

The Weekly Chronicle.

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LOCAL BREVITIES.

Wheat was advanced to 50 cents in this market today. The Regulator today took on a thousand cases of Salmon at Warrendale for shipment to Portland. Bob Hahn has rented the California restaurant building, and is having it fitted up for a saloon and lunch house. A few crates of strawberries are brought to town daily from the higher altitudes and find a ready market at three boxes for a quarter. The old Tom Miller store building, next door to A. M. Williams & Co's., is being fitted up for A. A. Brown, who will move his grocery stock into it. Rumor has it that the store occupied by Mr. Brown will be opened in the near future as a saloon. The recent sharp advance in the price of wheat, contemporaneous with the meeting of the national republican convention and the proposal to give the country four more years of McKinley prosperity, will necessitate a fresh flood of democratic literature on the ancient law of supply and demand. Yesterday evening Thomas Smiley was united in marriage to Miss Josie Akin, both of this city. The ceremony was performed by Rev. U. F. Hawk in the presence of a few friends of the bride and bridegroom at the residence of the bride's sister, Mrs. Charles Adams. An elegant reception followed the wedding ceremony. Charley Richmond arrived here today from Condon with another lot of wool. He says this will be his last trip, as his crop will need attention when he gets back home. He says a large lot of wool still awaits shipment to The Dalles, if teams can be got to do it. Blake Bros. have 200 sacks that they want brought here, but cannot get teams to haul it. Night Watchman Phirman arrested a drunken squaw last night and kept her in confinement till she was turned loose this morning, a sober but hyac sick siwash. The pity of it was that the drunken woman had a poor little pupoose that had to be brought to her by another woman to receive its wonted measure of liquid nourishment and then removed to keep it out of danger till its drunken mother had sobered up. J. T. Reynolds spoiled a good newspaper item this afternoon and probably saved a fine new hack from destruction at the same time by baiting a team that had started to run away from the store of Maier & Benton, where it had been left unhitched while a couple of ladies, who had it in charge were trading in the store. Just as the horses were getting on a good head of steam Mr. Reynolds dashed in front of them, and, at the imminent risk of his limbs, brought them to a stand. Thursday's Daily Reports from over the river say they had a fine rain yesterday in the Klickitat valley that came timely and will prove highly beneficial to the grain crop. A band of 422 cayuses was shipped to the Linton cannery last week from the Warm Springs reservation. They were taken over the mountains by the Barlow route. A fine rain of three hours duration began falling here this morning at 8 o'clock. It appears to have extended over all that part of Wasco county, south of The Dalles, that had only light showers previously. It is rumored that New Astoria is to have a million-dollar drydock in the near future, plans and specifications for its erection having already been approved and submitted to the Simpson Drydock Company, of New York. The Racket Store has just received a large consignment of goods, such as camp stoves, churns, toilet sets, and almost everything in tin and granite ware, dry goods and notions in endless variety, Fourth of July goods, flags, firecrackers, etc., etc. Second street, opposite Hood's Second Hand Store. A paragraph having found its way into the Salem Statesman accusing Arthur Hodges, the well-known clerk of Crook county for the past twelve years, of having been repudiated by the last Crook county democratic convention, Mr. Hodges sets the Statesman right in the following terse and pithy sentence: "The so-called democracy never had a chance to repudiate me, for I left the party in 1866, when the populist hen hatched Bryan and the Chicago flat farm, and I have not since that time affiliated with the democratic organization." The city election is not over yet. By an unpopular if not un-American clause in the city charter, the marshal and recorder are appointed by the mayor, by and with the consent of the council.

As soon as a new mayor is elected he is usually deluged with the applications and petitions of applicants for these offices. If the mayor ignores these petitions he is regarded in the light of an "imperialist." If he must respect them, and the men selected for nominations are those that have the largest petitions, why not go back to the old plan of letting the people elect their marshal and recorder by direct vote. The law as it now stands, or rather as it works in actual practice, is a humbug and ought to be abolished. Friday's Daily Goldendale folks are preparing to have a big celebration on the Fourth. The annual Methodist camp meeting commenced at Goldendale Thursday. Sunbonnets, sunbonnets, sunbonnets for children, only 25 cents at the New York Cash Store. A girl is wanted to do general housework by Mrs. J. C. Hostetter. Good wages will be given to a competent party. j15-6t The Goldendale Sentinel says Messrs. VanVactor, Cooper and Hamille, are working a placer mine at Crofton Prairie and say that it is a good paying proposition. Found, yesterday afternoon on Second street, a door key and Yale key tied together with a ribbon. Owner can find them at this office by paying for this notice. The Moro Observer says track laying on the dalles portage railway will be finished twenty-one days from now and ready to move the wealth of the waiting empire seawards at greatly reduced figures. A Moro editor, after having tried to masticate a leathery Sherman court beef steak, sat down and penned the following solemn reflection: "It is tough to think that many an old cow is cut short in the day she should have lived, simply to satisfy our appetites." The Astoria News tells of a census enumerator who called on his own father and read the questions off till he came to the one "Are you married?" The father looked at the young hopeful for a moment and then deliberately answered, "You would be in a devil of a fix if I weren't married." J. H. Harper and Sid Kelley returned yesterday from Dutch Flat, where they painted and papered a new house for Mr. Chittenden. They report a fine rain in that section that lasted all yesterday forenoon and thoroughly saturated the ground, practically insuring the largest crop ever harvested on the Flat. This morning a man of about thirty-five years, a stranger to this deponent, while seated in a buggy, ostensibly driving, but really so paralyzed with drink that he had no more propulsive energy than a gunny sack, while sharply rounding the corner of the street at French's bank, fell out of the buggy, head foremost, in a heap against the cement sidewalk. Luckily the fellow's neck was not broken, and two or three by-standers picked him up and put him back in the buggy and the horse carried him on its way. The O. R. & N. will make a rate of fifty cents for the round trip from The Dalles to Bonneville Sunday, June 24th and during the summer. These rates will be given every Sunday, tickets good going on trains No. 3, leaving The Dalles at 4:50 a. m., and No. 1, at 12:35 p. m., good for return on regular passenger trains on date of sale only. j22-23 July wheat soared to 84 1/2 cents during the forenoon session of the board of trade yesterday in Chicago. The opening was 1 1/2 @ 2 1/2 over yesterday, for July at 83 @ 83 1/2 cents. Buying orders were in the pit in apparently boundless numbers, and despite heavy profit-taking the market shot up to 84 1/2 cents. A drop to 83 1/2 cents on realizing followed. Charles Miller, the pioneer mine promoter, who again has obtained control of the old Monumental mine, four miles from Granite, is preparing to reopen the property, says the Blue Mountain American. He is said to have interested San Francisco and Portland capital, and if the reported assays are reliable, the Monumental will add another producing mine to the district. Married, at high noon, Wednesday, June 20th, at the home of the bride on Fifteen Mile, Rev. D. V. Poling officiating, Mr. Fred H. Chapman, formerly of Brooks, Or., to Miss Louise B. Davis, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. D. O. Davis. The ceremony was witnessed by a large number of friends of the bride and bridegroom and was followed by an elegant repast. The New York wheat market is still booming. Yesterday there was a fresh advance of 3 cents a bushel, making about 17 cents rise within a fortnight. July opened at 88 1/2 cents and sold up before noon at 89 1/2 cents. Walla Walla is quoted in Portland at 56 and 57 cents. No. 1 shipping wheat is quoted in San Francisco at \$1.05 per cental; choice, \$1.06; milling, \$1.07 to \$1.08 1/2. An old man of 75 years, a veteran of the civil war, gave our night watchmen a rough and tumble time last night while placing him under arrest. He hails from Portland and had been out in the Bakooven country on an unsuccessful hunt for an old-time friend of his by the name of Johnson. Returning here

yesterday evening hungry and thirsty, he took a series of appetizers that set him crazy drunk. The watchmen had to handcuff him before he would submit to be taken to the calaboose, and on the way he squealed like an Indian and fought like a tiger. He was discharged this morning without fine as he was entirely destitute of funds. Ben Openheimer of Walla Walla, who is well known in The Dalles, was arrested on the train at this place by Sheriff Kelly, Wednesday, on a warrant issued at Portland, charging him with larceny by bailee, preferred by W. H. Chapin in the matter of a transaction occurring back in 1898. In the opinion of the Portland police it is a case for the civil courts and not the criminal. Openheimer was taken to Portland yesterday and released on \$100 bail. Edward Breen, a quiet, inoffensive laborer, who has been working for some time on the ranches of D. P. Ketchum and J. T. Borick, got a frightful pummeling last night in an East End saloon. Breen had been drinking and he claims that without the least provocation one Enos Lane struck him in the face and beat him so that he had to apply to a physician this morning for the repair of his injuries. Breen was nearly killed a couple of weeks ago at North Dalles by a Tumwater Indian, known as Pretty Dick, who ran Breen down with a horse and struck him a couple of severe blows on the head with a loaded quirt. The Indian had insisted that Breen should come over to The Dalles and buy him a bottle of whiskey, and Breen had bluntly responded by telling the Siwash to go to hell. Pretty Dick is now in jail at Goldendale awaiting trial for the assault. Breen swore out a warrant this morning for Lane's arrest. He was arraigned before Justice Brownhill this afternoon, when he pleaded guilty and was fined \$10. Death of George Henry Ruch. Wednesday's Daily. It is with profound sorrow that we record the death of George H. Ruch, the only son of George and Ureula Ruch of this city, at the home of his parents yesterday afternoon. The deceased was taken down about twelve weeks ago with rheumatic fever, and the complications of the heart that arose out of it baffled all that human skill could accomplish. Seldom in the history of The Dalles have the hearts of the people been more deeply moved than they were when they learned yesterday afternoon that George Ruch, Jr., had passed away. He was a young man that gave unusual promise of a useful, honored life. He was a model son, brother and companion, and his loss leaves an aching void in the family circle as well as the community which his short young life so beautifully adorned. George Henry Ruch was born in this city June 29, 1881. He was educated in The Dalles public schools and graduated from the high school in the class of 1899, whose alumni elected him president of their association. It was his intention to commence a college course next fall. He had been a consistent member of the Methodist church for some four years. He was the only son, and the youngest of four children, who all survive him, they being Mrs. James Sutherland, Louise and Jone Ruch, all of whom were present at his bedside during his illness. The funeral will take place from the family residence at 2 o'clock Saturday afternoon. The Dalles Markets. Wheat—No. 1, 52 cents. Barley—\$14 a ton. Oats—\$11.15 cental. Wheat hay—\$9 to \$10, baled. Timothy—\$8.50 to \$9, baled. Alfalfa—\$9, baled. Potatoes—New, 2 cents. Flour—Diamond mills, \$3.15 bbl; Du-fur mills, \$3. Eggs—15 cents a dozen. Butter—Creamery, 50 cents; dairy, 40 cents. Chickens—\$3.75 to \$4 a dozen. Broilers, \$2.50. Closing Exercises on Three Mile. The school closed in District No. 24 last Friday. On Saturday evening following an entertainment was given by the school, which was a success in every particular. Each child acted his or her part perfectly, which goes to show what an excellent teacher we had in Miss Anna Thompson. Any school that is fortunate enough to procure her services is lucky indeed. A PATRON OF THE SCHOOL. Notice. All persons are hereby notified not to purchase a note, given by James Gray in favor of H. D. Agnom, for the sum of \$134 and due Nov. 1, 1900, as the said note was obtained by fraud. JAMES GRAY, Victim, Or. CASTORIA For Infants and Children. The Kind You Have Always Bought Bears the Signature of Wm. H. Rorer. If you are looking for bargains, be sure and call at the New York Cash Store.

GENERAL NEWS. Since being shorn, yearling wethers are held in Lake county at \$3.50. Wheeler county pioneers will hold their second annual meeting at Fossil July 30th. An order has been received from Yokohama for 1000 boxes of Yakima red apples. Green aphid has made its appearance in wheat fields in some parts of the Willamette valley. In Linn county there will be a short wheat crop. Spring grain has been greatly helped by recent rains. Oil has been struck in the city limits of Tacoma and a company has been incorporated to develop the find. The Oregon Lumber Company, of Viento, have installed a 120-electric light plant at mill No. 1, at Chenoweth, Wash. The available cash balance in the United States treasury is \$148,711,771, and the gold reserve on Tuesday was \$70,479,700. Within ten days over 120,000 bushels of wheat have been sold by farmers near Waitsburg. The price ranges from 42 to 44 cents, according to grade. F. A. Rowe, of Lyle, Wash., who recently moved his box plant to San Francisco, is now contemplating moving his sawmill plant to the Bay city. The Huntington News claims to have official information that the Northwestern Railway Co. will soon extend its line on down the Snake river to Lewiston. Three thousand names have been added to Spokane's census as the result of a day of work by the citizens interested in a full and complete count of her people. The total receipts of the Methodist foreign missionary society for the last year were, \$1,376,399.07, which is the largest amount ever paid into the treasury in one year. The late census of Porto Rico shows a population of 953,243 in the island. There are 264 persons to the square mile, the density of population being about the same as in Massachusetts. An offer of a large brokerage firm to loan \$10,000,000 on New York real estate at 3 1/2 per cent has established a new record for bond and mortgage loans in that city. All the principals in the Holyoke, Mass., public schools have been notified by the board of school trustees that they will be dismissed from their positions unless they marry before the beginning of the fall term. The remains of the soldiers buried for over thirty years in the military cemetery at Fort Warner, in Lake county, are now being exhumed and it is understood they will be shipped to the presidio at San Francisco. Day Brothers, of Portland, Oregon, are erecting their new mill at Cascade Locks. The mill is calculated to have a capacity of 100,000 feet daily. Camps will be opened at Stevenson and Wind River, on the Washington side. By direction of the president, General Joseph Wheeler has been assigned to the command of the department of the lakes, with headquarters at Chicago. He relieves Brigadier-General James F. Wade, who has held that command temporarily. B. B. Roberts, of Utah, who was excluded from congress for polygamy, was found guilty of unlawful cohabitation at Salt Lake yesterday. Roberts admitted that he had entered into a polygamous marriage with Maggie B. Shipp and lived with her and his legal wife, Sarah Louise. An Oregon pioneer, who was putting up at the Perkins with his son, missed the "kid" yesterday for several hours and had all the hotel attaches hunting for him without avail, says the Oregonian. Finally Chief Clerk Thompson asked the old gentleman the age of the missing boy. "He's 54 years old," replied the septuagenarian, and the hotel men quit the search. They thought a lad of that age ought to be able to take care of himself. Two hundred Filipinos met yesterday in Manila to determine honorable and decorous methods for securing peace. The results were submitted to General MacArthur, who accepted them. The leaders of the meeting will use their influence with Agninaldo to accept the arrangements. If they are successful, as they hope to be, they believe Agninaldo will issue orders in conjunction with the American authorities for the cessation of hostilities. Robbed the Grave. A startling incident, of which Mr. John Oliver of Philadelphia, was the subject, is narrated by him as follows: "I was in a most dreadful condition. My skin was almost yellow, eyes sunken, tongue coated, pain continually in back and sides, no appetite—gradually growing weaker day by day. Three physicians had given me up. Fortunately, a friend advised 'Electric Bitters' and to my great joy and surprise, the first bottle made a decided improvement. I continued their use for three weeks, and am now a well man. I know they saved my life, and robbed the grave of another victim." No one should fail to try them. Only 50c, guaranteed, at Blakeley & Houghton's drug store. 5

"THE POET'S FATE." An address to the people of Oregon. Lines dedicated to the memory of Samuel L. Simpson, the last poet of Oregon, by T. Shelley Sutton: By the old Willamette river, In the clime he loved so well, Sleeps the heart whose cruel anguish Human tongue can never tell; And that heart is dead forever— Dead to all the lonely years— To the sad and vain endeavor— To the trials and the tears; And the tread of Time above him Can not wake his weary soul, For the wave of life is silent And the tide has ceased to roll! All the poet's song is ended And the few fish pulse is still— Still as is the cold Willamette In the vale across the hill— Still as is his cot of slumber— As the deep and silent tomb— As that Valley of Oblivion Where the spirit waits its doom! Roses, red, may bloom around him— Blossoms of undying love— Lilies, white, and laurels tender, Each, in turn, may bloom above, But their sweetness shall not thrill him, For that heart has ceased to feel, And their soothing, dreamy fragrance Tho' that sleep can never steal! It is all a wasted minute And your tokens now are vain— 'Tis the living soul that craves them When the heart is rent in twain. 'Tis the living heart that hungers For the blossoms of our love— Not the flowers that bloom above! But the burning heart of mortal, Throbbing with its vain desire For the love that lights the bosom And the blossoms that inspire! While the sun is now descending And the shadows mar the light, Leave him sadly to his slumber— To the long and silent night, To the night that creeps around him As it crept around his life In the hour of every struggle— In the hopeless hour of strife! Let the harp be played be silent— Do not touch its sacred strings— Every echo of its music, Like a scorpion's venom, sting! Let the blush of shame reprove you— Still forego your vain regret— Let the song he sung be silenced— Let your feeble hearts forget! Rear the marble high above him— You, who once denied him bread— Give him now the rock of refuge. Strew your flowers above the dead! But forget the song he gave you. Do not sing them tho' you date, For their echo were a mockery To the soul that slumbers there! Moscow, Idaho, June 4, 1900. LA GRANDE HOSPITALITY. How Dalles Woodmen Appreciated the Entertainment Given at That Place. The people of La Grande must be of the kind that good Woodmen are made of, judging from what Timothy Brownhill says of them. Mr. Brownhill says: "I have attended many gatherings in different towns, but never in all my experience have I seen people entertained in such a lavish way as were the delegates to the 5th district convention, W. O. W., held at La Grande on the 20th. The delegates arriving on the 10:30 train of the 19th, at La Grande, were greatly surprised by being met at the depot by a large crowd of people and the La Grande brass band; and from that time on the music by band, orchestra and concert phonograph appeared to be never-ceasing. "A special train was placed at the disposal of the delegates, which was promptly taken charge of, and hied itself away to the beet sugar factory that was erected some time ago at a cost of half a million dollars. Returning from this the delegates were again gathered in the Elks' hall, when a season of rejoicing and entertainment commenced, such as is seldom equalled. A short time was spent in telling "funny stories," some of the best being told by Roy Reed, the "Mark Twain of La Grande," and listening to selections from the grand concert phonograph, furnished for the occasion by Fred Meyers of Camp 100. "We repaired to the banquet room, and while listening to beautiful strains of music, discoursed by the La Grande orchestra, (which had been hired, for our special benefit) we ticked our palates by discussing, in a material way, the finest dinner ever sat down to in the history of the convention. There were spring duck and the finest Oregon ham, limburger, swiss and cream cheese, and then such cider, lemonade, "joy of life" and other good things too numerous to mention as kept the elated choppers at the festive board until the hours when all good people are supposed to be in bed. "Then we again repaired to the hall, and were entertained by stories from matrimony to spiritualism, more music and cake-walks, by neighbors Berry and Reed, which took the shine out of any specialist in the land. In fine too much cannot be said in praise of the boys at La Grande, and the least that can be said is that the boys of that place have made a host of friends that can never forget La Grande Camp, 169, and the citizens of that place for their kindness to the strangers within the gates." Starvation never yet cured dyspepsia. Persons with indigestion are already half starved. They need plenty of wholesome food. Kodol Dyspepsia Cure digests what you eat so the body can be nourished while the worn out organs are being reconstructed. It is the only preparation known that will instantly relieve and completely cure all stomach troubles. Try it if you are suffering from indigestion. It will certainly do you good. Ladies' heavy duck skirts, 90 cents and \$1.48 at the New York Cash Store.

BILL M'KINLEY AND TEDDY ROOSEVELT

That's the Ticket that was Nominated at the Republican National Convention this Morning—Great Enthusiasm Prevailed.

PHILADELPHIA, June 21.—The Republican National Convention began its last session this morning. The great hall was early crowded with delegates and spectators. When the roll-call was begun for nominations for president, Alabama yielded to Ohio and Senator Foraker took the platform to nominate William McKinley. The first mention of the name of McKinley set the convention wild with enthusiasm. Governor Roosevelt of New York, Governor Mount of Indiana and others made speeches seconding the nomination. After the roll-call of the states on the vote, Chairman Lodge announced that William McKinley had received the unanimous vote of the convention, and he declared him the nominee of the republican party for president of the United States. The announcement was received with another burst of enthusiasm, women joining the men in shouts and demonstrations. A huge counterfeit elephant, an emblem of republican strength, was brought into the hall and carried about amid shouts of laughter and applause. When order had been restored the chairman ordered a call of the states for nomination for vice-president. Alabama yielded this time to Iowa and General Lafe Young mounted the platform to withdraw the name of Dolliver and substitute that of Roosevelt. When Young declared that Roosevelt was the choice of the young men of the country the enthusiasm of the convention was unbounded. Senator Chauncey M. Depew seconded the nomination of Roosevelt in a speech that alternately kept the vast audience in roars of laughter and wild applause. After roll call of the states on the vote Chairman Lodge announced that Roosevelt had received the unanimous vote of the convention with one exception; that of Roosevelt himself. Pandemonium followed the announcement and the steel girders of the immense auditorium trembled under the strain of the tremendous uproar. At 12:47 the convention adjourned sine die. The republican national committee re-elected M. A. Hanna as chairman. Advertisers Letters. Following is the list of letters remaining in the postoffice at The Dalles uncalled for June 22, 1900. Persons calling for the same will give date on which they were advertised: LADIES. Hall, Mrs. Jane. Harley, Mrs. J. E. Harper, Mrs. Almira Hughes, Myra Nechtley, Mrs. Springer, Mrs. Flor-Steele, Mrs. C. ence Williams, Mrs. F. N. GENTLEMEN. Arlinda, Mr. Ashton, James W. Ayala, A. R. Briggs, J. P. Clark, Fred N. Chandler, E. S. (2) Copeland, G. W. Cook, J. W. Carter, Amos L. Duke, J. M. Fitzgerald, Edward Gellilo, J. D. Hanson, George Haskel, George Kohler, Otto Luger, Emery Maggett, J. W. Matlock, J. W. Newman, Lonis F. O'Brien, J. W. Randal, R. Segelring, Peter Shough, D. W. Shaw, Chas. L. Smith, Frank Stoves, H. R. Tillet, J. C. Thomas, John Wade, Fred H. H. RIDDELL, P. M. 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 Elixir 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 & Houghton's drug store. All who suffer from piles will be glad to learn that DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve will give them instant and permanent relief. It will cure eczema and all skin diseases. Beware of counterfeits. For the convenience of parties wanting ice in the afternoons, the Stadelman Ice Co. will carry a stock at their store, corner Third and Washington streets. Phone No. 107; long distance 185. "Ring'em up." 18m-1f To Cure a Cold in One Day. Take Laxative Bromo Quinine Tablets. All druggists refund the money.