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**LOCAL BRIEVITIES.**

Wednesday's Daily

Today nine hundred sacks of this season's wheat crop were shipped to Portland on the Dixon.

Mays and Crowe have opened their plumbing shop on the corner of Federal and Third streets and are now in a position to meet all requirements in the plumbing line.

Clyde Bonney, proprietor of the Hood River meat market, was in the city last evening. He informs us that business is rushing in Hood River and that large amounts of fruit is being shipped daily from that point east.

Parties who came up on the local today inform us that the contractors had almost completed the work of launching the Regulator. When the train passed the boat was almost off the ways, and it is thought that she is now floating on the breast of the Columbia.

Mr. and Mrs. J. P. McNerny and family returned last evening from Clatsop Beach. They inform us that that favorite resort is getting somewhat of a deserted appearance, as a great many of the visitors have already returned home on account of the continued cool weather.

Today the work of tearing down the G. A. R. arch was begun. The arch has served its purpose at the encampment and on July 4th, and has stood long enough. The winds and weather have changed it to anything but an ornament and it is a wise move to get it out of the road.

The cool nights have the effect of causing a great many more of the members to spend their leisure time at the club. Last evening being for ladies and gentlemen the largest number that has been at the club rooms since the early part of the summer season, took part in the bowling, and some fine scores were made considering how long it has been since bowling to amount to anything has been done. It is expected that the Dalles bowlers will practice up now, so as to make a respectable showing in the future tournaments.

The renowned orator, T. DeWitt Talmage, will lecture in Portland tonight. Dr. Talmage figures among the greatest of American pulpit orators. His lecture will be delivered in the exposition building, which, having a seating capacity of six thousand, will be able to accommodate the throng who will be present to hear him.

About one dozen heavy teams are loading freight at the Wasco Warehouse today for Silver Lake. At present a great deal of merchandise and supplies are being shipped to this point, as the winter is approaching and in a short

time the roads will be in such a shape from the fall rains as to be almost unpassable with a load.

Yesterday Bruce Anson who for several years has been employed as clerk in the road masters office in this city, received a telegram from Michigan informing him that his mother was dangerously ill and asking him to come home immediately. He will leave for the east tonight or tomorrow as he will have to wait until such time as he receives his transportation.

Yesterday evening Mr. and Mrs. Nels Patterson who live about six miles above Dufur were going out shooting birds when an accident happened from the effects of which Mrs. Patterson may lose one of her hands at the wrist. It appears Mr. Patterson was carrying a shotgun and stumbled on a rock and discharged a load of No. 6 shot which struck Mrs. Patterson in the right hand lacerating it terribly and tearing away everything but the little and ring fingers which may possibly be saved. Dr. Geisendorffer was summoned and left immediately to dress the wound.

John Rayburn, a section boss at Rooster Rock, was arrested yesterday on a warrant issued from justice Kraemer's court, charging him with assault and battery upon J. T. Smith. Smith's head was brutally beaten, and according to his version the assault was uncalculated. Smith is an invalid veteran of the war while his assailant is a healthy man, weighing about 200 pounds. The complainant has charge of another place at Rooster Rock. Near by, on the railroad property, stands an apple tree, alleged to belong to no individual in particular, from which Smith and his son yesterday shook some of the fruit. Mrs. Rayburn objected to that, and Smith claims that he told her to flee her complaint with the railroad company. In the evening Rayburn came to Smith's house, called him out, and they walked a few rods along the track. In an unguarded moment Rayburn began to pummel Smith in an unmerciful manner. Smith's appearance would indicate that he had been fondeled with a pick handle.

Tomorrow morning the open season for shooting pheasants, grouse, quail and waterfowl begins. The season for upland birds will close December 1, but the season for shooting waterfowl does not end until March 15. Grouse, pheasants and quail can be sold only between October 15 and November 15, but it is lawful to sell waterfowl during the entire open season.

Constable Frank Hill left last night for Wyeth with a warrant for the arrest of a party named Charles Wand who is charged with having obtained money under false pretenses. It appears that Wand was a partner with Jones Brothers in a contracting and railroad grading company and served as paymaster for the said company which is at present operating on the O. R. & N. near Wyeth. In paying off one of the hands a short time ago, Wand drew a check for a much larger amount than was coming and kept the difference when the check was cashed. His partners found out what he had done and swore out a warrant for his arrest. Constable Hill found on his arrival at Wyeth that his man had gone to Portland and has followed him up in the hopes of finding him there.

Today Michael Morran, James Sarsfield and Mr. Mulligan, prominent farmers of Klickitat county, are in the city.

They report that the road leading from Goldendale to The Dalles is in a very bad condition in many places, especially on this side of the mountain. If The Dalles people desire the large grain crops of Klickitat county as well as the trade of that prosperous section, they should look into the matter of the improvement of the road leading to this city. No work has been done in the way of improving it during the entire summer and it is in such a condition at present that a heavy team cannot be driven over it with any safety. The rocks should be picked off and the holds filled up in order to gain the patronage of the Klickitat farmers.

The common council a short time since received a note from a man at The Dalles, says the Oregonian, who wished to enter into negotiations for the sale of a wild cat, which he imagined the council would be anxious to secure at any price, as an attraction for the City Park. He was shy about naming a price, but appeared to think that the park was short on wild cats, and must have them, no difference how high they came. An answer was sent in which full particulars in regard to the characteristics and peculiarities of the wild cat were asked for, and if these proved satisfactory an offer was tendered to exchange a coyote for the wild cat, the cat to be delivered at the park, and the coyote taken away without cost to the city. No answer has been received and none is now looked for. Probably the man who has the wild cat believes that the council is composed of rather close traders, who do not intend that the city shall be got ahead of in a cat trade.

Everything indicates at present that The Dalles theater goers will have numerous entertainments given by home talent this fall. Those which are spoken of at present are a musical by the Alpha Mandolin and Guita Club and a genuine negro minstrel performance under the auspices of The Dalles Commercial and Athletic Club. The musical promises to be without exception the finest ever given by Dalles talent. Over thirty of our best musicians will take part and the program will consist of selections by the entire club, instrumental solos, duets, quartets, sextets as well as a mingling of vocal talent which would reflect credit on any town. The date for the musical has not been set, but will be sometime after the 15th of September, while the Minstrel performance will take place toward the end of October.

Thursday's Daily.

Two large consignments of wool and flour from the Diamond Roller Mills formed the principal part of the cargo on the Dalles City this morning.

Constable Hill returned from Portland today having in charge Charles Wand who is charged with obtaining money under false pretenses. Wand has been placed in jail and will have his hearing in the justice court tomorrow.

G. O. Millett, a well-known Lane county farmer, who lives near Junction City, completed threshing his crop Monday. He saved 14,000 bushels of wheat and 2000 bushels of oats and barley from 600 acres of land, an average of 26 1/2 bushels per acre.

This morning Deputy Sheriff F. C. Sexton arrested James Denton, aged eleven, and Cland and Guy Root, aged respectively eleven and eight years. They are charged with having stolen money from the residence of a chinaman

who lives on the hill near the fair grounds. Their hearing before Judge Mays began at 2 o'clock this afternoon and, although, the evidence against the lads is strong they will in all probability be severely reprimanded and discharged. They have not the appearance of bad boys and are the children of two respectable parents.

The Salem Statesman observes that the "beautiful Willamette" will lose its reputation as a river if it gets much lower. Old bars, snags and other uncouth things generally covered with a decent flow of water are at present high and dry on the upper river.

Kishwauk, the Eastern Oregon Indian sheep king, is nothing if not progressive. On a visit to The Dalles the other day he purchased, among other supplies for his ranch, a windmill, pump and tank, and a large quantity of pipe, which he proposes to use in irrigating his land.

The disease reported to be glanders among the horses in the White Mud lake country, 10 miles east of Colville, is said to be a species of water farcey. While a number of horses have died of the disease this summer and spring, the spread of the malady has been checked by the well-directed efforts of a veterinary.

A large wool sale took place at the Wasco Warehouse yesterday. Charles Donn, of Antelope, sold his entire clip of about 30,000 pounds to Mr. Willie, who represents a Chicago house, at 15 cents. This is considered a very good price, and Mr. Donn is not sorry he held this long. This sale does not indicate that the bottom has fallen out of the market and will have the effect of causing the producers to hold their wool for still higher prices.

A picture of the silk flag which was donated by the B. P. O. E., of this city, to Co. G., O. N. G. and was presented to the Elks by Mr. Gifford, was in Mays and Crowe store at the time of the fire and in all probability was carried out by someone. If anyone has the same they would confer a favor by returning it.

J. V. O'Leary, of Sherman county, is delivering 2400 head of mutton sheep to a Portland buyer, driving to the S. P. Ry. at Eugene. Forestry cranks have literally played smash with sheep husbandry in the Waiting Empire—the only profitable industry we've ever had. Now we can wait some more, says the Sherman County Observer.

Monday Charles Burchort opened a repair shop in the building formerly occupied by the Dalles steam laundry on the corner of Third and Federal streets. For several years he has been in the employ of Mays and Crowe and is a unexcelled as a gunsmith, bicycle repairing and at all kinds of machine work. He will also deal in plumbing goods and invites anyone desiring anything in this line to give him a call. 8-30-2t

The Jacobson Book and Music Company placed in their window this morning an article which proves a source of amusement to all the little folks and many of the older people. It is a statue of Uncle Sam posing as a violinist. His features are lit up with a jovial smile and his eyes are rolling in glee as he thinks of the fast music he gave the Spaniards to keep step to. They have also a large collection of pictures known as glass medallions which are the most beautiful things of the kind we have ever seen.

A lively runaway occurred in this city this forenoon. A team belonging to an Indian was standing near the Regulator wharf when it took fright and had a lively chase up Second street. The horses were unhitched from the wagon having nothing but the double trees fastened to them at the time. They were very evenly matched in point of speed and kept together until they reached three-mile when they tired out and were caught and brought back. No one was injured by the runaway although numerous people were on the streets at the time while the damage to the horses or harness was trivial. Able citizens, Thomas Denton and John Root. There was some talk of them being sent to the reform school but on account of their being so young such a course does not seem necessary.

According to the expectation of all concerned the Steamer Regulator was successfully launched yesterday afternoon and put into the mouth of the locks. In launching the boat, however, a piece of one of the ways was forced through the bottom of the craft and after launching the water poured into the hull rapidly and soon the vessel was laying on her side in a rather bad condition. The managers of the D. P. and A. line have sent for 150 more barrels and after placing them in her hold hope to be able to successfully float the craft to Portland. The most difficult part of the whole matter will be taking the boat through the swift water below the locks; this will not be attempted, however, until it is put in shape so that there will be little danger of any further accidents.

J. Frank Watson has sued ex-Sheriff B. C. Agee, of Douglas county, in Roeseburg, for \$10,000 damages. It seems Watson secured on June 8, a decree and judgment against the Noonday Mining Company, of Bohemia, for \$5202.68, accrued interest, attorney's fees and costs. An execution was issued and the date of the sale of the property, machinery, etc., was set for Saturday, August 13. Before the appointed time arrived, how-

ever, the Noonday company filed a stay bond with the sheriff, and took an appeal to the supreme court, the sheriff relying upon the stay bond and refusing to sell the property as advertised. The sheriff's disregard of a stay bond made him liable to a suit for damages brought by either party, as a mine is regarded as personal property, and is not subject to redemption like real estate.

Shortly after Sheriff Kelly stepped into office he published a notice in the papers, to taxpayers, urging them to pay their delinquent taxes. The Oregonian of August 7th said of his notice that it was the most extreme case of official politeness in the history of Oregon politics. Along with making game of it, it seems anxious to know whether property owners would settle any more quickly than if they had been put to the trouble of paying costs of seizure and sale. At the time the notice was inserted there was \$60,000 delinquent. The amount he handed to the county treasurer today, \$4900.01 will increase the amount collected since he took charge of the tax rolls to \$16175.92 or one-fourth of the delinquent taxes of the county. Considering that the farmers and wool men have not yet marketed their produce this is certainly a splendid showing and should satisfy any inquiries concerning the effectiveness of Sheriff Kelly's "polite notice."

Friday's Daily.

Hereafter the popular O. R. & N. Sunday Excursions which have been running to Multnomah Falls, Hood River and Cascade Locks during the past hot weather will be discontinued for the season of 1898.

Spokane from the 4th to the 15th of October will be the gayest city in America. This is the time of the annual fruit fair, which is yearly doing so much good for the Inland Empire by advertising its resources and products to the world.

One of the most promising mines in Baker county is said by the Baker City Democrat to be the Imperial, in Cable Cove district. Along the entire length of the 500-foot tunnel in this mine there is a ledge from three and a half to four feet wide that gives an average return of \$17 to the ton.

The dedicating exercises of the new school building will be held on the afternoon of Friday, September 9th. The school officers and teachers will show every courtesy to visitors and see that they are conducted through the building as well as explaining everything concerning the building.

Mr. H. H. Tomlinson of Mt. Hood has sold one-third interest in his saw mill to Bert Sandman, and the new firm will put in a Turbine wheel and increase the capacity of the mill four times. Their shingle mill will also be put in full operation and will make shingles enough to supply the entire valley.

A freight train broke in two near Baker City the other day. The draw bar of one of the cars fell, and the end catching on one of the ties, the car was raised from the ground, and the four cars following were literally pushed over it and off the track. Trainmen consider this one of the "freak" accidents of railroad history.

Claude and Guy Root, the two boys charged with larceny of money from the dwelling of a chinaman, had their hearing before Judge Mays yesterday and the elder of the two, Claude, was committed to the state reform school. Guy being but seven years old was discharged on account of being so young. James Denton was to have his hearing this forenoon but it was postponed until this afternoon at 4 o'clock.

The coming county institute promises to be of the greatest interest and benefit to all teachers, officers and school patrons in attendance. A complete program of the proceedings at the institute is being prepared and will be mailed to school officers and teachers today. Superintendent Gilbert is exerting every effort to make the institute the best in the history of the county and we do not doubt that he will be successful.

The brickyard of Mr. James Blakeney is decidedly one of the busiest places in or around The Dalles. He has seventeen men employed in the yard and is turning out on an average over sixteen thousand bricks per day. Mr. Blakeney is making every effort to turn out brick that is first

class in every regard so that it will not be necessary for those desiring to build to send to other places in order to get good material, as has been done heretofore.

Yesterday evening a special train passed through the city after the Spokane flyer. It consisted of two coaches, the Mehama carrying Mr. W. A. Bull and private secretary. Mr. Bull is the chairman of the board of directors of the O. R. & N. with headquarters in New York City. The other car, No. 01, carried president Mohler of the O. R. & N., who was accompanying Mr. Bull as far as Umatilla. The former gentleman is returning to New York after having attended the annual meeting in Portland.

Grave fears for the safety of the steamer Regulator were entertained after the launching of the boat. It was expected when it sunk at the mouth of the locks that it would be a total wreck. Such, however, is not the case as the Dixon succeeded in towing the boat into the locks yesterday and at present is laying as in dry dock. About two hundred barrels will be put into the hold and the boat taken to Portland or The Dalles for repairs. It may be necessary to build a new hull under the vessel but the house is in good condition and can be used, as in the case of the Dalles City.

Mrs. Jas. Cordell, who resides two miles northwest of Fossil, met with a serious accident at an early hour last Friday morning. A lamp had been left burning in the bedroom and Mrs. Cordell awoke at about 2 o'clock a. m., to discover the lamp blazing up in an alarming manner as though about to explode. The lady hastily arose and attempted to carry the lamp to the front door to through it out, but before she could reach the door the lamp exploded and her clothing was instantly in flames. The fire was quickly extinguished, but not until one of Mrs. Cordell's arms was severely burned, from the hand to the elbow. Medical aid was hastily summoned from Condon and the burns were dressed, and at last accounts the patient was getting along as well as could be expected.

Death of Mrs. O. A. Crowe.

Mrs. O. A. Crowe, of Sprague, Washington, died in this city on Thursday morning, September 1st, aged 41 years, 10 months and 20 days.

She has been suffering from consumption for some time and was brought to this city Saturday for treatment. Nothing could be done for her, however, and she passed away at about 7 o'clock yesterday morning.

She leaves a husband and eight children, one son and seven daughters. Harry Crowe, of Sprague, Grace Crowe, of this city, Ruth, Bertha, Ida, Gertrude and two younger daughters whose names could not be learned. She also leaves one sister, Mrs. James Like, of this city.

The remains were sent to Sprague on the Dixon this morning for burial where the interment will take place Sunday.

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