

The Weekly Chronicle.

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LOCAL BREVIETIES.

Saturday's Daily. Over 400 persons are camped in the neighborhood of Sprague's Landing.

Two young homing pigeons belonging to Sam Wilkinson of this city were liberated at Pendleton last Sunday.

Stevenson is going to have connection with the outside world by a telephone line that will cross the river just below the falls.

It is said that arrangements have been made for stages to run through from Shaniko to Prineville in daylight.

C. L. Phillips returned today from a short fishing trip on Hood River. He brought back a well filled basket of beautiful trout.

A local paper reports that while hypnotists were in an Iowa town they buried a young woman and let her remain in the ground three days.

News reached this office Monday of a bloody battle last Friday between the Irish guards and French zouaves of Kingsley.

The height of modesty has been reached by some women who objected to being saved from a wrecked ship by using the breeches buoy.

M. J. Anderson and T. H. Johnston spent several days last week in the mountains prospecting a ledge of granite rock.

A. F. Evick, postmaster and merchant at Victor, was in town today.

John Leland Henderson swam across the Columbia river last Thursday evening, making the distance in 29 minutes.

Mrs. Paul Kraft and family desire through THE CHRONICLE to express their heartfelt thanks to the Woodmen and the associate orders.

We had the pleasure recently of an inspection of the extensive collection of Indian curios which Miss Anna Lang has gathered together at the home of Mrs. Lang in The Dalles.

H. W. Weber, brother of R. H. Weber, of this city, arrived here this week with his family from Kendrick, Idaho.

J. S. Stump, a pioneer river captain, has been selected to take charge of the steamer Billings next Monday.

Sheriff Kelley has succeeded in having arrested at Albany Ben Ferrill, who

stole a gold watch some time ago from C. L. Rogers, of Hood River. The watch was found at the shop of Adecox & Co., of this city, where Ferrill had left it to have the name of the owner scratched off the case.

The Dufur Dispatch says: "G. W. Brown, teacher of the intermediate department of the Dufur public school, came home Monday. Mr. Brown has been with the surveyors, who are surveying the railroad line from The Dalles to Prineville via Dufur, for the past two months.

A. B. Fairchild is in town from Grass Valley. In company with his son, E. A. Fairchild, and C. A. Heath, Mr. Fairchild recently went on a prospecting tour through the Sumpter, Greenhorn, Prairie City, Strawberry Butte and Granite districts.

Monday's Daily. Buy one of our straw hats and reduce the temperature. Pease & Mays. Henry Johnson, formerly a blacksmith in the O. R. & N. Company's shops at this place, died at Albina last Friday.

Constable Frank Hill returned today from Albany with Ben Ferrill, who is accused of stealing a gold watch from Mr. Rogers, of Hood River.

Straw hats. Stylish, serviceable light weight, good construction. Isn't it the kind that gives you the summer resort feeling when you wear one? Pease & Mays.

Marshal Hughes is having a bridge built on Jackson street, near the line between the Wilson and Rowe property.

Cheap, choice and charming are this season's negligee shirts. Without a parallel. Regular \$1.50, \$1.20 and \$1 Monarch shirts for 95 cents.

Two loads of fat hogs were fed at the Saltmarsh stock yards this morning. They belonged to Kiddle Bros. and were on the way from Island City, Wallawa county, to Troutdale.

A carload of horses belonging to Fraser and McLean, of Portland, were shipped to that city from the Saltmarsh stock yards yesterday.

September wheat sold today in Chicago at 74 1/2 cents a bushel, a fall of 1 1/2 cents from the closing price Saturday.

Will the owner of that cow with a bell on, that nocturnally serenades the citizens on Fourth, in the neighborhood of Liberty, please look after her? There is only one man in this town who likes to hear such jingling, namely, the poundmaster.

It is said the Chinese pheasants are very plentiful this year. A farmer on the Mohawk says while mowing his other day he spent half of his time kicking the pheasants out of the way of the sickle to prevent cutting their heads off and violating the game law.

Now that the Iralda is a Dalles boat it will be interesting to Dalles people to know the name Iralda is derived from the first two letters of the names of the three sons of Captain Newsome, the boat's former owner, Ira, Alfred and David. So says The Dalles Monthly Star.

The father of F. W. Habenicht, who was killed on the 14th instant fourteen miles, this side of Arlington by being struck on the head by a sand board while standing on the steps of a railroad car, writes to THE CHRONICLE from the Musicians' Club, Detroit, Michigan.

Captain H. C. Coe passed through town Saturday night on his way to Wailula to take command of the steamer Billing for the Paul Mohr portage company. It is now some 19 years since steamboat traffic was suspended between

Bright and Shining

opportunities to save money in SUMMER SUITS. You can't wear them out now during the rest of the hot spell, but at the price it will pay you to put them on now and finish them next Summer.

- Suits that were \$20.00, \$15.00 and \$16.00, NOW \$13.85
Suits that were \$15.00, \$13.50 and \$12.50, NOW \$10.85
Suits that were \$10.00, \$9.00 and \$8.50, NOW \$5.85
Suits that were \$7.50, \$6.50 and \$5.00, NOW \$3.85

For the Little Boy in the country we have Suits that he can tumble around in, and though they do not look quite as well as before the tumble, still he will look respectable until it's time to get him another.

- Suits that were \$3.00, \$2.50 and \$2.25, NOW \$1.95
What we say we do, we DO do.

All Goods Marked in Plain Figures.

Children's Straw Hats

A vast assortment of weaves in up-to-date straw goods for Misses' and Children; all new, the majority of them have not been in the house for more than one month.

50cts

There are hundreds of other bargains that we are offering. This is a big store and our welcome to you is bigger. We suppose you come just now mainly to buy, and so we make buying as easy as possible.

The Warm Wave...

suggests cool, comfortable clothing. Keep your feet cool by wearing

Russet SHOES.

They are cool and dressy this hot weather and we are making prices that is rapidly closing them out.

- Men's \$4.00 RUSSET Shoes for \$3.00
Men's \$3.00 RUSSET Shoes for 2.00
Ladies' \$3.00 RUSSET Shoes for 2.00
Ladies' \$2.00 RUSSET Shoes for 1.50
Misses' and Children's at half price.

PEASE & MAYS

Cello and points above, and it is said that only two of the old upper river pilots are left, all the others being dead or having gone elsewhere.

A Portland boy tramp was run over by a freight train yesterday evening at a point on the O. R. & N. road about five miles below Hood River.

The steamer Billings, of the Paul Mohr portage company, while making her first trip from Walla to Columbia yesterday, ran on the rocks at Quinn's, this side of Arlington.

Messrs. John Merriam, W. J. Sinclair and H. W. Furlong, of the Berkeley university, Calif., are in the city on their way home from an extended fossil hunt on the forks of the John Day.

A small boy, who is a close observer and somewhat of a poet, gave a history of his father's pants as follows: "When dad has worn his breeches out, they pass to brother John, then ma she trims them round about and William puts them on."

Charles Evans, the old-time and ever popular locomotive engineer of the O. R. & N. Company, tells a good story at the expense of the very considerable obesity he has developed since the loss of his right foot.

A small clip of wool was sold yesterday afternoon at twelve cents a pound.

The regular monthly meeting of the water commissioners will be held this evening at 8 o'clock. John E. Jacobsen, of White Salmon, was in town yesterday trying to dispose of 100 tons of green prunes.

to fight the cigarette. It should be made hot for it generally, the nasty little coffin nail, without a redeeming feature about it.

From Mr. Paul Mohr THE CHRONICLE learns that the damage to the steamer Billings is not material, and that the Central Navigation Company expects to have her floated off the rocks at Quinn's tomorrow.

Agent W. C. Alloway writes to the Astoria Regatta committee that his company has arranged to send a boat to Astoria with a distinguished party and to make rates to Portland in connection with the trains and boats.

An exchange says the run of salmon taxes the capacity of the facilities for handling the fish on the lower Columbia. And the run of salmon on the middle river taxes the capacity of the wheelmen to know where they are going to get the money to pay their employes.

William Sturgis, a lad of 16 years, was arrested here this morning by Marshal Hughes in response to a telephone message from the Boys' and Girls' Aid Society.

The temporary chairman of the Nebraska middle-of-the-road populist convention, held in Col. Bryan's own capital says that "the bogey man of imperialism will not frighten the populists."

An Englishman has recently been bannuced out of \$125,000 on a mining deal in Dawson City. The man who sold the mine went to the commissioner and told him he wanted to pay the royalty of \$60,000 that he had taken out of his claim.

C. W. Haight yesterday bet a twenty dollar gold piece against 200 pounds of pork with John Roth, of Kingsley, that McKinley would succeed himself.

Charles Brune, son of the late Charles Brune, of North Dalles, died yesterday afternoon of a fever contracted while herding sheep in the mountains northwest of Klickitat county.

Civil Engineer Oscar Huber, Judge Bennett and J. P. McNerny returned at noon today from a reconnaissance of the Deschutes river between the free bridge and Trout creek, Crook county.

An Astorian dispatch of the 30th says: "The run of fish still continues excellent and the gillnetters and seigners are reaping a great harvest."

netters and seigners should be stopped, once and for ever, from destroying the salmon industry at Astoria and only the wheels and traps on the Upper river, that catch nothing, because there is nothing to catch, be allowed to operate.

There were ten or twelve of us, and we were gathered in front of the Saltmarsh office from Germany, Ireland, England, Scotland, the Isle of Man, Dutchland, and possibly somewhere else.

Notice is hereby given that the county superintendent of Wasco county will hold the regular examination of applicants for state and county papers at The Dalles, Oregon, as follows:

- FOR STATE PAPERS. Commencing Wednesday, August 8, at nine o'clock a. m., and continuing until Saturday, August 11th, at four o'clock.
Wednesday—Penmanship, history, algebra, reading, school law.
Thursday—Written arithmetic, theory of teaching, grammar, book-keeping, physics, civil government.
Friday—Physiology, geography, mental arithmetic, composition, physical geography.
Saturday—Botany, plane geometry, general history, English literature, psychology.

- FOR COUNTY PAPERS. Commencing Wednesday, August 8th, at nine o'clock a. m., and continuing until Friday, August 10th at four o'clock.
1st, 2nd and 3d GRADE CERTIFICATES.
Wednesday—Penmanship, history, orthography, reading.
Thursday—Written arithmetic, theory of teaching, grammar, school law.
Friday—Geography, mental arithmetic, physiology, civil government.
PRIMARY CERTIFICATES.
Wednesday—Penmanship, orthography, reading.
Thursday—Art of questioning, theory of teaching, methods.

Dated The Dalles, Or., July 27, 1900. C. L. GILBERT, School Supt. Wasco Co., Or.

The copartnership business heretofore conducted at 175 Second street, under the firm name and style of Blakeley & Houghton, is this day dissolved by mutual consent.

Healthful drinks are not luxuries, they are necessities. A full line of cool and refreshing porter, ale, mineral water and beers kept on ice.

PERTINENT PRESS COMMENT.

We don't find gold democrats going about in Lane county with a 16 to 1 tin can tied to the tail of their political principle.—Eugene Register.

The Oregon will be an ugly customer to handle even if she goes into a fight with a patch on her hull instead of permanent repairs.—Globe-Democrat.

The republican party places before the American people for their consideration a Scotch-Irishman and a Dutchman—two clean men.—Woodburn Independent.

Boes Bryan's silver plank demands "an American financial system." We have it by order of the 9,104,779 people who voted for McKinley in 1896.—Journal.

A hot campaign? No. The people are satisfied with the present condition of affairs and are seeking no change. For a hot campaign it needs a dissatisfied people.

The New York World, the leading democratic newspaper in New York, says in relation to the 16 to 1 folly which Bryan peremptorily ordered into the democratic platform, that "no matter what any politicians from this state may say to the contrary, New York is not in favor of free coinage at 16 to 1, and cannot be carried on that issue thrust aggressively to the front as it still is by Mr. Bryan."

It is the esteemed Jacksonville Times whose editor helped twice to nominate Bryan, which makes this profound observation: "The price of tea was raised three cents a pound last week. Thus does the cost of every necessary of life increase in these piping times of republican prosperity, without an adequate enhancement in the wages of the majority of those who are in the least able to endure it."

Sunstroke Unknown Up Here. Mrs. J. Stewart, wife of Editor Stewart, of the Fossil Journal, was prostrated by heat on the 24th. Cases of sunstroke are very infrequent in that country.—Oregonian.

So they are. Mrs. Stewart, if THE CHRONICLE remembers rightly, was stricken on the streets of Portland. Sunstroke is unknown up this way.

CASTORIA For Infants and Children.

The Kind You Have Always Bought Bears the Signature of J. C. Watson. Two rooms, furnished or unfurnished, in a private dwelling, near the Umatilla House.