

The Dalles Daily Chronicle.

MONDAY, - - - MARCH 9, 1891

METEOROLOGICAL REPORT.

Pacific Coast	BAR.	TEMP.	RELATIVE HUM.	D. W. OF WIND.	RAIN.	STATE OF WEATHER.
8 A. M. ...	29.98	37	78	West	.04	Pt Cl'dy
3 P. M. ...	29.95	46	60			

—Indicates below 0.
Maximum temperature, 48; minimum temperature, 30.
Total precipitation from July up to date, 6.35; average precipitation from July to date, 12.13; average deficiency from July 1st to date, 5.78.

WEATHER PROBABILITIES.

THE DALLES, March 9, 1891.
FAIR Weather forecast till 12 m., Tuesday; light rain. Nearly stationary temperature.

The Chronicle is the Only Paper in The Dalles that Receives the Associated Press Dispatches.

LOCAL BREVITIES.

Hon. F. P. Mays is in the city.
Diphtheria still continues to claim its victims; Pendleton.

Three feet of snow is reported at Sandy, Clackamas county.
Jack Daley is in the city, figuring on the prospects of starting a foundry.

Mr. Simmons, with Snipes & Kinerly, returned from Portland this morning.
Mr. T. W. Sparks has severed his connection with the firm of A. M. Williams & Co.

Mr. S. L. Brooks has been confined to the house today by a severe attack of neuralgia.
W. E. Gilhouse, of Nansene has sold out his sheep interest to his partner Mr. Wakefield.

Miss Sadie Whitner left this morning for Albany, which place she intends to make her home.

Chas. E. Haight has gone to spend a few days at the ranch of Kerr & Buckley, Shearer's Bridge.

Justice Schutes was sick yesterday, but we are pleased to hear he is better this morning.

The CHRONICLE extends its thanks to Mr. Davenport of the *Times-Mountain* for courtesies received.

Six cars of beef cattle from the Grand Ronde are being fed at the stock yards. Their destiny is Portland.

An Astoria Cannery Co., contemplates building a cannery near The Dalles in the spring. So says the *Astoria Express*.

The cat on the bluff are suffering from bad poisoning, administered subcutaneously, from a double barreled shot gun.

The Prince of Wales was again elected, a few days ago, to be worshipful grand master of the English Freemasons.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Oeff returned this morning from Portland, where they have been, for a short time, visiting friends.

Sheriff Cates had a telegram from Deputy Sheriff Furnish Saturday evening saying that the colored porter, who did the shooting at Pendleton the other day, had been arrested at Portland.

W. H. Davis, of Wapinitia, delivered today, to A. A. Bonny, 45 head of beef steers, averaging 1184 pounds each, at 3 1/2 per pound. They were contracted for a month ago, and Mr. Bonny ships them to Portland market.

The Catholic bishops of Down, Connor and Droghda, has issued a letter to the members of his diocese which, practically, threatens the supporters of Parnell with excommunication.

The thanks of this community is due to the Oregon delegation for the prompt manner in which they secured, from congress the right of way for our portage road, over the government grounds at the Cascades.

A new addition to this city has just been surveyed and staked out, about a mile west of Mill creek. The surveying has been done and the lots, staked and all, to show for themselves, but just who did it—that's the question.

The steamer "Baker" came up the river, from her winter quarters, this morning. It will be a great relief to Jay Gould to hear that she has passed through the winter unscathed. It is more than three months since she was tied up "for fear of the ice" that never came.

Yesterday Robert Mays & Sons received at the stock yard in this city 17 carloads of yearling cattle from the Willamette valley. The intention is to take the cattle on the range as soon as the snow is off. They were shipped from near Harrisburg and are from the Snodgrass Brothers.

Astoria has a "Scandinavian Bathing Society." The idea is good. John Wesley is credited with the aphorism, "Cleanliness is next to Godliness," but the CHRONICLE wonders if we are to infer that no one in Astoria ever washes himself unless he belongs to a bathing society.

Senator Hilton has written to the Fossil *Journal*, in answer to charges made in that paper that the representatives from Gilliam county would find it hard to explain their action in regard to a bill for the regulation of the salary of the Gilliam county stock inspector. The senator explains that he introduced a bill, which has become a law, which provides that the county court of Gilliam county may regulate the salary themselves.

THEY FOUGHT WITH GUNS.

A Desperate Duel at the Cascade Locks.

Mike McCormack is one of Major Handbury's stone masons at the Cascades and possesses the reputation of being very handy with his fists in a sort of John L. Sullivan style. Lately a barber by the name of Parr came to the Cascades to assist in absorbing some of the money this great government is dispensing among the classic precincts, and claimed to be able to put anybody to sleep in short order with the hands with which he so deftly uses the razor. Both men smelt blood in the air, and wanted to fight, and the bad feeling resulted in a fight in which revolvers took the place of the hands that nature had given them for defense. Saturday afternoon they met in a saloon and after some few words adjourned to the street, and both being armed, opened fire at a distance of about thirty feet. Both men emptied their guns. McCormack was hit once by his opponent, the bullet going through the upper portion of the bowels and just touching the liver and coming out through his back. It is an ugly wound and may result in his death. Parr was hit three times, twice in the groin and once in the breast. Neither of his wounds are serious. Both men are under the doctor's care. The only arrest growing out of it was of a young man named Thompson, who gave Parr some cartridges after the shooting and attempted to get him across the Columbia in a small boat. Deputy Sheriff Traua brought Thompson to The Dalles yesterday. He will be taken back to the Cascades today for preliminary examination. The shooting occurred at about 3 o'clock Saturday and made a good deal of excitement at the Cascades, but all is quiet again now.

The Pendleton Shooting.

There is something mysterious about the shooting affair which took place at Pendleton, about nine o'clock last Friday night, in which the colored porter of the Pullman car "Sampan" figured and whom Sheriff Cates tried to arrest in this city Saturday forenoon. The *East Oregonian* has this to say about the affair: "It appears that the darkey was first stopped by two unknown men, he drove them off with his revolver and was then fired at and chased by a third party unknown. This is all any one knows, and a mystery is presented which has not been solved. Perhaps all will come out in the washing. It is supposed the first two were 'hobos,' and assaulted the porter who had some money on his person, for the purpose of robbery; that the third man who followed and shot at him had another purpose in view, and was not acting in concert with them."

In the fusillade (for about nine shots were fired) a stray bullet struck engineer Ruhnake in the side, inflicting a flesh wound which, however is not serious. If the porter was merely defending himself from being "held up," as is supposed, it is rather singular that he should hide himself from the officers who sought his arrest.

PRE-EMPTORS ARE SAFE.

Persons Who Are Already in Possession Can Remain.

THE DALLES, Or., March 9, 1891.

The following copy of a telegram from the Hon. Com., G. L. O., was received by Hon. A. Chaver, register U. S. land office at La Grande on the 7th inst. and by him sent to the register at this office:

WASHINGTON, D. C., March 7.—3:30 p. m.—Pre-emption filings may be accepted when settlement is alleged prior to March 3, 1891, date of approval of repealing act, if offered in time after settlement. Signed LEWIS A. GROFF, Commissioner.

This gives applicants who have made settlement on or before March 3, 1891, ninety days in which to make D. S. This does not apply to the forfeited lands, which are not subject to pre-emption.

JOHN W. LEWIS, Register.

Almanac Weather.

The following prognostications of the weather is taken from *Word and Works*. The calculations are based on calculation made by astrology and are published to show how nearly correct calculations can be made by that science.

March.—The 1st and 2d are reactionary days. Storms may be expected, after which and up to the 5th or 6th, it will be very cold. From the 6th to 10th is a regular storm period, during which violent storms from the south will clash with snow storms from the west and north. Watch them. Cold will follow. Warmer, with storms on and next to the 13th. From the 17th to 20th is a period intensified by Venus, Vulcan, Mercury, and Moon's last quarter with Earth at Equinox. Violent disturbances generally, and especially on coasts and seas. An intense and far-reaching cold wave will fill the time up to reactionary days central on 25th. The last period for March on the 30th, and will run into April.

HOTEL ARRIVALS.

UMATILLA HOUSE.

W. A. Hendrix, Dufur.
W. H. Dufur, "
Zeba Marvin, Kingsley.
G. W. Ames, Union.
E. E. Conley, "
J. P. "
John Tranna, Cascade Locks.

There is a charming delicacy in the gentle allusions of the Baker City *Reveille*, in the following paragraph, which explains itself:

Mr. Mellis ordered the *Daily Reveille* discontinued. This action will not have the tendency to make his ears look smaller than formerly. His mouth will also remain as usual.

THE HOUSE OF GOD.

CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH.

A large number of persons listened to pastor Curtis at the morning service preach from John 15:4. He said we are largely creatures of habit. The most of us get into a rut and live apparently to no purpose. Life settles itself into certain lines and no progress is made. Raising higher requires an impulse which must spring from a heart that is filled more or less with kindness. Many men commit flagrant sins and yet are subject to good impulses—they desire to be and do good while they act exactly in an opposite direction. The impulse for good is one of the glimmerings of the divine spark, and even guilty wicked men are subject to it, but the spark does not become a flame. To become a true christian requires something more than impulse. It means getting out of the rut, it means work and determination to do, to strive, to labor upward and onward. It must be principle which holds own against temptation where impulse it will give way. Another and the closing thought was that while God showers many of his blessings upon us without our asking them, it is nevertheless true that he reserves the choicest for those that humbly ask them, and they are to be had only by striving to be his children and living closely to him.

A Baker City barber during the dull season has to resort to all methods of turning an honest quarter and this is how he does it. A gentleman came in to get a shave and took a chair. The barber commenced operations and soon had one side of his customer's face shaved when a second gentleman came in, expressing his desire to be shaved quickly. Leaving customer number one, the artist commenced on number two and soon had one cheek as smooth as a 'fifty-three quarter' without the darts. At this moment a third customer came in and desired a 'hair cut' in a hurry. The knight of the razor asked if customer number three wanted a close cut. Receiving an affirmative reply, he ran the clippers from the nape of the neck to the eyebrows, remarking at the finish, "I guess you will wait now." He then commenced with his first customer and soon was the happy possessor of three bright two bit pieces.—*Oregon Blade*.

Two young gentlemen made a raid, last night, on the chicken roost of an old grand army man, on the bluff. The old soldier had ingeniously fixed a cow bell, so that the least tampering with the door would give him notice. So he set the trap and lay quietly in wait. About eleven o'clock the bell was rung, there were two dull thuds made by a short piece of six inch plank in the hand of the old soldier, on the head and back of the chicken thieves and in an instant they were gone, but the chickens remained. What an old soldier doesn't know about chicken-stealing isn't worth knowing.

Jail Delivery.

From the stage driver from Golden-dale we learn that a prisoner by the name of Beck, who was confined in the county jail at that place for attempting rape, sawed off two of the bars and escaped about 3 o'clock yesterday afternoon. After gaining his liberty he stole a horse belonging to Mr. Vanhay and skipped the country. Two other prisoners whose terms were almost served out, refused to accompany him. At last reports he had not been captured.

Last Call—Last Chance.

Messrs. Livermore & Andrews the makers of the luxurious easy chairs at 77 Court street, hereby give notice that they will close out their business on April 1st. Parties wanting chairs should give their orders in at once in order to have them made before we close out.

LIVERMORE & ANDREWS.

After all the fuss, made some years ago over the Dilke-Crawford divorce case, Sir Charles Dilke has announced himself a candidate for a seat in the English house of commons.

Last Tuesday was an eventful day for Fossil. First City election; signing of contracts for a fine 50-barrel roller flour mill; arrangements perfected for making the preliminary survey of the proposed railroad from The Dalles to the Fossil coal mines, and the admission of the Union Pacific expert that this is the best coal in the northwest.—*Fossil Journal*.

Sheep buyers will soon invade our county, and persons who have sheep to sell will doubtless realize a fair price for them. We understand that \$2 for yearling sheep and \$2.50 for two-year-olds and over has already been paid in Morrow county.—*Grant Co. News*.

Those who are claiming that Brazilian reciprocity will not amount to anything should notice that mass-meeting of alarmed English manufacturers at Manchester, who say the measure will inevitably result in cutting off a large part of their trade unless they are given similar advantages.—*Inter Ocean*.

Take Due Notice.

At Eastman's Gallery cor. Second and Federal Sts., O. M. Pope has just returned from Portland and is prepared to do all kinds of View and Portrait Work. Proofs shown and satisfaction guaranteed. All work done 10 per cent cheaper than any other Gallery this side of Portland. CALL at the Gallery before having work done and be CONVINCED.

Those easy chairs made by Livermore & Andrews are the neatest thing of the kind ever made. They are just the thing for your porch or lawn in the summer, and are as comfortable and easy as an old shoe. Call and see them at 77 Court street.

Will Langille arrived home Saturday, bringing a series of fine views of Mt. Hood taken by McAlpine. We understand he visited Cloud Cap Inn, during the week.—*The Glacier*.

Real Estate Transactions.

Annie J. Fitzgerald and John Fitzgerald, to Matilda Baldwin. Parts of lots 8 and 9 in block 1 of Dalles City, proper. Consideration \$268,000.

Owing to the mild winter there was a saving of a ton and a half of coal to every coal stove. Now if we should have a late spring the wear and tear of overcoats and flannels will offset the saving of coal. Nature always makes even. What a family saves on feeding the children green apples, must be paid out for Jamaica ginger and mustard plasters.—*Astoria Express*.

Mr. Thornburn came in from Kingsley this morning. He reports eighteen inches of snow, but says he never had sheep in as fine condition before, at this time of the year.

Deputy United States Marshal Johnson arrived this morning on the delayed overland train with five prisoners, to be examined before commissioner Huntington, under the charge of breaking into and robbing the postoffice at Blalock.

There were no services in the Catholic church, yesterday, on account of the absence of Father Broegeest. He left for Portland on Saturday.

CHRONICLE SHORT STOPS.

For coughs and colds use 2379.
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Two more girls wanted at Haworth & Thurman's Employment Bureau.

C. E. Dunham will cure your headache, cough or pain for 50 cents. S. B.

For a cut, bruise, burn or scald, there is nothing equal to Chamberlain's Pain Balm. It heals the parts more quickly than any other application, and unless the injury is very severe, no scar is left. For sale by Snipes & Kinerly.

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

J. E. McCormick is organizing a singing school in the city. Parties wishing to join the class will please call on Mr. Thos. McCoy at McCoy Bros.' barber shop.

Snipes & Kinerly are anxious to cure your headache for 50 cents. S. B.

Sliced hams, boneless hams, ham sausage and dried fish at Central Market. 2379 is the cough syrup for children.

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

You need not cough! Blakeley & Houghton will cure it for 50 cents. S. B.

As the weather has been so bad for the past few days, the artist at Eastman's gallery has concluded to continue the reduced prices for Paris panels one week longer. Pictures taken until March 7th at half price.

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.

City Treasurer's Notice.

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

February 7, 1891. J. S. FISH, City Treas.

For Sale.

Household furniture, Carpets, ect., at the residence of Mrs. B. Robberson, No. 210, Second street.

California appears to have a tough time of it. Ships narrowly escape destruction from storms, in which many are drowned off San Francisco, and a great part of the state is flooded, entailing a heavy loss. Here in Oregon, where smooth waters and sunny skies prevail, all is peace and happiness. The only storms we know anything about are the paper "cyclones" that Mr. Finley, of San Francisco, daily discovers.—*Astorian*.

The first big political fight of '91 will be fought in Ohio next summer. McKinley will be nominated for governor of the Buckeye state by the republicans, and the tariff will be the issue. The silver question is not, nor can it be made one. Both are nearly matters of geography, but the tariff is pre-eminently a party issue.

Japan's thirty-three million acres of land support a population of thirty-four million.

The city of Seattle has a total indebtedness over a million and a half.

FLOURING MILL TO LEASE.

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