

The Weekly Chronicle.

THE DALLES, OREGON PERSONAL MENTION.

Wednesday. Mr. J. B. Rand went to Hood River this morning.

Mr. C. J. Van Duyn and wife of Tygh Valley returned from Portland today, and are guests at the home of S. French.

Messrs. John Dustin, Bert Diamond and A. P. Byrket of White Salmon, who came in to attend the political speaking, left for home this morning.

Mr. J. L. Mitchell, grand lecturer of the Macabees, is in the city in the interests of the order. Mr. Mitchell was formerly city editor of the Salem Statesman.

Messrs. Robt. Densmore, M. Dichtennuller, A. Stewart, Wm. McClure, L. Lamb, J. M. Elliott, John Weiberg and others of Mosier attended the political speaking in The Dalles last evening.

Mrs. Emery Oliver and child, who have spent the summer months with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Sylvester, while her husband has been surveying in Idaho, left for her home in Portland on the afternoon local.

Messrs. C. M. Wolfard, E. S. Olinger, S. D. Pavton, C. E. Copple, E. W. Hubbard, W. A. Langille, W. C. Stranaban and others of Hood River attended the political speaking last evening and left for home by the boat this morning.

Thursday. Mr. F. H. Rowe went to Lyle this morning.

Mr. Emile Schanno went to Hood River today.

Mr. Perault of Grass Valley was a visitor to the city today.

T. P. Wagner of the O. R. & N. went to Rowena this afternoon.

Mrs. Geo. Kraue, though able to sit up, is nevertheless very ill.

Mr. H. P. Mitchell is over from Goldendale attending the fair.

The Misses Brune of Grand Dalles came over to the city this morning.

Mrs. Mary E. Jory, postmistress at Wasco, spent the day in The Dalles.

Mr. C. J. Garland of the Happy Thought Salve Co., Seattle, is in the city.

Hon. T. T. Geer arrived on the local train today and was met by many Republicans. He will address our citizens this evening on political issues.

Friday. Mr. J. E. Rasmus of Boyd was in the city today.

Col. Pike of Goldendale came in the city last night.

Miss Georgia Young is in the city with her father attending the fair.

Mrs. and Mrs. Chas. Butler of Portland arrived in the city yesterday.

Messrs. D. C. and C. L. Ireland of the Moro Observer, are attending the fair.

Miss Nellie Fox is attending school at Wasco, and is stopping with Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Bright.

Messrs. Ed Mays of Portland and Grant Mays from Antelope are spending a few days at home.

Sheriff Driver and Fred W. Wilson leave this afternoon for Pleasant Ridge, where Mr. Wilson delivers an address to the Republicans this evening.

Miss Sniderland, who has been visiting Mr. and Mrs. F. Menefer for the past week, left for her home in Portland on the Regulator this morning.

Hon. F. P. Mays and family arrived on the local train from Portland today. Mr. and Mrs. Mays have never missed attending the fair since it started.

Hon. F. A. McDonald and wife of Seattle are visiting Mr. and Mrs. S. H. Huntington. Mr. McDonald was formerly register of the land office here and is now collector of customs at Seattle.

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THE DISTRICT FAIR.

The Running Record Broken at the Fair Grounds Yesterday.

The eighth annual meeting of the Second Eastern Oregon District Agricultural Society opened yesterday with a fair attendance for the first day. The live stock exhibit is not all in yet, but there are some fine cattle and sheep in the corrals, and the officers expect to have all the stalls full by this evening.

Billy Ayers, the veteran pool seller, was on hand to assist the wise ones in placing bets. Under the grand stand one could hear the familiar cries of "Rondo!" "Seven come eleven!" "The black horse wins!" "Money down in time!" and similar expressions that are usually used by distributors of free gold and silver, but the unsophisticated were rather cautious about indulging. The exhortations of the pool seller were more effective towards loosening up the tightness of the market; but still there was very little betting going on. In both races the Paris mutuels paid well.

The Agricultural Society was somewhat disappointed in not receiving an Australian starting gate from Portland, but if all the races are sent off as well as they were yesterday, there will be no need of a gate. Bill Gilmore acted as starter, and gave entire satisfaction. The horses were called out promptly on time, and were sent off to a good start in each race.

The first race on the program was a running quarter-mile dash, for all ages, with a purse of \$75. The following well-known quarter horses were entered: "Lark," 119 lbs.; "Pat Tucker," 119; "Black Prince," 122; "Pinear," 119; "Bill Nye," 119. The knowing ones picked "Pinear" as a winner, although a reasonable amount of money went into the pool box on the other horses. The horses were sent to the post at 3:30, and after scoring for fifteen minutes, Starter Gilmore dropped the flag and sent them off well hunched. They ran well together for the first eighth, when the climb up the hill began to tell on some of the runners. "Pinear," "Lark" and "Bill Nye" came into the home stretch neck and neck. Then the bats, boys and spurs commenced to work and the horses realizing that there was to be a struggle for first place, strained every nerve and muscle to gain the lead, but "Pinear," under the skillful guidance of Boynton, was too much for them, and came under the wire a half a length ahead of "Lark," who had a length the best of "Bill Nye." So fast and furious was the pace in this race that the track record of 24 1/2 made by "Bluejay" in '94, was broken by half a second. The mutuels paid \$3.80.

The second race was a running, three-eighths mile handicap for 2-year-olds. The following youngsters were entered: "Surprise," 90; "Mamie D.," 87; "Harry N.," 110; "Latah," 105. "Latah" and "Harry N." were the favorites; "Surprise" and "Mamie D." sold in the field. After a few attempts to get off, Gilmore sent them away with "Harry N" slightly in the lead. At the quarter stake "Surprise" ran into the pole tearing the boot off his jockey and breaking the stirrup. This compelled the boy to hold him up. The other horses came up the hill and into the home stretch under a drive. There was some crowding about two hundred feet from the wire, but "Latah" won, "Harry N" second, "Mamie D." third. Immediately on dismounting the jockey on "Mamie D." went up to the judge's stand and entered a protest against "Harry N." for foul; but after a careful investigation of the protest the judges decided that the protest was unfounded. The time announced was 38 1/2. The mutuels paid \$3.60.

The following live stock have been entered at the fair grounds: Horses—Thoroughbred—J P McInerney, 2. Standard-bred—F H Butten, 1; J P McInerney, 2; G D Hegese, 1; August Fulmore, 1; W. Rand, 1; Geo Snipes, 1. Horses of all work—Taylor Bros, 1; S R Brooks, 1; M. Segmond, 1. Draft horses—R Kelly, 2 perchons. English Shires—R Mays, 2. Graded Drafts—W Nishell, 2; W H Taylor, 2; N Sigmund, 1; R Sigmund, 2; R Harris, 1; A Sigmund, 1; J A Stephens, 1. Roadsters—F H Butten, 2; W Rand, 1; J H Blakeney, 1; J S Schenck, 1; W H Fowler, 1. Farm teams—S. R. Brooks, 1; W H Taylor, 1; R Sigmund, 1; M Sigmund; R Cooper, 1. Cattle exhibits.—Short Horns.—R H Guthrie, 2; R Mays, 5. Devons.—R Kelly, 3. Channel Island.—Geo Snipes, 1; A H Beal, 2; C V Champion, 2. Holstein's.—W H Taylor. Grades.—W H Taylor, 1; J M Huntington, 1; Geo Snipes, 2. Champion class.—R H Guthrie, W H Taylor, R Mays, 3. Class 1, Berkshire hogs.—Segmund & Son, 2; Charles Snipes, 1. Chester White.—W H Taylor, 2; R F Wickham, 2. Essex.—O F Angell; graded, O F Angell, 2; Truman Butts, 2; W H Taylor, 1; B R Brooks, 1. Champion class.—W H Taylor, 1; R F Wickham, 1; Sigmund & Son, 1; Truman Butts, 1.

There are also six coops of chickens, one of bronze turkeys and four of ducks. The sheep department, as far as the fair is concerned, has been Pennoyerized. There have been no entries of sheep or wool.

THIS AFTERNOON.

The first race on the program was a running, three-eighths mile heats, for all ages; purse, \$100. The following horses were entered: Pat Tucker, 109; Red D., 109; Lark, 109; Pinear, 109. At the first attempt for a start Gilmore dropped the red bunting and sent them off to a blanket start. Pinear soon took the lead and won the heat by a length from Red S., who was a half a length ahead of Pat Tucker. Another track record suffered by this heat, which was won in 36 seconds, the old record being 37. Mutuels, \$3.50.

ANOTHER RECORD SMASHED.

Pinear Showed Her Heels to Red S, Who Had a World's Record.

The second day of the fair was attended by a smaller crowd than the quality of the races called for. The day could not have been better nor the track faster, as was attested by the smashing of another track record by Pinear in the first heat of the three-eighths mile heat race. The knowing ones seemed to have guessed the winner, as most of the money was on Pinear in spite of the fact that Red S is one of the finest horses that ever appeared on our track, and now holds the world's record for five-eighths of a mile. But Boynton on Pinear was equal to the occasion and landed his mount first under the wire in both heats. Pat Tucker was scratched in this race.

They are Unusually Fine and Attract General Interest.

The exhibits at the pavilion this year, though not so numerous as in past years, are unsurpassed in quality. The art department is rich in paintings, embroideries and needle work. The vegetable products are of the usual excellence. There are some lines of novelties never before shown which repay careful observation. Among these are the bamboo furniture of S. Takimis, the arrow head collection of Dr. Sutherland and the Japanese work of Togai.

Most striking of all is the taxidermist collection of W. A. Burt Campbell of animals all killed by that intrepid sportsman, and afterward mounted by him. Heads of the graceful elk and deer are attached to the wall upon a background of bear skins, and here and there shine the gleaming teeth of the wild animals of the forest, among them the lynx, the wildcat, coyotes, foxes, otters, badgers, etc. Many of them are mounted as in life and are very natural. Two rifles that have dealt destruction to so many of the animals which are there shown, repose upon a beautiful pair of elk horns.

On the left of the entrance door is a superb collection of kodak pictures. Underneath is some brilliant worsted embroidery on black velvet. Next is the Japanese exhibit by Togai. The Columbia Candy Factory and Kellar's both have beautiful confectionery exhibits, with decorations. An inlaid cork table reveals the handiwork of some skilled artisan in carpentry. Prof. Kaufman's optical exhibit of spectacles and the material of which the lenses are made, is a pretty one.

The left center is given to agricultural exhibits. Prominent among them are those of A. Sandoz, Jack Elton, Messrs. Bolton, Cooper and Creighton. Some large potatoes of fine color are shown by Wm. Greenley. Across the aisle are ranged wheat, barley, manufactured products of the farm and orchard, and preserved fruits. The latter look very edible indeed, and one can hardly resist the temptation to disobey the injunction so profusely distributed in this department, upon red and blue cards, "Hands Off."

The right of the hall is given over to the art department. Here the ladies excel. Miss Violet Kent has a collection of pencil sketches that betoken the spirit of a great artist, for it must be remembered this girl of but 15 years has never taken lessons from an instructor. The oil paintings by Miss Holscomb, Geo. Pace, Mrs. Heppner, Mrs. Fillon and others are exquisite and comprise the whole field of still and animal life. Mrs. Herrin's photographic collection of babies is not the least interesting collection of them all. The fancy work, consisting of lace, embroidery, stitching, worsted, quilting, etc., are by ladies of long since recognized ability, as well as younger ones of equal natural talent. Mrs. Briggs has a millinery exhibit which demands more than a passing glance, for her trimmed hats are beautiful, some of them veritable creations.

The stage is given over to the floral exhibit, and here the ladies again excel. Aided by our beneficent climate, there are produced some of the handsomest plants and flowers ever seen in any clime. They are not superior to the exhibits of other years, but their beauties never glory.

YESTERDAY'S RACES.

The gentlemen's roadster race for trotters and pacers was filled with the following local horses: Barney, May Boy, Solo, Nellie Whipple, Kiebar and Dick Trumbull. Every one had looked forward to this contest with considerable interest and expected to see some Bud Double work on the sulky. Just as the horses were called out the owners of Barney, May Boy, Solo and Dick Trumbull entered a protest against Nellie Whipple, a Goldendale horse, owned by Geo. F. McKinney. The protest was made on the ground that Nellie

Whipple was in the hands of a professional trainer and had competed in a race at Chehalis, Wash., last May. The judges decided that Nellie Whipple must compete under protest, but the owners of all the horses except Kiebar refused to start. This threw the race out, but Nellie Whipple and Kiebar drove around the track to save entrance money. The crowd was greatly displeased with the action of the owners in drawing off the horses at the last moment. The decision of the judges that all the horses compete and if the protest was well founded and of sufficient weight to disqualify a horse, Nellie Whipple would not be given the race if she won, gave entire satisfaction. If the judges saw fit they could have ruled the horses and owners, that withdrew, off the track for life. After this race fell through most of the people left the grounds, but those who remained saw two good scrub races. The first one was between two horses called Ted and Maud. They made one circle of the track and Maud easily won.

The next race was between two unknown skates and was for 350 yards. This being the last race of the day, everyone tried to play even, and considerable money changed hands when the bay horse won.

FOUND DEAD.

Last Thursday word was brought in to Wasco, says the News, that E. N. Emons, an old man living about 10 miles east of town had been found dead in his cabin. He was about 76 years of age, and had lived alone for some time. He was last seen alive Sunday evening, and was found Thursday morning by R. C. Kinney. The old man had evidently succumbed to a cold or influenza, and suddenly turning sick, he had either fallen or lain down upon some sacks, in which position he was found. There was no evidence of any suffering.

NOTHING IN IT FOR WAGE EARNERS.

Mr. Bryan has claimed that the free coinage of silver would benefit the working people. How they would secure anything from the free coinage of silver he does not say, perhaps because he does not know. It is certainly a deep mystery. In no way that the probable course of events can be forecasted can any advantage for the working people be reasonably shown.

Everything that a man buys for consumption in the household would be raised in price. World wages be increased in proportion? It is not probable that they would for years, if ever. As soon as it became apparent that the free coinage of silver would be undertaken prices would be advanced, but wages would remain stationary until employers could ascertain how they would be affected. With the heavy losses that many concerns would be compelled to meet through the payment of outstanding accounts and notes in depreciated dollars, it is very probable that the workingman would have to wait a long time for his wages to be raised. In the interval he would have ample opportunity to realize the stupendous folly of the United States coining silver dollars at the ratio of 16 to 1 and debasing its money, the lifeblood of commerce. —Cordage Trade Journal.

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GOOD HORSES AND WAGONS. Executor's Notice.

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned has been duly appointed by the County Court of the State of Oregon for Wasco County executor of the last will and testament of James McGinnis, deceased. All persons having claims against the estate of said deceased are hereby notified to present the same to me at my office in Dalles City, Oregon, with the proper vouchers therefor, within six months from the date hereof. Dated August 5, 1896, aug5-6-11 R. F. GIBONS, Executor.

Assignee's Notice. Notice is hereby given that on October 20, 1896, C. G. Hickok of Cascade Locks, Oregon, made a general assignment to me for the benefit of all his creditors in proportion to the amount of their respective claims, of all his property. All persons having claims against said C. G. Hickok are hereby notified to present them to me at Cascade Locks, Oregon, with the proper vouchers therefor, within three months from this date. Dated Oct. 21, 1896. J. G. DAY, JR., Assignee of C. G. Hickok. oct21-6-11

Notice to Taxpayers. The County Board of Equalization will meet in the assessor's office on Monday, October 28th, and continue in session one week, for the purpose of equalizing the assessments of Wasco county for 1896. All taxpayers who have not been interviewed by the assessor will please call at the office on Thursdays, Fridays and Saturdays, as all property must be assessed. Sept 12-11 F. H. WALKFIELD, County Assessor.

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