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### LOCAL BREVITIES.

Saturday's Daily.

A. J. Brigham, of Dufur, is now a full-fledged Democrat. That's what comes of monkeying with the free silver lunacy.

The postoffice at DeMoss Springs will be discontinued after the 14th of April. The citizens of that place will receive their mail at Moro.

Henry McGreer and sons, of Antelope, have sold to John Little their mutton sheep at \$3.60 per hundred pounds to be delivered at Shaniko on the 10th of May.

Died, Friday night, April 6th, on Five-Mile, of consumption, Laura Bullock, aged 19 years. The funeral will take place at Sunset cemetery tomorrow at 2 o'clock p. m.

The Sentinel says President E. E. Lytle has announced that as soon as the grading is finished on the Columbia Southern the entire force of graders will be put to work on the Lyle and Goldendale road.

The "Old Rooster" who edits the Moro Observer announces that "young hens will be taken on account" at the Observer office. Is Brother Ireland going to start a harem or a chicken ranch? Which?

If a darkey waiter should drop a platter of turkey, what four great calamities would befall the earth? Answer—The downfall of Turkey; the overthrow of Greece; the breaking up of China and the surprise of Africa.

The Goldendale Sentinel says the long distance telephone is being extended from Goldendale to Blockhouse and Canas Prairie. A line will also be built across the Simcoe mountains through the reservation to North Yakima, following the old military road.

C. Lorensen, who claimed to be a laborer on his way from Portland to Spokane, stopped over here yesterday, fell by the wayside and was duly hauled up by Marshal Hughes this morning before his Honor Judge Gates and fined \$3, which he paid and went his way.

Charles Hicks, who had made arrangements to start the Shaniko Ilihee, has changed his mind and bought out the Arlington Advocate. The Moro Leader has been purchased by Sheriff William Holder who will take the plant to Shaniko and establish a paper there.

The Telegram suggests the following ticket for the next national campaign: "For president, Mrs. George Dewey; for first assistant president, Arthur P. Gorman; for second and third assistants, John R. McLean and Richard Croker; for parade exhibition, Admiral Dewey."

The Grass Valley Journal is responsible for the story that upon the return home of the Wasco delegates to the late Republican county convention at Moro

the city authorities of Wasco fined each of them \$5.75 and placed them in quarantine till they were thoroughly fumigated. The story needs confirmation.

Seventy years ago there were twenty-six distilleries in Penn's Valley, Penn., and now only one remains. And yet neither Pennsylvania nor any of the neighboring states has had legal prohibition. The growth of temperance sentiment and practice is due to social and religious influence in the direction of higher morality and more enlightened civilization.

General John Bidwell, prohibition candidate for president in 1802, died at his home near Chico, Calif., Wednesday, from heart failure. General Bidwell was a pioneer of 1841 and the founder of Chico. He was eighty years of age and a native of Chautauqua county, New York. He leaves an estate valued at \$1,000,000.

Three tramps, or probably highwaymen, giving their names as John Strange, Joseph Scott and Wm. W. Skidmore, were arrested last night by Nightwatchmen Phirman and Alisky and today sentenced to twenty-five days each in the county jail for carrying concealed weapons. Each man carried a big six-shooter, with every chamber loaded, besides, scattered among them, a quantity of powder and cartridges. The men pleaded guilty.

Johnston Bros. have put in a new wheel and pump for the purpose of forcing water from 15-Mile creek up to their farm a mile and a half from the creek. The pump is the invention of P. M. Wing, of Boyd, and is claimed to be the superior of any pump in existence; besides possessing superior pumping powers, its simplicity of construction prevents it from being continually out of order as is usual with most of the pumps. It is understood that the Dufur water company intend putting in one of these pumps in the near future.—Dufur Dispatch.

Last night Cedar Circle had its third birthday and its members were out to help celebrate the occasion. After the session closed a program was given, followed by refreshments. After the inner man was satisfied, Neighbor Brownhill spoke of the Women of Woodcraft, of which Cedar Circle is the local order. Mr. Brownhill gave a brief history of the order, and Mrs. Stephens spoke of "Our Woodmen" in her usual happy manner. All present said such pleasant gatherings serve to weld the bonds of fraternity stronger, and hoped to have such another evening soon.

Some months ago a cow belonging to Alvis C. Martin, of Victor, swallowed a butcher knife that was in a pan of sliced pumpkins that Mrs. Martin had abandoned for a moment in the yard near where the cow happened to be. The cow, which was a very valuable one, is still alive, notwithstanding that the knife has been in her intestines for over six months. The animal is very poor and the knife seems to be working its way out, as there is a festering lump on her side, through which the macerated food from her stomach is emitted when the animal coughs or is exposed to any unusual exertion.

Monday's Daily.

Prof. Lundell, of this city, has arranged to instruct a vocal class in Wasco once each week.

There will be two days' racing at the Antelope race track, about the middle

of May. A subscription list has been circulated, and the amount subscribed already insures about \$400 in purses.

"Bob White" quails, turned loose some time ago on the Ochoco, in Crook county, are reported as doing well.

The Clatsop county Republican convention last Saturday instructed the congressional delegates to support Malcolm A. Moody.

Representative Moody has secured the appointment of Miss Ruth Cooper, of The Dalles, as teacher at the Indian school at the Sac and Fox agency, in Oklahoma.

At the annual meeting of the stockholders of the D. P. & A. N. Co. last Saturday the old board of directors was re-elected and the old staff of officers re-appointed without change.

The Sherman county Democrats last Saturday nominated the following ticket: County judge, John Falton; sheriff, J. F. O'Leary; clerk, Robert Beere; school superintendent, H. H. White; delegates to state convention—Frank Fulton, W. H. Biggs and Frank Thayer.

The Republicans of Rufus have adopted a unique method of increasing their numbers. They have organized a Republican club, that gives dancing parties to its members only, and now all the young people are joining regardless of former political affiliations.

Plate-glass manufacturers in Belgium, France and Germany have formed an international trust. If the American protective tariff is responsible for the tripartite alliance, it was through excluding the product of these foreign factories from our market. In no other way can Uncle Sam father this tripartite.

Steel trestles and bridges have replaced wooden ones—where not earth filled—on the Northern Pacific. All ready now for the North Coast Limited, April 29th. Best and safest track to be found in the Northwest. Send to any agent for North Coast Limited leaflet.

Mrs. W. P. Lord, wife of Ex-Governor Lord, now minister to the Argentine Republic, has written a friend in Salem that she expects to return to Salem during the present year. Expenses of living are said to be so high at Buenos Ayres that the post is a very undesirable one.

"Mr. Beecher" said the owner of a horse which the doctor was hiring of him, "that horse will work in any place you put him, and do all that" any horse can do." Mr. Beecher eyed the horse admiringly, and then remarked: "I wish to goodness that he was a member of our church."

E. J. Lea, of the meteorological observatory of the State Agricultural College, reports that the maximum and minimum temperatures, 78° and 32° degrees respectively, for the month of March are respectively twelve and six degrees higher than any other March extremes on record.

The common council Saturday night elected J. M. Twomey councilman to succeed Harry Clough, resigned on account of having moved his residence out of the ward. No action was taken on the sewer ordinance, but the meeting adjourned to next Saturday evening, when definite action, one way or the other, will probably be taken.

The Crook county Republican convention last Saturday made the following nominations: Sheriff, H. J. Lister;

clerk, Arthur Hodges; treasurer, B. F. Nichols; assessor, Ed Laughlin; surveyor, John Newsome; school superintendent, William Bogli; coroner, Dr. J. H. Rosenberg; commissioner, Abe Zell; delegates to state convention—C. M. Cartwright, B. F. Allen, John Combs, J. H. Gray and J. N. Williamson.

T. J. Lynch received word Friday that his brother, Tom, who is well known here, died of malarial fever at Cambridge, Idaho, on the 3d inst. He had been sick about a month but no word was sent to his brother here till a few hours before his death. Tom was 51 years old. He was a veteran of the civil war, serving in the navy during the whole war. He has a son also in the U. S. navy who was with Dewey at the bombardment of Manila.

Pearl Joles is entitled to a diploma for nerve and horsemanship, so to speak. She was one of the excursionists to Hood River last Saturday and as she and Maud McLeod had mounted a hack at the boat landing the boys of the graduating class roared out their class yell and the horses, as any decent Christian horses would have done on hearing such an unearthly noise, ran towards home at full gallop. Maud jumped out and fortunately did not break her neck or some less vital part of her anatomy, but Pearl stuck to the wagon, ducked under the seat and grabbed the lines and in due time pulled the frightened steeds to a standstill.

Young America and a considerable section of Old America were out in force yesterday along the neighboring creeks after the festive trout. Their success, like that of ancient Caesar, was various, but most of them came back without being actually "skunked"—wherever or however they got the fish; while several had fairly well-filled baskets. Joe Heroux, either by virtue of the fact or as the just recompense of a powerful imagination, is entitled to first prize. He claims he captured a salmon trout, just a little above the Ninth street bridge, that measured 33 inches and weighed four and a half pounds.

The following prayer of an old colored minister four years ago, on the eve of the presidential election is good enough to republish. It will be remembered that the prayer was fully answered. The old man said: "O, Lord, save the country from the hands of them who is trying to but it up. Give us plenty of work and good money for it, so we can take care of our wives and children, and buy good bread and meat and pay for it. We want to keep politics out of our church and out of our prayer meetings, but we can't help asking Thee to keep a look out for that poor miserable sinner, Bryan, who we hear is coming into this state hand in hand with Satan. We ask Thee, don't let him do no harm; forgive his sins that he is committing every day, an then knock the stuffin out of him next November."

The secretary of the interior has practically decided that the number of sheep to be allowed to graze in the Ranier forest reservation during the coming summer shall be limited to 250,000, the cattle to 5500, and the horses to 1000. Until further notice, this grazing will be allowed without charge. The secretary is anxious to impose a charge of from two to four cents on each head of sheep, and from 10 to 12½ cents on horses and cattle, but finds he has no authority to make this charge and will request congress to grant him that authority. It is

very doubtful if congress will take such action, as there is a general sentiment among many western men against imposing a charge for grazing on the public lands. No sheep or cattle from Oregon will be allowed on the reserve.

McAllister, who was arrested here Friday for soliciting subscription for an alleged orphan asylum at Cascade Locks, is still in the county jail. Nothing has developed since his arrest that makes it certain that he can be held much longer. That he is a fraud is beyond the shadow of a doubt, but to prove this in such a way as to meet the requirements of the law is another matter. According to the Astoria News a fellow has been operating down that way on similar lines and the News' description answers very well to McAllister. The prisoner is a man between 40 and 50 years old. He has light brown hair, wears glasses, betimes, is well-built and about five feet nine in height. He wears a blue coat, pants and cap, that the addition of a printed stripe or two transfers into the uniform of a quasi soldier in "God's Regular Army." Over his shirt, or probably instead of one, he wears a dark red woolen sweater.

### Working for a Portage Road.

Congressman Wilson, of Idaho, sends a long communication to the Lewiston Tribune telling what is being done by himself and others for the improvement of the Columbia river at the dalles. Mr. Wilson appeared before the river and harbor committee and urged the claims of a portage road in preference to anything else as that which will best meet the immediate wants of the Inland Empire. Mr. Wilson showed that the estimated cost of a canal and locks was \$4,000,000, a boat railway \$2,264,467 and a portage railway only \$454,390; that the last recommendation from the U. S. engineers department favored a portage road, and that as there are over \$220,000 yet available from the appropriation for a boat railway, it would require only about an equal sum to finish the job. Mr. Wilson answered the objection to a portage road because it would be the entering wedge to government ownership of railways by saying that "this would not be a railroad in the common acceptance of that term; but would be a mere incident to the improvement of a great national waterway, with which the question of government ownership of railways had absolutely nothing to do, and that any criticism of this project from that standpoint could as well be made to any improvement whether by canals and locks or by railway."

### Teachers' Excursion to Hood River.

Following is the list of the names of teachers, pupils and their friends who joined in the teachers' excursion to Hood River Saturday morning from The Dalles district:

Supt C L Gilbert and wife, Chas. Dietzel and wife, Jay P Lucas, and wife, Mrs C J Crandall, Mrs M Z Donnell, Mrs E M Wilson, Mrs John Michell, Mrs Emma Thompson, Mrs Olivia Morgan, Mrs Brooks and friend, Mrs J T Peters, Mrs French, Mrs T Brownhill, Mrs Meyers, Mrs Ella Ball, B A Gifford, Earl Curtis, Clarence Gilbert, Francis Sexton, Ola Norman, Mabel Collins, Maude Mitchell, Constance Whealdon, Martha Whealdon, Lizzie Sherrer, Olive Slato, Maude Gilbert, Bessie Snipes, Blanche Emerson, Hattie Glenn, Wasco Morris, Pearl Joles, Minnie Bartell, Maude McLeod, Hannah Schwabe, Lil-

lie Kelley, Mamie Buchler, Rose Buchler, E H Merrill, Bertha Willerton, Misses Annie Taylor, Nan Cooper, Emma Roberts, Etta Wrenn, Mary Douthit, Elsie Ball, Mrs Katie Roche, Misses Saina Phirman, Tena Rintoul, Louise Rintoul, Minnie Mitchell, Melissa Hill, Prof. J T Neff, Supt. J S Landers.

The following excursionists are from the Dufur district: R R Allard and wife, Geo W Brown and wife, Misses Maggi Sigman, Eva and Ada Heiler and Ainy Johnston, Fred Quinn, Will Guillard, Clarence Heiler and James Powell.

### WOLF IN SHEEP'S CLOTHING.

A Tale of the Cascade Locks Orphan Asylum.

The county jail got a new inmate Friday night who has all the earmarks of a sick customer. He had worked the town Friday in the interest of an alleged orphan asylum at the Cascade Locks that, he claimed, contained, 300 children. He pretended that he belonged to "God's Regular Army," an offshoot from the Salvation Army. He had a letter-head bearing the written signature of "Rev. Wm. Brown, Major," and claimed this as his credentials. He says Brown has charge of the work at Seattle and that Brown recently ordered him to come to The Dalles and solicit contributions for the orphanage at the Locks. When asked if he did not know that there was no orphanage there he said he did not know and was only obeying the orders of his superior, who wrote him from Seattle that the orphanage had been started there about two weeks ago. From inquiries made by the sheriff and Deputy Sexton it appears the fellow actually collected money on this pretext, this as it ought to have appeared to Dalles folks, from eight or ten persons whose names, if they appeared in print, would cause a good laugh among their friends. The Chronicle man heard of the fellow's doings yesterday afternoon from one who had just heard of him soliciting subscription from a party in the postoffice.

The sheriff was notified and some time after dark Deputies Sexton and Alisky found this soldier of God's Regular Army in Fouts' saloon consuming forty-rod, lightening like a veritable Son on Bell and tucking the slot machine with the funds collected for the orphanage for all there was in it. He was placed under arrest, where he remains pending an inquiry being made by the Portland chief of police to see if he is not the same fellow that, according to a Telegram report, had been working Portland along the same lines a few days ago. The fellow gives his name as H. B. McAllister and claims to be a Scot by birth; but his speech betrays him, for he talks like an Englishman. However that may be, he is undoubtedly a fraud and it is to be hoped the law may be able to get a good grip on him and send him over the road.

### Not a Candidate.

Being ill for the past week and confined to my bed, I had no idea that my Prohibition friends had the least thought of placing me in nomination for coroner nor any other office, as no intimation of their political intentions was given me. Not desiring to accept the nomination, I hereby declare that I am not a candidate for that office under any consideration nor on any ticket whatever.

Wm. MICHELL.

The Dalles, April 7, 1900.