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train left. We understand this is the last of the Sunday excursions, and we are not sorry. Could they be confined to those who come up to visit friends or spend the day quietly, there would not be so great objections as they would not be about the streets, but, judging from the number of Dallesites who were scarcely able to walk straight yesterday, we are afraid the influence is detrimental to our visitors.

Tuesday's Daily.

Genevieve, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Louis Fritis is very dangerously ill of pneumonia.

D. M. French is having a new sidewalk and fence placed around his residence on Fourth and Court streets.

John Little, an extensive sheep raiser, shipped twenty car loads, or about 6000 head, to the grazing lands of North Dakota this morning.

A. M. Williams & Co., are closing out the balance of their 1898 Tailor-made suits for Ladies, at half the regular price. Read their ad. in this issue.

We ask all ladies visiting The Dalles in the near future to call and inspect our suit-offerings. Every 1898 Tailor-made suit reduced to one-half the price. A. M. Williams & Co.

Ground was broken yesterday preparatory to laying the foundation for a residence to be built by E. L. M. Williams, on the Williams lot on Fourth street, between Washington and Federal.

Louie Comini left yesterday morning for Walla Walla and the country intervening in the interest of his marble works. During his absence Mr. Wicks will have charge of the business here.

At a meeting of the school board held this morning the present corps of teachers of the public schools was re-elected. It is possible another teacher may be employed, which matter will be attended to later.

The sale now on at A. M. Williams & Co's, should interest every lady who wants to dress in good taste. The difference between the styles of 1898 and 1899 in ladies suits is very slight, while the price difference made by this firm is exceptionally liberal. They will, no doubt quickly find new owners for every suit. Read their ad.

Mr. Elmore Rice, an accomplished violinist, who has been giving recitals in different cities throughout the United States, arrived in The Dalles last evening, and will no doubt give a recital here. He is at present calling upon those who are musically inclined with that purpose in view.

It is reported that the O. R. & N. agent at Elgin had taken French leave, and is alleged to have taken with him various valuables which were not exactly his own property. It was Saturday or Sunday that the event happened, and he has not yet been captured. The amount taken was not large.

A few clips of wool are being sold at the warehouses, but often are private sales and consequently reporters are not informed as to the price. Wool is still arriving; but not so fast as in other years. Presumably there is some hesitancy in regard to high water; but we are informed at the warehouses that we are to have no high water. They probably know whereof they speak. We don't.

So varied have been the reports concerning the return of the soldier boys that one scarcely knows whether to place any confidence in the dispatches or not. One day they inform us that we may expect them immediately "if not sooner," and the following day we learn they cannot be spared. Yesterday's dispatches say that General Otis advises the war department that the Oregon regiment of volunteers will leave for the United States this week. It will be sent direct to Portland for muster out at Vancouver barracks.

Early last week Thomas Maloney, who was employed as a deck hand by the D. P. & A. N. Co., lacerated his arm with a saw and was given some liniment by one of his fellow workmen, which seemed to heal it rapidly, and little attention was paid to the wound until it began to swell and became very sore. It was then reopened and a course of treatment begun. However, it grew worse and blood poisoning has set in. Yesterday he was very dangerously ill, and although slightly improved today, he is still in danger of losing his life.

The most interesting topic of conversation and conjecture seems to be the Columbia river, and the question as to whether or not it is to encroach upon the property of citizens so as to compel them to turn over their titles in its favor. This morning it stood at 33.5, a rise of 1.1 since yesterday. At Lewiston the Snake has fallen 1.4, and reports say the weather is much cooler in that section. However, they also inform us that tomorrow the Columbia will stand at 35, and will raise three feet before Thursday, on that date reaching the 33 mark.

Thomas Thorman, deputy sheriff of Troy, Mo., says if everyone in the United States should discover the virtue of DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve for piles, rectal troubles and skin diseases, the demand could not be supplied. Snipe-Kinersly Drug Co.

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#### LOCAL BREVITIES.

Saturday's Daily  
Rev. J. C. Baker has sold his farm in High Prairie to Judge Williams, of Portland, and he and family will move to the Sound country in the fall.—Sentinel.

License to wed was this morning issued to Louis A. Sandoz and Ernest Bonomo, residents of Mill creek, and this afternoon at 4 o'clock Judge Mays, assisted by County Clerk Kelsay, will tie the knot that makes them one.

Wool teams were numerous in town today, all the warehouses being kept busy receiving it. Although the market is not lively at present, those who ought to know predict that there will be a million pounds sold here this year.

Every day numbers of berry pickers leave the city for the patches at Hood River and White Salmon, where, while they enjoy the vacation and change, they can also be making much more than expenses. There need be no idlers these times.

"Gypsy," Will Croissen's dog, is about the proudest dog in town today, she having been given the piece of honor in Blakeley & Houghton's show window this afternoon, where she and her five little pups are attracting general attention.

Truman Butler left this morning for Portland for the purpose of accompanying his sister, Miss Nellie, to this city. Her health has been such as to compel her to give up her school duties before the term ended, and she will spend her vacation here.

F. G. Dant and S. D. Stouffer are today moving into their new jewelry store next door to the First National bank. The building has been fitted up in splendid style, and will be one of the most complete and neatest stores in the city.

They have also received a stock of goods which can't be beat.

We notice that on several sidewalks throughout the city the property owners are making it a point to drive down the nails. In this regard they have "struck the nail on the head," although our shoemakers may not agree with us, it being to their advantage not to.

The annual report of The Dalles public schools for the year ending May 25, 1899, show that 941 pupils were enrolled during the year, a gain of 25 over the previous year. The average number being taught was 709, a gain of 18; average daily attendance 670, a gain of 10; number of cases of tardiness 483, a decrease of 60.

Today the river stands at 29.5, a rise of .7, and the report says there will be a decided rise in the rivers approaching, and at this place the Columbia will come up a foot a day until Wednesday, when it will stand at about 33. At Lewiston the river rose .8; at Wenatchee one foot; at Northport 1.1; at Umatilla .6.

There is little doubt now but that The Dalles will have an evaporator and fruit dryer. The committee report good progress, and Mr. Schanno, who is soliciting among our citizens, gives the most encouraging reports. He has called upon but a few business men as yet, but has already a subscription list which foot up almost \$4000.

Ringling Day is now a recognized holiday throughout the length and breadth of the land. In many of the cities where the great show exhibits the schools are dismissed and the employees of the big manufacturing establishments are given a holiday in order to see the famous institution. Such will be next Saturday at The Dalles.

Rev. S. Morikubo, a graduate of Tokyos Academy of Philosophy, Japan, also a graduate of the University of California, will address the people at the Christian church tomorrow evening at 8 o'clock, on the subject of his conversion from Buddhism to Christianity, and the difference between the two religions. Rev. G. Rushing will preach at 11 a. m.

Strenuous efforts are being made, says the News, to induce Major McKinley to deliver the 4th of July oration at Sumpter this year. Of course it would be the poorest kind of political policy for the president to decline such an invitation, and several wagon loads of us expect to attend from here. The object of our enterprising neighbor is to bring the

East and West in closer touch with each other.—Hepburn Times.

The pupils of St. Mary's Academy will give an entertainment on Friday, June 16th, to raise funds for the purpose of lighting the building. Exercises will commence precisely at 8 o'clock p. m. Admission 50 cents. Children under 7 years not admitted. Tickets are for sale at Blakeley & Houghton's, H. Herbering's, J. P. McInery's and Maier & Benton's.

The advantage of having a band in the city was demonstrated last evening, when the music so materially assisted in welcoming the governor. When the boat reached Hood River, H. D. Parkins, who was on board, telephoned up and advised that the band met the governor at the boat, and in consequence, it was in evidence at the club building, although they were not on time for the boat.

No doubt the readers of the CHRONICLE had water and to spare this morning, if they heeded our advice and filled all the buckets before 8 o'clock. And now Superintendent Crossen appeareth and sayeth that we were mistaken; it was 8 p. m. instead of a. m., and so tonight from 8 till 10 the water will be shut off. How could this paper (or any other) imagine a superintendent so thoughtful of our housekeepers as to work on the pipes after working hours to avoid discommoding them. But such is the case.

The theater hat is a thing of the past, and just when the ladies had resignedly given up the idea of showing off the newest thing in theater hats, they find the brothers have not buried the hatchet, but that those who sit behind them in church are beginning a trade on the church hat. In an Eastern town a rule has been made in a certain church that all ladies must remove their hats, and the ladies in that congregation are gradually growing less. It is claimed that it would be a more healthful practice for the ladies to adopt this plan. We wonder if there would soon be a bald-headed row for women were the suggestion to be followed. Think over it, ladies, for we have heard that the new idea has many strong advocates in The Dalles.

Monday's Daily.

This is circus week, Ringling Bros. big show will be in The Dalles next Saturday.

The Dant Optical Jewelry Co., are now in their new quarters and ready for business. Call on them.

Stocking has finally made his ap-

pearance and officers will take him to the asylum on this afternoon's train.

Elder Clifton was unable to fill his pulpit at the Baptist church yesterday, he being in very poor health for some time past, and taking much worse yesterday.

Miss Julia Hill, of this city has been elected principal of the Antelope school for the next year, and Miss May Seehler, another Dalles young lady, assistant principal.

Passenger train No. 4 had a tussel with sand this morning about ten miles above the city, and was four hours late in consequence. It takes a good deal of sand to withstand these windy winds.

Yesterday's Oregonian announced the engagement of a Dalles young man, (for we still claim him) Mr. Edwin Mays, and Miss Mabel Ainsworth, daughter of the late Capt. G. Ainsworth. Miss Ainsworth is a resident of Portland and is said to be a very estimable young lady. His Dalles friends extend to Ed their heartiest congratulations.

Last Wednesday night in Washington City, Columbia university graduated a young man well known in The Dalles, Alvah W. Patterson, brother of Otis Patterson, receiving the degree of bachelor of law. Mr. Patterson is a young man of more than ordinary ability and by close application has won a foremost place among the students of the university and bids fair to be among the foremost lawyers of the land.

Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Weigel, who have been visiting their son in Omaha, returned home on this morning's train. They happened to be passengers on the second section of the train which was robbed Friday at Wilcox station, Wyo., and saw the wreck. The blown up safe, etc., and also the camps which were made by the robbers as they laid in wait for the train. They report very exciting times on their train when the bridge ahead of them was fired and they learned of the robbery.

Many will remember Laura Donaldson, the poor unfortunate young lady who was taken to the asylum about a year ago. Word was received yesterday that she had hung herself in her room at that institution yesterday morning and her remains will be brought to this city on this afternoon's train and be buried from Crandall & Burget's undertaking parlors at once. Laura's life of late years was a sad one. Fighting against ill health and poverty finally overcome her and destroyed her mind. Of a