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LOCAL BRIEFS.

Saturday's Gally.

Even Admiral Dewey was not 'proof against the widow's might.

The prescription files of The Snipes-Kinney Drug Co. and Butler Drug Co., will be found at Biakely & Houghton's, who will take pleasure in refilling any prescriptions from same.

Those of their friends who were entertained by the Epworth League last evening are enthusiastic over the good time enjoyed. The program was excellent and the social time which followed made the evening complete.

Passengers on No. 1 this afternoon report a slight accident on the Columbia Southern at Biggs. An engine was derailed, but no further damage as far as we can learn occurred. The wrecking crew was sent for and went up at once.

Word reached the city this morning that a burglary had been committed at Bakeoven last night wherein Thos. Burgess is loser of between \$60 and \$100. The money was in a cigar box in their store last night at 8 o'clock, and this morning at 6 was found to be missing. No clue to the guilty party has been obtained.

This morning at 10 o'clock the remains of Edward Kehrein, who was found dead in his room at the Cosmopolitan, were given Christian burial in the Grand Army burying ground adjoining the Odd Fellows cemetery. At 2:30 this afternoon, Rev. De Forest conducted the services over the remains of Geo. Jones at his home in the East End, and they were interred in Odd Fellows cemetery.

There is one man in The Dalles to whom the reports from the war now being carried on in Africa are doubly interesting from the fact that he has traveled over the ground which is now the scene of warfare. We refer to Wm. Glasius, who in '69 was prospecting in that country and was also there in '73. The same was true of the Philippine war, he having been a sailor along that coast for three years.

The Students' Literary Club of The Dalles held their regular meeting in the council chambers last night. A number of new members were enrolled. The next meeting will be held at the same place on November 24th at 7:30 p. m. The question for debate at that time will be "Resolved that the acquisition of the Philippine islands would be beneficial to the United States." The leaders are, affirmative, Clyde Riddell; negative, S. Stark.

The Dalles has long been in need of the presence of a trained nurse, and that need is now to be supplied. Yesterday afternoon Miss H. Talliferro, of St. Louis, arrived in the city to accept employment with Dr. Giesendorfer. She came with the highest recommendations, having had special training in surgery and massage treatment, and is also a graduate of Rebekeah Hospital in St. Louis. Her services will be invaluable in the community.

Thos. Robinson, of Wind river, shot a grouse the other day, and upon opening the gizzard found several fine specimens of gold. This would seem to prove that there is placer gold on Wind river. Mr. Robinson is positive that the grouse was hatched and raised in the vicinity of the place where it was killed. Some of our would-be miners ought to take a trip up through that country and see if they are not as smart as the grouse—Pioneer.

J. W. Cox is the name of a fellow who was arrested this morning at Moro for forgery. He coolly walked into Moore Bros. bank and presented a check for \$100, signed by Scott & Co., of Grass Valley. Suspecting him, the cashier at once went to the telephone and called up an officer. Seeing he was recognized, the fellow took to his legs and ran out of the bank and up the street, but was captured with little difficulty and taken in charge by the authorities.

The Vogt opera house was recently leased by Gus Bartell and R. A. Spivey and will be under their management for the next three years. We have had some splendid attractions at that opera house of late and it is to be hoped the present management will endeavor to keep them up to a high standard. If they succeed in so doing, and in personal advance agents that 75 cents is as much as Dalles people will give for seats, they will make a success of their venture.

One might have thought Pease & Mays had started a first class restaurant had they passed there east show window today; but on taking a second glance they saw the table so neatly set was fitted out in their best table linen merely for display. The reporter received an invitation to dinner; but sneaking by at noon we discovered nothing sub-

It pays to trade in The Dalles,--and when trading in The Dalles it pays to visit

A. M. WILLIAMS & CO.

WE were never better prepared to save you money than the Fall and Winter Season of 1899 finds us. It is our ambition to finish the century with the greatest record of sales in our history, and to effect this end we will spare no efforts to make it worth your while to deal with us. Bargains abound everywhere in this great store. Every department is filled with goods—and goods of a quality that enable us to safely say: "Your money back if you're not satisfied."

28-inch Outing Flannels 3 C. per yard.

medium and dark stripes and checks, value 5c per yard. We know of stores who sell them for 6 to 4c.

Calicos.

Indigo blue calicos, turkey red, calicos, mourning calicos, fancy figured calicos, 25 inches wide, per yard.... 4c

Muslins.

In spite of the advance quoted everywhere on cottons this fall we continue to sell cottons as cheap—no, cheaper—than ever before.

LL unbleached muslin, 36 inches wide, per yard..... 4c
36-inch bleached muslin..... 5c

Percales.

32-inches wide, dark and light patterns; other stores get 8 and 10c for no better percales; our price..... 5c

Our Blanket Department.

Is good and ready for the rush that is sure to follow this announcement:

Next Friday and Saturday Nov. 16 and 17, we will offer our entire stock of white and colored Blankets at Special Sale Prices.

Those who have attended our blanket sales in the past will fully appreciate this coming event, and will take advantage of it. Winter is here and blankets you must have.

10-4 Gray Cotton Blankets per pair, 41c.

Sold at other stores at 50 and 60 cents.

Linen Sale. An annual occurrence with us. This year we differ somewhat, however, in having a larger display of Table Linens—by the yard, Linen Table Spreads and Linen Napkins. The last invoice of these snowy beauties has arrived and—now we are ready.

Friday and Saturday, Nov. 16 and 17,

We will offer our entire stock of linens for the table at the following special prices:

58-inch bleached linen damask, clear patterns, per yard..... 10c
57-inch bleached linen damask, good quality, per yard..... 25c
57-inch bleached linen damask, good quality, per yard..... 31c
57-inch half-bleached linen damask, good quality, per yard..... 37c
57-inch bleached linen damask, good quality, per yard..... 39c

Extra special—Half bleached all-linen German damask, 60-in. wide, per yd..... 43c

64-inch bleached pure linen damask, per yard..... 45c
72-inch unbleached pure linen damask, per yard..... 69c
70-inch bleached clover-leaf damask..... 79c
72-inch bleached satin finished double damask..... 88c
74-inch bleached satin finished double damask..... \$1.10
74-inch bleached satin finished double damask..... \$1.38
Damask Napkins, special prices, 50c to \$5.00 per dozen.
Fringed Doilies from 25c to 75c.

Clothing Department.

On certain counters in our clothing department we have piled 200, desirable winter suits for men and boys, and have marked them to close at

HALF PRICE.

This is another instance where our way of doing business differs from the ordinary merchants. When a line of suits is sold down to only one or two, we take these and on the bargain counter they go. They never fail to sell. And that's how we keep our stock free from "black numbers"

Mens' pants, also a counter full of them at Half the regular price.

Ladies' Cloak Department.

We will not try to tell you in detail about this magnificent stock of Capes, Jackets, Furs, Suits and Skirts. We will, however, extend a cordial invitation to every lady who reads this ad to come in and look around. This is fashion's center of all that is new and stylish in women's wear, and it costs nothing whatever to see the show.

A 16-inch Circular Plush Cape

Storm collar, edged with angora fur, for only \$1.95.

Odd's and ends in Childrens Wool Underwear at

Half Price.

It's a way we have of getting rid of the balance of lines in Underwear. Those who know come here when they want children's underwear and look over our odd-lot counters.

50c garments now..... 25c
25c garments now..... 13c
20c garments now..... 10c
10c garments now..... 5c

Ladies Union Suits.

Silver gray, fleeced back, cotton ribbed union suits, open across the bust; all sizes, from 32 to 42, per suit..... 50c

Ladies vests and pants, same weight, quality and finish as the union suits, each..... 25c

Our stock of Ladies' and Childrens winter underwear, both in wool and cotton, is full of good things. Come and see.

Shoe Department.

The same here as in other departments. Every odd line is marked down to close at prices that appeal to every man or woman who wears shoes.

Boys' real calf lace shoes, sizes 11 to 14, special..... \$1.00
Men's felt boots and one-buckle overs; per set..... \$2.00

stantial had been placed thereon, even the flower which occupied a prominent place, not being cooked, so we sought a more substantial spread.

Despite the unpleasant weather, perhaps the largest crowd that has yet attended the club parties was present last night, and somehow seemed to take an additional interest in dancing. Although the music as furnished by Prof. Birgfeld and Miss Schmidt is much appreciated and as good as two instruments could possibly furnish, arrangements are being made to augment the volume by securing the full orchestra, and if so decided, they will be on hand at the next party, which will be gratifying to those who know the excellency of their dance music.

There is nothing which so gratifies a reporter as to have a friend stop in and leave the way item on the table; particularly so when it is of as much importance as the one just received, when a white-headed small boy of 8 years stepped into the office and informed us the world is coming to an end Monday morning, and that we'd better tell the people so they'd "know." He said the stars were going to twinkle and the world "stop." No doubt the Cosmos has obtained a scoop this time, and one which should be appreciated by its readers.

The funeral of Mrs. L. S. Davis was very largely attended yesterday afternoon by members of the Rathbone Sisters, K. of P., neighbors and friends. Rev. Jos. De Forest, of the Episcopal church, conducted the services and spoke in a brief but impressive manner. A quartet composed of Mrs. Jayne, Miss Willerton, R. G. Davenport and A. A. Jayne sang "Thy Will Be Done" and "Asleep in Jesus." Messrs. J. Gavin, H. Liebe, W. L. Bradshaw, D. Vaure, I. Lane and Geo. Gosser, who are brother Knights, carried the casket, which was covered with the most beautiful floral offerings, and instead of leaving a mound of cold earth, a bed of pure white flowers marks her resting place.

Monday's Daily.

Nicholas Stokoe was today admitted to citizenship.

Fred Snipes, with W. L. Vinson's surveying corps, fell at his transit Monday morning, from some heart trouble. He was removed to his room and was soon out of danger.—Sumpter Miner.

A black satin belt, with fancy buckle, was picked up on Second street, in front of Van Norden's jewelry store. Owner can have the same by calling at this office and paying for this notice.

Never has the grain in Morrow county gotten a better start than it has this fall. Farmers inform us that even along the public roads grain is growing abundantly from seed which dropped from wagons while transporting it to market.

Next year there will be scarcely room in the fields in which to stack the grain.

Yesterday's Oregonian contained a splendid out of Homer D. Angell, of our city, who is a student of the state university and acquiring himself nobly in every department. He is now president of the debating society.

Bert Bagley informs us that he has just completed the construction of a large dairy barn on his lot on Tenth street, and is going to enter more fully into the dairy business, having a large number of patrons already.

The Women's Foreign Missionary Society are to give a tea in the M. E. church Friday evening, Nov. 17th. All friends of the society are invited to be present, the only requisite being that a 10-cent admission will be charged.

The finest lot of cattle we have seen for some time were brought over from the Washington side this morning. There were forty-six in number, belonging to J. L. Kelly. He is bringing them from Klickitat to 8 Mile, and will sell them for beef.

He finally concluded it would have been better all around had he paid his road tax, and it is not to be wondered when we consider that he spent some time in the city jail, hired an attorney to fight the case and then had to put up \$6.75 after all. He might have paid the \$4 and saved all the trouble.

Saturday C. W. Dietzel and wife and H. Hillgen and wife executed deeds to the city for thirty-five feet of ground on Federal street, to be used in improving the street, which will be extended through to Clay. The grade will be some one, as on Union street, only perhaps less steep. At the council meeting tonight it will be decided when work will be begun.

Among the crew who went up Saturday with the wrecker to Biggs to clear away the wreck on the Columbia Southern, was Fred Halpapp. While down under the engine working, a valve somehow opened and allowed the steam to escape, scalding him on the back. The accident occurred at 8 o'clock, and he came down on No. 3, when Dr. Logan was called and dressed the wound.

Rev. Joseph De Forest, who has been rector of St. Paul's Episcopal church at The Dalles, for two and a half years, and was previously for a year and a half rector of St. Stephen's church, this city, arrived yesterday by the morning's train from the east and is the guest of Rev. C. H. Lake. Mr. De Forest has been in the east four months and attended the Episcopal missionary convention at St. Louis. He says that he has had several calls to Eastern churches, but likes this state too well to leave it unless duty calls him. The gentleman, who has been quite a globe trotter, was last

evening in conversation with a reporter liberal in his expressions of praise of Baker City's growth.—Democrat.

The Elks' memorial service, held every year by that order, is always one which our people desire to attend, not only to assist the Elks in paying tribute to their deceased members, but because these exercises contain much of merit and are beautiful in their sentiment and the manner in which they are conducted. We have been questioned many times as to the date this year, and understand that they are held each year on the first Sunday in December.

Mr. John Sommerville, recently of the Baldwin Sheep & Land Company, has engaged quite extensively in the sheep business in Idaho. He has bought 6000 head of sheep, and is running them near Weiser. John Sommerville Jr. is with his father, in the capacity of camp-tender and "general utility man." Frank Sommerville, who is still secretary of the Hay Creek Co., will resign that position at an early date and join his father and brother in Idaho.—Herald

Last Thursday in San Francisco Miss Ina Cooper, who was for a time employed in the Times-Montclair office here, was united in marriage with Mr. E. L. Darr. She made many friends here who wish her well. Another wedding in which Dalles people are interested occurred in Sitka, Alaska, on Nov. 1st, when Miss Stella Dell Butler, who spent much of her childhood in The Dalles, was married to W. D. McNair, of that place. They will make their home in Sitka.

The Rev. Mother Provincial of Portland, spent last week visiting St. Mary's Academy in this city, and her visit was greatly enjoyed as well as beneficial to the school. Examinations were given to the pupils in the various studies and they passed very satisfactorily. The school is now in a prosperous condition, the number of pupils being larger than last year. As a boarding school it has been receiving constant improvement and is now the very best in every particular.

We understand a committee was out Saturday and today endeavoring to raise the \$250 required before the chemical engine and fire alarm system can be procured for the city. We have not learned as to their success, but surely they will have no difficulty in securing the amount. It cannot be that after all that has been done, we will be compelled to give up what seemed to be a surety. But unless the deficit is forthcoming before the meeting tomorrow night, we must fear the board will throw up the entire scheme. And beside we would not be surprised if the fire department went further than that.

It is strange the numberless reports

that may be heard concerning any subject over which the public is greatly agitated. Saturday evening the news was spread broadcast that Mrs. Brown, who was so badly stabbed by her husband Saturday morning, had died at 2 o'clock. We even began to doubt the truth of our own statement as to her condition given us by the physicians as we went to press. This afternoon Dr. Giesendorfer informs us she is getting along very well, although the wounds seem much aggravated. She has a fair chance for recovery. It is said that the husband (?) in talking of the occurrence now says he was so drunk he didn't know what he did, and asked for the children to be brought down to see him yesterday. Among the endless rumors afloat is one to the effect that some lady had carried the prisoner a bouquet yesterday. We cannot believe such a thing is true in The Dalles. We have read of it in Chicago and other places, but surely there are no such foolish women in our own town. Better had she carried him a rope, for the circumstances what they may, flowers have no place in a cell with such a brute.

Tuesday's Daily.

We learn that Mrs. Chas. Curtis is quite ill of pneumonia at her home on the corner of Tenth and Union street.

John Osborne, the fellow who was arrested on a charge of larceny from a dwelling, was arraigned today, and to-morrow at 10 o'clock was the time set for his hearing.

Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Williams are moving into their cozy new home on Fourth street. It is one of the prettiest in the city, and the inside furnishings the very latest. Such homes are a credit to the city.

Mrs. Brown is still improving and unless unforeseen complications arise will no doubt get well. It looks as if Brown would contaminate the county jail with his presence for the next three months, as his case will not now come up till the next term of court.

Wheat is not a frequent visitor to The Dalles these days. There must be some more at least to come, but no doubt the condition of the roads is keeping the farmers from hauling it. At the warehouses they are paying 45 cents, while the Diamond Mills today paid 50 cents.

Keep the gates closed. From now until "another comes again" the festive town cow is to be "mouneth of all she surveys," and her right the council will not dispute. Henceforth she will play hooky of her own free will. Those who have kicks to register, prepare to kick them now.

The muddy streets are indeed most disagreeable, and make the pedestrian feel in anything but a pleasant mood.

but when we hear every farmer and stockman who comes into the city telling of the way the grass is coming up and the good prospects for stock, we feel ashamed to complain.

It is no more than right that any person or persons coming into a city to dispose of bankrupt stocks or close out goods from stores in other places, be taxed heavily. They but injure the business of substantial citizens who have invested their money here, pay taxes and build up our city. The marshal should see the ordinance is enforced.

The young people of Liberty district are preparing for an entertainment and box social to be given Friday evening, Nov. 24th, the proceeds to be used for the benefit of the school and district. The young ladies are requested to bring boxes containing lunch for two, and those furnishing refreshments will be admitted free. An admission of 15 cents will be charged to all others.

Not only in the Western states are things lively and workmen in demand, but reports from all over the union are the same. Rev. W. C. Smith, who returned this morning from Pennsylvania, says he never saw such prosperous times there. In and about Pittsburgh laborers are in demand, and it seems impossible to get help enough to carry on the business all over the state. It takes wide awake men and any amount of them to keep up with the Republican times.

He tore into the postoffice yesterday red-eyed and with murder in his heart. Glaring at the postmaster in such a manner as to make him think his time had come, he said: "I sent \$73 to my brother several weeks ago. Where is it? He didn't get it." After further expostulations and threats he said: "I have your receipt, where is the money?" The postmaster calmly asked to see the "receipt". He put his hand into his pocket drew forth a document and lo and behold it was the money order which his brother failed to receive and which the government had stolen. He sneaked out "all alone," and hasn't been back since.

Now that the council has extended to cyclists the privileges of the sidewalks, with the exception of Second street, it is to be hoped the right will not be abused and they be led to regret the move. A few days since a young girl was coming down the street at a lively rate, when she ran into an old man, almost knocking him over. She neither stopped to apologize nor see whether he was hurt or not, but sped on as if nothing had happened. There is no reason why the sidewalks should not be used, unless it is some such one as described, and it hardly seems fair that all should be deprived of the privilege of the thoughtlessness of a few.