

METEOROLOGICAL REPORT.

Table with columns: Pacific Coast Time, BAR., TEM., RELATIVE HUM., DIRECTION OF WIND, VELOCITY, STATE OF WEATHER.

Maximum temperature, 36; minimum temperature, 22. Total precipitation from July up to date, 5.74; average precipitation from July to date, 13.87; average deficiency from July to date, 8.13.

WEATHER PROBABILITIES.

THE DALLES, Feb. 23, 1891. FAIR Weather forecast till 12 m., Tuesday; fair. Followed by light rain or snow. Nearly stationary temperature.

LOCAL BREVITIES.

This is a pretty white country after all. This is the last week of the present congress.

Toboggan stock ought to be at a premium. Mr. Chas. Melette, of Albina, was in the city yesterday.

Hon. Geo. Watkins returned from the legislature yesterday morning.

Mr. W. M. Stewart is visiting Dr. J. F. Watt at Olympia, Washington.

"Pinafore" is being rehearsed and will be ready for production soon after Lent.

Mr. Anderson shipped two cars of mutton sheep from the stock yards yesterday to the Sound markets.

Mr. John Fopina has two cars of horses at the stock yards, feeding, which he will ship to California this evening where he will dispose of them.

Mrs. Lulu D. Sampson returned from the capitol, where she has been during the session of the legislature, as clerk for one of the committees.

The barometer was 29.08 this morning which is lower than it has been at The Dalles at any time for the past eleven years.

Messrs. McFarland & French sold 26,000 pounds of wool last Friday at 18 cents per pound, which is an advance of 1 1/2 cents.

The legislative delegation and members of the Third house have returned to the constituents in pretty good shape, considering their narrow escapes while at the capitol.

The cars of the west bound passenger train ran into an open switch as they came into this city this morning and two cars were derailed. Owing to the train being at slow speed no damage was done.

The Dalles has not been favored with a theatrical company for some considerable time. With a fine opera house and a people that will cheerfully patronize meritorious entertainments it should not be such a long distance between them.

An order was made to put the Baker on the route between this city and the Cascades on the 17th but was cancelled the next day. To save expenses would it not be economy to abandon the trains on account of a few inches of snow on the track?

The snow storm that visited this section last Saturday night was general over Eastern Oregon and Washington. The depth of fall here was twelve inches and gave a precipitation of ninety-five one-hundredths of an inch of melted snow.

The passenger train that left here for the west about 10 o'clock this morning was derailed not far from Wyeth, injuring several passengers. There is a rumor that three or four were killed. Dr. Doane, the company's surgeon, left here about 2 o'clock for the scene of the wreck.

Mr. L. Payette has leased the Larsen Hay and Grain barn, on the corner of Madison and Second streets, and has changed it into a blacksmith shop, putting into it two forges. This makes another addition to East End. That part of the city is making some important improvements and changes preparatory for an active season of business.

At a regular meeting of the Masonic Veteran Association of the Pacific coast, held in San Francisco Thursday, the 12th inst., it was unanimously resolved to celebrate at Portland or Oregon City on the 23d of September next, the fortieth anniversary of the organization of the Most Worshipful Lodge of Free and Accepted Masons of the State of Oregon, in conjunction with the said grand lodge.

Sneak thieves are at work around the churches. A silk umbrella was stolen from the Congregational church last evening during service. A man who would do as mean a thing as that would steal the pennies from off his dead mother's eyes, and kick the corpse because they were not quarters. The wretch should have the umbrella shoved down his throat and opened. There is no hope of recovering the stolen article for the place the thief is to go is so hot that the umbrella will burn up.

Mr. A. W. Branner, the proprietor of the stage line, running out to Prineville, came in over the road last evening. Mr. Branner says the storm of the past few days has favored the interior with a good depth of snow; in some places it is two and a half feet deep, and has fallen on unfrozen ground, with the exception of the higher points. He thinks the outlook for an abundant growth of grass and a large harvest of cereals was never better and with reasonable facilities for transportation and cheaper freights, the country is all right.

THE CREED OF THE BELLS.

A Brief Resume of Religious Exercises Yesterday.

CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH.

Despite the fact that the pastor was suffering from a severe sore throat he preached two eloquent sermons yesterday to fair sized audiences. Mr. Curtis took for his morning discourse the words found in James I, verse 27, "Pure Religion and undefiled." The speaker said if we asked a man his idea of first rate farming the answer would be as various as were the ideas of the men asked. Over 300 years ago rules for different kinds of farming were published and since that time books and magazines and papers devoted to farming have sprung into existence. The man that does not believe in book farming rubs up against the man that does and obtains and makes use of his ideas, and so the world progresses.

If we asked what was pure religion we would be answered in as many different ways. There are many great precious facts of religion that have been freighted with peace and joy. As with the farmer it is the fruits that tell the truth of right methods. "By their fruits ye shall know them." The prophet tells us that the head of our religion is a "Father." The world has been slow to accept that conception, but when it does take that human word it seems to come into a closer relation to the deity. One drop of God's mercy comes down and sweetens the life of the worst of us. Human weakness and despair is often God's opportunity to bring men to him. In the evening Mr. Curtis preached on the life and lessons of Washington, and made his address a patriotic one. It was an excellent sermon but we have not the space for a synopsis.

AT THE BAPTIST CHURCH.

The Rev. Mr. Cowden, Missionary of the Christian churches of Oregon and Washington held service at the Baptist church of this city yesterday. The talented preacher took both morning and evening themes from 1st and 2nd chapters of 1st Hebrews. The evening service was a continuation of the morning discourse, and both were very interesting. Mr. Cowden is a forcible speaker and those who listened to him were much taken with the charms of his manners and his eloquence. It was his intention to have remained for a few days and held services at this place, but as he did not desire to interfere with the meetings now under way at the M. E. church, he postponed his work here until some future time.

AT THE M. E. CHURCH.

Rev. Mr. Craven, of Clark M. E. Church, North Portland, occupied the pulpit in the morning, making the story of the rich man and Lazarus the basis of an interesting and profitable discourse.

The evangelist, Rev. Connolly, preached a forcible sermon in the evening, taking for his text the words of Pilate: "What shall we do with Jesus?"

Thirty were received on probation during the day, one united by certificate and six were baptized.

The interest is unabated. Rev. Mr. Spaulding is expected back tonight. The revival will probably close next Thursday.

Court Notes.

The case of the Hood River Ditch & Water Co. vs Parker was on trial this forenoon before Judge Webster. The case involves a valuable water right.

A decree of divorce was granted in the case of McNamee vs. McNamee on Saturday. The testimony was taken in open court.

W. Lair Hill, F. P. Mays, Zera Snow and W. McCamant attorneys, and C. H. Sholes, stenographer, who have been in attendance upon court, went to Portland on Saturday's delayed train.

In the case of Conlon vs. the Railway Co. the jury, after being out about six hours brought in a verdict late Saturday evening, for the plaintiff for thirty five hundred dollars. It was a surprise to every one who listened to the trial as it was generally supposed the plaintiff would get about one thousand. The Railway company has hard luck with Wasco county juries.

Some Fine Specimens.

Mr. John Filloon of this city has shown the CHRONICLE some very handsome specimens of slate and coal which were brought in by Mr. A. C. Sanford from Rowe creek about twelve miles from the Fossil section. The slate is exceedingly handsome and has the marks of leaves and ferns stamped all over it. In the lot is some quartz that bears strong indications of lead and silver, which should be developed. The coal is of an excellent quality and has no doubt value. We hope that Mr. Sanford will follow up the discoveries that he has made.

City Treasurer's Notice.

All City Warrants registered prior to July 6, 1889 are now due and payable. Interest ceases on and after date.

J. S. FISH, City Treas.

A prominent physician and old army surgeon in eastern Iowa, was called away from home for a few days; during his absence one of the children contracted a severe cold and his wife bought a bottle of Chamberlin's Cough Remedy for it. They were so much pleased that they afterwards used several bottles at various times. He said, from experience with it, he regarded it as the most reliable preparation in use for colds and that it came the nearest being a specific of any medicine he had ever seen. For sale by Snipes & Kinersly.

A SUDDEN DEATH.

Mr. Joseph Whitmer Dies from Heart Disease This Morning.

Mr. Joseph Whitmer an honored and respected gentleman and father of Mrs. George W. Filloon of this city died at Mr. Filloon's residence at 4 o'clock this morning. The deceased came here about a month ago to pay a visit to his daughter. He has been in his customary good health during his sojourn here and last evening stated at about 7 o'clock to attend service at the M. E. church. On the way there he was seized by a painful heart attack and turned back home. Dr. Hollister was at once called and he administered such relief as was possible, but at 4 o'clock this morning after a night of suffering he passed over to the other side.

Mr. Whitmer came to Oregon with his family twelve years ago and settled at Sheridan, Yamhill county. He was from Ohio and at the time of his death, he 56 years of age. He passed the summer here two years ago and had many warm friends in The Dalles and wherever he was known. His was by religious faith a Presbyterian and a consistent christian at all times. He was a sweet life and his reward is awaiting him.

Mrs. George Filloon is the only one of his children living here. At Spokane Falls there is a daughter, Mrs. J. J. Marshall. In Tacoma there are two more daughters of the deceased, Mrs. J. J. Agnew and Miss Sadie Whitmer. He leaves two sons: Charles, who is in the railway mail service running out of Portland and U. T. Whitmer residing in Iowa. The body will be taken tomorrow to Sheiden for burial. Mr. Whitmer was loved by all who knew him, and his death will be sincerely mourned.

Hood River Items.

From the Glacier.

It is expected that some of our mills will start up about March 1st.

Robert McLean purchased of Mr. Watson of The Dalles a fine large span of horses for logging purposes which were brought down overland by Mr. Watson, Monday.

Joseph A. Wilson took the plats of the blocks in Parkhurst, laid off in town lots by Messrs. MacEachern & MacLeod and C. G. Roberts, to The Dalles Friday morning.

An eight-horse team hauling the boiler for the sash and door factory arrived in Thursday morning from Parker's mill. The Townsite company have given the Stranahan Bros. a lease of the lots where the factory stands, for two years, with the privilege of buying them at the end of that time for a stated sum.

One day this week some dogs chased three deer into the Columbia on the White Salmon side, which were seen by an Indian and having his boat and gun near started in pursuit. He fired several shots, missing them, and in the mean time had paddled up so near the last one that he could have caught it by the ears and cut its throat but did not seem to think of this, but kept trying to reload the gun. When this was accomplished the deer had made good their escape going up the bank and disappearing near the Stanley place.

Captain A. S. Blowers appointed the following officers last week for G Company: L. N. Blowers Sergeant, Sergeants James B. Hunt, Chas. Earley, T. L. Donoho, Wm. Yates, Eph. Winans, Corporals Robt. McLean, D. Olinger, L. E. Morse, Frank Neff, Treasurer Ed. Miller, Recruiting Committee Lieutenant A. Winans, A. Oiler, C. L. Morse. The boys are turning their whole attention to drilling, using at present the hall over Blowers & Crowells' store for that purpose, but expect to drill there for the last time tonight, having rented the building now occupied by S. E. Bartness as a furniture store. This building they will use until they are able to build an Army which we hope will be in the near future. Col. Houghton was here from The Dalles Saturday and says the equipments will arrive in a day or two. The Company will give a military ball in the near future. Saturday night has been fixed for regular drill.

HOTEL ARRIVALS.

- UMATILLA HOUSE. Chas. E. Morrison, Albina. J. Wilson, " Samuel Tucker, " G. Albright, " H. Pickney, " G. P. Towne, Portland. Harry Harris, " Louis Dellenhoeffer, Portland. J. B. Thomson, " K. I. McQuarrie, " W. H. Crosby, " H. A. Carter, " Mrs. C. M. Harter, " Thos. J. Stephens, Liberty, Oregon. Jas. R. Milux, Butte, Mont. G. V. Lane, Antelope. Dick Barker, Nansene. Geo. Topiana, Great Co. Emile Straub, Caleb. A. W. Branner, C. O. & I. Stage Co. H. A. Goddard, San Francisco.

On Hand.

J. M. Huntington & Co. announce that they are prepared to make out the necessary papers for parties wishing to file on so called railroad land. Applicants should have their papers all ready before going to the land office so as to avoid the rush and save time. Their office is in Opera House Block next to main entrance.

Why does a man always call for a "dressed chicken" at the market when he would not have it at all if the clothes were on?

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Get your land papers prepared by J. M. Huntington & Co. Opera House Block, Washington St.

Sliced hams, boneless hams, ham sausage and dried fish at Central Market.

The best fitting pantaloons of the latest style are made by John Pashek in Opera House block on Third street.

2379 is the cough syrup for children.

Get me a cigar from that fine case at Snipes & Kinersly's.

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The question has been asked, "In what respect are St. Patrick's Pills better than any other?" Try them. You will find that they produce a pleasanter cathartic effect, are more certain in their action, and that they not only physic but cleanse the whole system and regulate the liver and bowels. For sale at 25 cents per box by Snipes & Kinersly.

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Prosecuting Variety Theater Proprietors

SEATTLE, Feb. 21.—Joseph Watkins and John Conside, the proprietors of the People's theater, where the prize-fight occurred two weeks ago, in which George Shafer was killed, have been arraigned in the criminal court charged with encouraging and managing the fight. Today they began their dilatory tactics by demurring the information on technical grounds for the purpose of delaying their trial. Public sentiment is very unfavorable to them at present, and they are seeking for time in hopes that the prejudice may be allayed.

Parnell Declared Leader.

LONDON, Feb. 19.—The Cork National League has adopted a resolution declaring Parnell to be the sole leader of the Irish people at home and abroad. An anti-Parnellite, who dissented and was in the way of the resolution being made unanimous, was hustled out of the door until the resolutions had been adopted, then he was readmitted. It is said Timothy Healy, having been asked to advance a sum of money for the McCarthy cause, found an excuse for not doing so, although amply able.

Used as a Scapegoat.

LONDON, Feb. 20.—Sadler, the alleged murderer of "Carrotty Nell," has written a letter to the London Star, claiming to be innocent and that the police, determined to fasten on someone as a scapegoat for the Whitechapel tragedies, have apparently selected him and persistently ignored all facts tending to show his innocence. The Star has engaged counsel to defend Sadler, who is without means to defend himself and proposes to see that no injustice is done him. The belief in Sadler's innocence is growing.

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