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dvertising rates reasonable, and made known address all communications to "THE CHRON-I.E," The Dalles, Oregon.

LOCAL BREVITIES.

Martin L. New and Miss C. L. Chasn were today granted a license to wed. Sheriff J. H. Gray, of Crook county,

ter making a professional call.

ther, Jacob Zimmerman, will be publy read Saturday in Portland.

Rev. Wood desires to announce that possible, better than at home. haplain Lozier's books, "Mother's pron Strings," were received this ill be supplied by calling upon him.

Sixteen applicants, mostly young laes, are being very much interested, if ot highly entertained, at the county hool superintendent's office today. ney are engaged in taking the examition for teachers' certificates-a not erly-enviable occupation. There are to four applicants for state certificates. At present the arrival of trains in the y is "mighty oncertain." No. 3, westand, which should have arrived at 05, reached here at 2:30, while No. 1 is hours late. Nothing definite as to e cases of the delay has been ascerned, one report saying it was due to slide, while another says there is a eck up the road. The reports, hower, are about as uncertain as the trains. Rev. R. Warner, who has been concting the meetings at the Methodist urch, being compelled to attend to her duties in the district, left the city day, and word was received from the stor in charge at Arlington, Rev. hodes, that he would arrive this afteron to assist in the meetings. The new ng books have been received and will

"Let him that thinketh he standeth ke heed lest he fall," would have been good text for several illustrated lecres given this morning. However, we ere not able to catch just what the rties interested said as they proceedto gain a toothold. No doubt it would ar repeating, as 'tis the wicked who ture is about the same as at this place. and in slippery places, and therefore Castle Rock is the scene of a wreck lay, No. 51, a west-bound treight, ing thrown off the track at that place iled, but the smash-up was not a gineer, Chas. Graham, is said to be Rev. J. S. Rhodes failing to arrive from and proceeding to gobble everything in size like the battalon, calls fitz his 'right hand and proceeding to gobble everything in were taken to the Boys' and Girls' Aid it. Major R. H. Savage, commander of ance is requested.

Society by Mr. Gardiner; one is now the battallon, calls fitz his 'right hand J. W.

n use tonight.

purchased two lots on the south side of lishing the digging of the grave this Odd Fellows' cemetery, adjoining those morning, the ground being in such a of the Elks. The remains of Wm. bad condition, and also the impassable-O'Neil were the first to be interred, and ness of the roads, the funeral of Joseph as most of the members previously Medcall was postponed until this afterowned lots in the cemetery, the newly ac- noon at 2 o'clock. A large number of quired property will be used for the friends were present, and many followed burial of brothers who have no families | the remains to the cemetery. or relatives here. A number of the orwhich only tends to show that these every attention possible after death.

As one by one the members of our came to the conclusion that walking ties poisoning, and from so slight an openme up on last night's train, having in could not have been as difficult as walk- ing as a hang nail will make in the skin, ing on the sidewalks. However, it was was inoculated with the poison, and afterward determined that the delayed will probably lose her life. She is now Dr. Hollister has difficulty in getting Flyer took compassion on them and in the hospital in Salem. out today, having sprained his aukle brought them down from Willows. The The town was full of Populists this hen coming down the hill last night boys are delighted with the reception morning, sixteen men taking the middle Douglas Dufur received word this After the entertainment dancing was in- This afternoon the conditions are thaworning that the will of his late grand- dulged and all thoroughly enjoyed them- ing, and we are all ready to repent and selves. Those who accompanied them be baptized in the sunshine. One man

This morning Frank Menefee, W. R. had to be sharp, or you'd be flat. Menefee and wife, Mrs. Jane Emerson orning, and those who ordered them and Mrs. Carrie Dufur left for Dufur to be present at the golden wedding anniversary of their parents, W. R. and of last month. The old gentleman was Nancy Jane Menefee, which will be cele- 72 years old, and his son had not seen brated at their home at that place today. him for eighteen years. Mr. Blaser says Their other children, Mrs. Eva Moorehead, Mrs. Mary Gilliam and Henry J. land, and he is now contemplating a Menefee, will also join in the festivities, visit to his childhood home in the near as will Mrs. Frank Menefee, who has future. been visiting them for a short time. This happy couple were married in Missouri fifty years ago today, and it is said their devotion to each other increases as each year goes by, commanding the adwho hold them in such high esteem. Upon this occasion many of those among whom they have lived for these many years, will meet with them and help to celebrate the auspicious event, while of that firm Maier. they heartily join in the wish that many more anniversaries may be enjoyed by

Thursday's Daily.

A letter from one of the boys at Manila says that Admiral Dewey recently gave to each of the Oregon boys a suit of clothing as a present. So he knows they're there all right.

the Chinook winds have succeeded in time, but even when the ground is bare month they will be allowed to use the gineers. 'Fitz' saw the mains as far as melting the snow on the other side of there is no grass for the stock, the dry alleys on that night in conjunction with Buena Vista before the quartermaster's 8-Mile, and that at Dufur there is prac- fall making ranges poor, and the loss the members. The Commercial Club department delivered over to him his tically no snow, although the tempera- cannot help but be immense.

ust be the righteous who fall to stand. be aware of the dates upon which the curious occurrence which happened resteamers carrying mail for Manila sail, cently near Victor. If our readers and renewed obligations for those who er burst of pantomime, a dozen points we publish the following list for this imagine it sounds fishy, we refer them are blessed with health and plenty. from the general manager of the United month: From Seattle, February 8th; to the gentleman, who is noted for his This year is not an exception, and the Railways of Havana. The angle-irons

man, whose name we could not learn. delayed. He, however, reached here The wires being down, it is difficult to this morning and will assist in the meetobtain information concerning the ings for the remainder of the week, at least.

Recently the order of Red Men On account of the impossibility of fin-

Last evening Dr. Rinehart received ganizations of the city own similar lots. word from Patience Cooper saying that Viola Mann, a cousin of her's and a sister orders are not alone faithful to their of Ann Mann, who graduated from the members during life, but give them High school here last year, was at the point of death. It seems that Miss Mann, who is matron at the Soldiers' Minstrel troupe came straggling down Home in Roseburg, was tending a Second street this afternoon, citizens patient who was afflicted with blood

given them, and report a crowded house. of the road, where one took the walk. say the boys performed their parts, if (perhaps 'twas the Butler) said it was musical weather this morning, that you

> Yesterday John Blaser, of this city, received word of the death of his father. Chris Blaser, in Switzerland, on the 21st his thoughts turn often to his native

We have heard of all kinds of "creepof these. That must be what makes one Globe.

For the benefit of those who may not trip to interior towns Sunday, tells of a kindness.

In the first place the scene of the acci- the sufferings of others. dent was near Corbett, not Castle Rock, and the number of the train was incorrect. Secondly, instead of causing the trouble, Wasco County Divided Into Seven Disthe tree prevented a worse mix-up, for instead of being across the track, it was on the bank where the engine fell. Thirdly, the cars didn't go over the grade, but, strange to say, followed the ties when the train struck the slide. Fourthly, (and lastly, as the ministers eay) Graham was not engineer, but brakeman, and was hurt but slightly, being able to walk home when he reached Portland. Foster was engineer, and was not hurt at all.

Friday's Daily.

Word has been received from Mr. S. French saying that they arrived in New York City Saturday afternoon, and that Dr. Gertrude stood the trip remarkably

Dailes. No doubt it is, but the break is not yet visible. From appearances it is about as strong as ever, and people are seems a little risky.

Last night might have been termed a sociable, good time was enjoyed. Next | Haight and C. T. Powne. Saturday evening the customary soires will be held at the Baldwin opera house.

Beach, while in Portland Wednesday, received the sad intelligence of the death of Ilwaco, when the ice gave way and he drowned before assistance could reach

A large number were present at a meeting of Columbia Hose Co., No. 2, last evening, and an interesting hour was spent. Three new members were taken in on this occasion-Frank French. Jay P. Lucas and Bert Baldwin. Officers A. Vogt; foreman, Grant Mays; first asst., W. A. Johnston; second asst., Ernest Jensen; secretary, C. E. Dawson; treasurer, J. F. Hampshire; board of delegates-H. A. Falk, C. E. Dawson and 13 east, and north half of township and Bert Lynch.

This morning the home circle of Mr. little daughter of 11 years taken to ber east. home on the other shore. The family vember, and while Ethel was not in the chutes river. best of health, she was not seriously ill. and started to school, being a pupil in Miss Martin's room and a bright child. About a week ago she was taken with grip, which developed into typhoid pneumonia, and resulted in her death. Her father, who was at work in Dayton, was telegraphed for and arrived home a day or two ago. The funeral will take place from the family residence, on Ninth street, tomorrow afternoon at 2 o'clock.

Mr. Sam E. Van Vactor, a well known | we are all interested; attorney, of The Dalles, was in town last Saturday looking over the field with a Gerald, '94-the 'Chris Fitz' of the early the change, and has made his home view to locating here in the practice of nineties—is the second in command of his profession. After meeting most of Co. 'D' 2d U. S. Vol. Engineers now on the business men and looking over the duty at Camp Columbia, near Havana. to close up his business at The Dalles at General Fitz Hugh Lee's entire Seventh three weeks duration. the earliest possible moment and move Army Corps, and 'Fitz,' who is easily the Mr. Medcalf, who was about 34 years his family to Condon. Mr Van Vactor most efficient engineer in the battalion, of age, was born in Missouri and graduers" and creeping things, but the latest has secured office rooms in the Downing has grown brown and lean by reason of ated from the state university at Columis the "ice creeper," which Maier & building, on Spring street, and expected much work and exposure to sun and bia, being admitted to the bar in that Benton are advertising. They're surely on his return to The Dalles to secure a rain. He has had charge of all the rail- city. Coming to the Pacific coast, he each year goes by, commanding the admiration of their neighbors and friends | a clammy sort of an animal, perhaps the | lease on the J. W. Blake residence, on | way construction—switches, sidings and | practiced law in Vancouver in partnerkind which infests ice cream freezers. south Main, now occupied by D. S. spur tracks-done at Marianao; and ship with his brother. Later he was The dealers say you couldn't slip if you Brown. He expects to bring his family while he was waiting for his rails and a partner of the son of Judge Deady in wanted to when accompanied by a pair here in about two weeks .- Condon ties to be ferried over from Savannah he Portland. He is said to have been a very

A letter received from Robt. Mays, jr., of the Commercial Club last night, be. had consented to lay water pipe for the not this wrecker of all ambitions overand which was written when the ther- side the regular routine business a num- United States at five dollars a week per the honored couple. Mr. Menefee is mometer was sixteen below zero, is not ber of important questions regarding the head. Every man of the two hundred now 75 years old, while his wife is about very encouraging concerning the fate of interest of the club were discussed, but was armed with machete and rifle, and sheep in the vicinity of Antelope. He no definite line of action was determined 'Fitz' knew Spanish of the pantomimic ments will be made for the funeral says hay was selling at \$30 a ton for a upon, and they will be brought up at a sort, but he hammered more work, his which will take place tomorrow at 10 time; but now it cannot be bought for meeting to be called soon. Three new major says, out of his gang than any love nor money. While a very few, members were admitted last night. Dur- other officer on the line. Camp Columlike himself, who raise their own feed, ing the evening an application was pre- bia's water supply is piped seven miles have enough to tide them over, they sented from the ladies requesting that from the Vento reservoir in the hills have not a bit too much, and those who they be admitted to the bowling al- back of Havana, and the leading of the are accustomed to buying enough to levs Wednesday nights, as they de- maine down to Buena Vista, where Lee's From W. R. Menefee, who returned feed for about a month, are now in a sired time for extra practice. The re- headquarters flag flutters by day, was from Dufur this morning, we learn that box. The trouble is not alone at this quest was at once granted, and for a the first big job undertaken by the enhas been particularly generous to its lady beloved rails and ties. Surveyor Goit, who returned from a friends, who greatly appreciate their

Her owner, of course, expected to be being cared for by Mrs. Smith, at the man, and gives him the delicate jobs to

FOR ASSESSMENT PURPOSES.

There is always more or less dissatis-

tricts Deputies Appointed.

faction in regard to assessments levied attributed to the assessor, as it is an the matter. utter impossibility for him to determine accurately in regard to the different districts without further aid. Therefore, for some time past the county court has been considering the matter, and it has the Cubane how to make smooth roadis divided into seven districts to be need." known as assessment districts, for the purpose of assessing the property in said county. Seven deputies assessors have been appointed for the year 1899, who will be under the direct supervision of the county assessor, and receive \$3 A Portland paper says the ice is fast for each day's work. These deputies breaking up in the Columbia at The will thus be enabled to see each taxpayer separately, and his assessment be from Oregon who lost their lives in the made personally, thus preventing his making a complaint as to any mistake thusiastically received, being so popular today crossing on the ice, although it which may occur. The following deputies have so far been appointed:

For district No. 1, E. Gesling; No. 2, two-step night at Smith's dancing club, no appointment; No. 3, no appointment; as that seemed to be the favorite dance. No. 4, Joel Koontz; No. 5, T. H. John-An unusually large crowd attended, and ston; No. 6, Asa Stogsdill; No. 7, C. W.

No. 1-H. R. district-All of that por-Mr. and Mrs. Joseph McKee, of Long base line and west of center of townships 1 and 2 north, range 11 east, W. M.

No. 2-Mosier district-The east half of their 18-year-old son, Ernest McKee. of townships 1 and 2, north, range 11 Ernest was out skating on the lake back east, W. M. All of township 1 and 2 north, range 12 east. All of township 2 north, range 13 east, lying in Wasco county.

> No. 3-Dalles district-All of township north, range 13 east.

tion of the county lying east of township line between townships 1 and 2 north, history of the United States. and 1, 2 and 3 south, range 13 and 14 were elected as follows: President, Max east, and north of center of township 3 south, range 14 east, W. M.

No. 5-Dufur district-All of township 1 south, ranges 11, 12 and 13 east. All of township 2 south, ranges 11, 12 3 south, ranges 11, 12 and 13 east.

No. 6-Tygh district-All that portion of Wasco county lying west of Deschutes and Mrs. W. S. Williams, who live on river and south of the center line of our state's noble dead. Ninth street, was broken, and a bright township 3 south ranges 12, 13 and 14

No. 7-Antelope district-All that pormoved to this city from Salem in No. tion of Wasco county lying east of Des-

A FORMER DALLES BOY.

A Chapter Concerning Lieutenant Christopher Fitz Gerald.

From an article in the Notre Dame Scholastic, written by Daniel V. Casev. who is the Chicago Record's correspondent at Havana, we clip the following concerning a former Dailes boy-one who was brought up here, and in whom

managed a gang of two hundred insur- brilliant man in former years, and At a meeting of the board of directors gents of Gen. Menocal's command who would have made his mark in life had

"The switch-points and angle-irons had been left in Savannah, but 'Fitz'

minus a cow, but after appearing to be Farmers' Hotel, and the other was sent manage. Savage's battalion landed at very sick for a few days, she is now as well to the poor farm with his mother. The Havana before Thanksgiving, a full as ever, with an appetite twice as sharp. Mercy and Help department of the three weeks before the first regiment of It will never require a butcher to fit her Epworth Lesgue are now engaged in as- Lee's corps arrived, so winning the for beef, she'll be able to do her own sisting a widow lady. Mrs. Whirley, bonor of being Havana's first American who is very ill and has three children to garrison. During the summer it did One of the most difficult things in the care for, the youngest being 11 months yeoman service at Chickamauga and world to get straight is a report of a old. Yesterday Sam Thurman became Montauk Point, sailing to Sayannah and wreck, from the fact that those who interested and soliciting help for them, laying out Camp Onward after the last know most about it will say the least, a number of necessary articles were of the Santiago regiments had been sent and those who know the least insist on provided. This is a noble work which home. At college 'Fitz' was an engineersaying the most. Consequently, the re. all can assist in, and each individual ing enthus ast, and in '95, a year after port of yesterday's wreck was all squ-gee. should do all in their power to alleviate his graduation, he broke into the engineering department of the Big Four system, where he won step after step by clever and faithful work. At an examination held in Chicago in June there was a large number of competitors for the five official positions and at that time he was selected as first lieutenant for the Indiana company. No favoritism throughout the county. No fault can be was shown, but the examination decided

Chris is enamoured of Cuba and Cuban senoritas, and it is quite possible that he may return to the island after the mustering out of the battalion to teach

MONUMENT TO OUR DEAD. Let Wases County Show Her Apprecia-tion of Their Heroism.

Tuesday Williamson acked and obtained unanimous consent to introduce a bill in the legislature which proved to be an appropriation of \$1000 for the erection of a monument to the dead soldiera war with Spain. The measure was enas to cause a suspension of the rules to its third reading, after which it passed by the unanimous vote of the house.

Beside this, the citizens of Oregon are contributing money individually toward this monument. General Beebe, of Portland, is chairman of the committee in this noble move, and he appoints one tion of Wasco county lying north of the person in each county to have charge of the work. Judge Bradshaw is committeeman for this county, and it is requested that committees be appointed from the various churches and schools to take an active interest in the matter.

Each one who collects money for the monument is to send the name and address of such person contributing, and the amount contributed, to the secretary of the committee, M. D. Wiedom, room No. 4-Nansene district -All that por- 8 Hamilton building, Portland, Or., and he will send to each address a souvenir

> Twenty-five cents or less is the amount asked from each person. Of course, any one can give more, but this small amount is asked so every one can give and feel a personal interest in the monument.

> Among Oregon's dead is one from Wasco county, and this is one way in which we can show our appreciation of his heroism, as well as that of each one

> The monument will be erected in time to be dedicated when the Oregon regiment returns from Manila.

> When the amounts from the different counties are reported, let us find that the citizens of Wasco have responded in a way which shows their sympathy and patriotism equal to any.

> > Died of Consumption. Thursday's Daily.

This morning about 5 o'clock, Joseph Medcalf, who for the past five years has suffered untold misery from that awful disease, consumption, passed away at his home on Second street, between Court and Union. Almost three years ago he came to this city from Vancouver "Lieutenant Christopher C. C. Fitz in hopes that he might be benefited by with his mother, Mrs. M. A. Ewing.

Very little belp was derived, and while at times he was able to be around, situation carefully, he was so favorably There is only one battalion of engineers a good part of the time he was confined impressed with the outlook as to decide to look after the physical well-being of to his bed, his last severe spell being of

taken him.

His brother who resides at Vancouver will arrive this evening, when arrange-

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

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

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Mt, Hood Hose Co. Meeting. There will be a regular meeting of Mt. Hood Hose Co. No. 4 at the hose house tomorrow (Friday) evening, at Vancouver, 9th; Tacoma, 11th; Seattle, truthfulness, and not liable to mistakes various benevolent societies of our city he had forged in the battalion machine 7:30 o'clock. As this will be the last urteen cars and an engine were de loth; Tacoma, 21st, and Vancouver, 27th. nor beef-steaks: A cow belonging to A. have found many families who are in shop, and when the first freight car meeting prior to the annual meeting Rev. Ellory, of Wasco, conducted the Martin ran scross a large butcher knife need of assistance. Last Sunday two rumbled out to camp full of government next Tuesday evening for the election of rious one, barring the fact that the meeting at the M. E. church last night, in the slops upon which she was feeding, of the four boys spoken of last week, stores, there was a side track to receive officers for ensuing year, a full attendance.

J. W. LEWIS, Secretary.