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LOCAL BREVITIES.

Monday's Daily.

The remains of Peter French arrived at Baker City last Thursday. The body was embalmed and shipped to Red Bluff for interment.

The Morning Tribune of Portland justly merits the success it is meeting with. It is beyond question an up-to-date newspaper.

Miss Tina Rintoul, teacher of the 7th grade at the Academy Park school building, is sick, and for the time being her place will be filled by Catharine Martin.

The public schools resumed work today with a marked increase in the attendance, there being about twenty-nine new names added to the already large list.

The Portland foot ball team returned home on the boat this morning well pleased with the treatment they received at the hands of our boys while they were in the city.

A new cross walk is being put in on the north side of Second street across Court today. This is a needed improvement, and we hope that other crossings as badly out of repair as this will be fixed also.

The high scores for the Umatilla House alleys for the week ending yesterday, were as follows: Monday, Fleming, 55; Tuesday, Dell, 61; Wednesday, C Frank, 61; Thursday, Bradshaw, 61; Friday, Nelsen, 58; Saturday, Wilder, 57; Sunday, Schmidt, 57.

The bowling scores at the club alleys for the week ending yesterday, were as follows: Monday, Hostettler, 56; Tuesday, Robinson, 56; Wednesday, Mrs. Ketchum, 47; Thursday, Ballard, 56; Friday, Sampson, 51; Saturday, Bradshaw, 52; Sunday, Tolmie, 56.

The Dalles Commission Company have their large and complete stock of groceries in shape, and their store presents a handsome appearance. The business will in the future be conducted by the old proprietor, Peter Stadelman, and the Bonn Bros., who have entered as partners in the firm.

Saturday the steamer Ione made her final trip on the upper river. Her owners found that to cut rates and try to take business away from the line of boats already established by the people, was not a paying business. We understand that during the time the Ione plied between this city and Portland, her owners lost over \$1,000 in the venture, and as their expense seemed to be on the increase rather than on the decrease, they acted wisely in putting their boat back on the old run.

Last night there was a union meeting of the different churches at the Methodist church in the interest of the Crittenden Refuge Home. Mrs. N. E. Hoxter of Portland spoke in behalf of the home, and so much earnestness and feeling were put into the address as she told of the wonderful work being accomplished by this institution in Portland, that a renewed interest was awakened, and when asked for a contribution the audience responded willingly. One branch of their work, which has proven a blessing, is that accomplished at the depot, where a matron has been placed to care for young girls who may be traveling alone.

A delightful watch party was held at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. N. Harris on New Years Eve. Numerous games were played, the most amusing of which was fortune telling. This was done by each guest pouring molten lead into cold water and then reading their respective fates for the coming year from the form the lead assumed. Everyone enjoyed the games to the fullest extent, and at about 11:30 the amusements were set aside and all partook of an elegant lunch. Those present were: Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Laughlin, Mr. and Mrs. Groat, Dr. and Mrs. Tackman, Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Collins, Mrs. D. M. French, Miss Irene Adams, and Mrs. Sternberg of San Francisco.

Tuesday's Daily.

Call and see what the Commission Co. can do for you on fresh groceries. 4-tf
Go to the Columbia Candy Factory for fresh oysters in every style. tf

Buy your goods at Maier & Benton's and get a chance free on a steel range.

Buy choice green groceries, fish and poultry from the Commission Company. 4-tf

License to wed was issued yesterday to Milton A. Brown and Myra A. Thompson, both of this county.

The Wickham children, whose case was given a hearing in the county court a few days ago, have been turned over to their father under consideration that

he take proper care of them and report concerning them at each session of the county court.

Be up to date in whatever you do. Therefore, when you smoke try Founts' Prize Medal, the best cigar money can buy. 27-tf

For the finest styles of candies, bonbons, oranges, and sweets of all kinds, the Columbia Candy Factory cannot be surpassed. tf

Choice Shoalwater Bay oysters served in every style at the Columbia Candy Factory. Give us a trial and we will endeavor to please you.

Persons having trouble with their eyes should call and have them examined by Dr. A. B. Richmond. Office cor. Second and Court Sts. 1w

Wanted immediately, a good business woman, with ability to act as manager of a good paying business. Must be able to give security. Address box G, this city. Jan 3-2t

Three cars of wheat and oats were sold in Corvallis last week by M. B. Blodgett. Sixty-nine cents was paid for the wheat, sacked, on board the cars, and twenty-seven cents for the oats.

On Thursday evening the A. O. U. W. and Degree of Honor will hold a joint installation of officers elected for the ensuing year. The installation will be public, and friends of the members who receive invitations will be entertained royally.

When you can not sleep for coughing take Chamberlain's Cough Remedy. It always gives prompt relief. It is most excellent for colds, too, as it aids expectoration, relieves the lungs and prevents any tendency toward pneumonia. For sale by Blakeley & Houghton.

Last Friday afternoon Mrs. H. W. French gave a party for her little sister, Florence, who was up from Portland visiting her. Nine girls about Florence's age, between 9 and 10, were invited, and when upon arriving they found that they were to play the game which all the older people are so excited over they were delighted and spent most of the afternoon at parlor bowling. When they were invited out to lunch each little girl found a pretty candy cane designating her place at the table. The lunch was greatly enjoyed, and the dainty decoration of the table was as attractive as well as the good things thereon.

Shortly after dinner today Mike Brennan, one of the men engaged in the construction work on the new bridge, fell from the plank on which he was standing to the ground below a distance of about twenty feet, and broke his ankle. Drs. Logan and Doane reduced the fracture, and he is resting easy.

Owing to the scarcity of suitable lumber, the work on the new bridge could not be pushed as rapidly as it would otherwise have been. Several carloads arrived today and is being unloaded this afternoon. Since the material is on the ground it will take but a short time for the bridge gang to put it in place.

William Lemon, whom Sheriff Driver arrested in North Yakima a few days ago for robbery, was brought before Justice Filloon yesterday, and as some of the witnesses could not be found, the case was put off until tomorrow. It seems that Lemon is charged with having stolen a saddle from E. Anderson of Chenoweth creek. H. S. Wilson will appear for the defendant, while A. A. Jayne appears for the prosecution.

Willard Vanderpool of Dufur is in the city today greeting old friends and attending to business matters. He states that word has been received from Jeff Heisler of Beaver creek, who recently left for Klondike. Mr. Heisler wrote from Sheep Camp, and spoke very encouragingly. He says that so far on his journey the cold has not been severe, and that he has hopes of reaching his destination without any serious trouble.

A letter was received from Billy Wiseman today dated at Juneau, Dec. 23d. He is engaged in business at that place, and says he is getting along nicely. The weather there up to that time was not colder than it usually is in The Dalles during the winter. He has been to Skaguay and Dyea, and states that those places are about the size of The Dalles and comparatively dull at present.

The revival meetings at the Christian church are of a very interesting order. Rev. Boltz, the new pastor, is an able and fearless expounder of religious thought, and is already doing much good. Three have been added to the church this week, and it is expected many more will follow. Tonight his subject for discourse will be "The Divine Authenticity of the Scriptures." A cordial invitation is extended to all to attend these meetings.

Considering the excellence of the show that was put on at the Vogt last night, the attendance was not what it should have been. The company consisted of only nine people, but each was an artist in their respective lines, and this is a proof that in order to have a good show it is not necessary to have a palace car and fifty people. In this line as in all others it is the quality rather than the quantity that counts, and the quality of the "Pulse of New York" is as good as represented.

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DESPERATE CHARACTER KILLED

Harry Hesse Resists the Dalles Officers and is Shot.

Friday morning a man by the name of Williams informed Nightwatchman Wiley that he had come into town with a man whom he knew to be a desperate character, and whom he suspected from his conversation, was the man who had broke jail at Oregon City a few days ago. Williams said that he met him at Troutdale and traveled with him from that place. Deputy Sheriff Kelly telegraphed to Chief of Police Burns of Oregon City, and was informed that the escaped man's name was Harry Hesse and his description tallied exactly.

About 4 o'clock in the afternoon Nightwatchman Wiley, Coroner Butts and Special Deputy William Spencer went up to where Hesse was camped, near the company's ice-house, east of town. Spencer was the first to accost him, and he made him believe that he was a tramp and conversed with him for some time. When Wiley and Butts came up the desperado did not seem to think that they were officers, and it was not until Wiley and Spencer had their guns leveled at him that he suspected who they were. When ordered to throw up his hands, he hastily drew a 44-calibre Colt, and was about to level it on Mr. Butts, when Wiley and Spencer, as a last resort, fired, and the desperado fell over on his face with a bullet in his brain, it having entered the left temple and passed through the head, shattering the skull on the right side, but did not come through.

He was taken to Crandall & Burgett's undertaking parlors and an inquest held, the following being the verdict:

THE DALLES, Dec. 31, 1897.

We, the undersigned, impaneled as a coroner's jury to inquire into the facts surrounding the death of an unknown man, whose body is now before us, find as follows:

That the name of the deceased, so far as we are able to ascertain, is Harry Hesse, an escaped convict from the Oregon City jail, and wanted there for violating the law, being at the time of his death a felon. We find his personal dress to be as follows: Black suit, frock coat, black shirt, black fedora hat, congress shoes; weight about 170; age about 21; wore two large checkered shirts and drawers, brown overcoat, and was light complexioned. From the different articles taken from his person, we believe him to be a highwayman and a desperate character.

We find that he came to his death while resisting and undertaking to kill officers of the law while in discharge of their lawful duties in seeking to arrest him under request of the chief of police of Oregon City, Or.

We also find that the shooting which led to his death on the part of the officers, J. J. Wiley and William Spencer, was perfectly justifiable on their part, and necessary to preserve their own lives; and we not only exonerate them from all blame for causing the death of the deceased, but we commend them for their prompt action in saving themselves and bringing to a close the life of one who is a dangerous and murderous person, and one who should not be allowed to roam the land at liberty, and who was, in fact, eluding officers of the law of other places, where he was wanted at the time of his death.

M. RANDALL,
W. A. JOHNSTON,
D. S. DUNCAN,
RUE NEWLIN,
C. F. STEPHENS,
H. C. NIELSEN.

Chief of Police Burns of Oregon City arrived Saturday evening and identified the pistol, underclothing, overcoat, hat, shoes, and in fact everything that Hesse had except his mask, that being the only article found on his person that he did not have when he broke jail. Mr. Guise of Woodburn, whose store Hesse robbed, had offered \$20 reward for his arrest, which is a small recompense for the danger our officers incurred in attempting to arrest such a man. His brother, who helped him to commit the Woodburn robbery, is at present in jail in Salem.

THE RED MEN'S BALL.

Numerous Maskers and a Large Number of Spectators.

The Red Men's ball at the Vogt Friday night was a success in every regard. About forty maskers took part in the grand march. Many of the characters were odd and well selected, and a number of maskers carried out the characters they represented in an admirable manner. Following are the names and characters of the maskers:

Rudolph Frank, Washington; H A Staniels, Sheeney dude; W L Nickles, Jew; W S Norman, clown; Fred Archer, yellow kid; Dave Lemson, Klondike kid; O Nelson, courtier; Joseph Studnecker, Klondike gold-seeker; Dr. Semler, continental costume (one of Washington's lieutenants); A W Robinson, brigand; Julius Ulrich, old miner; Geo Dufur, clown; S P Johnston, Spanish count; Robert Teague, summer dude; Fred Lempke, Jewish rabbi; Ed Burchtorf, painter; Alfred Huott, clown; W F Burnett, Darkey dude; Martin Neagle, drummer; Chas Frank, Spanish don; Carey Ballard, arab; Chas Burchtorf, Pocahontas; A B King, ordinary Lester Carrol, jockey; E Waud, George Washington; George Waud, policeman.

Ladies—Mrs McCally, old fashion; Miss Agnes Bates, dancing girl; Miss Minnie Julian, cow boy; Mrs A Urquhart, Japanese lady; Miss L Ehrck, bride; Mrs D Lemison, stars and stripes; Mrs E C Drews, stars and stripes; Miss Lizzie Buschke, fancy dress; Miss Alta Brown, school girl; Miss Ella Neagle, sailor girl; Mrs Emma Ward, night.

Among the ladies Miss Agnes Bates

won the first prize, the character represented being a dancing girl. Miss Julian won second prize, her character being a cow boy; while Chas. Burchtorf, as Pocahontas, won the third prize. The gentlemen's prizes were won by Joe Studnecker. He represented an Alaskan gold-seeker, bound for Klondike on a bicycle made for two of Buchler's beer kegs. The winner of the second prize was Chas. Nelson, who represented a courtier, while Alfred Huott, as clown, carried off the third prize.

THE FOOT BALL GAME.

The Ramblers Win by a Score of Six to Four.

The game was lively throughout and well attended, considering the haste with which it was gotten up, and the uncertainty about the whole matter until the day before it was played. As is the case in all foot ball games, the enthusiasts crowded the front rows, while those taking less interest remained more in the background, and the fences and house-tops were lined with men and boys anxious to get a free view of the game.

The game was called promptly at 3 o'clock, our boys having the choice of goals. Portland was given the kick off. During the greater part of the first half the game was doubtful, when Portland succeeded in doubling a touch down and kicking a goal, which made the score six to nothing at the end of the first half. In the last half the playing was lively on both sides and the time was almost up when one of the Portland boys made a fumble which gave our boys a touch-down, but they failed to kick a goal, and when time was called the score stood six to four in favor of Portland.

The following are the players.

PORTLAND.	THE DALLES.
P Kelsey center	J Fisher
W Shoemaker r guard	T Smiley
D Sutton l guard	W Brown
S Bradbury l tackle	Jim Elton
A Barger r tackle	W Barnett
W Joy r end	R Fisher
L Myers l end	G Bartell
W McAllister r half-back	A Clarke, C
J Camane l half-back	H Kelly
E Downing, C quarter-back	B Barrett
C McKinnon full-back	W Fields
subs.	
G Woodard	H Myers
A Miller	J Maloney
	G Mays

COUNCIL MEETING.

J. S. Schenck, the New Councilman-Officers' Reports.

The regular monthly meeting of the city council was held in the council chambers last night, Mayor Nolan presiding, and the following councilmen being present: Thompson, Wood, Saltmarsh, Kuck, Stephens, Johnston, Clough and Johns.

The minutes of the last meeting were read and approved.

A. R. Thompson, of the judiciary committee, introduced a special ordinance authorizing the mayor and recorder to issue a new deed to Coburn & McPherson for lots 3 and 4, block 17, Gates Addition. The ordinance was passed.

The reports of the officers were read, adopted and placed on file. Amounts of officers' salaries were ordered paid and the recorder instructed to draw warrants for the same.

The bills of the New York Security and Trust Co. were referred to the judiciary committee.

The application of Mays & Crowe to build a roof across the alley back of their store, was referred to the judiciary committee.

In the election of a councilman to take the place of Mr. Champlin, the names of J. S. Schenck and R. Gibbons were mentioned. On the first ballot the vote stood Schenck 3, Gibbons 3, Chas. Phillips 1. In the second ballot Schenck got 5 and Gibbons 3, which made the former Mr. Champlin's successor.

The following bills were allowed:

C F Lauer, marshal	\$ 75 00
Geo Brown, engineer	75 00
J S Wiley, nightwatchman	60 00
C J Crandall, treasurer	20 00
R B Sinnott, recorder	50 00
G W Mann, hauling	1 00
H Clough, labor	1 00
P Burham, hauling	1 25
W A Johnston	15 00
E Benjamin, labor	9 00
J T Peters & Co.	47 40
Dalles City Water Works	32 00
C Jones, labor	12 00
Jas Like "	15 00
L M Wilson, labor	14 30
Joe Burger, hauling	2 90
J Hebner, labor	24 70
Mrs Frazier, meals for pris.	2 80
Columbia Hotel "	1 20
California Res "	2 25

The reports of the recorder and treasurer were as follows:

RECORDER'S REPORT.

Number of arrests during month, 13.	
Number of convictions, 12.	
Number of acquittals, 1.	
Saloon licenses issued, 13.	
Amt, rec'd for saloon licenses	\$2250 00
do do theater licenses	24 00
do do team licenses	6 00
do do fines	5 00
Sidewalk assessments	3 00
Total	\$2288 00

TREASURER'S REPORT.

Amount on hand	\$7406 36
Amount received	2288 00
Total on hand	\$9694 36
By warrants redeemed	616 20
Bal cash	\$9078 16

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