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LOCAL BREVITIES.

Saturday's Dally.

exander Stewart has been appointed master at Mosier.

cwho fights and runs away, may draw a pension. at the river has fallen during the

menty-four hour will be good news any of our cit zens. versi four-horse teams left today

Dregon Telephone Co. re cars of cattle from Idaho were fed estockyard last night and shipped

entdale this morning. P. Crum, who has been confined to

te today. salley in the block back of the mbia hotel was cleaned today and

nts a great deal different appearthan it did a short time ago. is removed that an opposition line

bt. Hood appeared on the streets

rig is especially adapted for carryight packages and will be used as elal delivery. nk N. Spicer was arraigned before

ce Bayard yesterday afternoon, for filling of W. D. Jones in Antelope. aived his preliminary examination was placed under \$2500 bonds. Liebe and Chas. Stubling are his

ite an extensively signed petition orwarded from Heppner Monday to Commissioner Reed, at Astoria, re fish chutes put in on Willow at various points between there he Colombia, so that fish may go they did years ago.

sewer on Washington street, ben Third and Fourth, became clogged day evening. Marehal Lauer had of men working on it until midbut was unable to accomplish se and the sewer was siniced until xcavations were filled with water, p to the hour of going to press the etion had not been removed.

wreck occurred this morning at

. If you have company tell us-if ave a party or gathering of any bring around the cake, seven or ples and a side of ham-not necesto eat, but just to show water mark. friendship and appreciation. You 't mind inviting us, as it may be pol for our wardrobe. We want in the near luture. ws-that's all."

out two weeks ago August Langren anch thought of by him. During ight some one approached his resiat Endersby and poisoned the ifter which they purloined a rifle his house. Mr. Langren is conthat the parties who did the work at no great distance from his resi-He is quite angry over the and should the person be found will engel - - band with him

lin vs. Watson was postponed un-

Bessie Rowland, who has been

front of the New York Cash Store ach to its appearance.

by Gaylor will appear at the Vogt see on Saturday evening in the ntitled "McSorley's Twins."

or Nolan made an exceptionally ore Saturday evening, naving tied

corrugated iron building on the lot ad- distance below the boat landing. The joining their hardware store, which will coroner will leave by the first train and be used as a bleycle repair shop.

Although it is quite early in the sea-

House where he will be pleased to meet store will be moved to the corner. all his old customers.

tournament is not made up as yet, says count of Bobby Gaylor appearing on Oregon in 1811 with the Astor expedichampions in a few days. What a time Baldwin opera house. The pupils will men as these, enduring the hardships shape of an elegantly baked "spud." the boys will have when they visit the be permitted to choose their own and privations of early pioneer days. The affair was pronounced a decided two commercial clubs of Portland and partners from among the audience.

with an accident that cost him the end came unmanageable today and Mrs. of his finger. Mr. Keller was making Crawford, who has been nursing him, ice cream and went to take a piece of ice out from between the cogs of the freezer, when the middle finger of his Judge Mays and adjudged insane. He years ago Oregon was barely known, left hand was caught and taken off near the first joint.

Mr. Frank Malone, says the Antelope Herald, has on his rauch a pet deer and continued off and on during the night, a shepherd puppy which have become separable companions. They can be som with the shingles for the past seen playing together at all hours of the weeks, was able to be on the day, the deer usually taking the lead, friendly "romps."

Wm. Skraggs died early yesterday morning of pneumonia at Mrs. E. Juliens on Court street. Mr. Skaggs, who was better known as "Uncle Charlie," was smers will be put on between San about 52 years of sge and was well see and Portland. The object thought of by all who knew him. He be to force the present freight rates has lived near The Dalles for a number of years, having made his home with Lee Bolton on Ten Mile, He was a with a new wagon and harness, native of Indiana, but had no relatives in the west. His funeral will take place tomorrow afternoon at 2 o'clock from the Calvary Baptist church,

E. E. Lytle, president of the Columbia Southern Railroad Company, has returned from a trip over hie proposed road. He traversed the preliminary survey in company with his chief engineer from Moro to Antelope, and is so well satisfied with the appearance of things that he has ordered his chief engineer to at once make a permanent survey and set the grade stakes. As soon as this is done, which will be in about two weeks, a crew of graders will be put at work, and dirt will fly freely, and work will be rushed so that the line will be in running order in time to move this season's wheat crop.

A peculiar condition of the atmosphere Huntington. She will also sing at the was noticeable yesterday afternoon and Congregational church on the morning today. The atmosphere was filled with of the 6th, and af the evening service in Today the fire engine was brought a fine yellow dust, being very light in the Methodist church. Our people will weight, making the air look hazy, and then have an opportunity to hear Miss forests are almost incalculable, while her has the appearance of a threatening Gates and judge of her merits, for she shower. The air being so compact with comes highly recommended. this matter that the mountains in our A most important meeting of the immediate neighboshood were entirely officers of the grand cabin of the Native hidden from view. Some of our citizens Sons of Oregon was held recently in sthirteen, near Viento. Freight thought it smoke as it resembled the Portland, at which committees were ap- It is situated on the beautiful Willam-No. 23, left here at S:30 this morn-condition of the atmosphere during the pointed to take charge of and arrange ette, of which the poet, Sam Simpson, ad ran into a pile of rocks that had summer months when forest fires are in for the grand reunion of the Native Sons says: thrown on the track by a blast the Cascade mountains. One of our to be held in that city on the 13th and had been set off by workmen who noted astrologers prophesized, some 14th of June next. This will be the first aged in improving the road. The time ago, that one of the planets in its gathering of Native Sons, but in the course would come so close to us that fature it will occur annually on the 13th the earth would be covered with a fine and 14th of June; this time is set, as it dust to a depth of a quarter of an inch, immediately precedes the annual meet-and it is possible that this time has ing of the Pioneer Association which arrived.

Tuesday's Daily.

some than two on the bush. Today Saltmarsh & Co. shipped a car-

load of sheep pelts and pulled wool to San Francisco. The river is stationary today and still

remains at fourteen feet above the low The local talent of Pendleton are ar-

ranging to give a minetrel performance This is very early in the season to be-

very valuable shepherd dog which house the baler was started up this afternoon and has been making things hum.

County Treasurer Phillips today sent a check for about \$18000 to the state treasurer, in payment of Waeco county's state tax. This is nearly \$5000 more than was paid last year.

Marshal Lauer has succeeded in removing the obstruction from the Washsguilty of such a piece of dastardly ington street sewer, which has been giving so much trouble for the past veek, and now has it in first class con-

lo., The Dalles.

and on summer fallow ground.

Last even'ng the members of the iving a new coat of paint, which Calvary Baptist church gave a donation party to their Minister Rev. Clifton. Many friends of the church were also present and a general good time was had. Music was the order of the evening after w ich conversation was indulged in.

Word was received today from Hood Word was received today from the cold-storage and private cold-storage

will hold an inquest over the remains.

County Treasurer Phillips Is preparson, nevertheless wool is beginning to ing to move his grocery store on the hill. The death of Donald McKay, the are in hopes that their bachelor friends come in. This morning a four horse from its present location. He has se- famous Indian scout, brings vividly to have not made their last appearance as load was received at Moody's warehouse. cured the Whittaker property which is mind the hardships and disadvantages a "fraternal order." At the completion Jim Cox, champion shiner of the opposite his present quarters, and will of the early settlers of Oregon. He was of the program the audience was di-Pacific coast, has associated himself with move the residence now on the same and a brother to Dr. W. C. McKay who died rected to the basement where the the tonsorial emporium at the Umatilla place it next to the alley, while the in 1892. Dr. McKay was well known by

Geo, McKennon, who was hurt in a Yesterday evening Andrew Keller met runaway accident a few days ago, bewas compelled to send for the officers. McKennon was secured, taken before will be taken to the asylum in the

Rain began falling last evening and about .48 of an inch having fallen. the best of friends, and of late, in- It was one of those warm, pleasant rains that are just what the country needs. It will help the grass wonderfully, and a few warm days now will make the with the puppy following, in all their hills take on a still more vernal hue. However, on the higher altitudes like the Klickitat hills there was a very slight coating of snow. The rain settled the peculiar condition of the atmosphere which most people thought was filled

A great many theories have been advanced as to the cause of the dust in the atmosphere here yesterday, but the mathat it came from somewhere in Eastern Oregon while the minority claim that it was wafted to our vicinity from the central states. However, from all reports received from Sherman county it storm there on Sunday. In some places large boles were blown in the earth and wheat in localities was grertly damaged. However, this only occurred in patches and no serious harm was done.

Miss Edna Gates, of Portland, who has just completed a course in vocal music with Herr Antone Schott, of San Francisco, is in the city. Mies Gates is desirous of organizing a class in vocal culture in our city, and to that end will visit The Dalles on Saturday and Sunday, May 6th and 7th, and any who desire to consult her regarding lessons may find her at the home of Mrs. B. S.

ing of the Pioneer Association, which occurs on the 15th day of June, so that A thorn in the flesh is more trouble- the Native Sons may join with and in conjunction with them, celebrate the gaining and retention of the grand country "Where rolls the Oregon."

Bobby Gaylor, who will appear at the and for this reason alone he will be the visited us for some time. His method 'McSoriey's Twine," of course-somemany complications, and a song or versatile—he not alone tells those awfully funny stories, but he sings or dances as the occasion requires.

There is a lively opposition among both eides of the river. They meet the men, as by disposing of their fish in this done to the contents. manner they save several hours which would be consumed in pulling to the canneries to deliver their catch. Some of the launches are in the employ of the cold-storage and private canneries, and

OREGON.

Development Since Pioneer Days-Her Future, One of Greatness.

all pioneers in The Dalles, having lived Smith Bros, will not give their usual here for a number of years. He was the all alleged to have been prepared by The Astoria team for The Dailes Saturday night solves this week on ac- son of Thomas McKay, who came to the Astorian, but Captain Laws will be that night. However, on Tuesday, May tion. His mother was a Chinook Indian said bachelors presented all in attenable to announce the composition of his 2nd, they will give a prize dance at the woman far above the average. Such dance with a handsome souvenir, in the have lived to see Oregon one of the success, socially as well as financially. finest states of the union.

The present generation have no conception of what difficulties were encountered by the early settlers. Today we live in the world, with all the advantages of modern times. Not many Mrs. S. L. Armstrong who resides in while today she is one of the foremost in war or peace, agriculture, mining, farming and in fact nearly all industries few lines today, as we are not moving. that are of the present day.

The coat of arms of Oregon displays an emigrant wagon, a deer and an expanse of ocean bearing on its breast a steamer. Below are discovered a sheaf of wheat, a plough, a rake and a pick. The crest is the American eagle with wings." That tells the whole story, and it needs no further explanation.

Brave settlers advancing into this strange territory of which the poet have made it one that the United States in timber. may well be proud of, with handsome jority of the people are of the opinion public buildings, prosperous cities, ful and fertile countries on the globe. schools, colleges and universities. Her volunteers are of the bravest and most gallant that entered the army to uphold time. Have not had any mail for three the nation, and have brought much weeks. Am well and enjoying myself credit to their state. The "Oregon," is a fact that they had a terrific wind the greatest battleship affoat has gloriously upheld the dignity of the state from which she derives her name.

Oregon has advanced wonderfully in the past fifty years. To realize this we must remember that in 1848 Daniel shooters. The insurgents are firing at Webster, who was opposed to expansion, said that Oregon was so far off that it but are doing but little damage. My never could be governed by the United shoulder is so sore from shooting that I States, and that a delegate to congress could not reach Washington until a year five hundred shots in two days. I am after the expiration of his term. Note the change today. We can reach our capital within a week and should com- ing, and that way I get to see lots more munication be wanted it can be had within a few minutes.

Oregon is larger than the whole of New England, and has a seacoast 330 miles long. Its mountains and scenery are sublime, an artist's dream. Her miles from Manila and camped on valleys are astonishingly fertile. The grand Columbia running along her border has la navigable length of 1200 miles. The metropolis of the state is Portland, destined to be a great city.

"From the Cascade's frozen gorges,
-Leaping like a child at play,
Winding, widening through the vailey,
Bright Wilamette glides away;
Onward ever,
Lovely river,
Softly ealling to the sea;
Time that scars us,
Maims and mars us, sims and mars us, waves no track or trench on thee!"

W. A. Campbell Almost Drowned.

About 4 o'clock last Tuesday evening W. A. Campbell, the well known life in surance man, and who has many friends in The Dalles, had an experience in Rock Creek that he will not soon for-Vogt opera house Saturday, April 29, is get, says the Heppner Times, and it not only funny-nearly any comedian wasn't altogether funny either. He can be that-but he is highly original, had come from Condon and was on his way to Heppner, crossing Rock creek at most popular farce comedian who has the old French ranch when that stream was on a tear. It is the most trescherof telling stories is of an entirely unique our stream in Gilliam county, but Mr. o der, and it keeps the audience in roars Campbell would have made it across all gin baling although at Moody's Ware- from start to finish. There is a plot to right had his team not balked right in the middle of it. The creek was almost thing about two pair of twins, with bank full, and when the water came rushing against them the horses reared dance, or both, every other minute. The and broke the tongue. This turned the supporting company is very capable in buckboard over and horses, buggy and helping out the situations and the sing- all swept down the swift current, Mr. ing. There is a diminutive soubrette, Campbell being under the water himself who contributes some character songs, a good share of the time, barely escapand a coon song artist-of course-also ing with his life in several instances. dancers, etc. Gaylor bimself is most Finally he jumped into the water and ecrambled to the shore.

The horses, after being washed down a quarter of a mile finally freed them-selves from the buggy and got ashore. Thursday, April 27, don't forget the salmon buyers on the Columbia river The vehicle kept on swimming but lay or date. Greatest bargains ever this season. The cash buyers are more lodged against a big rock about a mile ffered in the piano fine. To the first numerous than they have been for many below the croesing. Mesers. H. H. Neal ustomer we will sell a Hardman Grand years and the number of gasoline and Rufo Blace, besides a lot of sheep plane for \$100. Jacobsen Book & Music faunches employed far exceeds that of shearers, were soon on the scene and the api25-2t any other season. Competition is so horses, buggy and driver were brought Frank Gunning, of this city, has in- keen among them that many of the face to face again. The tongue was vented a very unique implement which older and most responsible buyers are spliced with ropes and straps and Mr. will in all probability prove a success talking of quitting the business. They Campbell continued his journey Heppsay the new buyers resort to all kinds of nerwards, arriving here safely last foot weeder, to be drawn by four horses schemes to secure salmon. They operate night, considerably mangled but still ow with pneumonia, is reported and designed mostly for use in orchards on the river from Tongue point up to prepared to do cusiness. One of his the mouth of the Willamette and on valises, containing a camera and a lot of valuable notes and checks, had jumped boats on the river and pay cash for the overboard, and was found a mile below salmon. This is a convenience to fisher- in a drift with considerable damage

The Bachelors' Entertainment,

The organization of "single gentlemen" were greeted by a house full of admiring maids and matrons, and church last evening; and their much

given as per program announced. Expressions highly commendable were heard on all sides-and the gentle sex bachelors most gallantly dished out sandwitches, doughnuts and coffee (?) members of the fraternity-and after some time spent in social conversation,

talked of entertainment and social was

A Letter From the Philippines.

The following is a letter from A. A. Bonner, private in Company L, of the Second Oregon volunteers, to his mother, Thompson's addition in this city:

IN THE PIRLD, CAMP SURPRISE, March 16 .- Dear Mother. I will write you a We have just had a two day's battle and have captured the city of Pasig, which is situated about the center of the island. We are now in what is called the flying column, which is composed of the Twentieth and Twenty-second regulars, Fourth cavalry, two batteries of artillery, the motto: "She flies with her own two battallions of the First Washington, and seven companies of the Second Oregon, and is a column intended to go anywhere on the island. In our regiment we have had a number killed and wrote "Where rolls the Oregon and wounded. The insurgents loss was not hears no sound save its own dashings," so great, as they were entrenched and

We are now in one of the most beauti-Sugar-cane and corn grow everywhere. I have not been in Manila for some and am having a good time. Yesterday morning the insurgents surprised us at daylight, and we had a stiff little fight at close range, but we soon charged them away. Most of the fighting is at long range with artillery and sharpour lines most every hour of the day, can hardly write. I have fired about temporally detached from my company now, and am scouting and sharpshootof the country than many of the others. We will probably be on the campaign until the insurrection is quelled, and are apt not to be home before another year. We are now up the river about forty Lagoona bay.

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OUR BOWLERS INVINCIBLE. The Illihee Clue Bowl a Good Game, But Were Outdone by The Dalles Team.

Enthusiasm ran high at the club coms Saturday night, as the contest bowling game between the club team and a team from the lilihee Club of Salem began, and, each strike, spare, or mark of scientific bowling was greeted with applause from the platform, where were seated a large number of spectators. and the many persons who thronged the room, endeavoring to watch the game, caught up the refrain until it was general, and entirely impartial, one team receiving no more appreciation than did the other.

The Salem team, composed of Messrs. Barker, McGraw, Minto, D'Arcy, Griffith and McNary, proved themselves to be gentlemen, who had not neglected to bring their manliness with them but showed in every way their good breeding; and so the games progressed without the slightest interruption. Be it also said of our home team, which was made up of Messrs Bradshaw, Houghton, Nolan, Kurtz, Baldwin and Schmidt, that they know how to treat a visiting team, (if we do say it ourselves) and while they made such remarkable scores, for they were scores to be proud of, there was no undue demonstration. Everyone present was proud of The Dalles team, and well they might be, for they played as if possessed, the first game being what the boys call a "cracka jack," and footing up to 302 points.

The visiting team also proved themselves to be a splendid lot of bowlers. and made good scores throughout. In spite of the weariness caused from a delayed train, they showed not its effects. But our team came out with 106 points ahead. The Salem team fell not, but The Dalles team were truly invincible, and cheer after cheer arose as it was discovered they had won three games out of the four played. The total ecores by games were as follows:

	The state of the s				
j		1st	2ND	30	17H
i	Bradshaw	48	39	39	38-164
	Ealdwin	55	43	54	51 - 203
	Kurtz		35	45	26-163
	Houghton		41	35	45-165
	Schmidt	36	34	53	46-169
	Nolan	62	47	60	57-226
		302	239	286	263
		1st	2ND	3D	4TH
	Barker	46	36	48	37-167
	Grimth	35	45	33	37-150
	McNary	42	35	58	36-171
ı	Minto	45	38	25	46-154
	McGraw	47	51	34	30-162
	D'Arcy		62	36	53-180
l	Fire March	944	987	994	099

At the close of the game the teams repaired to the Umatilla House, where a banquet awaited them such as hungry bowlers, and monarchs as well, could thoroughly enjoy. The tables had been beautifully decorated by Mrs. Fish and Mrs. Seafert, who showed splendid taste in arranging the club colors, yellow and white, to blend so perfectly in the entire effect. From the chandeliers were draped the two shades, while the same effect was noticeable on the table. The flowers were of the choicest kind, a large bunch of callas being prominent, while the bouquets of roses were beautiful. The best of good will prevailed and each speech evinced the enjoyment which was paramount.

Most of the visiting team left yester-

day corning, feeling satisfied they had done their best, and that, though not victorious, they were more than pleased

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