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LOCAL BREVITIES.

Saturday's Daily.

Until further notice the steamer Dalles City will leave this city on Tuesdays, Thursdays and Saturdays at 7 a. m.

Two cars of cattle were shipped to Port Townsend last evening by Charles Butler, a cattle buyer of that place. They were purchased from Mr. McPherson, of Hay Creek.

Today William Vogt, who for several years has served as clerk in C. L. Stephens Dry Goods store, resigned his position to accept one with A. M. Williams & Co., where he will begin work Monday. His place in Mr. Stephens' store will be filled by Bert W. Hollister, a practical dry goods man from Iowa who thoroughly understands the business.

The Wasco County Christian Endeavor Union will hold its fifth annual convention in this city, beginning the evening of Sept. 30th and continuing through the next two days. First meeting on Friday evening at the Christian church, the other sessions at the Congregational church. All Christian Endeavorers of this and adjoining counties are cordially invited to attend.

Yesterday evening a drunk who was creating a disturbance in the East End and by fighting and using abusive language, was arrested by Marshal Lauer and Nightwatchman Phirman. On the way to the city jail he resisted the officers and in order to bring him to his senses the marshal was forced to use his club freely and with a few blows laid the offender out. He was placed in jail and will have his hearing today.

The following program will be rendered at Fraternity hall tonight, beginning at 8:30 o'clock: Overture, Mrs. J. M. Patterson; recitation, Miss Grace Hobson; piano solo, Emily Crossen; male quartet, Messrs. Landers, Weigel, Sexton, Leist; recitation, Miss Nova Dawson; vocal solo, Miss Lela Kelsay; select reading, Mrs. Maud Eddon; instrumental duet, Prof. Ryan and Mr. Clinton Alden; "Manila Punch" will be served with other refreshments. A collection of curios from Manila will be on display. A cordial invitation is extended to all. Admission 15 cents.

Prof. Landers, principal of our High school, has kindly given to the committee his opinion of Chaplain McCabe's noted and popular lecture "Bright Side of Life in Libby Prison." We desire to call attention to his statement that this lecture gives us a view of the bright side, that side, that every lecturer or author has wholly ignored. These tell us of the starvation, the sickness, the unmeasured suffering of the "boys in blue" in this prison pen, so the Chaplain's lecture will be wholly new to all. Also notice Rev. W. H. Duff's estimate of this lecture. All who fail to hear the Chaplain will lose a wonderful chapter of our nation's history.

Monday's Daily.

Today thirty new names were added to the already large list in The Dalles public schools. It is expected that the enrollment will greatly increase during the next few weeks.

Mrs. Peirano wishes to announce to the ladies of The Dalles and vicinity that she has just received a complete stock of fall millinery and novelties, which she would be pleased to have them call and examine.

The average daily score at the Umatilla House alleys was 65.8, while the daily high scores were: Maetz, Monday, 60, Tuesday, 52; Baldwin, Wednesday, 73; Maetz, Thursday, 59; Birgfeld, Friday, 71; Maetz, Saturday, 61, Sunday, 79.

The Centerville correspondent of the Goldendale Agriculturalist says that for two Sundays past the ladies of the W. C. T. U. have forced every store in town to close. The ladies, the correspondent adds, have become tired of violations of the Sunday law, and the sale of "biters."

A meeting of the water commissioners was held Saturday night for the purpose of considering the question of increasing the water power in The Dalles in case of fire. As their plans are not fully perfected nothing was done at this meeting. Another will be held this evening at which matters of importance will be decided.

Several cars of the construction train got off the track between the Cascades and Viento today which forced the passenger train, which was due here at 11:30, to remain at the Cascade Locks until such time as the track was cleared. The wreck must have been quite serious as they were still working on it at 3 o'clock this afternoon, and at that time the passenger had not yet left the Locks. Since the opening of the fishing season,

up to last Saturday, the catch of fish kept getting lighter so that the fishermen and owners of canneries began to despair of making anything to speak of from the fall run. Saturday the fish began to come more satisfactorily and the amount caught at present is on the increase, so that the season promises to be a profitable one in spite of the gloomy prospect last week.

Saturday W. E. Mason, who works on Congressman Moody's ranch near Hood River, was grubbing when the axe glanced and inflicted a terrible gash in one of his feet. He was brought to Hood River and Dr. Shaw called to attend to his injury. Although he will be laid up for four or five months with the injury, which is extremely painful, still the doctor hopes that he will recover fully and that no serious results will come from the same.

The past week has been the liveliest Dalles bowling circles of any since last winter. An unusual large amount of bowling was done, and the Ladies record for the city was taken by Mrs. Fred Houghton, with a score of 73. The daily score at the club were: Schmidt, Monday, 59, Tuesday 56; Bradshaw, Wednesday, 55; Thursday, Mrs. Houghton, 73, Bradshaw, 68; Bradshaw, Friday, 66; Houghton, Saturday, 50; Sampson, Sunday, 63.

We are informed that the freight rates on the O. R. & N. and D. P. & A. N. Co. have been raised on wheat between this place and Portland from three cents per bushel to four and one half cents. The rates on other goods have also been raised in proportion. The D. P. & A. N. people inform us that the rates have never been raised on freight since the opposition boat was running, and state that the rates were so low that they lost money on various shipments of goods which are difficult to handle.

The music that will be enjoyed at the Oregon Industrial Exposition from September 22 to October 22 will be the best in the land. It will cost much money, but the Exposition managers realize that nothing is too good for the people, so they engaged Bennett's Full Military Band, whose music is superb. There will be concerts by this famous band afternoons and evenings, and the programs will be arranged by competent music committees, the numbers being adapted to the better tastes of all audiences. There are a number of talented soloists in the band, and they will all be heard to the best advantage.

Yesterday afternoon two employes of the O. R. & N. went in bathing in a slue about one mile below Hood River. One of the men was named Houston, and in attempting to swim across the slue he was taken with a cramp, and before any aid could reach him he sank and was drowned. A search was made for his body which was found this morning at about 8:30 o'clock. Houston is a stranger in Hood River, having come to that place recently, and from what we could learn he is from Milwaukee, Wisconsin. No papers were found in his clothing that would throw any further light on his identity. Coroner Butts was summoned and left for Hood River on the first train.

C. S. Smith and Frank Cockerline, of Boyd, both of whom were formerly engaged in the grocery business and who are experienced in this line, have purchased the store of Fred Fisher in the East End. They took possession of their new stand this morning and are now prepared to meet all their friends and Mr. Fisher's former patrons and offer them as reasonable figures on anything in the grocery line as can be quoted in The Dalles. Both are honest and reliable business men and will certainly gain their share of the patronage of the people of The Dalles and the surrounding country. The business will in future be run under the name of Smith and Cockerline.

Tuesday's Daily.

Steel range, four hole, high shelf \$20.00.

Steel range, four hole, high close \$22.50.

Steel range, six hole, high shelf \$27.50.
Steel range, four hole, high closet and reservoir \$32.00.

1 qt. fruit cans, thirty-five cents per dozen, at Mays & Crowe.

A marriage license was issued yesterday to John McIsaac and Miss Etta A. McGrath, of Cascade Locks.

What is selling at 53 cents in The Dalles today. The raise in transportation rates between here and Portland is affecting the price somewhat.

The doors will open at 7:30 on Thursday at the Methodist church. Bishop McCabe's lecture will begin at 8 o'clock so that everyone will have an opportunity to be seated before that famous lecturer will begin.

It is expected that the steamer Inland Flyer will Thursday be put on the run between this city and Portland. Her machinery will then be in better condition than on her last trip and some fast running may then be looked for.

There is not an Indian in the state old enough to recall a day when the Willamette river was lower than it is this summer, says the Salem Statesman. There is simply a huge rift in the valley where the proud stream used to be. In the bottom of this, just enough water is running in a cramped channel to permit the masters of the steamers Gypsy and Pomona to laboriously find their way up

there from Portland and lower valley points.

Under the most favorable weather conditions ever experienced, the hop crop of 1898 has been garnered. It was a profitable one for the picker, the grower and the state. Pickers made easy money; growers saved their crops without delay, and the state will receive reputation for quality, for all the crop was saved. Like all other products, the grower was disappointed in point of yield.

Theodore Meguet who has a farm on Mill creek about four miles from this city, brought in several boxes of fine strawberries this morning to the Dalles Commission Co. Mr. Joseph Bonn in the kindness of his heart presented the CHRONICLE office with a box of the same and they were pronounced delicious. The strawberries are the second crop and show plainly how prolific the soil of Eastern Oregon is that will produce two crops of berries in one season.

William Rector, who was convicted as an accomplice to the Ladd grave robbery, and sentenced to two years in the penitentiary, was pardoned Saturday by Governor Lorr. He had completed about one and a half years of his term. He was brought down from Salem two weeks ago to testify in the Magone case, and was held at the city jail until his release Saturday. The pardon was brought to Portland by A. N. Gilbert, superintendent of the state penitentiary.

A meeting of the emergency corps was held at the Umatilla House parlor this morning for the purpose of appointing delegates to go to Portland to make arrangements to join this with the Red Cross society. The emergency corps will be made a state organization and it will be so arranged that both societies will work in conjunction. The delegates chosen were Mrs. George Blakeley, Mrs. A. S. McAllister and Mrs. T. Lang.

Last evening Frank Sommers and H. C. Roopert returned from a hunting trip on Tygh Ridge. They were out two days and saw in all two prairie chickens which flew before they were within a quarter of a mile of them, so that they feel somewhat discouraged at their bad luck. Mr. Weggenman accompanied them on returning Sunday. He lost a splendid black and white setter in Pire Hollow about four miles south of Dufur. He informs us that the dog went into the canyon where there was water and failed to return.

Two bowling teams, one consisting of married women and the other of maidens, have been organized among the lady members of the club. The matrons team consists of the following ladies: Mesdames Geo. Blakeley, Fred Houghton, Judd Fish, B. S. Huntington, Judge Bradshaw, and Theo. Seufert, the latter being captain. The young ladies will, in all probability, have the following bowlers in their team: Misses A. Schanno, Nona Ruch, Louise Ruch, Anna Lang and Edna Glenn. As yet they have only five members, but before the tournament, which will take place Friday evening, they will have a full team and will be prepared to give the elder ladies a merry game.

The Republicans of Goldendale Saturday showed by the harmonious proceedings of the convention, that the party is united in Kilekitt this fall, as more than half of the nominations were made by acclamation. Ringing resolutions were adopted favoring President McKinley's policy in regard to the disposition of the Philippines and termination of the peace negotiations with Spain. Senator George Turner's recent assault on the administration was branded as cowardly and unpatriotic. The platform also recommended the speedy completion of the Nicaragua canal and commended the recent decision of the supreme court with populist law that is so obnoxious to the business interests of the state.

Last evening Mrs. Captain Wand returned from a business trip to Portland. She informs us that she received a letter from the captain a few days ago in which he stated that he and Captain Mitchell Martino, who was formerly in the employ of the D. P. & A. N. Co., are running the steamer Flora on the Stikeen river. Captain Wand is of the opinion that there will be an abundance of provisions in Dawson this coming winter. In less than two weeks over three thousand head of beef cattle have been shipped in. Transportation companies are at present doing a big business and provisions are fifty per cent cheaper than when he went to Alaska early in the summer. Since he has been there he has been offered a position by the Canadian government running one of their steamers at higher wages than he at present receives, also a position from another transportation company, but he was unable to take advantage of either offer on account of a contract he has with the company by which he is employed.

Millinery Opening.

At Mrs. Peirano's on Wednesday, Sept. 23th, (consisting of the latest styles in fall and winter millinery and novelties) which the ladies of The Dalles and vicinity are cordially invited to attend.

Thousands of persons have been cured of piles by using DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve. It heals promptly and cures eczema and all skin diseases. It gives immediate relief. Snipes-Kinnersly Drug Co.

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A SUDDEN DEATH.

Henry Beckley of Douglas County Dies in This City Last Night.

Henry Beckley of Elkton, Douglas County, died at the Farmer's Hotel in this city last evening. In company with his son J. H. Beckley, two daughters and two nieces he left Portland last evening for Omaha, where they intended attending the exposition. Shortly after leaving that city he was taken sick and as he grew rapidly worse his son telegraphed ahead to have a doctor at the depot when the train arrived. Dr. Doane was in readiness, but when the train pulled in Mr. Beckley was about ready to breathe his last.

It was impossible for the doctor to state exactly what his malady was as he was troubled with violent pains in the chest and stomach, and as he was a subject of heart disease, his death was probably due to that cause. He was taken to the Farmer's Hotel and was dead in less than one-half hour after the train arrived. Mr. Beckley was about sixty-four years of age and figures as one of the most prominent citizens of Douglas county, being an ex-Senator from that county and a prominent man in politics. J. C. Crandall prepared the remains for interment and they were shipped below on the early morning train today.

BOWLING MATCH.

The Married and Single Men Lick the Former Are Extremely Lucky and Win the Supper.

A lively bowling tournament took place on the Club alleys last evening between the single and married men, and as it is often the case, luck predominated over science and the married men bore away the palm of victory.

The single men put up a splendid game but fortune did not smile on them as could be plainly seen by the center after center was taken out by the skillful young fellows, while the married men on the other hand seemed to have nothing to do but throw the balls carelessly on the alleys and strike followed strike on their side.

The wager for the tournament was an oyster supper, and at the conclusion of the match the successful team was taken to the Palace of Sweets by their opponents and treated to all the place afforded.

Quite a number of spectators were present at the tournament and much enthusiasm was shown. Another match is expected as soon as the married men get one of their "lucky streaks." The scores were as follows:

MARRIED MEN.			
Bradshaw	45	64	38 66-213
Houghton	43	42	34 44-163
Ogden	33	54	69 87-170
Tolmie	48	32	38 34-152
DeHuff	40	36	29 29-133
Phillips	46	33	24 36-139
Totals	255	261	208 246 970
SINGLE MEN.			
Sinnott	31	41	45 48-185
Schmidt	51	38	34 38-161
Sampson	35	38	26 45-142
Ketchum	38	41	54 22-135
Stadelman	22	29	23 31-105
Ballard	35	44	38 19-138
Total	212	231	200 201 844

A PLEASANT PARTY.

The Farewell to Miss Georgia Sampson—The First of the Season and a Most Pleasant Affair.

The first dancing party of the season was held at the K. of P. Hall last evening and was as pleasant an affair as was ever held in The Dalles.

The party was given as a farewell to Miss Georgia Sampson and the large number in attendance spoke too plainly the number of friends the young lady has in this city.

The music was furnished by Professor Ryans, quartet and the excellence of the same added much to the pleasure of the evening. Shortly before ten dancing began and not until long after twelve did the merry crowd break up and repair to the Palace of Sweets and Andrew Kellers where they partook of abundant refreshments. Before leaving the hall, however, Miss Sampson was bidden farewell by all present and if the many wishes for a pleasant journey will count for aught, her trip will certainly be one of the most pleasant of her life.

She expresses the warmest feeling of appreciation to her friends for the delightful party given in her honor, and expresses regret that she must spend a year away from The Dalles and those many kind friends. While in St. Louis she will enter the conservatory of music where she will take a years course.

Those present at the party were: Mr. and Mrs. G. C. Blakeley, Mr. and Mrs. M. J. Donnell, Mr. and Mrs. H. W. French, Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Garretson, Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Crandall, Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Tolmie, Mrs. Mary French, Mrs. Fairclough, Misses Nona Ruch, Clara Sampson, Elizabeth Bonn, Elizabeth Schoelling, Laura Thompson, Miss Lytle, Miss Cushing, Maie Cushing, Edna Glenn, Minnie Sandrock, Anna Sandrock, Beula Patterson, Georgie Sampson, Etta Story, Myrtle Mitchell, Elizabeth Sampson, Adele DeForrest, Vic Marden, Grant Mays, Joe Bonn, R. J. Gorman, A. D. McCulley, Alfred Huott, Samuel Nutting, Fred Weigle, Ray Logan, John Weigle, Gus Bonn, Fred Wilson, M. A. Seufert, L. H. Heppner, Frank French, Arthur Clark, A. L. Gude, F. A. Oram, H. W. Parkins, John Hampshire, Ed. M. Williams.

LA FAYETTE'S NEGLECTED TOMB

Monument to Be Erected Over the Forgotten Resting Place.

In Paris there is a convent and garden known through the immortal Hugo's "Les Miserables." It is the convent of the Petit Picpus. In the grounds of this convent is a small cemetery where nearly 1500 victims of the guillotine were buried indiscriminately. Here also repose the bones of La Fayette beside those of his wife, who wished to be buried there. The resting place of La Fayette, generally unknown and forgotten, is marked only by a plain granite slab. Upon a register kept by the concierge of the convent there are inscribed the names of but a very small number of casual visitors.

In view of these facts the "La Fayette Memorial Commission" has been formed for the purpose of erecting a monument to the memory of La Fayette as a twentieth century tribute from the people of this nation, to be unveiled with fitting ceremony on July 4th, 1900, and thus grandly celebrate United States Day at the Paris exposition. It is proposed that the cost of the undertaking, which is estimated to approximate a quarter of a million dollars, shall be defrayed by small contributions secured through the agency of the school children throughout the country.

The dedication of this monument, secured and built through the efforts of the young people of this country, will make conspicuously resplendent our United States day at the Paris exposition of 1900.

No country will find such a basis for the celebration of its national day in Paris; but all the nations of the earth will unite with us in the dedication of this beautiful memorial, a tribute which shall forever mark the grave of La Fayette, whose memory is consecrated in the hearts of men.

It requires no argument to convince the liberty-loving people of America of the far-reaching value of this most fitting, opportune and significant movement. It will promote patriotism and implant in the minds of our young generation, from the Atlantic to the Pacific, a broader knowledge of their country's history.

It is proposed that the president ask the governors of the states to especially designate October 19, 1898, as La Fayette Day in every school district throughout the land, when our children will be told of the struggle for liberty, and they may then contribute their help and pennies to the memory of the defender of their nation.

THE PLAN SUGGESTED.

The committee has decided on October 19th, the anniversary of the surrender of Cornwallis, at Yorktown, as the day which the schools of the United States are asked to recognize as La Fayette Day. On this day, it is hoped by concerted effort to raise ample funds to build the monument on a scale commensurate with the occasion.

In the universities and colleges of the land, the heads of the institutions are asked to appoint committees from their students to arrange and carry out public exercises suited to the idea; embracing perhaps historic drama, patriotic drama, etc, charging an admission fee or collecting voluntary contributions as the local conditions may suggest, and turning the proceeds over to the president of the college, who shall forward it to the treasurer of the memorial committee.

The foregoing suggestions are tentative and may be changed to suit the local conditions.

MEETING OF WATER COMMISSION

Business of Importance Considered and Arrangements Completed for the Repair of The Dalles Water System.

An important meeting of the water commission was held last evening at the usual place to consider the matter of increasing The Dalles water supply in case of fire and by so doing lower the rates of insurance in this city.

The report of W. J. Roberts, civil engineer on the proposed improvement in the water works system, was submitted to the commissioners at the meeting last evening, and was adopted and Mr. Roberts instructed to prepare plans and specifications covering the improvement. The extension will consist of a 12-inch pipe line on Union street from the reservoir to the alley north of the school grounds; from this alley to Second street a ten-inch line; an eight-inch line on Fourth street from Union to Jefferson; an eight-inch line on Jefferson from Fourth to Third; an eight-inch line on Third from Jefferson to Taylor street; three six-inch lines connecting the Second street line with the new Fourth street line; a four-inch line on Garrison street connecting the two four-inch lines on Fourth, and alley north of Third; sixteen new double nozzle hydrants with six-inch feeders; twenty-one gate valves and covers. The new system is expected to give eight fire streams in the business district with a hydrant pressure of eighty pounds.

Today private W. H. Dye of company K., Second Oregon Volunteers who made the trip from Portland to Cavite under Captain Warrick made the CHRONICLE office a pleasant call. He is one of the Volunteers who went with the first expedition and was discharged on account of sickness and left Manila



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By on the transport Australia on July 23. On his return trip he was accompanied by four other Oregon boys, C. A. Bart of Salem, company K., J. W. Shely of Eugene, company C., W. Wann of Ashland, company B., and George Brown of Portland, company G. He confirms the many reports of the poor treatment the privates received on the trip. Their accommodations were miserable while their food was made up of a mixture consisting of small chunks of bacon, water and hardtack, with coffee in which anything could be found from a cigaret snipe to a chunk of coal, while the officers were feasting like princes in their private quarters. Mr. Dye states that nothing could induce him to take the trip again. He is now on his way to Walla Walla in search of employment.

Notice to Delinquent Taxpayers.

The delinquent taxes of Wasco county, as shown on the rolls now in the hands of the sheriff are \$60,000, an amount almost equal to the indebtedness of the county. Every citizen will doubtless admit that this state of affairs should not exist, and that all taxes should be collected. On account of hard times in the past the county court has shown leniency to taxpayers, but that leniency has reached the limit, and the court cannot wait longer on delinquents to make settlements. For this reason a warrant has been attached to each delinquent roll commanding the sheriff to collect all taxes by seizure and sale of property. With a bountiful crop now in sight, there can no longer be any reasonable excuse for the non-payment of taxes. The sheriff is bound by oath to comply with the terms of the warrants attached to the tax rolls for the collection thereof, and has no option in the matter. Delinquent taxpayers can save the cost of seizure and sale of property by settling their taxes at once.

ROBERT KELLY,
Sheriff and Tax Collector for Wasco County.
Dated, August 4, 1898.

Notice to the Public.

That certain note given by the undersigned to Mark T. Kady, for \$174.00, dated June 23d, 1898, payable four months after date, was obtained by and through false and fraudulent representations. The consideration therefor has wholly failed, and said note is now held by said Kady contrary to his agreement to return the same. All persons are warned not to purchase said note, and that the maker thereof will not pay it.

WILLIAM O. PATTERSON,
The Dalles, Oregon.
Dated Sept. 8, 1898.

WANTED HOUSE ESTABLISHED

20 YEARS—Party, either Lady or Gentleman, of good church standing as CORRESPONDENT and MANAGER here. Need not leave home. Salary \$800 first year. Enclose self-addressed stamped envelope to A. T. Elder, General Manager, care CHRONICLE.

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Cash in Your Checks.
All county warrants registered prior to Dec. 1, 1894, will be paid at my office. Interest ceases after September 8, 1898.
C. L. PHILLIPS,
County Treasurer.

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