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LOCAL BREVITIES.

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

Lake county has paid into the state treasury \$1077.10 on account of the scalp bounty tax.

If you have dandruff, your hair is falling out. Use Coconut Cream. For sale at Frazer's barber shop. n9-1m

Seattle barbers will ask the Washington legislature to make Sunday opening of barber shops a misdemeanor.

Remember that Coconut Cream Tonic will promote growth of hair. Charles Frazer, sole agent. n9-1m

C. S. Smith today purchased the dry goods stock of S. L. Brooks, in the East End, and will continue that part of the business at the old stand.

If your hair is dry and dead-like, Coconut Cream Tonic will give it life and luster. It is pronounced the finest tonic on earth. Can be had at Frazer's barber shop, agent. n9-1m

The number of prisoners in the Oregon penitentiary grows less every year. The number of convicts is now less than it has been at any time in two years, and is about seventy less than at this time four years ago.

The Dalles football team has been challenged for a game each by second Multnomah and Walla Walla. It is not known what arrangements will be made in reference to these games, all depending upon the interest manifested by the public and the players.

Chicago is not only the greatest cattle, sheep and hog market in the world, but it now leads all creation as a horse market. During the nine full months of the present calendar year 147,000 horses were received and sold there, breaking all former records by nearly 30,000.

According to the present outlook Malheur will be the banner county in the state in the matter of court houses. The building of a new one in Vale stirred Ontario up and now she will build one also. That will be three in the county. What will be the next place to invest in a court house? asks the Malheur Gazette.

The La Grande Chronicle says that John E. Hough, of that town, shipped a carload of onions to Seattle Monday morning for shipment from thence to the Philippines for use of the U. S. troops now sojourning there, and that he was getting ready to ship a carload of apples to Chicago for export to Liverpool.

In the circuit court at Moro yesterday Judge Bradshaw denied a petition for rehearing in the case of D. C. O'Reilly vs. The Columbia Southern Railway, E. E. Lytle and others. A demurrer to the complaint was sustained some time ago. Under yesterday's ruling the plaintiff is said to have abandoned and dismissed the suit.

Buyers of horses at Goldendale say that the 1600-pound animal, broken to harness, is getting to be very scarce. Before the war these horses could be bought for about from \$60 to \$100, but they are now commanding as high as \$200. Cavalry horses from 900 to 1200 pounds cost the government from \$90 to \$120 each.

John Hendricks, a boy of 20 or so, who was brought up from Mosier the other day under a charge of lunacy, was turned loose this morning and immediately left for the Willamette valley. Judge Blakeley considered the youth was more of a natural born fool than a dangerous lunatic, and very properly thought it best to let him go his way.

The McKinley and Roosevelt club, of Windom precinct, Lewis county, Wash., after carrying their county by a handsome majority, concluded to continue their work of doing good by transforming themselves into a Good Roads Club. As a starter they ask that a half mile of good road be built near the county as a working model for the rest of the county.

W. J. Harriman, administrator of the estate of the late Ed Doyle, of Enderbury, will sell at public auction, Tuesday, December 18th, commencing at 10 o'clock a. m., the personal property of the estate, consisting of fanning mill, grain drill, header, gang and walking plows, 8 sets of harrows, 6 head of horses, 4 head of cattle, a wagon and harness, blacksmith tools, etc. Terms cash at time of sale.

At the Salem city election Monday the republicans were beaten by the citizens by a majority of 85. The council will stand four republicans to four democrats and populists and a republican mayor. A dispatch says that all the saloons and the cigar store gambling places all

Is Your Boy Well-Dressed?



He should be.
He can be.
It is not a matter of large expense.
Plenty of neat little fellows wear our low-priced suits.

Good clothes largely help to make a good boy. Why not dress up your boy and make him proud of himself, as good as any boy?

Our Boys' Department makes good clothes possible in all cases.

No one is too poor, no one is too rich to go elsewhere.

Our \$5.00 School Suits are the best in the land. If you prefer, we have cheaper ones at \$3.50. The best cost you \$12.50.

Boys' knee pants suits from \$1.50.

We have piled on a separate counter the balance of those Boys' Suits that we are selling at half price. Don't miss this opportunity; broken lines, that's all.

All Goods Marked in Plain Figures.

Most Remarkable Offering of Ladies' Suits and Jackets

that has ever passed this way.

If low prices make a bargain, high quality doubles it, and that is what makes this offering so extraordinary. Here are Ladies' Suits, there are no newer, better looking or better made in any store. They are to be sold at

25% off This week only.

Ladies', Misses' and Children's Jackets at a Discount of 25 per cent.

You can have the new ones, arrived from the manufacturers just a short time ago, made from smooth oxford cheviot, double-breasted, lined with silk or satin, all handsomely tailored.

French Flannelettes

The most attractive cotton goods ever put on the market by a manufacturer. Regular price 18c; our price for the week

15 1-2c per yard.

Unmatchable Shoe Values.

This is unmistakably the shoe-buying time of all times—that is if you want high-grade shoes at these low prices.

Ladies' welt sole button, in kid and calf; \$4 values\$2.00

Ladies' turn sole kid, button or lace; \$4 values\$2.00

Ladies' all kid or cloth top, lace; \$1.50\$1.00

Men's satin calf, lace or congress; \$2 and \$2.50 values\$1.00

Boys' Shoes (elastic sides) in calf or grain; \$2 values\$1.00

Men's kangaroo, cordovan or calf, lace; \$3.50 to \$5 values\$2.00

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"stood in" with the citizens' reform ticket, and in one ward Jack Rogers, who owns three saloons there, was the boss challenger for them, the first time in ten years a saloon-keeper has been seen as a poll worker.

"How do you like Oregon?" was asked the other day by Mrs. Eliza Vickers of the five-year-old daughter of George Denton who, with his wife and little ones, arrived here a few days ago from Iowa and are stopping with Mrs. Vickers while the head of the house looks out for a location. "How do I like Oregon?" answered the five-year old, to whom Oregon was apparently not yet familiar. "Yes, yes, how do you like it?" "I don't like it at all," was the reply. "I like a piano lots better."

On the 24th instant County Clerk Butler, of Wheeler county, recorded a satisfaction of mortgage from Eugene Looney to E. E. Allen and wife for \$54,274, says the Fossil Journal. The mortgage was given by Mr. Allen to Mr. Looney in June, 1898, when he purchased 8750 sheep and Mr. Looney's fine sheep plant and range near Mitchell. It was a time sale, and few people thought Mr. Allen could ever pay out, with such a load of debt; but the sheep business, rightly managed, in republican times, is a profitable one, and Mr. Allen was prepared to make every payment before it became due, and now, through selling a half interest in the property to J. H. Oakes, of Mitchell, is enabled to take up the last note, which was not due until July, 1904.

The county clerk spoiled a fine item this morning. Mr. I. N. Sargent had called on the county treasurer to have some warrants redeemed, among which was one for \$15, issued July 16, 1896. Mr. Hampshire at once detected that this particular warrant had been raised from \$5 to \$15, and in an apparently clumsy manner at that. There was no mistake about it. A figure 1 had been written before the figure 5, while the written "Five" had been scratched and the necessary letters inserted to make it "Fifteen." The one unaccountable feature of the warrant was that it was indorsed by a prominent sheepman of the county whom no one could suspect of fraud. The treasurer rushed with it to the clerk's office, accompanied by the inevitable and ubiquitous newspaper fiend, only to find that the warrant was entered on the register for \$15 and had evidently been raised by the drawer at the time it was issued. So the indictment for forgery, that for a moment loomed up portentously, was summarily dismissed.

Thursday's Daily.
Martin Weyman, of Denny Hollow, has sold his ranch at that place to L. J. Klinger, of Dufur. The consideration was \$2,400.

Sam Thurman, who has waited on Murdoch Finlayson since he took to bed at the European House, informs Tax CHRONICLE that his patient is progressing nicely and that he expects to be able to leave his bed tomorrow.

A baby girl was born on Mill Creek this morning, whose mother has the proud distinction of having three other children, one of whom was born on New Year's day, another on the Fourth of July, and the third on Christmas day. This last one, we suspect, would have got here on Thanksgiving if it had not missed the train.

About midnight last night a fighting scrap occurred in the west end of town that brought Nightwatchman Lake upon

the scene, when one of the ring-leaders took to his heels and fled down the railroad track in the direction of the round house. As the officer followed him he fired three or four shots in the air, but without effect and the fellow escaped in the darkness.

The Dalles Distillery Co. has rented the Bettingen store, two doors east of McNerny's dry goods store, and opened headquarters there for the disposal at wholesale of the product of the distillery. Mr. Stringer says the company is assured of sufficient fruit to run the distillery to its fullest capacity till the month of February. Mr. Stringer went to Portland this afternoon, and while there may make arrangements to add another still to the company's plant.

Don't fail to attend the intellectual entertainment to be given next Monday evening December 10th, at 8 o'clock, at the Baldwin opera house, by Mt. Hood Camp No. 59, Woodmen of the World. Prof. John P. Meakin, of Salt Lake, Head Camp Lecturer, will deliver his famous lecture, "Foot Prints, or Onward and Upward," after which will be given dramatic readings, songs and stories, laughable and pathetic. This will be a rare treat. You will think, laugh, and probably shed a tear. If you miss it you'll regret it. Admission free.

The case of D. C. O'Reilly against the Columbia Southern Railway, E. E. Lytle and others is not ended as was supposed when Judge Bradshaw, at Moro, Tuesday, refused a petition for rehearing. On the contrary, O'Reilly promptly renewed the suit in the Multnomah circuit court, asking for the recovery to the company of some \$130,000, which he claims Lytle and his associates secured fraudulently and, incidentally, asking for the appointment of a receiver to look after the affairs of the company and keep it from going to ruin, as he sets forth in the complaint.

Acting Marshal J. H. Jackson did a most effective job of street cleaning this morning, at the suggestion of D. M. French, Procuring sufficient lengths of hose from the fire department he washed the mud off Second street for the entire block between Washington and Federal, leaving the street as clean as a new pin. It was the old principle of hydraulic mining illustrated and for the mere nominal cost of two or three dollars and a very few hours' time far more was accomplished than could have been effected by brooms and shovels at ten times the cost.

The honor of christening the republican party is adjudged by Charles M. Harvey, in his history of that organization, to Alvin E. Boyay, now living in Brookline, in his 83d year. The name "Republican" was suggested by Mr. Boyay to Horace Greeley at a dinner in New York during the national Whig convention of 1852, when both unavailingly sought to prevent the adoption of a pro-slavery platform, and with such adoption in prospect thought of a new organization. "Republican," said Boyay to Greeley, "is a grade above democratic. Democratic means 'I am as good as you;' republican, 'you are as good as I.'" Later, at a local convention held in Ripon, Wis., Mr. Boyay declared that the new combination should receive the republican name. This declaration, as is well known, was soon afterwards ratified by a state convention held at Jackson, Mich.—the first state organization to adopt the republican name.

Christian Meyers, of Alkali Flat, near

Mitchell, was in town yesterday accompanied by his wife, who was on her way to Portland to visit a couple of married daughters. Mr. Meyers and Frank Huott, of Eight Mile, settled on Alkali Flat in 1863; and from that place Frank Huott got the name he is still known by, Alkali Frank. They were bachelors and partners in business and their house was for some years an important way station on the main road between The Dalles and Canyon City. At length both got tired of bacheling and mutually vowed that one of them must hunt a wife, but as to which of them should put his neck in the matrimonial yoke they could not agree. It was finally agreed that the matter in controversy should be settled by a game of seven-up, the loser to leave forthwith and not return till he brought a wife with him. Mr. Meyer lost the game but was the real winner notwithstanding. He kept his contract, left forthwith for San Francisco and in no long time returned with the motherly, kindly lady that has shared his joys and sorrows for a generation of time.

The Pacific Farmer says: "One of the finest orchards in the Mosier district is that of George Sellinger, consisting of twenty-two acres, fourteen in bearing, six acres of which are in Italian prunes, seven years old. About forty tons were sold to the Smead company, besides many tons went to waste. The price obtained for the prunes was \$15 per ton. The fine large apple crop is mostly of Baldwins, Ben Davis, Pippins, Swaar and Spitzenbergs, the latter remarkably large and fine. From one acre of peach plums, Mr. S. shipped 2000 boxes, selling them at an average of 40 cents, and netting 18 cents per box. Forty acres in broom corn, a new venture for this section of the country, yielded eight tons of prepared stock, besides 800 bushels of seed, which his horses, cattle and poultry eat readily and flourish thereon. He also raised a patch of Kaffir corn, cutting it three or four times in a season for forage, and pronounces it quite valuable for the purpose. The land is a rich sandy loam, producing good crops of this, also fine field corn."

Friday's Daily.
Baker City's population is 6963.
Wheat still remains at 47 cents for No. 1.

About 150,000 pounds of wool changed hands this week, the first sales for several weeks. The price was 12 to 12½ cents.

Sheriff Kelly has appointed J. J. Wiley as his deputy for the town of Shaniko. The Sheriff says the appointment gives universal satisfaction.

Nelson Rich, of North Yakima, is of the opinion that in a short time no irrigation will be required in that section as the climate is changing rapidly.

Sheriff Kelly went to Shaniko today to serve papers in the suit of Drake C. O'Reilly against E. E. Lytle and others of the Columbia Southern railway.

From the Shaniko Leader we regret to learn that Mrs. J. J. Wiley, of that town, has been obliged to go to St. Vincent's hospital for medical treatment.

Dr. Ray W. Logan has been appointed physician and surgeon of the Columbia Southern railway, with headquarters at Moro and jurisdiction over the entire line.

Among the incorporators are Mrs. Ollie F. Stephens, of this city, and Mrs. Margaret E. Herrin, a former resident.

Captain S. B. Ormsby and W. H. H. Dufur went out to Mr. Dufur's place today, from whence they will make a special inspection of part of the eastern slope of the forest reserve.

Prof. John P. Meakin, the noted fraternal evangelist, at the Baldwin opera house Monday evening. See him. Hear him. He may not come this way again. Admission free.

Acting Postmaster Forest Fisher received a telegram from his brother, Ralph, today announcing that he had just been elected captain of the Stanford university football team for the year 1901. It is worthy of note that Forest himself was captain of the same team during the year 1898.

Kiddle Bros. & Bidwell, of Island City, Wallawa county, have shipped this year twenty carloads of horses, eighty of cattle, and seventy-five of hogs, the total value of which is \$200,000. Most of the stock found market at Omaha. Last week the company consigned seven carloads of hogs to Seattle.

Menefee & Parkins, of this city, successors to the Jacobsen Book & Music Company, filed articles of incorporation in the office of the secretary of state Wednesday. The incorporators are William Menefee, H. D. Parkins and Frank Menefee. The capital stock is \$5000, divided into shares valued at \$100 each.

Word comes down from Heppner that a splendid reception is being planned for our local football team, upon their visit to that place a week hence. The band will receive the visitors at the depot and escort them to the Palace hotel, a large, commodious brick. The town will provide entertainment during the stay of the athletes, the last but not least being a ball at the opera house on Friday evening.

The Moro correspondent of the Shaniko Leader understands that the tenants on the disputed overlap Eastern Oregon military road lands are going to make a last effort to retain possession of their homes. A prominent firm of lawyers say they can still win their cause, and not only secure their lands for these people, but compel the E. O. R. Co. to disgorge the rents paid by farmers this fall. It is a positive fact that one man had the temerity to sell the grain claimed as rent, put the money in his pocket and defy the land grabbers.

Oregon pays annually \$350,000 for Eastern eggs and the demand increases yearly. Not because Oregon is unadapted to successful poultry raising, but because producers have not been compelled to engage in the business in a systematic and practical way. Oregon needs more experienced poultry men who will engage in the poultry industry, raising fowls and more of them. The demand for good eggs and poultry has always been beyond the supply, and the present stimulation in the mining industry and increasing immigration must create a greater future market.

The Shaniko Leader notes that A. McAdam, the genial salesman in the dry goods department of Pease & Mays, recently received quite a lot of fine furniture to be placed in his handsome bachelor apartments. Receiving the furniture in itself is nothing, adds the Leader, but one particular item in the list looks a little suspicious, to say the least, and that little item is a rocking chair that

would just about fit a 3-year-old girl. Rumor has it that there is a widow in the case, and the widow has a girl. If such a thing be true, a royal celebration will be tendered the happy couple.

Speaking of Professor Meakin, who lectures at the Baldwin Monday night for the Woodmen of the World, this week's Skamania County Pioneer says: Seidom, if ever, have we heard such a lecture as was given by Prof. H. P. Meakin, head camp lecturer for the Woodmen of the World. Mr. Meakin does not tire an audience by quoting a whole list of figures and running down other orders. For lack of space we cannot go into detail, but will say to those who have not heard him, that if it is possible to hear him, don't miss the chance and you will have something impressed upon your mind that you will not forget soon.

We find the following gem going the rounds of the press, without credit: "Remember this, young man, be careful what you say about a woman's character. Think how many years she has been building it, of the toils and privations endured, of wounds received, and let no suspicion follow her actions. The purity of a woman is the salvation of the race, the hope of greatness and the redemption of man. Wipe out her purity and the man sinks beneath the wave of despair, without a star to guide his life into the channel of safety. Think, then, before you speak, and remember that any hog can root up the fairest flower that ever grew; so the vilest man can ruin the purest woman's character."

A new feature has been added to initiation into the Maccabees, and was first tried last Saturday night on Bert Chamberlain, says the Albany Democrat. When the remark was made "bring the villain forth," the candidate stepped back and drawing two six-shooters, loaded with blank cartridges, began firing right and left. The guards on the inside fell over, Jack Hammil, who was nearby, collapsed, and the other members vacated the hall by the quickest route, Lawyer Newport not returning for his coat and hat until next day; and there are several coats and umbrellas remaining unclaimed for yet. It was exciting enough for even Teddy Roosevelt, or Jack Hammil, the real instigator of the fun.

George Martin, a young unmarried man of 24 years, who with an elder brother was working in the logging camp of the Oregon Lumber Company, Mill A, on the Washington side of the river opposite Viento, was instantly killed at 2 o'clock yesterday afternoon. He was engaged sawing a log from a tree that was lying across another tree that was about six feet from the ground when, as is supposed, the saw pitched and in driving a wedge to relieve it the log broke and fell on him, crushing his body into the ground and killing him instantly. The deceased was the son of Elijah Martin, a farmer, living a few miles west of Monmouth, Polk county. The remains were brought to The Dalles this morning and prepared for interment at the undertaking rooms of William Mitchell. Meantime a telephone message was sent to the boy's parents asking to know their desire as to whether he should be buried here or taken to Monmouth. This afternoon an answer was returned announcing that they would care him immediately and have their son buried at The Dalles. The funeral will take place tomorrow afternoon.