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LOCAL BREVITIES.

Friday's Daily. Dr. Sanders, rooms 1 and 2, Chapman block.

J. C. Luckey has accepted a position in the Lane blacksmith shop of this city.

Remember that Hudson & Brownhill have plenty of money to loan at reasonable rates of interest.

There is a bunch of twelve flat keys on a ring at this office that the owner can have by calling for them and paying for this notice. They were found about a year ago.

A marriage license was issued today to Allan H. Fligg, of Eight Mile, and Lizzie J. Farris, of this city.

Charley Denton is still bringing in from his Mill creek ranch from ten to twenty-five boxes of ripe strawberries daily.

Tomorrow, September 22nd, the autumnal equinox occurs. The sun rises and sets at 6 o'clock and autumn begins officially.

H. Glenn & Co.'s paint and oil house will be fully represented at the coming carnival with as large a stand as there will be on the grounds.

Arlington is said to have a genuine case of smallpox. The victim is the young son of Mrs. Carter, and it is supposed that he was exposed to the disease during a recent visit to Boise City.

Dr. R. E. Smith, osteopathist, has located permanently at 10 and 11, Chapman block, The Dalles. Consultation free every day in the week except Sunday. Office hours, 9 a. m. to 12 m., and 1:30 to 4 p. m.

So successful has been inoculation against cholera among coolies employed by tea planters in India that the natives are now eager for the simple operation. The planters have clauses in their contracts calling for inoculated coolies.

H. Bowers, manager of the Hotel Portland, accompanied by a number of prominent railroad men of Portland, will arrive here this evening on the 9:25 passenger. They will remain over till the next train and proceed to Pendleton to attend the carnival at that place.

The night watchman last night arrested a rancher from White Salmon for drunkenness. The man had considerable money on his person, which his imprisonment probably kept him from squandering. As no charge was booked against him, the recorder turned him loose this morning.

We have a long list of country and city property for sale cheap. As an illustration we can sell you a good five-room house with two lots, 50x120; good barn and well of pure cold water; twelve bearing fruit trees, convenient to schools, for \$650; easy term. Hudson & Brownhill, opposite U. S. land office.

R. T. Elton brought to town this morning the scalps of three catamounts, which he killed recently near his house on the north fork of Mill creek. One of them he shot and the others trapped. The two trapped were big fellows that were capable of doing a heap of mischief around a farm house or among a band of sheep.

At 2 o'clock this afternoon Marshal Driver arrested a white man, a stranger in the city, for selling liquor to Indians. The man is said to have furnished enough liquor to a lot of Indians in the East End yesterday to have made them all drunk. One of them, who is known as Charlie Tumwater, was so drunk this afternoon that the marshal had to half carry him to the lock-up, where he now languishes.

There is a practically unlimited demand for all weights mules of the best class. In East St. Louis a pair that brought the scale-beam up at 3,200 pounds changed hands at \$475, which is the best price reported paid in years on that market. A full carload of good, big, though not extra mules recently brought \$185 around at the same point and the orders for that sort are very far from being filled.

THE CHRONICLE has it on good authority that the difficulties of the Paul Mohr mortgage will soon be adjusted, and probably in time to handle a portion of this year's crop of grain. The company has offers, from various sources, of all the money it will require to discharge existing obligations and start the plant into operation. They are now considering which offer it will be best to accept. When a determination is arrived at it will only require two or three weeks to have the plant ready for handling freight.

Two Astoria men got to discussing politics, when one of them told the other that he didn't have as much sense as a dog, whereupon the other pulled his revolver and fired, but hit nothing

but the air.—Albany Democrat. The real point in the incident referred to has been overlooked by the Democrat man, and is really funny. The facts as reported are that one man told the other not to be too dogmatic in his political statements. The other, who was a poor linguist, imagined he had been likened to a dog, and immediately went on the warpath, resulting in the shooting. He was evidently a disciple of Bryanism.

At least one ancient widower in this town is reaping a harvest of fun from the balloting for the queen of the carnival. We met him this morning with his pockets stuffed with tickets that he had just purchased from Charlie Stephens. He explained that he had to buy the tickets in self defense. Since the balloting began all the pretty girls on the bluff where he lives, whenever he happened to meet them, wanted to kiss him, and the thing has got so tiresome that now whenever one of them puckers her lips he just hands her a ticket and tells her to go and vote it for herself. That pleases the girl and saves his lips a good deal of unnecessary wear and tear.

A few months ago a paragraph was going the rounds of the press alleging that Mrs. Eddy, the founder of Christian Science, was suffering from a cancer that was expected to soon end her life. THE CHRONICLE published the paragraph, having no reason to suspect that it was a pure invention, which it now turns out to be. For Mrs. Eddy, who is very retired in her habits, lately appeared in public at the Concord state fair and notwithstanding her age, which is said to be more than three score and ten, it was remarked that "she is youthful in appearance and vigorous in every act and movement. Her bright, sparkling eye, her clear, fair complexion, her quick, vivacious movements, bespeak a strong body and a forceful intellect." Whatever people may think of Mrs. Eddy's theories of healing, it is very evident they lied about her who said she was suffering from a fatal disease.

In addition to the \$1,500,000 worth of work done in the past fiscal year by the O. R. & N. Co., in straightening curves, replacing bridges, etc., on its line the Baker City Democrat says: A few days ago President A. L. Mohler let contracts for \$500,000 worth of additional work, which will put the road bed of this company into the best possible condition and ranking with any transcontinental or trunk line road. A large force of men was put to work this week between tunnel No. 3, just west of The Dalles and a point twelve miles beyond, and including tunnel No. 2. From a careful inspection made of this section of the line it can be said with confidence that it is the most important work yet ever undertaken by the company, and will absorb more than \$300,000 of the new appropriation. This section of the line has been one of the most crooked on the road, following all of the curves of the river, and has been a bugbear to the transportation department for years. In a distance of eight miles, the improvements contracted for will eliminate 900 degrees of track curvature; will reduce grades and replace bridges with rock filling. In straightening out this piece of track a new tunnel will be made just west of tunnel No. 2 and will be 600 feet in length. Nine miles of new work has also been commenced at Echo in the way of changing the line, curves and grades.

Saturday's Daily. Parties from Crook county recently bought 400 head of hogs in the Wapinitia country. They were bought for delivery to the purchasers Oct. 1st.

Elder Paul Kruger has taken charge of The Dalles Christian church of this city and will enter upon his work at once. His family will be here shortly.

Stephen Calcizie was arraigned in the recorder's court this morning for being in a beastly state of intoxication last night and fined \$5, which he paid.

The executive committee of The Dalles carnival and street fair have decided that the vote for queen of the carnival will close Tuesday, Oct. 2nd, at 9 o'clock sharp.

Tumwater Charley, the Tumwater elvish, who was arrested yesterday for drunkenness, was arraigned this morning before his honor, Judge Gates, and after depositing \$3 in the city treasury was discharged.

Congressman Tongue will speak in Washington three times during the campaign. Governor Geer will stump sections of Idaho and Washington. It is not definitely settled whether or not the Governor will take in Ohio. Hudson & Brownhill are receiving enquiries daily from the east for farm property, and any persons having farms for sale would do well to place them in their hands for sale, and thereby get advantage of their extensive advertising free of cost.

E. G. Ealter recently purchased 400 head of cows with calves and dry cows in the southeastern part of this county and in Harney, paying \$36 for the former and \$25 for the latter. He will take them to his farm on lower Trout for breeding purposes.

C. W. Phelps, a former resident of this city and father of Attorney G. W. Phelps of Heppner, died of dropsy of the heart at Berkeley, Calif., yesterday morning. The remains will arrive here on the noon train tomorrow and the

funeral will take place at 3 o'clock p. m. from Crandall & Burgett's undertaking rooms. Friends of the deceased are invited to be present.

The fishing records have all gone broke, says the Glacier. Wm. Stewart in four hours' fishing at Tucker's bridge Monday afternoon hooked twenty salmon trout, the aggregate weight of which was forty five pounds. This is at an average of a fish every twelve minutes, and it takes ten minutes to land a salmon trout. Mr. Stewart says he quit in disgust when he pulled out a salmon, or he would have been fishing yet. The catch was made with a bare fly-hook, and is what you would call genuine sport.

Monday's Daily. At Lyle, Club wheat is selling at 51 cents and Bluestem at 54 cents.

A Kentucky editor, given to imagery, characterizes the deadhead subscriber as the "veriform appendix of newspaperdom."

Shaniko now has telegraphic communication with the world at large, the wires being put in at that place Monday morning.

Having been questioned several times regarding her candidacy for queen of the carnival, Miss Myrtle Mitchell takes this means of announcing that she is not a candidate for that honor.

The marriage of Mr. M. Fitzgerald, of Mitchell, and Miss Evelyn Maddron, of this city, will be celebrated at the Christian church at 8 o'clock tonight. The pastor, Elder Paul Kruger, will officiate.

The Skamania Pioneer says a contract has been let to get out telephone poles to connect Stevenson with Cascade Locks, and the contractor and a force of men began getting out the poles last Monday.

Mr. I. N. Sargeant left at this office this morning a lot of very handsome apples of the King of Tompkins county variety that were grown on the Ed Wilson ranch on Eight Mile and a bunch of grapes that tipped the beam at 2 1/4 pounds.

If you contemplate building a house and desire one of the finest locations in the city, we have it for sale. Three lots, 50x120 each, which cost the owner \$500, if sold within the next thirty days we are authorized to take \$300, cash. This is a great bargain. Hudson & Brownhill.

The last term of circuit court in Wheeler county cost the taxpayers just \$198.50, there being a very light docket, says the Fossil Journal. This expense was more than met by a fine of \$200 imposed upon a saloon man named Derr, who was convicted of selling liquor without a county license.

Wheat-hauling has commenced in good earnest, and from the indications today it would appear that it has only commenced. There were strings of wagons this afternoon leading from the warehouses to half way up the brewery hill. Threshing is nearly over and from now on the East End will be the busiest part of town.

Fruit growers will be interested in learning that the Oliver Chilled Plow Company will give a 10-inch Oliver Chilled vineyard plow to the farmer or orchardist making the best exhibit of fruits at the coming fair. It is expected that a number of other valuable prizes will be offered for exhibits, which will be reported later.

C. McPherson, of Hay Creek, Crook county, returned here yesterday morning after delivering at Fossil eighty-six head of yearling cattle, which he and S. G. Donahit, of Cross Keys, sold to Wyoming parties at the rate of \$20 and \$22 a head. Mr. McPherson, who is an experienced cattle man, thinks it more profitable to part with his yearlings at these prices than to run the chances and expenses involved in keeping them over a couple of winters.

Allen Fligg, of Enderby, and Mrs. Lizzie Farris, of this city, were united in marriage at 3 o'clock this morning by Rev. W. B. Clifton at the residence of the bride's mother, Mrs. Davis, on Fourth street. Mr. and Mrs. Fligg left immediately after the ceremony for Portland, where they expect to spend about a week, and on returning, will make their home on the Fligg ranch, near Enderby. THE CHRONICLE wishes Mr. and Mrs. Fligg many happy days.

As a result of the recent decision of the secretary of the interior granting tracts to The Dalles Military Wagon Road Company, as against settlers within the overlap of the Northern Pacific railroad, The Dalles land office has received instructions from the commissioner to cancel 39 homesteads and one cash entry, approximately over 5000 acres, in townships 1, 2 and 3 south, range 16; townships 3, 4 and 5 north, range 17, and township 4 south, range 18.

A force of carpenters commenced this morning on a 24x40, two-story building for J. T. Peters on the lot east of the millinery store of Mrs. Perlano on Second street. When completed the lower story will, in part, be occupied by Mr. Blondin's barber shop. Another force of men will commence, in a day or two, the erection of a 16x40 building for E. W. L. Skibbe on the lot immediately east of the O'harr hotel which, when finished, will be opened as a meat market.

Marshal Farrier, of Arlington, who Friday night shot and killed a negro by

the name of Jones, whom he took to be connected with the robbery of Mays & Crowe's store a few hours before, and because the negro refused to throw up his hands when ordered and made a motion towards his hip as though he was going to draw a pistol on the marshal, was arrested yesterday on a warrant issued on the affidavit of the county coroner, Dr. A. H. Rudey. Farrier's examination was set for 2 o'clock this afternoon.

The secretary of the State Press Association shows that there are in Oregon nineteen dailies, 173 weeklies, five semi-weeklies, forty-four monthlies, two semi-monthlies, one quarterly; a total of 244 publications. He classifies these papers according to the fields they represent, as follows: Republican 97; democratic 24; people's 14; independent 44; religious 27; poultry 2; mining 3; miscellaneous 14; stock and agricultural 6; fraternal 9; youths' 2; drugs 2; college 3; lumber 1; medical 1; labor 2; commercial 1; prohibition 1. Total 244.

The Umatilla House has secured the services of Mr. George Stoll as chef, who comes to The Dalles very highly recommended, having been connected with some of the best kitchens in America. He has been with the Alisky Winter Garden in Portland since it opened, and previous to this was chef at the Butler Hotel in Seattle. The Rio Grande dining car and hotel service was under his charge. The Knutsford, of Salt Lake, grew under his management of the kitchen to have one of the best tables in the west. Among other hotels Mr. Stoll has been connected with may be mentioned the Auditorium and Leland hotels, of Chicago, which in itself speaks for his ability as a first-class chef. Sinnott & Fish are certainly to be congratulated on securing the services of Mr. Stoll, as he no doubt will make the dining room second to none.

Ed Rondeau, a former resident of Tygh Ridge, now of Gervais, Marion county, in company with his wife and two children, took the train here this afternoon for home, after working for about five weeks with the threshing crew of Leon Rondeau & Co., of Kingsley. The machine is a new 32-inch J. I. Case, and in a run of thirty-eight days it threshed 75,000 bushels of grain. The largest day's run was 1400 sacks, which, at an average of 140 pounds to the sack, equaled 3266 bushels. In three hours, at the close of the week's run of week before last, 500 sacks of barley were threshed, giving three sack sewers all they could do for the time. Mr. Rondeau thinks the average yield for all kinds of grain threshed by the Rondeau machine was easily thirty-five bushels to the acre. Some wheat fields yielded as high as fifty bushels and the lowest yield of any was from a field of volunteer that went twenty-five bushels to the acre. Mr. Rondeau, who had abundant experience in wheat-raising on Tygh Ridge in former years, says the average cost of raising this year's crop on the ridge will not exceed thirty cents a bushel. In many cases it will not exceed twenty-five cents. So that a Tygh Ridge with from 5000 to 10,000 bushels, even at the low price of fifty cents a bushel, will have a handsome profit for this year's labor.

Wise suggestions.

If there is any chance to boom your town, boom it. Don't be a clam. Don't be a kicker. Don't pull a long face and get sour in your stomach. Hope a bit. Get a smile on you. Hold up your head. Get a hold with both hands; then pull. Bury your hatchet. Drop your tomahaw. Hide your little hammer. When a stranger comes here jolly him. Tell him this is the best town on the coast. It is. Don't get maulish. Don't roast. Just jolly. All men like to be jollied, always. So jolly. Get popular. It's dead easy. Help yourself along. Push your friends with you, and soon you'll have a whole procession. No man ever helped himself by knocking other people down. You cannot climb the ladder of fame by stepping on other people's corns. They're their corns, not yours. And they're tender. Keep off the corns. All men are not alike. Once in a while you may find one who is very much alike; but some are different. You are not the only shirt in the wash. If you don't like their style, let 'em alone. Don't knock. Walk right in. And make yourself look pleasant. You'll get used to it. There's no end of fun in minding your own business. It makes other people like you better. Better have other people stuck on you than get stuck on yourself. Nobody gets stuck on a kicker. Don't be one, nor two. The street fair is coming. It needs your help. Put your shoulder to the wheel. Get a move on yourself. And when it all over you'll be able to say "We did it!"

Bryan's Soliloquy.

To be, or not to be, is president! Four years ago I told my countrymen of distant woes, were I defeated then, That would enshroud our land. To such extent were they alarmed I barely missed the goal. Ah, me! McKinley won. Prosperity. Instead of ruin, both on land and sea, Has made our nation great. But by my soul, As nominee of three great parties—say! 'Tis in the race again to "sink or swim, survive or perish" however slim My chances are—a mighty game 'Tis play. So down McKinley; call him tyrant—king—Ally with anarchists—aye, anything! —WALTER ALLEN RICE.

MAYS & CROWE'S STORE ROBBED

Robbery Led to the Death of a Negro at Arlington, and After All Was Probably Accomplished by Local Talent.

The store of Mays & Crowe was robbed last night of Colt's revolvers, razors and pocket knives to the value, as near as can be estimated, of about \$125. The thieves obtained entrance to the store by unlatching the lock of the iron shutter of a back window and forcing the window open. The unlatching was easily accomplished by a small pinstick that the robbers discarded and which was found lying on the ground at the base of the window. The window was evidently forced by a stronger instrument, as the marks of its pressure is visible on the window sill. A bullet hole was made in the plate glass at the east front entrance of the store, for what reason it is impossible to determine.

The robbery occurred after midnight and Marshal Driver, on being informed of it, telephoned to the marshal at Arlington to be on the look out for suspicious characters, with the result that on the arrival of the next passenger train from The Dalles the Arlington marshal hailed a negro, who dropped off the train, and ordered him to throw up his hands. The negro made as if he was reaching for a pistol and the marshal shot him dead. The dead man, it was found, had no weapon and none of the stolen goods were found on him.

As the store of Pease & Mays has been robbed a number of times during the past three or four years, it is not in the least improbable that this last robbery, and probably the others, was done by local talent.

Special Meeting of the Council.

A special meeting of the council was held last night, at which F. Lempke, W. Shackelford, F. Gunning, J. L. Kelly and H. Liebe were present, with Mayor Dufur in the chair.

C. L. Phillips, representing the street carnival, requested the council to pass an ordinance giving the fair management the right to occupy so much of the public streets as may be deemed necessary. The council proceeded to pass an ordinance giving the fair the right of exclusive use and occupation for the space of five days, from October 9th to October 11th inclusive, of all that part of Third street situated between Jefferson and Washington, lying between the sidewalks on both sides of Third street; also Laughlin street from the alley between Second and Third streets to fifty feet south of the south line of Third street.

At the request of Mr. Phillips another ordinance was passed granting to the officers of the Street Fair and Carnival all moneys that may be collected for licenses, as provided by city ordinance, for any show, exhibition, game or privilege that may operate or exhibit during the time of the fair, when such are conducted in the fair or in connection therewith.

Millions Given Away.

It is certainly gratifying to the public to know of one concerned in the land who are not afraid to be generous to the needy and suffering. The proprietors of Dr. King's New Discovery for consumption, coughs and colds, have given away over ten million trial bottles of this great medicine; and have the satisfaction of knowing it has absolutely cured thousands of hopeless cases. Asthma, bronchitis, hoarseness and all diseases of the throat, chest and lungs are surely cured by it. Call on Blakeley, the Druggist, and get a free trial bottle. Regular size 50c. and \$1. Every bottle guaranteed, or price refunded.

Advertised Letters.

Following is the list of letters remaining in the postoffice at The Dalles un-called for September 21, 1900. Persons calling for the same will give date on which they were advertised:

- Alamson, Albert Peters, At Allen, James Murphy, Will H. Brakey, H. C. McKern, Henry Cadby, Alpha Simerson, Chas. Harrie, H. J. Simmons, Birt Huber, Joe Smith, J. C. Kelly, W. H. Turner, Chas. E. Langren, Aug. Weber, W. H. Morgan, W. C. Wolf, Clint Miller, Miss Ezra Werngren, Carl Boatwell, Mrs. Ellen

Drying preparations simply develop dry catarrh; they dry up the secretions, which adhere to the membrane and decompose, causing a far more serious trouble than the ordinary form of catarrh. Avoid all drying inhalants, fumes, smokes and muffs and use that which cleanses, soothes and heals. Ely's Cream Balm is such a remedy and will cure catarrh or cold in the head easily and pleasantly. A trial size will be mailed for 10 cents. All druggists sell the 50c. size. Ely Brothers, 50 Warren St., N. Y. The Balm cures without pain, does not irritate or cause sneezing. It spreads itself over an irritated and angry surface, relieving immediately the painful inflammation. With Ely's Cream Balm you are armed against Nasal Catarrh and Hay Fever.

A Card.

Miss Annie Lang, while appreciating the honor that has been done her by the votes cast for her for queen of the carnival, begs most respectfully to announce that under no circumstances can she be induced to become a candidate for that honor, nor would she under any circumstances act as queen if elected. You will not have boils if you take Clark & Falk's sure cure for boils.

SEVEN BIG SHOWS SECURED.

The Entire Midway Attractions of the Portland Carnival Will Be Here.

There is no longer a shadow of doubt that the coming fair and carnival will be the biggest thing of the kind ever seen in The Dalles. It will not only have the biggest and best exhibit of the products of the county, but it will have a greater number of other attractions than ever before met in the city at one time. The executive committee has secured the presence of all the attractions that were recently gathered in the Midway at the Portland carnival; seven big shows that will require a whole railroad train to bring them here. Russell & Co., the big implement house of Portland, will have two traction engines and two separators on the ground, and abundance of unthreshed wheat to give threshing exhibitions nightly by electric lights generated by their own dynamo. The committee has contracted with the local Electric Light Co. for 15 arc lights of 2000 candle power each, which ought to make the grounds as light as day; while every booth and stall will be lighted up with its own incandescents. Architects are at work drawing plans for the structural works, and it is expected that the committee will be ready to entertain bids for their erection by tomorrow. The co-operation of farmers and horticulturists is earnestly solicited in order that the exhibits along their lines may be equal to the occasion and worthy of Wasco's magnificent capacity and resources.

A Stray Performing Dog Is Adopted by Many Hyde Park Residents.

A stray poodle that dances on its two hind feet and holds a lighted cigar in its mouth has appeared frequently in the neighborhood of the Hyde Park police station of late, says a Chicago paper. It is thought that the animal has escaped from some show. Almost every morning the dog may be seen on Lake avenue, near Fifty-third street, doing a number of antics for some children. The dog has no license, but it is thought that inside of a short while some thoughtful person will adopt the canine. It can waltz beautifully. In fact, the animal will always start to move its feet at the sound of music. Many of the policemen of the Hyde Park station have taken a great fancy to the animal and frequently given it food out of their own lunch cans. The dog is known by the name of Jack and ever since the little fellow has made its appearance in the neighborhood Jack has become a household word. As soon as a Hyde Park resident in the vicinity of Lake avenue and Fifty-third street speaks of Jack everybody knows what he or she is talking about. Every morning Jack makes a round of all the houses. When the dog appeared in Hyde Park one day lately he was very thin, but already a noticeable change is apparent in his condition. Jack can with ease hold a lighted cigar in its mouth for five minutes. Some of the boys have made a habit of giving the animal bits of cigarettes to hold between its sharp teeth.

DOES NOT LIKE ELECTRICITY.

Poet Queen of Roumania Will Not Have Her Galleries Properly Lighted. Elizabeth, the poet queen of Roumania, better known to the reading world as Carmen Silva, shares with Queen Victoria a dislike for electric lights, and opposed their use in her apartments until quite recently. Her boudoir was lighted by crystal flowers, in the heart of which gleamed pale, colored lights. The place is filled with panel pictures and verses, all written by the queen or painted by one of her gifted court ladies. The great dining hall is ornamented with tall panels illustrating the principal works of Carmen Silva's novels, romances and poems. The room is very somber, being furnished with black oak and cordovan leather and lighted only by stained glass windows, brilliant in color and representing court balls, wedding bouquets and other royal festivities, but nevertheless they prevent the sun from penetrating the gloomy grandeur of the apartment. And this is why the queen, who loves beauty and harmony, strictly forbids the wearing of black or dark dresses at her table. She prefers a uniform to conventional evening dress and does not shrink from any fancy dress if it be gay and pretty.

CASTORIA

For Infants and Children. The Kind You Have Always Bought Bears the Signature of J. C. Watson

Healthful drinks are not luxuries, they are necessities. A full line of cool and refreshing porter, ale, mineral water and beers kept on ice. Take a bottle home for lunch. C. J. Stubling. Phone 234.

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 183. "Ring 'em up." 18m-1f

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