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LOCAL BREVITIES.

Saturday's Daily.

Yesterday Thomas Cogan who has been a resident of Antelope for many years and well known thereabouts, died at that place of pneumonia.

Since the new furniture has been put in the record vault at the court house, the need of a new floor has been apparent, and workmen are today busy in laying a cement floor, which will fill the want.

The city has many visitors from the country today, some on business bent, and others drawn hither by the Forrester case, which is now attracting so much attention, and drawing such crowds to the court house.

Marshal Lauer warns every owner of a cow to begin to train their animals to stay at home instead of roaming at large, as on the first of the month he will begin to impound every bovine who strays from its own yard to that of its neighbors.

A slight change will be made in the time card of the O. R. & N. trains Monday. No. 4, east-bound now arriving at 5:35 p. m., will reach here ten minutes earlier, or at 5:25. No. 1, west-bound due here at 3:15 p. m., will arrive at 2:55 p. m.

In spite of ice and tempest's roar the Dalles City reached the dock last night at 6 o'clock having had less difficulty than was anticipated. She carried a number of passengers and a heavy load of freight. This morning at 7 o'clock she started on her return trip to Portland.

Rev. W. B. Clifton, accompanied by his two children and his sister, Mrs. Taylor, arrived in the city yesterday from Prineville. Mr. Clifton has been called to the pastorate of the Calvary Baptist church in this city, and will enter upon his duties by conducting the services at that church tomorrow.

The Regulator again appears at the D. P. & A. N. dock with all her old-time grace and beauty, having drank of the fountain of youth. She is now complete, with the exception of the asbestos boiler covering and is being furnished by Printz & Nitschke. This afternoon a trial trip will be made to Lyle, leaving the wharf at 4 o'clock.

William Honeyman, of the firm of Honeyman, DeHart & Co., of Portland, died at his residence in that city at 2:45 yesterday morning of paralysis. Mr. Honeyman had been in ill health for some time, and had a slight stroke of paralysis about ten days ago, and was thought to be on a fair road to recovery. The end came very suddenly, and was a great shock to every one who knew him.

About a month ago Mr. David Fulton and his sister, Miss Anna Fulton, of Sherman county, left this city on their way to Hot Springs, Ark., not mentioning to their friends the stop that was to be made in the journey. This morning THE CHRONICLE received the following marriage notice from that place: "In Kansas City, Mo., February 7th, 1899, Mr. David Fulton, of Sherman county, Oregon, and Miss Lulu Bussy, of Kansas City, Mo.," With the many friends of the groom in Wasco and Sherman counties we join in congratulating Mr. and Mrs. Fulton, and will welcome them when they return to make their future home in Oregon.

High jinks parties are gaining favor among the young ladies, who find in them no end of amusement. The latest one was given by Pearl Jones last evening at her residence, when about twenty of her friends, under assumed names, called on her and spent the remainder of the evening in the merriest manner possible. The cake walk was a prominent feature of the occasion, dancing also being indulged in, and music in abundance was interspersed. Near the close of the evening the "young gentlemen" gallantly escorted the fair damsels to the dining room, where a fine lunch was served. A number of flashlight pictures were taken of the party, which was composed of Misses Buttercup, Caranta, Gladys Wallis, Violetta Deyo, Primrose, Red Riding Hood, Beatrice Drew, known as "Little Dorothea," May Irwin, known as "Tootsy," The Dazzler; Messrs. Bernard Lee, Frederick Ward, Willie Billie, Chapple from the East Side, Cholly Wallis, Dan Allen, Artie Lewis, Prince Albert, Tommy Dooling Jones, Little Willie, James Harwood, James Mumps.

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serious illness of the little son of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Fowler. The little fellow is reported somewhat better this afternoon.

Forty-seven witnesses have been summoned from the Antelope community on the different cases to be tried at this session of court here. Others may be summoned yet during the week.

The high scores at the Moody bowling alley last week were as follows: C. Heppner, 55; M. T. Nolan, 65; J. Singleton, 51; C. Heppner, 58; Heppner, 70; Wm. Wilhelm, 56; H. A. Stansel, 70.

When asked by the attorney in court this morning in what county he lived, Wm. Cowne said when he left home he lived in Caleb, Grant county, but when he returned he expected to live in Wheeler county.

Friday evening Mrs. H. B. Borthwick died at her home in Portland from the effects of a stroke of paralysis, which she suffered about two months ago. She was quite well known to Dalles people, having lived at the Locks for some time.

The James Kidder-Warde triumvirate is billed to be in Portland the latter part of this month. Dalles people should not miss the opportunity to hear them, but form a party, secure seats in time, and go to Portland to hear these famous actors.

It will be a treat to Dalles people to hear the "A. L. P. S." quartet at the concert March 1st. It is composed of Messrs. Akers, Lundell, Poling and Steel, who sang together in the valley for years, and whose harmony is said by all who have heard them to be perfect.

At 4:15 Saturday evening the Regulator made a trial trip to Lyle for the purpose of giving the machinery a little "warming up." A few ladies and gentlemen made the trip, which was quite enjoyable. Just a light pressure was used, but the down trip was made in forty minutes, returning in forty-two minutes. She will be in perfect trim by the first of the month and will begin her regular runs in connection with the Dalles City.

Rev. W. R. Clifton, who has had charge of the Baptist flock at this city for several months past, has received a call from the church at The Dalles, and will leave for that place we are informed some time this week. We have heard Mr. Clifton preach on several occasions and he impresses us as being a man of more than ordinary education and intelligence and with an entertaining pulpit orator. He has made fast friends in Prineville.—Journal.

The twentieth regular session of the Oregon legislature closed Saturday evening at 7 o'clock, and the large majority of the members, clerks and lobbyists departed for their homes in a short time, some going to Portland by a special train, others taking the California express at 5:30, going south. Sixty-six house and seventy-four senate bills have been filed by the governor up to Saturday night, and nearly all have emergency clauses to put them into effect immediately. Time alone can determine the merits or demerits of many of the measures thus enacted into law, and the wisdom or unwisdom which dictated the defeat of other measures brought forward for consideration.

Saturday evening the remains of Herman Sears were brought to this city, and the funeral took place from the residence of his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. M. Randall, Sunday morning at 9:30, conducted by Rev. J. H. Wood. The young man, who was 17 years of age, had been taken to Portland from his home at Wasco to be doctored for consumption. He grew suddenly worse and died before word could be sent to his mother at Wasco or his father, who had been called to Astoria on business. Telegrams were immediately sent to them, and they arrived Saturday morning, bringing his body here on the afternoon train to be buried by the side of his little sister, who died here about three years ago of diphtheria.

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There will be no school in the various rooms of our public schools tomorrow on account of its being a legal holiday. Otherwise, we have heard of no general observance of the day, which is the birthday of the father of our country.

Grippe and mumps still hold sway in the city. Mr. and Mrs. I. N. Sargent are both very sick with what is said to

be grippe. Henry Smith is now recovering from a very serious attack of the mumps, but the family of T. A. Hudson are all afflicted with them.

Having resumed their old-time custom, the ladies of the Good Intent Society will on Saturday have on sale in J. H. Cross' window, on the corner of Second and Federal streets, pies, cakes and all kinds of pastry. Remember the fact and save yourself the trouble of cooking.

The enlargement of their store, and increased business done by Pease & Mays is necessitating an increase in the number of clerks. The latest addition is Fred Wallace, who is well known to all Dalles people, and having had much experience in the mercantile business, will be quite an addition. He will soon move his family from Antelope.

Everybody is courting now, old and young, lads and lasses, old maids and bachelors,—all are so busily engaged in this particular occupation that everything else seems to be forgotten. So interesting is the suit that the jury is wide awake, the lawyers are now pleading and even the ladies (regardless of leap year) are having their say in the proceedings.

The members of the Ladies' Aid Society of the Congregational church and their friends, will be entertained by Mrs. G. E. Sanders and Mrs. J. M. Huntington at the residence of the latter, tomorrow (Wednesday) afternoon. These gatherings are growing in popular favor and a special feature of tomorrow's entertainment will be a trio sung by G. E. Sanders, J. Huntington and A. R. Thompson, which, it is expected will add much to the enjoyment of the occasion.

The concert to be given by the ladies of the Lutheran church on the eve of March 1st promises to be equal, if not superior, to anything ever heard in The Dalles. The ever popular A. L. P. S. quartet, assisted by Miss Alma Schmidt, Mrs. B. S. Huntington, Miss Myrtle Michell, the Misses Nickelsen, and the mandolin and guitar quartet, will render the program. The Lutheran ladies deserve the patronage of the church-going public in this effort, as they wish to continue in their good work of the past in relieving destitution and suffering.

Short Meeting of the Council.

A short, but effective meeting of the council was held last night, at which beside the mayor, were present Councilmen Kock, Clough, Johns, Gunning, Stephens, Butts and Michellbach.

After the usual preliminary proceedings, Mayor Nolan read a telegram from Secretary of State Dunbar informing the mayor and council that the new charter bill for Dalles City had been approved by the governor on Feb. 17th. It was then moved and carried that the telegram be placed on file.

The report of the finance committee as read, recommended that a transfer of \$5000 be made from the general fund to the sinking fund, and that the city make a loan from the sinking fund to the water commission of about \$3750, on first-class security; also the buying of \$1000 in Wasco county warrants.

An ordinance was then read authorizing and directing the treasurer to proceed in this matter, which was carried unanimously.

Having taken up his residence in Portland, Councilman J. E. Barnett by letter, tendered his resignation as councilman of Second ward. This being read, by motion his resignation was accepted.

W. A. Johnston being recommended by Stephens to fill the vacancy was upon motion duly appointed a councilman.

K. of P. Anniversary.

Sunday being the thirty-fifth anniversary of the order of Knights of Pythias, the event was celebrated by the lodge in this city last night. Over a hundred persons were present at the hall and the entire exercises were very enjoyable. After a short explanatory address by Prof. Gavin regarding the purpose of the meeting, a short program, consisting of an address by B. S. Huntington, instrumental music by Maude and Clarence Gilbert, and a solo by Mrs. Huntington, was rendered.

In his address, which was extremely eloquent and apropos, Mr. Huntington reviewed the advancement of the order from its inception thirty-five years ago in the city of Washington, D. C., by Justice H. Rathbone, to the present time, when the supreme jurisdiction numbers over a half million members. The speaker covered much ground in his remarks, which were not lengthy, but right to the point.

Friendship Lodge, No. 9, of this city, now numbers 106 members in good standing, while the Rathbone Sisters have a membership of nearly one hundred.

The program being ended at 9:30, dancing began and continued till a very late hour, being interrupted at 10:30, in order to give those present an opportunity to partake of the splendid banquet furnished, and resumed when the table had no more attraction for the guests.

A SOCIETY EVENT.

Mr. and Mrs. H. W. French Entertain Their Friends at the K. of P. Hall.

This has certainly been society week in The Dalles. Seidom it is that dancers are permitted to enjoy two such splendid

parties in one week as has been their privilege on Tuesday and Friday nights. Last night's party was given by Mr. and Mrs. H. W. French to their guests, Misses Sosie Stott and Pearl Williams, of Portland, and was attended by their most intimate friends.

The completeness of every feature of the occasion was characteristic of the host and hostess, who are wont to carry out what is undertaken in a perfect manner. K. of P. hall was, therefore, very prettily arranged, the small hall, which was used as a refreshment room, being decorated in evergreens, potted plants and cut flowers, while the table was very daintily spread, and looked most inviting as the guests sauntered back and forth between dances, to partake of the cooling refreshments, so graciously served by Mrs. Patterson, Mrs. Crandall and Mrs. Dean.

The music of Birgfeld's orchestra was exceptionally good and the appreciation of the dancers was apparent as selection after selection was applauded.

The following were among those who were privileged, through the kindness of Mr. and Mrs. French, to enjoy a delightful evening and greet their very pleasant guests, Misses Stott and Williams:

Mr. and Mrs. M. Z. Donnell, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Weigel, Misses Anna and Bessie Lang, Dorothy Fredren, Laura Thompson, Mammie Cushing, Maybel Mack, Clara Davis, Elizabeth and Clara Sampson, Annette and Myrtle Michell, Beulah Patterson, Alma Schmidt, Jennie Young, Elizabeth Schooling, Catharine Martin, Virginia Marden, Nona Ruch, Rose Michell, Verna Lytle, of Wasco, the Misses Burckhardt, of Portland. Messrs M. A. Moody, M. A. Vogt, E. M. Wingate, A. McCully, H. D. Parkins, G. Boan, J. Bonn, E. M. Williams, G. Mays, G. A. Clarke, J. F. Hampshire, C. Burget, R. J. Gorman, L. Porter, S. Nutting, F. W. Wilson, F. Weigel, R. H. Lonsdale, Victor Marden, H. Liebe, W. Frank, C. Ballard, G. W. Crossen, Will Vogt.

SHOULD BE LOOKED AFTER.

A City Road Which is Sadiy In Need of Improvement.

As often as some newspaper remarks that "Spring has come, gentle Annie", just so often does it become necessary to remind the people that "the roads are in a bad condition," and to endeavor to induce them to expend some time and money in improving them.

While there is room for criticizing all roads leading to the city, our attention has been directed to one in particular which is used perhaps as much as any, and certainly is as much in need of improvement as any could possibly be. We refer to what is termed the lower Des Chutes road, leading to Souffert's, the Floyd place and others. This highway (or low way) has long been an eye-sore to the many who are compelled to travel thereon. Of late the residents of that road district have put in a great deal of time improving that part beyond the limits of the city, building sluice boxes, and otherwise preventing the road being washed out, until it is in a fairly good condition.

It now becomes the duty of the city to do its part. The worst part of the thoroughfare is between the Wasco warehouse and the city limits. As teams start out of town they encounter a piece of road the rockiness of which leads them to think they are on the road to Dublin; but more annoying still is the deep ruts made by the various springs on the hillside in the vicinity of the oil house.

Besides being a great annoyance to those who are compelled to travel on it, many find it a source of annoyance when taking visitors to our city in that direction for the purpose of showing them the fisheries, falls, fruit farms, etc., along the route.

A little expenditure by the city on the part of this road under their jurisdiction would make a wonderful improvement and be a great accommodation to all. What will be done in this regard before the spring opens?

Lee K. Morse's Death.

About two years ago Lee K. Morse, of Portland, who was recently killed in Manila, visited The Dalles, and many young people here remember meeting him, as he was one not to be forgotten when once known. His remains were brought to Portland Sunday, and taken East last night. In writing to a friend here, Walter Reavis says concerning his death:

"The saddest thing that I have to tell you is that our first sergeant was shot and killed by mistake by one of our sentries. The details are as follows: On the outpost of the guard there are several magazines which are full of powder. The natives have been trying to get into the magazines and obtain the powder so as to give us strong battle.

"Anyway on the night of the 6th of January the guards, three in number, knew they were around, and they succeeded in killing four out of five and cornered the last of them. The shots aroused the officers and Major Gantenbein and Captain Wells ran up to where the shooting took place.

"Our first sergeant at the time of the shooting was making his report (nightly) to Capt. Wells, and went with them, he taking the lead. As they approached the sentry unseen, Lee Morse, which was his name, ran upon the wall just where

the guards expected to see the natives jump up. Of course the sentry did not expect any one else but the natives to be anywhere around, and it being dark as dark could be, the sentry shot him through and through the hips. He halted Lee, but Lee kept right on coming. The sentry did his duty like a soldier, but it is an awful sad affair.

"He regained consciousness for a short time and said "I don't think I am hurt very bad." Then laid down and died. Both hips were badly shattered, the ball passing straight through him. He was buried on the following day, Jan. 7, 1899. It was the largest funeral I have ever seen in the army, for he was one of the most popular men in the regiment. His remains were put in a vault at Malate. It has cast a shadow on our company that will take some time for it to raise."

Rev. W. C. Curtis in Norwalk.

A few days ago we spoke of a letter received by Harry Liebe from Rev. W. C. Curtis, asking him to mount some arrow heads to be exhibited at the Women's Club at Norwalk, Conn. Regarding this exhibit the Norwalk Sentinel says:

"One of the most valuable and interesting afternoons the club has ever given will be next Tuesday, the 21st. W. C. Curtis, recently of The Dalles, Or., is to loan his remarkable collection of Indian arrow heads and basketry and give a paper on these subjects. Mr. Curtis is an enthusiast upon this matter, following the wise custom of many professional men and having the resource of a study aside from his own special pursuit. It is a happy chance which brings him to Norwalk, and he is generous enough to allow his collection to be exhibited and to give an explanatory paper upon it.

"Indian basketry is a subject with which Eastern people generally are but little acquainted, but to the dwellers upon the Pacific coast it has a wide and growing interest, not only because of the beauty and utility of the baskets themselves, but because they represent an art which seems destined to pass with the present generation of Indians.

"Mr. Curtis is naturally interested in acquainting Norwalk people with some of the charms of his favorite study, as Norwalk is his native place, and he was warmly welcomed back upon his return a few months ago. The lecture will begin at 3 o'clock."

OUR CAPITAL LETTER.

Deaf Mutes Visit the Legislature to Listen to Those Who are Anything But Mutes.

SALEM, Feb. 16, 1899. Last Wednesday was the most exciting day of the present session. The deaf mutes came in from the school to attend, in a body, the sitting of our lawmakers, and see how laws were made. The lesson learned was not evidently, a profitable one, since the decorum of several persons on the floor of the house during the forenoon session was not up to the standard grade which it is supposed lawmakers would assume. This lack of good conduct was caused by comment and debate which was being held in regard to the merits and defects of the proposed Dalys school textbook commission law.

The afternoon was taken up in the house with consideration in committee of the whole, Moody in the chair, of the three appropriation bills. The sums named in these three bills, which have been passed upon by the committee, aggregate \$1,182,924.62, and of this sum the asylum gets \$397,950, or a sum which is \$3,641.80 greater than one-third of the total sums allowed for the running expenses of the state, besides the large sums allowed for schools, for extending several wings on public building, and other large sums paid for claims against the state. From this, it seems that this same asylum is something of a graft itself.

Today work in both houses is being rapidly pushed through, and great efforts are being made to finish up the labors of this body by Saturday night.

LAST DAY OF LEGISLATURE.

Senate Put Up a Scheme in Regard to Appropriation Amendments.

STATE HOUSE, Salem, Feb. 18.—Both the houses met this morning at 9:30, an early hour considering the fact that the night sessions extended into the morning hours, both adjourning at 3 o'clock. The senate attempted to force the house to concur in the senate amendments to the special appropriation by a snap shot adjournment. This was engineered by Selling, and the fraud was attempted by withholding the amendments to the bill, only the first seven being sent to the house. The house resented the action, and with hot words condemned it.

The house is now trying to make this legislative day and rescind the former action to the contrary.

LATER—The houses have appointed a committee to arrive at a conclusion relative to the amendments of the appropriation bill.

Both houses are now having a recess. To the Public. We are authorized to guarantee every bottle of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy and if not satisfactory to refund the money to the purchaser. There is no better medicine made for La Grippe, colds or whooping cough. Price 25 and 50 cents per bottle. Try it. Blakeley & Houghton, druggists.

PERSONAL MENTION.

Saturday's Daily.

W. Blackmore, of Ridgeway, is in the city today.

C. B. Ross and Harry Adams left this afternoon for Ridgeway.

Geo. McGreer and Ed. Murphy, of Antelope, left this morning for a visit to Portland.

Mrs. M. E. Montgomery will leave this afternoon to visit her parents at Hood River.

Miss Bessie French, who has spent the past few weeks in Portland, returned home last night.

Miss Verna Lytle came down from Wasco yesterday to attend the dancing party last night.

Mrs. L. Clarke and her guest, Miss Mamie Smith, went up to Moro yesterday afternoon to spend today and Sunday with Mrs. W. O. Hadley.

Monday's Daily.

L. M. Smith is in from Boyd today.

H. E. Newman came in from Prineville yesterday.

Mrs. L. Newman is up from Portland visiting Mrs. Fred Bronson.

H. R. Scott, of Corvallis, spent yesterday with friends in The Dalles.

H. Glenn was among the passengers bound for Portland this afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Van Vactor left Saturday evening to make their home in Coudon.

J. A. Howe and G. B. Heath are among the many Antelope people in our city.

W. A. Murchie was an over Sunday visitor yesterday, returning to Wasco last evening.

Miss Pearl Williams left this afternoon for her home in Portland, after a week's visit with her sister.

W. R. Norway, representing the Jones-Paddock Co., of San Francisco, is in the city in the interest of his company.

Mrs. Chas. Stubling, who has been visiting her daughter and friends in Portland, returned home last night.

Frank Wood came up from Portland Friday and spent Saturday and yesterday at home. He will return to the university this afternoon.

Chas. Sears returned to Portland yesterday afternoon, while Mrs. Sears and her three daughters remained over and will leave for Wasco this evening.

Mr. A. McAdam, late of Denver, Col., has accepted a position with Pease & Mays. He is a first-class drygoods man and a splendid addition to their corps of efficient clerks.

Max Zimmerman, advance agent for the Geo. Bartholomew educated horse show, is in the city advertising his attraction, which will take place at the Baldwin Thursday, Friday and Saturday nights.

Senators Dufur and Michell yesterday made their last trip from Salem to The Dalles during the twentieth legislature. No doubt they are glad to again settle down under their own vine and fig tree, where none dare to criticise their actions and where lobbyists are minus.

Tuesday's Daily.

Robt. Mays, Jr., arrived in the city from Antelope this afternoon.

A. J. Leland, traveling freight agent for the Northwestern, is in the city today.

Mrs. L. Clarke, returned from Moro yesterday, accompanied by Mrs. M. A. Hadley. Miss Smith will remain a short time.

Will Evans, a nephew of S. Nutting, arrived in the city yesterday from Los Angeles, Calif., and will accept a position with Mays & Crowe.

F. Silvertooth, one of the leading witnesses in the Forrester trial, received word this morning of the illness of his children, and left for Antelope this afternoon.

W. T. Kelly, traveling freight agent for the Union Pacific, having taken the place made vacant by the death of W. E. Niles, is in the city in the interest of his company.

MARRIED.

In this city, Monday, Feb. 20th, at the Farmers' Hotel, L. D. Woodside and Miss Stella Truman, both of Victor, Or., Rev. J. H. Wood officiating.

BORN.

In this city, Friday, February 17th, to Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Mayhew, of Kingsley, a son.

Advertised Letters.

Following is the list of letters remaining in the postoffice at The Dalles un-called for February 20, 1899. Persons calling for the same will give date on which they were advertised:

Allard, Lucie Bingham, Budd
Burke, Geo Collins, E P
Grem, John Ginger, A
Hamilton, Juliet Hamblin, Tho
Hill, G R Hamilton, Mrs
Johns, Mary B Johnston, W N
Lachance, Caroline McMarney, S
Moffet, Thomas Montgomery, State
Morton and Co Miles, Jas
Nelson, Louis Tyers, Leonard
Williams, S K Walker, L A

J. A. CROSSES, P. M.

It is Mistaken.

In speaking of the action of the grand jury in regard to the case of John Sneebe, who shot Mike Schwartz, the Times-Mountaineer says the finding of "not a true bill" was a surprise to most every one. In this that paper is mistaken. It is also mistaken in saying that the jury could not discover a crime. We never denied or doubted for a moment that a crime had been committed; but at the same time the evidence was such that our oath, and instructions from the judge bore us out in our finding.

C. W. HAIGHT, Foreman Grand Jury.

To Cure a Cold in One Day. Take Laxative Bromo Quinine Tablets. All druggists refund the money if it fails to cure. 25c.