

The Dalles Daily Chronicle.

MONDAY, DEC. 29, 1890

NEW YEAR'S CALLS.

The Chronicle desires to print the names of the ladies of The Dalles who receive calls on New Year. It is desired that names be sent in up to noon of Wednesday Dec. 31st.

LOCAL BREVITIES.

Miss Gertrude French went to Portland this morning for an extended visit. The Knights of Pythias at Hood River will give a grand ball Wednesday evening. Mr. Anderson will ship a double decked car-load of sheep to Portland to-night.

Mr. Deerhake the man who shot himself last week is in a very precarious condition. He may pull through, but the chances are all against him.

Hon. Hiram Dustin, of Goldendale, Klickitat county's prosecuting attorney, was a passenger on Hood's stage for home this morning.

Wood Bros. have a couple of dressed hogs hanging in front of their shop which weigh respectively 570 and 590 pounds. We have seen bigger hogs, but never any that weighed more.

An exchange says: "Lawyers bury their mistakes in the supreme court, physicians bury theirs in the graveyard, but the printers put theirs in the most public places imaginable, where everyone can see and criticize them."

The work of distributing the pipe for the water mains commenced this morning. This work will put in the neighborhood of \$50,000 in circulation here a large portion of which will go for wages and consequently be spent where it will do the greatest good to the greatest number.

A young lady attending the Geary school got into an embarrassing position one day last week, says the Eugene Register. She slipped out and went up in the garret. While walking about she missed her footing and pushed her feet through the plaster, and hung them down in the school room below.

The many friends of Hon. E. L. Smith will be pained to learn that he has gradually grown worse until there is little hope of his recovery. He was removed to the hospital Saturday, and is now under treatment by Dr. Henry Jones of Portland.

Nearly all the trains between here and Portland are run in the night. It would be of some accommodation if a freight or two would run, but as it is one freight train leaves Portland early in the morning and gets here late at night. The present arrangement is a nuisance, and in case children have to travel it becomes an outrage.

Mr. Aaron Frazier, superintendent of the public school at Dufur, is in the city. The school has made wonderful progress under his efficient management until it ranks now second to no school in the state outside of the larger cities. School will commence again Monday, and the term will open with about ninety pupils. Dufur is proud of her public school, and justly so.

Mr. John Stoddard manager and member of the Oregon Lumber Co., of Hood River, and Grant Geddes, book-keeper for the same firm came up on this morning's passenger. The company is having some litigation with Mr. John Parker concerning water rights and right of way, and Mr. Stoddard is perpetuating testimony.

Two Italians have certainly discovered a way of beating the sentence that "by the sweat of thy brow shalt thou earn thy bread." They are both strapping big lazy fellows each owning a tame bear that earns a living for them, the bears doing the work and the owners doing the begging act. The whole four are undesirable citizens though the bears are certainly possessed of the better education, and at least equal intelligence.

The day before Christmas the Columbia Packing Co. of this city presented the editor of this paper with a ham of their own curing. We sampled that ham yesterday and can truthfully say that it is (or rather was) as good as any ever packed. It was firm, juicy, sweet, and of delicious flavor, and shows what Oregon can do in the meat packing business. Chicago never sent out a better ham.

The reservoir for the new water system is to be located near the old pest house in the pines. This will give it ample fall to supply under good pressure all the houses on the bluff and the needs of the city until it has multiplied in population several times. The water will be taken into the pipes near Mesplie's place on Mill creek, and it looks now as though the new system would be in operation early in the spring.

The weather for the past few days has been decidedly peculiar for this side of the mountains. The recent heavy storms at sea have evidently forced a large sized section of webfoot's own climate across the Cascades and it cannot find its way back. The fog could be cut up into excellent nun's veiling, it being thick enough to cling to one's face like cobwebs in a dark cellar. It must be sadly missed on the other side of the range where it is not, for it is almost

Mr. Frank Pike of Moro is in the city. Mr. C. G. Roberts took his daughters Maggie and Lottie to Pendleton this morning, to attend school there.

The city council will hold its last annual meeting for the year 1890, Wednesday evening.

The A. E. O. organized a lodge here Sunday night, in Odd Fellows hall. The lodge starts in with twenty-three members.

It is to be hoped that the authorities of Sherman county will stop the collecting of toll on the road leading to the Deschutes bridge. It is an outrage on their citizens as well as ours.

Recorder Knaggs furnished six traps with a job of improving the city streets this morning. Knaggs is the most generous man in this line that we know of, as he can furnish an unlimited amount of work on the same terms.

Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Drew who arrived here from Quebec one week ago, were of course much surprised to find the hills covered with green grass and the thermometer in the fifties, as there was two feet of snow at their home when they left, and the thermometer standing at 20 below. They left this morning to visit their daughter Mrs. D. E. Gillman in Gilliam county.

Hotel Arrivals for the Past Twenty-four Hours. UMATILLA HOUSE.

- C. Hodge, Prineville. H. Anderson, Albina. W. J. Garson. David Burke, Portland. H. Dustin, Goldendale. C. Meek, City. Geo. Godding, Telson. A. Stroble. Arthur Coffin, Arlington. Samuel Tucker, Albina. H. Anderson, City. J. P. Ford, East Portland. H. S. Wilson, Arlington. W. H. Moore, City. C. W. Bryan. C. F. Overbaugh, Portland. J. A. Anderson, Victoria, B. C. Sohn Stoddard, Hood River. C. Johnson & wife, Dayville. John Rummel.

The Lake Labish Disaster.

This is the title of a little book issued by Clare Irvine, city editor of the Salem Statesman. It gives in a concise manner the history of the railroad wreck which occurred at Lake Labish on Nov. 12th ult., by which four persons lost their lives and over one hundred were injured. The price of the book is ten cents and it is well worth that amount. We never realized until we saw the book how great the disaster was—disaster typographical—we mean. It bears the imprint of an impecunious country printer, evidently with an amateur outfit, and his slaughter of everything in the way of art or style in the way of workmanship is absolutely heart rending. As a first-class sample of "country blacksmith" job work the book is worth sending for.

For the New City on the Columbia River.

It is now a moral certainty that very soon North Dalles is to receive another enterprise of greater importance to it than the one already started and our people must not be surprised if, at least, two manufactories are soon put underway. Mr. O. D. Taylor accompanied by a gentleman from Portland leave for the east on an extended trip, in a few days and on their return we shall expect to see lively times at North Dalles. Back of the proposition at North Dalles are men who are quietly working out the rapid development of the north side of the river. They are financially strong and able to put into practical operation improvements of very large magnitude. The next ninety days will change the appearance at North Dalles and our people will then know what we meant when we advised them to purchase something in this young city.

Extreme Low Water.

The Covallis Times rises with this remark: The Willamette river is lower than ever before known at this season of the year. Yesterday Max Friendly's logging outfit consisting of a wagon and three yoke of oxen forded it about a mile and a half above this city and the driver didn't get a drop of water on himself. The like has never been known in December.

Died.

In this city Dec. 29th the infant child of Mr. and Mrs. Stone. Sunday, Dec. 29, 1890, at Portland, infant son of Mr. and Mrs. S. S. Johns. In this city Sunday Dec. 29th. Edward Angel, aged about 23 years. The funeral took place this afternoon at Eight mile. Mr. Angel came here recently to assist in caring for members of his family who were sick with Typhoid fever. As they recovered he was stricken down, and passed away a victim of that disease.

A REMARKABLE WINTER.

The Country of Blizzards is Enjoying June Weather.

BISMARCK, N. D., Dec. 29.—Thus far this winter the mercury has not dropped to the zero mark, the farmers plowing in their fields all winter. This morning opened up balmy as a June day. Men wear straw hats and linen coats without feeling uncomfortable and ladies on the street find use for their parasols.

Just received one-half ton of choice Iowa creamery butter. Call and secure a 20 pound kit for the winter, it is without doubt the finest butter in the market.

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For coughs and colds use 2379. Lots at North Dalles at acre price. Don't fail to see the show window at 62 Second street to-night. Does S. B. get there? "I should smile." S. B. For elegant holiday presents go to W. E. Garretson's. Look out for the new hotel at North Dalles.

Portland capital is going in at North Dalles. C. E. Dnnham will cure your headache, cough or pain for 50 cents, S. B. North Dalles property for a good investment.

New manufactories are going in at North Dalles. 2379 is the cough syrup for children. North Dalles now is your chance before they advance.

Get me a cigar from that fine case at Snipes & Kinersley's. Snipes & Kinersley are anxious to cure your headache for 50 cents. S. B. Joles Bros.' is the boss place to buy groceries.

For bargains in all lines of men's wear go to MAC'EACHERN & MACLEODS. Fine watches, jewelry and silverware, the very handsomest of Christmas presents at W. E. Garretson's.

The sales of lots in North Dalles last week were big. Our best citizens are buying them. You need not cough! Blakeley & Houghton will cure it for 50 cents, S. B.

We took dinner at Haight's restaurant yesterday and were surprised at him giving so good a meal for so low a price. \$15,000.00 in Clothing, Furnishing Goods, Boots, Shoes, Hats, Caps, etc., to be sold at cost, at MAC'EACHERN & MACLEODS.

The finest stock of silverware ever brought to The Dalles at W. E. Garretson's, Second street. Do not forget about the first annual ball to be given by the Gesang Verein (Harmony) on New Year's eve.

One of the largest tanneries west of the Mississippi river will be located at North Dalles and at least two other large institutions in the near future. All of our Immense Stock must be sold regardless of cost, as we are closing out our business in The Dalles. MAC'EACHERN & MACLEOD.

Lady Apples at Maier & Benton's. Just the thing for Christmas trees. Corner Third and Union streets. For watches, jewelry and silverware, in fact for anything in the shape of a beautiful Christmas present, go to S. L. Young.

North Dalles lots are selling fast and are being taken at Portland very freely. NOTICE TO TAXPAYERS. Notice is hereby given that the taxes for Dalles City are now due and payable at my office for the next thirty days. After date (December 31st, 1890.) they become delinquent. J. S. Fish, City Treas. December 2d, 1890.

Money That Will Not Be Paid. The postoffice department will not pay the \$1,000 reward offered for the capture and conviction of Rube Burrow. There is a standing reward offered by the postoffice department for the capture and conviction of any one robbing the mails. This is the reward that applied to Rube Burrow. But it will not be paid because there was no conviction, nor has proof been established in court that Rube Burrow robbed the mails. The department officers know he did, but they never pay a reward without legal proof and conviction. Thus the capturers of Rube Burrow will fail to get \$1,000 of the \$7,500 reward on the head of the noted outlaw.—Atlanta Constitution.

The Paris Bull Ring. The arena of the Rue Pergoles, Paris, where bull fights take place every Sunday and Wednesday, was several days ago the scene of an accident which will probably prove fatal. It was recently thought that greater interest would be given to the spectacle by the addition of negroes stimulating the bull with pointed cudgels during the fight. One of these men was so seriously gored by an infuriated bull that he was carried out of the arena and conveyed to his lodgings.—Fall Mall Gazette.

Mme. Artoud, of Paris, died recently, and as not a stiver of her money could be found in the hands of her agents her heirs began a search for it in the furniture of her home. After ripping up everything they examined a plaster bust of the Venus of Milo, and there was the treasure, amounting to a considerable fortune. The base of the statue was covered over underneath with oiled cloth, and when the covering was removed out tumbled a choice collection of bank notes, bonds, securities and obligations.

Emperor Napoleon during the three years before Waterloo offered large rewards for the recovery of a pocketbook he had lost at the crossing of Beresina. After the lapse of more than three-quarters of a century it has been discovered in the possession of a Russian lady, who received it as a souvenir from Count Felix Ledochovsky.

Veteran seamen agree that the iceberg crop of the past summer exceeded that of any previous year during the latter half of the Nineteenth century. Their theory is that the whole mountain chains of Arctic ice must have been set adrift by the unprecedented mildness of the last winter.

A cap with a telephone attachment has been supplied to the Italian garrison artillery in order to enable the commanders of gun detachments to communicate with the officers commanding the battery or fort.

Prince Maximilian, nephew of the Grand Duke of Baden, will shortly be betrothed to Princess Victoria Louisa of Schleswig-Holstein-Sonderbourg-Austerlitz.

Floral Fashions. The chrysanthemum is in the ascendant, and very soon every house, flat or room will be illumined by its splendid bloom. This is one of the effects of taking Japanese art into our bosom. We have learned the decorative lesson and profited, for it would seem a flowerless autumn were we to be deprived now of this perfect bit of natural decoration. And another floral idea has also arrived from Japan, one which bids fair to rival the more fragile creations of the greenhouse. Dwarfed trees, strange, stunted, gnome like plants, set in the artistic porcelain pots of that land of art and invention, will be used for dinner table and house decoration. Already they are employing them in London houses, and no doubt in time they will appear here, superseding the familiar rubber plants and palm, and giving that one note of vernal oddity so prized by the tasteful owner of a well composed room.—Boston Herald.

Lightning Kills Birds. A singular story is told by a head gamekeeper in Prussian Silesia. A few weeks ago one of his under keepers found in the tract of shooting country under his charge a covey of partridges, two old birds and fifteen young ones, all lying dead. They were huddled up close together within the space of a square yard, but were too decomposed to show any reliable signs of the cause of their death. Poison was at first suspected, as the spot was close to some peasants' allotment, but a careful examination of the ground revealed the fact that the birds had been struck by lightning. The flash had struck a little mound a short distance away, and then coursed along the ground, and the grass surrounding the spot where the partridges lay had a burned and yellow appearance.—Exchange.

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