best upon this occasion.

People who were waiting for the local to pull out this afternoon saw what came nearly proving a fatal accident. One of the Sandoz brothers, who lives up Mill creek, had tied his team in front of the Columbia hotel. The horses frightened at the approach of the train, and plunging forward, got upon the sidewalk. Mr. Sandoz grabbed one of them by the bridle, but being unable to control the frantic animals, slipped and fell between them. Several bystanders rushed to his rescue and extricated him from his perilous position, not, however, before he was seriously injured. One of the horses had tramped upon his breast, and he received an ugly gash under his right eye. His escape from either being killed or losing his eye was very narrow, and he can congratulate himself that aid arrived so promptly.

Wasco county has increased more in population in the past five years than any other county in Eastern Oregon. The increase this county shows by the census of 1895 over that of 1890 is 1,266. Sherman county, which by sentiment and location seems still a part of Wasco, is the next on the list, its population having increased 698 in the same space of time. If these two counties have been able to forge ahead at such rates during the years of unprecedented hard times, what will be the rate when times are good again? Immigration is being attracted to the fertile lands of Sherman and Wasco counties, and the next five years will see an increase in population, which will make these figures, at present satisfactory, seem insignificant. The best of it is that these people who have made their homes with us are glad they came.

Monday's Daily.

The Woodmen and Workmen will give a dance February 14th. Committees are now at work upon the arrangements.

The delegates to the convention of clubs to be held in Portland February 4th, have been granted a one and one-fifth fare over the O. R. & N. line.

The dance given under the management of Smith Bros., at the Baldwin last Saturday, proved an enjoyable affair. A large number of dancers were upon the floor.

It was said today that one of the primary classes in our city schools num-

bers ninety-six pupils, and that the janitor was looking for four more to make it an even hundred.

In the Oregonian today the name of Mr. M. A. Moody, of The Dalles, is mentioned as being a possible candidate for congress in the second district. In the first district Chief Justice R. S. Bean is the latest addition to possible aspirants.

Members of St. Paul's Episcopal church will please remember the meeting of the congregation in the church on Wednesday evening at 7:30 p. m. sharp. It is earnestly hoped that there will be a full and prompt attendance.

The membership tickets for the Commercial and Athletic club have been printed and each member has received one. The dues for the first month have been called for and are being rapidly paid. The club is growing in favor every day.

There is to be a dramatic entertainment at Victor, Oregon, on the night of Jan. 24th. The programme is composed of scenes and epitomes of famous tragedies and dramas. The programme includes Alcestis and Pheres, scene; Othello, epitome; Richard III, epitome,

After a season of rest, Justice Davis has a criminal trial in prospect. A complaint has been sworn out against Lyle Wagner, charging him with larceny from a dwelling. Constable Urquhart has gone after the young man, and if he return in time, the case will be tried this afternoon.

A more lovely day overhead it would be hard to imagine. The cold weather that threatened to continue for a time has passed away, and the sun is out in all his glory. There is no need of leaving Oregon to find a more delightful climate. Sleighing will soon be a thing of the past if either rainy days like yesterday or bright days like today continue.

Tuesday's.

Six cars of cattle passed through The Dalles to Troutdale this morning.

A United Brethren Sunday school was organized at the Ninth street chapel last Sunday.

County Clerk Kelsay is busy delivering warrants to those people whose claims were allowed by the county court.

The city authorities increased the revenues last night by the arrest of eight women, who were fined for violating a city ordinance.

W. J. Moore has opened a candy store opposite, and judging from a sample box which reached this office today, he understands his business.

Mrs. I. N. Sargeant, who has been ill with pneumonia for over a week, is reported to be improving, and it is believed a few more days will see her restored to health.

Lisle Wagner, who was arrested yesterday, charged with larceny from a dwelling, had an examination before Justice Davis and was committed to the reform school. He will be taken to Salem tomorrow.

The Dalles Council No. 19, Junior Order of United American Mechanics, will meet in Schanno's hall over A. A. Brown's store on next Thursday evening, having given up the K. of P. hall to the Rathbone Sisters for that evening.

A letter received by Mr. Smith French from Fossil today, announced the death of Thomas Hoover, who is well known throughout Eastern Oregon. His death occurred very suddenly. Mr. Hoover was formerly a resident of The Dalles,

but more recently has lived at Fossil, where he was engaged in business with Mr. Watson. Mr. Hoover was the father-in-law of State Senator W. W. Steiwer, of Gilliam county.

It is reported that the present chinook is not welcomed by the stockmen at Antelope. As the Herald expresses it, this is the proper time of the year for snow and rough weather, and we hope, if it must come, it will come now, and then give us a decent spring.

At the first meeting of The Dalles Assembly, United Artisans, held last evening, the following officers were elected: Master Artisan, T. A. Hudson; Superintendent, N. Whealden; Inspector, S. H. Frazier; Secretary, D. H. Roberts; Treasurer, Ed Kurtz.

Up in the freight yards this morning were twenty-two cars of steel rails, which were in transit to the Washington division of the O. R. & N. Co., where the rails will be used for repairing purposes. The Washington division is between Spokane and Pendleton.

Rabbi Bloch of Portland performed the Jewish rite of baptism Sunday at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. N. Harris, where their little son made his entrance into the faith. A few intimate friends were invited and a sumptuous lunch served. The little boy was named Milton Lee.

The warm weather and rains of the past few days have caused the river to rise, and it is now several feet above low water mark. A further rise is looked for by some of our local prophets. Work on the Regulator has so far progressed that the rise of the river would not cause more than a passing inconvenience.

The gymnasium committee of the Commercial and Athletic club have received word from Chicago and Providence, Rhode Island, where some of the appliances were ordered, that the same has been shipped. Its arrival here is expected to occur in a short time. In the meantime the work of remodeling the building is nearly completed, the partitioning is done and the finishing touches are being put to the plaster. When the latter has dried sufficiently, the walls will be papered, and then the billiard table, bowling alley and gymnastic apparatus will be put in. When all this will have been accomplished those people who want to see the best appointed club rooms in the state, outside of Portland, will have to come to The Dalles to do it.

A Sherman county man, at present residing in The Dalles, has a chance of obtaining some fame and fortune through his inventive powers. Mr. C. W. Barzee received through the mail yesterday from Washington a patent for a straw-burning stove. The invention, which Mr. Barzee perfected last spring, is the result of ideas which he has entertained for fifteen years, though not till recently did he make an effort to obtain a patent. The straw-burning stove promises to be a useful and convenient arrangement. The points of novelty and improvement for which the patent was granted, being that the straw is fed into the stove from outside the house, so there is no dirt or straw leavings in the room. The heat of the room is not changed so much in firing, as in the ordinary wood or coal stove. The stove can be filled with straw and the cinders removed in one minute's time, and will continue one hour at sufficient heat to keep a room comfortable in ordinary winter weather. Mr. Barzee is confident that his invention will be found a useful contrivance and a demand for it be created.

As can be seen by the school clerk's call, which is published in another column, a meeting will be held in the Court street school house Jan. 31st, to consider the needs of the district and determine what amount shall be voted to levy for the support of the schools and what amount should be raised to pay on the indebtedness of the district. Besides these matters the subject of providing additional school room for the children of the district will come up. The school children in this district keep increasing at a rate that gives the directors much concern about where to put them. At the time Clerk Jacobson made his last census, it was thought that the number was pretty high, but the next enumeration, will doubtless, exceed that of last year. Yesterday the beginners classes were organized and the entrance of these little ones makes the demand for increased accommodation more imperative. Some provision will have to be made for additional room, and it is this matter which the people will be called upon to consider at the next meeting. The growth and excellence of schools are matters of satisfaction to the inhabitants of The Dalles.

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#### A Tedious Trip.

Passengers who arrived on the delayed passenger train from Portland last evening report a tedious trip. The train left Portland Thursday evening on time, but was unable to proceed farther than Oneonta. At this point a freight train and the rotary plow were stuck in an avalanche of snow. A freight with sixty-one cars had left Albina, and as the engine had about all it could do to draw the cars on a smooth track, its power to buck any snow was limited. It was found necessary to set out a number of cars before Oneonta was reached. What made matters worse was that only one engine was pushing the rotary and could not furnish the power requisite to go through the drifts. The snow piled in over the engine and plow so that finally the engine was unable to back out, and things came to a standstill.

Conductor Bennett, with a large force of men and several engines, came up from Portland and proceeded to get the freight train from out its difficulty. Fifteen cars were covered with snow. When the freight train was extricated more engines were attached to the snow-plow, and the freight train being put on a siding, the rotary was allowed to pass. Quick work was made of the drifts from that time on.

The steamer R. R. Thompson left Portland yesterday morning, intending, if necessary, to pick up the west-bound passengers at Bonneville. The opening of the road, however, obviated the necessity of a transfer. At 9:30 last night the train that left Portland twenty-four hours previous, arrived in The Dalles. Two engines were attached.

The local train arrived on time today, and the road at present is clear.

#### Good News for Warrant-Holders.

News was received in The Dalles Saturday night that the supreme court of Washington at Olympia had affirmed the decision of the superior court of Klickitat county in the now famous bond case. The decision covers many points of contention, but the main effect, so far as Dalles warrant-holders are concerned, is that warrants issued between Nov. 12, 1889, and March 9, 1893, are valid obligations against the county, and that bonds can be exchanged for validated warrants. The decision is of much interest to people in this city, because over \$60,000 in Klickitat warrants are held in The Dalles.

The case was one of the most important ever heard before Washington's highest tribunal, and the decision will be satisfactory, both to warrant-holders and to the people of our neighboring county who are anxious to see progress made in getting out of the pressing debt which has threatened her credit. Klickitat county, by wise management, will in time work out of her financial difficulties, and by the aid of her natural resources, be among the first of the state's prosperous counties.

The law firm of Huntington & Wilson of this city was associated with C. H. Spaulding in presenting the side of the county and the Dalles warrant-holders to the supreme court and in obtaining the favorable decision.

#### Funeral of Thomas M. Gilmore.

The funeral of the late Thomas M. Gilmore took place yesterday afternoon from his former residence, near Rockland, W. C. Curtis, pastor of the Congregational church of this city officiating. Notwithstanding the bad traveling, a large number of friends and neighbors gathered at the house to pay their last respects to the dead. Tom Gilmore, as he was familiarly called, was well known to everyone in The Dalles, and a short biographical sketch will be of interest:

Thomas M. Gilmore was born May 12, 1845, in Washington county, Oregon, where the town of Cornelius now stands. He moved with his parents in 1846 to Yamhill county, where he lived until 1861, moving thence to Portland, Or., where he attended the Portland academy. He enlisted as a private in Company D, First Regiment, Oregon Volunteer Infantry, in 1862, and served in that company until the close of the war. After being honorably discharged, he returned to the Willamette valley, where he remained until 1873, coming thence to Klickitat county at that date. He lived in various parts of Eastern Oregon and Washington until 1881. He was married in December of that year to Mrs. Sarah Lewis, since which date he has lived continuously in Klickitat county until the time of his death, January 17, 1896.

During his residence in Klickitat county he was chosen to many positions of trust by his neighbors, which showed the high esteem in which he was held by those who knew him best.

A wife and two children, together with an aged mother, two brothers and four sisters, survive him; and to them the community extends its heartfelt sympathy.

#### Another Success Scored.

The necktie social, given on Saturday evening last, by The Dalles Lodge, No. 2, I. O. G. T., proved in every respect to be a pleasant affair. The program showed good taste in its selection, and was well rendered, each number being heartily enjoyed. Owing to the severity of the weather during the preceding week preventing the rehearsal, several interesting numbers were omitted.

Each lady brought a basket containing a necktie and refreshments for two, the necktie corresponding to a bow worn by the lady. At the proper time the baskets were auctioned off to the highest bidder. Competition was rife during the bidding, and some of the less fortunate bidders suffered the sight of seeing the choice of their heart, lurching with the "other fellow."

The large audience gave evidence of the high esteem with which these entertainments are held.

The Republicans of Crook county are getting their ammunition ready for the coming campaign. At a meeting of the Prineville Republican club, held in that city last Thursday, the following delegates were chosen to attend the state convention of clubs in Portland, February 4th: W. C. Willis, D. F. Stewart, H. P. Belknap, V. Gesner, I. Sichel and W. A. Bell.

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