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LOCAL BREVITIES.

Saturday s Dally.

At the three-cornered bowling contest ast night at the club a team composed A. L. Gude, S. Nutting and J. Vogt aptured the medals.

This morning about 3 o'clock the city ork of the fire demon. The stove pipe oue, if not fatal injury. which passes through the wall, and hich is encased in cement, became overeated and the wall began to smoke. Phirman was in the marshal's office at he time and with the assistance of a nd soon prevented what gave promise being a genuine fire.

Superintendent Gardner, of the Boys ion has been called. If ever there was n officer suited to his position it is Mr. jardiner, and whatever children are ommitted to his charge are in good ands, and will fare well.

Usually newspapers, as well as inividuals, never know just how much is hought of them, nor how good they are, the Irishman would say, until they self the exception in this case. The Ioro Observer eulogizes us, the while emise of The Dalles Evening Chronicle regretted. It was a lively little We miss its daily visit." hile we appreciate the fact that we e so sincerely mourned by so close an bserver, we would beg leave to inform other Ireland that The CHRONICLE is ot ready to have our obituary written Niebling, Ass't Manager. to be buried alive. We are neither ead nor sleeping, as the Observer will nd out if it again presumes to hold an

Monday's Daily.

If you want to find out "Who's Who," on can can do so by attending the play t the Vogt next Saturday night.

Howard Marshall, formerly stage iver between this place and Goldenrer's office in Goldendale.

Michael Schwartz, who was shot Frinight by John Sheehe, is reported getting along very favorable so far as an be determined. He is not, however,

Saturday and vesterday an occasional te, and taking notice that he came ut on top, a crowd ventured down this ternoon, and report the ice safe.

The high scores at the Moody bowling lleys last week were ss follows: Monlay, C. Heppner, 54; Tuesday, Staniels, 8; Wednesday, Heppner, 59; Thurslay, M. Miller, 57; Friday, Wand, 55; saturday, Frank, 54; Sunday, Heppner,

Miss Helen Lytle, who has been atending the high school here, left last hight for her home in Wasco. A farewell party was given her Friday evening the residence of Mrs. Patterson, where he has made her home.

Quite a little concern is felt regarding he fate of the Regulator and other craft, which are hemmed in at the foot of ask, but seems to be the only alterna- that far distant country.

At the end of the fourth week of the ng weeks remaining, 224 bills have been introduced in the senate and 371 in the house, a total of 505. The senate she knew I'd never want." has passed 62 of its own bills and the both houses, most of them being incor- ing our type yesterday to say that Will the Lord takes care of those who depend While there may seem to be no reason for poration bills or bills of local bearing Crossen would take a carload of young on their neighbors, and has since been hesitancy on the part of the audience in only, and fourteen have been approved ladles from lone to Heppner to attend doing the town, frightening many ladies acceeding to the requests of the great by the governor.

noon the bonds were secured and he is ladies' band today. From reports some next regular term of court.

Mrs. Margaret Maxwell, of Heppner, a patient received on January 22d, just, hats are missing since their departure. died at the asylum vesterday, aged Capt. P. S. Davidson and son bave Clough, and by him prepared for burial, toward building their mill as soon as Statesman.

Yesterday during the fire Vic Schmidt spur. all came near getting its share of the fall would have resulted in a very seri- sending same through any bank, prop-

the ladies of the Commercial Club of each evening, and much good is being The Dalles, to endeavor to arrange a accomplished, every meeting witnessing bowling match with the A. F. C. ladies' some conversion or visible signs of penirisoner, ripped a board from the wall, team. The latter does not state where tence. The ill health of the pastor has land. Mr. Wise will see the ladies of Warner, who has been untiring in his nd Girls' Aid Society, arrived in the the club and find out whether or not efforts, and therefore very successful. ity last night and is today inquiring they wish to take part in the match. It The meeting will continue during the nto the case of the four boys mentioned is very likely that the challenge will be week. esterday. It is also said there are accepted. It promises to be quite inome other children to whom his atten- teresting, as The Dalles and Astoria ladies are the crack bowlers of the state. belt on Chenoweth creek, and as soon as

We're all in the same box-not a eweat box either, but an Oregon ice chest. So far Meacham carries the The winter is certainly a continued banner for the coldest record, with the ne and comes in short chapters. This thermometer at 42 below. At Gervals. norning very early the ice began to come in the Valley, it was 6 below; while here, own the river as placidly as if it had according to official report, the lowest eceived an invitation, and by noon the thermometer was one degree below. ver was blocked up to about the foot of | Portland claims that the only thermom-Vashington street. Anticipating no eters to be depended upon, give about uch an occurrence, neither the D. P. & ten above. Well, that may be all right, N. boats nor the Klickitat had been but it sounds a little bit frosty. Perhaps aken to Hungry Harbor, and now are the thermometers there are not as susthe mercy of the ice blockade. What ceptible as ours, but if it isn't as cold pe result will be, remains to be seen. It in Portland as it is here, every visitor wise enjoy it, are compelled to forego the hoped, however, they will not fare from here who has given in a report is a sport for lack of time. Yesterday this -prevericator.

Last Tuesday Mr. J. M. Huntington, Alliance Insurance Company what brave firemen we have and how no company re dead. There are exceptions to every need fear that any stone will be left unnle, however, and THE CHRONICLE finds turned to stop the ravages of fire in our city, mailed them a copy of the CHRONIcur containing an article regarding the mourns over our demise thusly: "The Columbia Hotel fire. This morning he received the following answer: "We in this line. are today in receipt of marked copy of pretty lively corpse, and while we arrest a fire in a structure of this char- "Oh that we might have been in the his desire to continue in his capacity as we found it necessary to call twice a acter with only a comparatively nominal thickest of the fray," for their discontent a councilman. eek instead of six times, yet we are damage as its result." Signed, E. T. has been caused from the fact that there

Saturday night, and gave a very laugh durable. No doubt they will yet have erty. able entertainment, the cake walk an opportunity to show their metal, if The following bills were ordered paid: influence the subjects seem to be on the among the bravest. While the symalert for newspaper people, and when pathies of the entire state is with them, them attacked a reporter and declared will be numbered among the slain, we he owed him ten cents. Dick assured would not see them shirk a single duty ale, is now deputy in the county treas- him he had not been purchusing pop nor fear the foe. And they will not. corn, but devoting his attention not to for Pendleton, where he appears tonight. Tuesday's Daily.

> panied the minstrel boys to Heppner tast evening.

mother and sisters in Portland.

Jackson Engine Company will hold a meeting tonight at the council chambers. All members should be present as election of officers will take place.

The ladies of St. Paul's Guild are preparing for their fourth annual Easter sale, and will take orders for fancy or useful articles from any one wishing to ings past, and inquiring at the various aid them in their good work.

Miles Kyger, who died at Manilaa few days since, was a popular Walla Walla attempt will be made to move them up boy, and his death has caused wide. hair. He claims to be an evangelist and the river by cutting a channel for them spread grief throughout that city. He is to pass through. This will be a difficult the third Walla Walla boy to perish in make provision for his wants. At one

"Do you believe in hypnotism?" legislative session, with two more work- man who just passed out of the office? Well, she got me to subscribe for a \$4 book that I shall never want, and that

nouse 88. Seventeen bills have passed the young ladies of The Dalles for allow- will provide." He seems to believe that which to commence his entertainment.

hearing before Justice Bayard, and his like it is here, 'tis not likely that our has succeeded in cluding them.

bonds were fixed at \$1000. This after- boys kept step to the music of the young DELIBERATIONS OF THE DADS. now out of jail, and will appear at the of them could not any way, as it is said they were placed under arrest by order of citizens here who declare their silk

seventy-two years, the cause being apo- written from their home in Wisconsin plexy, following senile exhaustion. The that they will be in Hood River Feb. remains were turned over to A. M. 10th, and will be ready to make a start and shipped to relatives in Heppner, the sidetracks are completed. Their where the funeral will be held .- Salem mill machinery is ready for shipment and only awaits the construction of the tween January 1st and 6th, by water

had a lucky escape from serious injury. Secretary Batchelder, of the Oregon-Having climbed to the roof to assist in Trans-Mississippi and International exputting out the fire, he slipped and fell position committee, is in receipt of a to the frozen ground thirty-five feet be- notice from State Treasurer Moore to tigate the claim of the city against the pears and is placed in a cataleptic state. low. Those who saw the fall, thought the effect that citizens holding certifi- county for taxes, sent in his report, surely he had at least broken some cates of the commission for money adbones, but were surprised to find he had vanced by them can have face value of estaped with but a slightly sprained same returned by presenting said cer- 918.69, fitty per cent of which is upon will doubt that the claim is just. While wrist. In nine cases out of ten such a tificates at his office in Salem, or by erly endorsed.

Mr. Wise is in receipt of a letter from In spite of the inclement weather, a E. E. Mallory, who has been asked by large number gather at the M. E. church The Dalles ladies wish to bowl-whether thrown the responsibility of the work on the local alleys, at home or in Port- on the shoulders of Presiding Elder

> T. T. Nicholas & Co. have secured an option on all lands included in the coal spring opens developments will be made which will surprise the most sanguine. The following deeds and contracts were filed in the clerks office today. From Max Vogt et al., a mineral deed; H. B. Halvor and wife, sgreement; Andrew Ganger and wife, contract lease: A. Y. Marsh and wife, contract lease; W. H. Vanbibber and wife, mineral deed; O. R. & N. Co., contract; G. B. Halvor, right-of-way deed.

With the pleasure of skating at The Dalles, usually comes the inconvenience of walking almost a mile before good ice is reached and many who would otherdifficulty was obviated, and a large crowd of skaters found the ice at the wishing to show the managers of the edge of the river at the foot of Wathington street in good trim, and made the most of it. It was of short duration, however, for had not the skating been spoiled by the channel for the Regulator, the snow would have done the for this has been an exceptional year

It is gratifying to parents and friends THE DALLES CHRONICLE and have read of our boys at Manila that among the with interest the description of the Col- names of the dead and wounded of the umbia Hotel fire and its treatment by recent conflict, not one of the names of your fire department. It certainly speaks the Second Oregon appears. Yet we volumes for its efficiency when they can imagine we can hear the boys saving for the purpose of ascertaining if it is rive. McEwen attracted a large audience ity of the situation seeming to be unencausing merriment which knew no they are not now in an encounter. And bounds. Even when under the hypnotic when they do, Oregon will again be selling pop corn on that occassion one of and hopes and prayers are that not one

The workmen engaged in cutting a the question of pop corn but popping channel for the Regulator to pass the question. At length McEwen was through in reaching a nook further up compelled to appear on the scene and the river, where she will be secure from by reading his mind verify the state- the ice jam, have undertaken a difficult ment before the fellow was satisfied. job, but expect to see her in a safe posi-After the entertainment the great tion by tomorrow afternoon. They are hypnotist spent a short time with his at present sawing off immense chunks ggier made his way to the river to brother Elks, leaving on the night train of ice and with the aid of large hooks, pulling them under the body of ice, well out of the way. It is no small task to Mr. and Mrs. Otis Patterson accom- manage ice of the thickness of five or six inches, and as a number of skaters watched them yesterday they expected Ed M. Williams returned Sunday each moment that some workman would evening from a few weeks visit with his lose his footing and fall in, as they worked on the very edge of the ice. This has been an extremely hard and expensive winter for the D. P. & A. N. Co., which has been compelled to encounter the inconvenience of three winters in one.

A queer character has been making the rounds of the city for several evenhomes for a night's lodging. He has a weird appearance, is tall and thin, with bushy brown whiskers, and has long place he surprised the man who dience warmed up to the situation last Mrs. Stella Ruffner, who carried off the answered his knock at the door, by ex- night at the Vogt, and when the curtain prize, a "Dewey" souvenir spoon. claiming "Peace be unto this house," rose they came to the conclusion that "Yes. Did you notice that young wo and with the next breath asking for a they were to play freeze out, the cold- ica," and then "Good Night." A Guest. bed. The gentleman refused to admit a ness of the night, making it difficult to stranger into his home, but offered him heat so large a hall. McEwen seemed money with which to procure a lodging; to think he was to be the principal parbuthls visitor refused saying,"Bless you, ticipant in the game, as it was with We feel that we owe an apology to man, I can't take your money, The Lord difficulty that he secured a class with the minstrels. Not that Will has not whom he has demanded conversations hypnotist for subjects with which to Saturday afternoon Sheehe, who shot the good taste to do so; but in this case with. No doubt he is insane; but al-Michael Schwartz Friday night in it is Will Corson who has the honor. though the attention of the authorities he seems to, that it is through any dis-

Among Other Things Discussed It Was Decided to Repair Crosswalgs.

Saturday's Dally.

Mayor Nolan presided at the council meeting last night, and the following councilmen were present: Kuck, Johns, Butts, Keller, Clough, Gunning and

After the minutes had been read and approved, the claim of J. P. McInerny for \$185 damages caused to his stock, befrom a defective sewer, was referred to the judiciary committee.

C. L. Schmidt, who was employed by quency up to December 31, 1898, at \$1,- from the performance last night, no one real estate and may be collected in time. The balance is on personal property and with her head resting on one chair and most of it is not collectable. His report her feet on another, when five men was accepted.

First street, was discussed. It was re- stage. ferred to the fire and water committee, which will investigate the cost and report to the council.

On account of the absence of Stephens, who is chairman of the committee on blanket license ordinance, its consideration was delayed until a future meeting.

Reports of officers were then read and accepted, after which the expenses of the city in repairing the ditches made by the contractors in putting in the new the water commission.

the proper requisitions.

raised to \$60 on account of the increased on fire and water.

The finance committee gave notice that they would not recommend pay- be the case. ment of any further bills unless accomcompanied by requisitions.

lin across alley between Second and extinguishing it. work. We should not complain, though, Third; west side Laughlin across alley The damage, which was mostly caused Monroe across Third.

George Brown, engineer	75	00
Charles Lauer, marshal	75	00
H Phirman, nightwatchman	60	
C J Crandall, city treas	20	
Ned Gates, recorder	50	00
Electric Light Co. lights	29	40
Irwin Hodson Co, council journal	11	25
James Leary, pumping water on	-74	
Columbia hotel fire		00
C L Schmidt, experting tax rolls	45	12.2
J Fisher, sharpening saws	0.0	50
F S Gunning, repairs		80
Mays & Crowe, mdse	4	50
W A Johnston, mdse		70
J W Blakeney, hanling		70
John Ferguson, hauling	-	25
Ferguson Bros, hauling engine	2	50
D W Mann, hauling		50
Wm Henzie, hauling		56
P F Burham, hauling	25	90
Chas Jones, labor		00
J W Robinson, labor	8	00
J Hannon, hauling	3	60
Wm Moabus, reeling hose	1	00
Geo Reno, reeling	2	50
Al Knechtley, labor	4	20
J Maloney, labor	3	00
J J Hecker, labor	6	80
C GPowers, labor	6	60
H Russell, labor	5	60
F Mortimer	5	60
J Hagan, labor	2	40
Dan Fisher, labor	7	20
W R Brown, labor	7	90
Chas Fleurer, labor	2	70
John Heebner, labor	4	10
Tom Maloney, labor	1	50
John Jackson, nighwatchman	2	50
California restaurant, 69 meals	10	35
Mrs. Frazier, 20 meals	3	00
Meeting then adjourned.		
ASLEEP-FAST ASLEEP.		
ACCEPT THE PROCESS		

The Great McEwen Appeared at the Vogt Last Night.

Saturday's Daily. It was a difficult matter to get the an-Michelbach's saloon, had a preliminary If the weather at Heppuer is anything has been called to his queer actions, he respect for him, but merely a hesitancy on their part to face an audience and

peform actions while in that state. However, in time the required number was obtained and an entertainment at Michael Schwartz Almost Loses His Life once wonderful and pleasing to the beholders was given. Dalles people who heard McEwen last year and were so delighted with the performances, knew what to expect, and were not disapthe entertainment. McCoy is an artist on various musical instruments, in batoon swinging and juggling, and the

fact that he executes these so admirably

while under the bypnotic influence,

makes them the more appreciated.

The most remarkable part of the proin this state she is placed in a position stood in front of the bar, but a The matter of whether or not it would McEwen stood alone and at his word the be advisable to extend the city water form was bent and then resumed its fired at Summers, who stepped aside, pipe, which connects with the O. R, & former position. This feature has never when the ball struck Schwartz on the N. pipe, two or three blocks further up been introduced but once before on the right side of the face, slightly under and

> While a fairly good audience was present last night, no doubt the hall in about the same place that it entered. will be jammed tonight, when the cake walk will be introduced, presumably led by "Pat" McNeil. It is also promised that the hall will be sufficiently warm.
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> Another shot was fired, but Summers struck his hand and caused the shot to miss the mark and lodge in the ceiling.

> > Another Sunday Fire.

Monday's Dally.

water system were reported and the re- terday about 11:30 o'clock the clang of and taken to the county jail to await decorder instructed to present the bills to the fire bell was again heard and resi- velopments in the case. dents rushed from their homes and Two bills were laid upon the table on the various places of worship, each one who was more than plucky, endeavoring account of being unaccompanied by the feeling assured that it was their home to prevent further trouble after he had or place of business which was on fire. been shot and bearing up bravely for a The bill of Dalles City water works, However, only one was correct in the con- time, was finally taken to his room over which was formerly \$32, but has been jecture, and that was Miss Schmidt who the saloon, and, Dr. Hollister being assured the other members of the Con- called, examined the wound and found facilities, was referred to the committee gregational choir that she felt certain it the upper part of the jaw badly shatwas her home, as the chimney was burn- tered. However, the patient is able to ing out when she left. And it proved to talk a little and is conscious. The doctor

Although there was still a little ice on the roof, a cinder from the burning chim-On recommendation of Marshal Lauer, ney succeeded in catching the shingles, come of the dreadful affair. seconded by the entire community, the and a hole about three feet in diameter of Court across Main; east side of Laugh- played on the fire, and was successful in was very remorseful and wept bitterly.

Jefferson across Second; west side of determined, but is thought to be about Laughlin across Fourth; south side of \$200, and is confined to two bedrooms, Third across Washington; west side of one up stairs and the other just below. respond with Councilman J. E. Barnett pairs until the insurance adjustors ar-

While the result of the fire was not quences. what might be termed disastrous, it The city's claim against the county is anything but pleasant to have livingwas no fighting to be done; the inactiv- for special road tax was referred to the rooms soaked with water this cold ather. However. his family consider they had a lucky es-

Woman's Relief Corps.

On last Saturday evening the W. R. C. enjoyed an unusually pleasant social after the regular meeting was over. The hall was well filled. The comrades of the Grand Army and many invited guests swelled the number. The hall was prettily decorated with flags, bunting and wreaths of cedar. The order seems to be in a flourishing condition. Four candidates promised allegiance to the principles of this grand order, under the folds of our beautiful banner at this session of the W. R. C. The program rendered was an exceptionally good one, Mrs. Ollie F. Stephens carried us back in memory to the real war, and strengthened our love for the dear old flag by reciting with fine expression, "Barbara Fritchie."

Miss Rachel Morgan recited "Lasca" admirably. Bruce Anson and Lucy Fox gave patriotic sentiments which appealed to every heart. Miss Pearl Grimes delighted the audience with a plano solo. Last but not least the sweet strains of the mandolin and guitar trio, composed of Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Rees, and Mr. Irwin Parkins, soon filled the hall. A call was soon issued for the march

which led the entire company to the well filled tables, where baked beans, sandwiches, cake and coffee, were daintily served. The committee deserves credit for the faithful manner in which it carried out the details of the affair.

Later on, the "Musical Chair" was

All joined in singing our own "Amer-

It will neither make you nor break you if you don't try Schilling's Best

tea baking powder coffee flavoring extract soda and spices but you'll miss something good.

For sale by Vandugn, Adams & Co.
Tygh Valley, Ore.

SHOT IN A SALOON.

By a Shot Fired By John Sheeby.

An exciting scene took place at Micheibach's saloen this morning at 4 o'clock pointed. This year a number of new when Michael Schwartz, a bartender features are introduced, adding much to by profession, and known to be a peaceable man, came near losing his life by being shot by a man who has always been considered a respectable, law-abiding citizen, making the occurrence doubly regretted. It seems that Frank Summers and John Sheehy, both of whom were said to be under the influence of the council at its last meeting to invest gram is that in which Miss Maynard ap- liquor, became involved in a discussion, which resulted in a quarrel. At the She is claimed to be the greatest of time of the shooting the saloon was ocwhich was read, and gave the delin- cataleptic subjects, and surely, judging cupied by Summers, Schwartz, Sheehy, and Chenoweth.

> The two men who were quarreling distance apart, while behind Summers was Schwartz. When the discussion bestand upon her rigid form. Afterward became heated, Sheehy pulled out a 44calibre British Bull Dog revolver and in front of the ear, and, passing through the head, came out on the opposite side

Nightwatchman Phirman was summoned and immediately took Sheehy in charge, and in a short time Sheriff Kelly, who had received work of the shoot-Sunday seems to be the favorite day in ing, made his appearance, when Sheehv, The Dalles for fires. Accordingly, yes- who made no resistance, was arrested

The unfortunate victim, Schwartz, seems to be of the opinion that there is some show of recovery, which all concerned sincerely hope will be the out-

Sheehy is a freight conductor on the council ordered the following crosswalks was soon made by the flames. As quick- O. R. & N. road, and, as far as we can repaired: South half of the crosswalk ly as possible the firemen were on the learn, is well thought of by not only his on the east side of Madison, across scene, and the engine was located at the employes, but all of his friends, who Second; south side Main across Court; cistern on the Catholic church corner, deeply regret the occurrence. Upon east side of Court across Main; west side For about twenty minutes the water realizing the enormity of the crime he

There is but one lesson to be drawn from these tragedies, which are conbetween Second and Third; west side of by the water, has not as yet been fully stantly being enacted about us, and which frequently cause the death of citizens, often men who are respected, but who, failing to learn from the experience while the halls were damaged slightly. of others, themselves become ac-The recorder was instructed to cor- Nothing will be done toward making re- tors in the fatal scenes. All who neglect to heed the lessons, place themselves in a position to suger the same conse-

Jurors For February.

The following have been summoned as jurors for the February term of the circuit court, which convenes on Monday, the 13th:

Thomas Bishop, Hood River. T C Benson, Cascade Locks. J W Koontz, The Dalles. Charles Early, Viento. Frank Fleming, Bakeoven. Geo Rice, Boyd. W M Hayner, Hood River. Fred Fisher, The Dalles. A J Graham, Hood River. T H Johnston, Dufur. J J Lucky, Hood River. John Wagonblast, The Dalles. Elmer Green, Dufur. J H Hibbard, Hood River. Jesse Imbler, Hood River. W R Winans, Hood River. C Dethman, Hood River. F H Button, Hood River. J J Gibbons, Hood River. E E Lyon, Hood River. Wm T McClure Moster. Alexander Frazer, The Dalles, J H Harper, The Dulles. James Fulton, The Dalles. A B Connolly, The Dalles. W H Taylor, The Dalles. C W Haight, The Dalles. Frank Peabody, Dufur. W M Lauder, Sherar's Bridge. O M Smith, Boyd. J F Markham, Dufur,

Portland Knocked Them.

Mays & Crowe have just given a \$13,-000 order for an entire new stock of hardware to replace the stock burned in the big Dalles fire some months ago. played. After many attempts and much The event was a notable one among merriment all were seated save one, hardware traveling men and wholesale houses, for the reason that it was the occasion for general bidding by wholesale houses in Portland, St. Paul, St. Louis, Duluth, Chicago, San Francisco and Minneapolis. Traveling men gathered there and schedules were submitted for the whole amount of goods desired, \$13,-000 in all. In the spirited contest waged Portland won.

It was remarked by a Portland traveling man that it was a notable victory for Portland, inasmuch as the contract was given for the stock purely because better figures were offered by the Portland house, and that it to some measure demonstrates that the coast can compete with all sections in the wholesale trade. -East Oregonian.