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PEOPLE YOU ALL KNOW.

Saturday's Daily.

E. P. Ash, of Cascades, is in the city.

P. J. Stadleman went to Portland yesterday.

L. D. Woodside was a visitor in the city yesterday from Victor.

Rev. O. V. White and wife, of Dufur, were passengers for Portland on today's boat.

Miss Hattie Morse returned to Portland today after a visit with her sister, Mrs. Riddell.

Mr. and Mrs. Johnston accompanied their young son and three companions, who were visiting him, to Portland today.

Mr. and Mrs. E. Pitman, who have been visiting Mrs. Pitman's daughter in Seattle, returned home on the boat yesterday.

Misses Bertha and Anna Burckhardt, who have spent the past few days with Miss Davis, returned to their home in Portland today.

Col. Pat. Donan, so well known as a brilliant and able writer and throughout the political circles of the Northwest, was a visitor in The Dalles today.

Tuesday's Daily.

C. P. U'Ren, of Ridgeway, was in the city yesterday.

A. J. Borie was registered at the Umatilla yesterday, from Dufur.

Dr. Belle C. Rinehart spent Sunday and yesterday in Portland, returning last evening.

Scott Cathcart left yesterday morning for Portland, where he is to take a course at the business college.

Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Lucas returned yesterday after a few days visit with relatives in Baker City.

Dell Howell is in from Antelope and is receiving the congratulations of friends on his recent marriage.

Miss Elsie Pearce accompanied her friend, Miss Shelton, to The Dalles Sunday, returning to Portland today.

Mrs. E. H. Smith and Mrs. Julia Powell came in from Prineville yesterday and left this morning for Portland.

Miss Grace Downie returned to her home in Vancouver on today's boat, after spending a week with relatives here.

Mrs. Robert Teague left on the boat this morning for Portland, where she will spend two months under the care of physicians.

Miss Edith O'Leary, who has been visiting the family of her brother, returned today to her studies at the convent in Portland.

Mr. and Mrs. F. A. Cram made a trip to Portland Sunday, Mrs. Cram remaining to visit friends, while Frank returned last evening.

Mr. and Mrs. John A. Stevens returned from Portland Sunday night, accompanied by Miss Pearl Evans, who will visit them at their home in Dufur.

Miss Hilda Beck returned to Portland Sunday afternoon to resume her studies at the business college in that city. Misses Josie Jenkins and Edie Fisher will leave this afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Van Anda have returned from Portland where Mr. Van Anda has been in the hospital for the past few weeks. He is improving rapidly and will soon be able to be about.

A. W. Mohr., who formerly resided in The Dalles, but of late years has lived in Whatcom, is in the city. We understand he will remain and accept a position with the Central Navigation and Construction Company.

BORN.

In this city, Friday, Dec. 29th, to Mr. and Mrs. Henry Herbring, a son.

Liquor Licenses Granted.

A special meeting of the council was held Saturday evening for the purpose of granting liquor licenses for the next six months, when the following were present: Mayor Kuck, Councilmen Keller, Clough, Gunning, Wilson, Kelly and Stephens. License were granted to F. W. L. Skibbee, A. Ad Keller, Ben Wilson, L. O. Hawn, Chas. Michelbach, F. Lemke, Andrew Baldwin, John Howe, Wm. Marders, Sinnott & Fish, Maetz & Pandt, Chas. Stubling, Dan Baker, Fouts & Johannesen, J. M. Toomey and Chas. Frank (two).

Claims were then read against the city, and on motion of Wilson, that of the Gorman Rubber Co. was laid upon the table.

BILLS ALLOWED.—

N D Hughes, marshal	$75 00
Geo Brown, engineer	75 00
G A Pnirman, nightwatch	60 00
C J Crandall, treasurer	20 00
N H Gates, recorder	50 00
Dalles City Water Works, rent Dec	50 00
W A Johnston, chemicals for engine	18 42
Gutta Percha & Rubber Mfg Co, supplies	10 74
I C Nickelsen, mdse	1 45
Sinnott & Fish, meals at jail	6 62
H Clough, repairs	2 50
Dufur & Menefee, legal services	50 00
P F Burham, hauling	3 75
James Like, hauling	3 75
J W Blakeney, hauling	75
A A Urquhart, labor	2 80
T T Fannon, labor	25 40
Chas Jones, labor	14 60
Bert Eaton, labor	13 60
Ernest Patton, labor	27 20
Wm Morganfield, labor	14 20
J H Canfield, labor	14 80
R Silba, labor	17 20
O A Crow, labor	15 00
Tony Jackson, labor	5 26
J J Hecker, labor	14 20
E T Henshaw, labor	3 60
J C Flood, labor	3 60
A Hess, labor	1 60
Geo Seth, labor	6 20
Wm Cates, hauling gravel	20 80
N D Hughes, killing five dogs	5 00

TREASURER'S REPORT.

Dec. 1—Cash on hand		$7603.70
Rec'd from Dalles City		236 82
Rec'd Dalles National Bank		2.20
Dec. 30—Water rent, Nov		1011.10
Total		$8853.82
Dec. 30—Int. on water bonds	$750.00	
Dec. 30—Warrants redeemed	169.00—	919.00
Jan. 1—Bal on hand		$7934.82

Meeting of Water Commissioners.

Water Commissioners Bolton, Moore, Randall, Fish, Buchler and Seufert held a meeting at the recorder's office Saturday evening, when, after routine business of minor importance, the report of the superintendent was read as follows:

Total book account	$1435.95
Collected water rent	1011.10
Delinquent	$424.85

The following bills were allowed:

J B Crossen, superintendent	$60 00
C A Borders, helper	60 00
Ned Gates, secretary	10 00
A A Urquhart, labor	7 60
F Clarke, labor	4 60
J Staniels, labor	4 60
E Julian, labor	3 60
Wm Morganfield, labor	5 60
Jacobsen Book & Music Co. sup	80
J W Blakeney, expressage	50
D S Dufur, ins premium	3 45

Played Out.

Dull Headache, Pains in various parts of the body, Sinking at the pit of the stomach, Loss of appetite, Feverishness, Pimples or Sores all positive evidences of impure blood. No matter how it became so it must be purified in order to obtain good health. Acker's Blood Elexir has never failed to cure Scrofulous or Syphilitic poisons or any other blood diseases. It is certainly a wonderful remedy and we sell every bottle on a positive guarantee. Blakeley & Houghon's drug store.

Drowned in a Bath Tub.

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 31.—Hilliard F. Johnson, a reporter for the Chronicle, was found dead in a bath tub at his lodgings yesterday morning. The tub was full of water, and appearances indicated that Johnson had fainted and fallen into the water. This theory is supported by the fact that his feet were encased in a pair of slippers and the bath towels had recently been used, while his clothes were lying across a chair in his bedroom, adjoining the bathroom. He was also known to have been a sufferer from heart disease.

As a cure for rheumatism Chamberlain's Pain Balm is gaining a wide reputation. D. B. Johnston of Richmond, Ind., has been troubled with that ailment since 1862. In speaking of it he says: "I never found anything that would relieve me until I used Chamberlain's Pain Balm. It acts like magic with me. My foot was swollen and paining me very much, but one good application of Pain Balm relieved me. For sale by Blakeley & Houghton.

Stray Notice.

Came to my place on Five Mile, about two weeks ago, a buckskin saddle horse, branded with an oarlock on right hip and an M on right shoulder. Said horse has been on the range near my place for the past two years. Owner can have same by proving property and paying all charges.

Dated Dec. 19, 1899.

FRANK D. JONES,
dec20-4t The Dalles, Oregon.

Estray Notice.

Strayed from the range on Dutch flat, one dappled gray horse, four years old next spring; branded on left shoulder thus, C̄. Five dollars reward will be given to any person returning same to my place on 3-Mile.

nov29-1mo O. W. COOK.

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With every dollar purchase during January and February we will give one chance on a $50 Garland steel range.

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SEX IN IMMIGRATION

More Men Than Women Come to This Country.

Some Interesting Facts and Figures About the Arrivals from Different Lands—The Tide Increasing.

From 1819, the year of the passage by congress of the law for the registration of immigrants arriving in the United States, until the present time, there have been 18,500,000 immigrants registered in the various ports of the country, and of these, taking the average through the whole course of years, 60 per cent. were men and 40 per cent. women, a disparity representing a total difference of nearly 3,700,000.

It has been frequently pointed out as a matter of interest and importance that the proportion of male immigrants is higher where such immigration is least desirable, particularly in the case of Chinese and Sicilians, while it is lowest among the Germans and Irish. The reasons assigned for this disparity have been many. Among them have been the perils and inconveniences of a residence on the frontier before the complete settlement of the country, emigration from continental countries to escape conscription in European armies, the danger and discomforts of ocean travel before the establishment of fast and commodious steamers, and the natural reluctance of women to seek homes in new lands. It has popularly been supposed, however, that as these reasons for the excess of male immigration either disappeared or were diminished, the totals of the two sexes would be more nearly even, a conclusion which the tables just published by the immigration bureau in Washington for the year ending March 1, 1899, completely overthrow.

During the year the actual number of immigrants coming into the United States was 310,000, an increase of 80,000 compared with a year ago. According to the ordinary division between male and female immigrants there should have been 186,000 of the former and 124,000 of the latter. Instead of this there were 193,277 male immigrants, or more than 60 per cent., and 117,438 female immigrants, less than 40 per cent. From England there were 6,700 male and 4,000 female immigrants, about the average ratio; from Germany, 14,700 male and 11,800 female immigrants, less than the average number; from Scandinavia there were 12,747 male and 10,502 female immigrants, and from Finland, a country from which there has been recently extensive emigration to the United States in consequence of the serious conflict between the Russian government and the Finns, 3,900 male and 2,100 female immigrants came. From two countries female immigration to the United States preponderates, Ireland and Bohemia. There were last year 13,700 male and 18,600 female immigrants from Ireland, and from Bohemia the number of male and female immigrants was almost identical, 1,262 of the former and 1,264 of the latter.

The long-disputed question among immigrant officials as to the designation to be given to Polish Hebrew immigrants, whether they should be described as Polish or under the head of German, Russian or Austrian immigrants, as the case might be, has been settled by the adoption of a generic term for all such immigrants, the word Hebrew. There were 21,000 male and 16,000 female Hebrew immigrants last year. From Russian Poland there were in addition 18,000 male and 10,000 female immigrants, while from Italy, now the chief contributing country to the flow of immigration into the United States, there were 52,000 male and 23,000 female immigrants. Italian immigration is very largely responsible for the disparity of the sexes in the matter of immigration. Twice as many male Syrians as female Syrians came over last year and five times as many male Slavonians. There were 2,200 male Greeks and only 132 female, but the record of all other countries is distanced by China, 1,627 male immigrants and 11 female immigrants only.

Cuban immigration to the United States last year was 1,400, including 1,100 male and 300 female immigrants. From Hawaii there were more women than male immigrants, though the number of either was not large, and from Japan there came 3,175 male immigrants and 275 female.—N. Y. Sun.

The Barber Got His Money.

A suspicious-looking individual entered a barber's shop in Manchester and while being shaved casually remarked: "I suppose a good many of your customers forget to pay?"

"No, sir," the barber replied; "there was a time when I used to give credit, but I never do now. In fact, nobody asks for it any more."

"How's that?"

"Well, you see," said the barber, trying the edge of his razor on his thumbnail, "whenever I shaved a gentleman who asked me to mark it up, I put a little nick in his nose with my razor, and kept tally that way. They very soon didn't want to run up bills."

There was a tremor in the customer's voice as he answered, from beneath the lather:

"Do you object to being paid in advance?"—Stray Stories.

Mrs. R. Churchill, Berlin, Vt., says, "Our baby was covered with running sores. DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve cured her." A specific for piles and skin diseases. Beware of worthless counterfeits.

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All county warrants registered prior to Jan. 21, 1896, will be paid at my office. Interest ceases after Nov. 13th, 1899.

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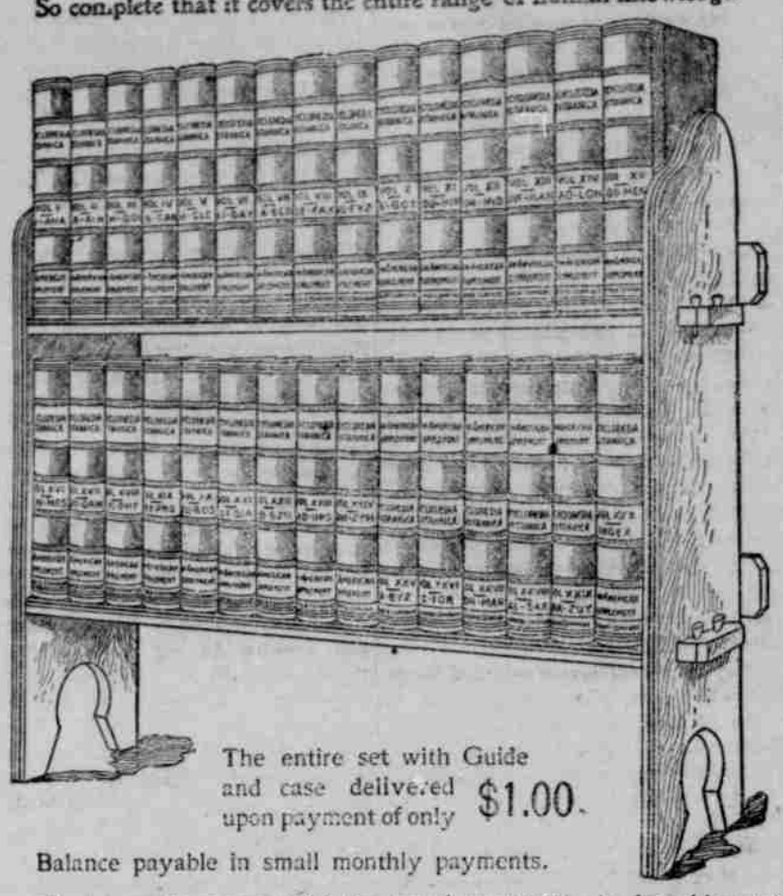

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NOTICE.

STATE OF OREGON,
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SALEM, Nov 21, 1899.

In accordance with the provisions of an Act entitled "An Act Submitting to the Electors of the State of Oregon at the General Election to be held on the first Monday in June, 1900, the pending Proposed Constitutional Amendments," approved February 18, 1899, I, T. T. Geer, Governor of the State of Oregon, do hereby cause the following proposed amendments to the Constitution of the State of Oregon, as certified to by the Secretary of State, to be published for five consecutive weeks in THE DALLES CHRONICLE, a newspaper published in the Seventh Judicial District of the State of Oregon.

Done at the Capitol, at Salem, Oregon, [SEAL] this 21st day of November, A. D. 1899.

T. T. GEER, Governor.

By the Governor:
F. I. DUNBAR, Secretary of State.

SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION, NO. 4.

Be it resolved by the Senate, the House concurring: That the following amendment to the Constitution of the State of Oregon be and is hereby proposed:

That Section 10 of Article XI, of the Constitution of the State of Oregon be and the same is hereby abrogated, and in lieu thereof Section 10 of Article XI, shall be as follows:

ARTICLE XI.

Section 10. No county, city, town, school district or other municipal corporation shall be allowed to become indebted in any manner or for any purpose to an amount including present existing indebtedness in the aggregate exceeding five per centum on the value of the taxable property therein to be ascertained by the last assessment for State and county taxes previous to the incurring of such indebtedness.

Adopted by the Senate January 30, 1893.
C. W. FULTON, President of the Senate.

Concurred in by the House, February 2, 1893.
W. P. KEADY, Speaker of the House.

Adopted by the Senate January 31, 1895.
JOSEPH SIMON, President of the Senate.

Concurred in by the House, February 4, 1895.
CHAS. B. MOORES, Speaker of the House.

SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION, NO. 13.

Be it resolved by the Senate, the House concurring: That the following amendment to the Constitution of the State of Oregon, in lieu of Section Ten of Article Seven (7), be and the same is hereby proposed, to-wit:

SECTION TEN.

The Legislative Assembly may provide for the election of Supreme and Circuit Judges in distinct classes, one of which classes shall consist of five Justices of the Supreme Court, who shall not perform circuit duty; and the other class shall consist of as many Circuit Judges as may be deemed necessary, who shall hold full terms without allotment and who shall take the same oath as the Supreme Judges.

The Legislative Assembly may create as many circuits as may be necessary.

Adopted by the Senate, February 15, 1893.
C. W. FULTON, President of the Senate.

Concurred in by the House, February 15, 1893.
W. P. KEADY, Speaker of the House.

Adopted by the Senate, January 31, 1895.
JOSEPH SIMON, President of the Senate.

Concurred in by the House, February 6, 1895.
CHAS. B. MOORES, Speaker of the House.

HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION, NO. 10.

Resolved by the House, the Senate concurring: That the following amendment to the Constitution of the State of Oregon be and hereby is proposed:

That the Constitution be amended by adding Article XIX, as follows, to-wit:

ARTICLE XIX.

Section 1. The necessary use of lands for the construction of reservoirs or storage basins for the purpose of irrigation or for rights of way for the construction of canals, ditches, flumes or pipes to convey water to the place of use for any useful, beneficial or necessary purpose, or for drainage, or for drainage of mines or the workings thereof, by means of roads, railroads, tramways, cuts, tunnels, shafts, hoisting works, dump or other necessary means to their complete development or any other use necessary to the complete development of the natural resources of the State or preservation of the health of its inhabitants, is hereby declared to be a public use and subject to the regulation and control of the State.

Section 2. The right to appropriate the unappropriated waters of any natural stream to beneficial uses shall never be denied.

Section 3. The use of all waters now appropriated for sale, rental or distribution, also of all waters originally appropriated for private use, but which, after such appropriation, has heretofore been or may hereafter be sold, rented or distributed, is hereby declared to be a public use and subject to the regulation and control of the State in the manner prescribed by law. But the right to use and appropriate such waters shall be subject to such provisions of law for the taking of private property for public or private use as provided in Section 18, Article 1 of the Constitution of the State of Oregon.

Section 4. The right to collect taxes or compensation for the use of water supplied to any county, city, town or water district or inhabitants thereof, is a franchise, and cannot be exercised except by authority of and in a manner prescribed by law.

Adopted by the House, February 15, 1893.
W. P. KEADY, Speaker of the House.
Signed March 7, 1893.)

Adopted by the Senate, February 17, 1893.
C. W. FULTON, President of the Senate.
(signed March 28, 1893.)

Adopted by the House, February 6, 1895.
CHAS. B. MOORES, Speaker of the House.

Concurred in by the Senate, February 13, 1895.
JOSEPH SIMON, President of the Senate.

HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 2.

proposing an amendment to the Constitution of the state of Oregon, by repealing Section 35 of Article 1.

Resolved by the House, the Senate concurring: That Section 35 of Article 1 of the Constitution be and hereby is repealed.

Adopted by the House, January 11, 1893.
W. P. KEADY, Speaker of the House.

Concurred in by the Senate, January 30, 1893.
C. W. FULTON, President of the Senate.

Adopted by the House, January 30, 1895.
CHAS. B. MOORES, Speaker of the House.

Concurred in by the Senate, February 12, 1895.

SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 7.

Be it resolved by the Senate, the House concurring: That the following amendment to the Constitution of the State of Oregon be and is hereby proposed:

ARTICLE 1.

The elective franchise in this State shall not hereafter be prohibited to any citizen on account of sex.

Adopted by the Senate, February 6, 1895.
JOSEPH SIMON, President of the Senate.

Adopted by the House, February 6, 1895.
CHAS. B. MOORES, Speaker of the House.

CHAS. B. MOORES, Speaker of the House.

Adopted by the Senate, January 31, 1899.
T. C. TAYLOR, President of the Senate.

Adopted by the House, January 31, 1899.
E. V. CARTER, Speaker of the House.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,
STATE OF OREGON,
Office of Secretary of State.

I, F. I. DUNBAR, Secretary of State of the State of Oregon and Custodian of the Seal of said State, do hereby certify that I have compared the preceding copy of Senate Joint Resolution No. 4, of the Legislative Assembly of 1893,—"Municipal Indebtedness amendment;" Senate Joint Resolution No. 13 of the Legislative Assembly of 1893,—"Judiciary Amendent;" House Joint Resolution No. 10 of the Legislative Assembly of 1893,—"Irrigation Amendment;" House Joint Resolution No. 2 of the Legislative Assembly of 1893,—"Repealing Amendment;" and Senate Joint Resolution No. 7 of the Legislative Assembly of 1895,—"Equal Suffrage Amendment," with the original copies now on file in this office, and that the same is a correct transcript therefrom and the whole thereof.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed hereto [SEAL] the seal of the State of Oregon.

Done at the Capitol, at Salem, Oregon, this Third day of November, A. D. 1899.

F. I. DUNBAR,
Secretary of State.

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned has been appointed by the county court of the state of Oregon, for Wasco county, administrator of the estate of Antone Jerome, deceased. All persons having claims against said estate are hereby notified to present them to me at my office in The Dalles, Or., within six months from the date hereof.

Dated December 13, 1899.

R. F. GIBONS,
dec16-4t Administrator.