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LOCAL BREVITIES.

Saturday's Daily.

Two carloads of cattle were shipped from the stock yards today to Troutdale.

The Dalles City took a hundred tons of Wasco county wheat to Portland today.

Hood River is making elaborate preparations for the fruit fair to be held there in October.

Captain Hosford's steamer, the Iona, will make her first trip next week, arriving here Wednesday.

S. M. Chase, better known as U. P. Sam, is delighting the citizens of Heppner with his b-flat fiddle.

Heppner is having a little mining excitement of its own, a ledge having been discovered about twenty miles from town that assays \$5 to \$50 per ton.

The East End is a moving mass of horses and wagons, men and boys, all engaged in moving Wasco county's wheat crop, and the warehouses are rapidly filling up.

The Commercial Club is somewhat backward about bowing the outsiders, and there may be method in their delay.

At the Umatic house alleys this week, the lowest score of the record makers was 58, the highest 63.

The big wheat crop is making its results visible, the warehouses being crowded with teams unloading, what a miner might call "the farmers' concentrates."

The golden-grained wheat is bringing eighty cents a bushel, making everybody happy.

Jim Langille and son, Doug., came in from McCoy creek during the week. Their shaft is down sixty-two feet, with good indications of being near bedrock.

They were out of grub, which compelled them to come home, and they will not return until next spring.

Pease & Mays today received a consignment of beans that would be a credit to Boston.

There was a whole carload, twelve tons, 24,000 pounds of these miners' delights and household necessities.

As it takes quite a number of beans to weigh an ounce, some curious person might figure out the number of beans in the lot.

The Dalles had no celebration July 4th, it abandoned the firemen's tournament, and now it is probable the annual meeting of the fair association will also be abandoned, and—Pendleton will get it.

The matter depends upon the collections that can be made for the purpose of hanging up purses, and so far the committee is meeting with very poor success.

L. E. Morse was up from White Salmon last night, and his genial smile served to dispel the darkness and take the place of the electric light that we do not possess.

At the boat this morning he incidentally remarked that the fishing in the White Salmon was at its best, and that the fish are so ravenous that the fisherman has to take his hook behind a tree to bait it.

Latest reports from Ireland confirm the statements of the threatened destitution there from the destruction of the crops.

The devastation is not confined to a certain district, but includes all sections of the island.

Not since 1847 has the condition been so serious.

The attention of the government is urged in anticipation of the destitution and famine which is imminent.

A very rare specimen of an owl is on exhibition in Eugene.

It is what is known among ornithologists as the monkey owl, its face bearing a very striking resemblance to the monkey.

It was captured by George Smith at Coburg, after he had broken a wing.

This owl is rarely seen away from Africa, to which it is native, and it is a question how it came to this vicinity, says the Eugene Register.

Mr. A. B. Jones returned Wednesday from a trip to Grand Forks, B. C.

He found that town rather quiet, for the reason that most of the people were out prospecting.

Some rich finds in quartz have recently been made.

He saw his son, Frank, M. F. Sloper and Thomas Lacey, all doing well.

Mr. Jones is the owner of a placer claim in the heart of the city.

He has leased eleven other claims and will go to work on them as soon as he can wind up his business here and return—Glacier.

If a man has a two-dollar bull pup he looks after it carefully and does not allow it to roam all over town at night.

But if he has a boy it is different. He is turned loose at an early age to go to the devil, and then the people wonder where the army of tramps, bums, dead beats, loafers, gamblers and drunkards came

from. They are germinated from poor seed gathered from our streets and alleys.

A report has been sent out from Eddyville, on Yaquina bay, that two miles and a half from there, on the Dutton place, a gold quartz discovery has been made that causes great excitement in Lincoln county.

A lady's shoe, found some place in California, has been started the rounds of the express offices of the coast.

The Pacific Gum Co. of Portland advertises for six girls to chew gum at the Portland fair.

Hopping is nearly finished in the Chehalis valley.

A peculiar-looking resident of the deep was found Saturday by H. P. Score, keeper of the light station at Point Wilson.

Deputy Sheriff Kelly, who has been looking after the prairie chickens on his ranch.

The regular overland train, due from Portland at 1 o'clock.

Mr. R. B. Hood recently sent some fine almonds grown on his place at St. Helena.

It was reported yesterday that the Washington bank of the river.

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The Independence city council is proposing to license nearly all kinds of business at from \$10 to \$25.

Fen Batty had an experience in hunting yesterday that afforded his companion much amusement.

A son of John Hendricks of McMinnville, about 18 years old, went out to kill a chicken with a pistol last Sunday.

Some vandal, presumably drunk, since a sober man would hardly indulge in such things.

The steamer Iona will make her first trip from Portland tomorrow.

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being employed to do finishing work on the government torpedo boats building there.

It is said that 80,000 sacks of grain are piled up at Wasco awaiting the completion of the railroad.

The tug Astoria, formerly stationed at Astoria, arrived in Astoria from Gray's harbor Saturday.

About the largest yield of wheat yet reported comes from the old Daw place.

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AN OLD-TIME FRIEND. The Chronicle Editor Meets One of Twenty-Five Years Ago.

Monday morning we had the pleasure of meeting Mr. George A. Ladd of Sparta.

It has been nearly twenty-five years since we saw George, but he is the same self-reliant, genial gentleman.

Mr. Ladd is engaged in quartz mining near Sparta, and has some properties that will yet make him a bloated capitalist.

A good story is told of General J. A. Early, of the confederate fame.

The federals and confederates were about to engage in battle in Virginia.

The American society of the Professors of Dancing, has decided that the waltz must go.

Of course it must, everybody knows that, and it will commence to go just as soon as the thermometers get settled.

Died at Mosier. Mrs. Isabella Joss, aged 73 years, died at Mosier, Oregon, September 12, 1897.

Deceased was born in Calthness, Scotland, and came to this country in 1857.

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Hood River Monday, and interred in Idlewild cemetery.

The Fair Will Go. It looked for a little while as though the regular annual meeting of the Agricultural Association.

Stoves and Sunshine. Eugene Field after visiting Europe, said that the one thing he missed most in his travels was the great American stove.

Selected by an Artist. Miss Mollie Bortoff arrives from San Francisco this evening.

My boy came home from school one day with his hand badly lacerated and bleeding.

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