

METEOROLOGICAL REPORT.

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WEATHER PROBABILITIES. THE DALLES, April 9, 1891. Weather: forecast till 12 m., Friday: light rain. Slightly warmer.

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

LOCAL BREVITIES.

Ralph E. Enichard of Walla Walla is visiting Drum Major J. P. FitzGerald of this city.

Colonel Houghton went to Pendleton on the 7th to straighten out some tangle in the new company G of that city.

Those who enjoy tripping the light fantastic toe should not forget the social dance tomorrow evening at the gymnasium hall.

County assessor Barnett will leave this city to make his annual county assessment about Tuesday next.

We are sorry to hear that stock inspector C. W. Rice has been quite poorly for the past two or three weeks and is, today, confined to the house.

Mr. C. C. Bunnell, of Lewiston, Idaho, brother of A. Bunnell of this city, arrived here this morning in consequence of the illness of Mrs. Bunnell.

The city of Pendleton has by ordinance fixed the price of saloon licenses at \$275 for six months, or \$550 a year, a result of boycotting the East Oregonian.

Mrs. Z. M. Bunnell, of Ellensburg, Wash., arrived here on this morning's train in answer to a telegram announcing the serious illness of her mother.

The Astorian says there is only one newspaper man in the state penitentiary. How many ought to be there the paper does not say.

The sheep raising industry never had a brighter outlook in this country than at present. There were no losses during the winter, the clip this spring will be large and of fine quality, and the prices of both wool and mutton have an upward tendency.

A private letter from Kingsley to this office says: "They are all busy in the fields here and either plowing or sowing. The nights are unusually cold and the grass is not growing. I am afraid we are going to have a backward spring. The ground is drying out very fast."

Complaints are made at this office that persons who have trimmed or cut down their fruit trees because of their being infested with the fruit pest, very frequently have the infested branches sent down to the river bank, to lie in the sun and breed more pests. Why not, it is asked, burn them at once, and get rid of both the pest and the branches?

Farming is encroaching on the stock ranges throughout Wyoming, the Dakotas, Montana, Texas and in fact nearly everywhere, therefore the prices which meats will command in the future must be higher than they have been in past years. With this state of affairs existing, now is certainly a good time to engage in stock raising, and those who go into cattle and sheep raising now must derive profits from the business in the future.

Ochoco Review. The annual meeting of the Kellipie Lawn Tennis Club, was held last evening at the residence of Mr. J. M. Patterson. The officers elected for the ensuing year are Messrs. N. C. Wilson, President; I. N. Campbell Vice President; L. D. Ainsworth, Secretary and Treasurer. The club court is in excellent condition, and the members are anticipating a very pleasant season.

Isaac Joles has discovered and located, a few miles west of this city and near the mouth of Chenoweth creek, a ledge of quartz that according to the opinion of old miners who have seen samples of the rock, gives evidence of very great richness in silver bearing qualities. Mr. Joles, today forwarded samples of the rock to Denver, Colorado to have it tested and assayed. We shall be pleased to find that West Dalles has added a silver mine to its other attractions.

Albany, in Linn county, is nearly as far from Portland as is The Dalles, but wheat is worth in Albany 72 cents, while in The Dalles it brings only 62½ cents. The difference of 7½ cents will not infrequently represent all the surplus profit left to the farmer after all expenses are paid, and is accounted for by the fact that Albany has what The Dalles has not, "an open river to the sea."

One of the prettiest and most pleasing entertainments ever given in this city, was the Grecian Tableau, which took place in the Vogt Grand last Wednesday evening. Miss Grubbs had so thoroughly trained the young ladies, that the whole programme of constantly changing scenes went through without hitch and the entire number of tableaux were recalled by the audience. Next Saturday evening will be the last chance our citizens will have for seeing these tableaux and every seat in the Vogt Grand should be filled.

A Poet Incognito.

A circular letter has been placed in our hands addressed to the "Rev. Joseph MacEachern," by the only original and genuine Joe MacEachern in these parts, which in part reads as follows: "As your name has been handed in to us as an occasional writer of poetry we desire you to forward us at your earliest convenience a few of your short poems, and you will be given a fair representation in 'Local and National Poets of America,' of a short sketch and one or more selections from your poems." The letter is written from an eastern town, where, it would seem Mr. MacEachern is better known than he is here, but it is very surprising to us and very complimentary to his extreme modesty that during an eight years residence in The Dalles he should have been able to conceal the fact that he is not only a "retired minister" but a poet to boot. It will be readily admitted that Mr. MacEachern paid the writings of the CHRONICLE man a very high compliment when we inform our readers that he wanted to borrow our modest little threnody entitled "An Epitaph" which he desired to send to writer, in lieu of one of his own productions, so that through the renown he would be sure to receive by assuming its authorship he might shine the more brightly in the galaxy of "The Local and National Poets of America."

How Oregon Was Named. At a banquet given in Portland the other night Barney Goldsmith said that the name Oregon was derived from an Irishman named O'Regan, who first discovered this country and named it after himself. He said he first learned this fact from Geo. Knaggs, of The Dalles "a most truthful man who settled at The Dalles about the year 1830, who lives there yet, hale and hearty and as truthful as ever," and who informed Mr. Goldsmith that he was a passenger in the ship commanded by Sir Francis Drake in the early part of 1579. Mr. Goldsmith further testifies that Knaggs came out to this country to hunt and fish and that while the early settlers were sometimes given to exaggeration, Knaggs was not one of that kind, and is not liable to have made a mistake. All this may be new to the people of Portland but it is very old up this way.

DIED. In this city at her home on Alford Avenue this morning. Mrs. Marguerite Booth, wife of J. R. Booth. Mrs. Booth was born at Idle, near Bradford, England in 1830. She came to America with her parents at the age of 13. She was married to Mr. Booth at Wheeling, W. Virginia in 1866; she came to The Dalles with her husband in 1878 where both since resided. She leaves two daughters and a husband to mourn her loss. Mrs. Booth united with the Baptist church in this city in the year 1886. She has always been a true wife, a faithful mother and a consistent christian. The funeral will take place at the Baptist Church tomorrow, Friday afternoon, at 2 o'clock p. m. All are cordially invited.

AS TO THAT NAME. THE DALLES, Or., April 9, 1891. EDITOR CHRONICLE: In your paper of the 7th inst., you suggest the name of "Governor Pennoyer" for the new boat and commend the same as that individual has been such an advocate of an open river. Yes, so he has, as far as words go but how does his works show? What has he done for our portage road in all this time since the act was passed? I will venture very little but to get wound up in Handbury's "government red tape" why not christen her "The People?" ONE OF THE PEOPLE.

The biggest haul Marshal Gibbons ever made he made this morning about 8 o'clock. A young fellow, who had been painting the town a bright vermilion all last night, was this morning arrested at the East End. When arrested he was simply fighting drunk and gave the marshal considerable trouble to bring him to the cooler. The excitement connected with his arrest and his vigorous struggles attracted a crowd of about twenty persons who followed the marshal and his prisoner through the corridor of the city jail to the inside. The marshal and Sam Thurman, who was in the rear, quietly stepped back and locked the crowd in, but General J. H. Jackson effected their delivery through a side door. The drunk, however, was retained.

It is rumored that W. Lord contemplates levelling the rim-rock at the bluff on Washington street and building a fine residence on the ground. It is certainly one of the handsomest building sites in The Dalles.

"The fluder by proving property on Third street, and paying for this ad can return it."

The foregoing notice was attached to a key, and hung up beside the delivery window at the postoffice today, and is somewhat uncertain in its meaning.

Velarde Brothers are today moving the old office building of The Dalles Mill and Water company to the vacant space north of the old county court house.

The rush that took place at the land office on last Monday has quite subsided, and little more than ordinary business is being transacted.

William E. Campbell of Eight Mile and Austin Rice of Boyd are registered at the Umatilla house.

What is the proper length of ladies' crinolines? A little over two feet.

CHRONICLE SHORT STOPS.

You need not cough! Blakeley & Houghton will cure it for 50 cents. S. B. D. Van Horn, the old reliable piano tuner, is in the city on his regular tour. Orders for tuning may be left at I. C. Nickelsen.

The drug store of C. E. Dunham, deceased, is now open and will be so continued until further notice.

For coughs and colds use 2379. Does S. B. get there? "I should smile," S. B.

The celebrated Walter H. Tenny Boston mens' and boys' shoes in all styles carried by The Bates Boot and Shoe company at Brooks & Beers old stand.

C. E. Dunham will cure your headache, cough or pain for 50 cents. S. B. Get your land papers prepared by J. M. Huntington & Co. Opera House Block, Washington St.

Snipes & Kinersley are anxious to cure your headache for 50 cents. S. B. 2379 is the cough syrup for children.

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

Is Disease a Punishment? The following advertisement, published by a prominent western patent medicine house would indicate that they regard disease as a punishment for sin: "Do you wish to know the quickest way to cure a fever cold? We will tell you. To cure a cold quickly, it must be treated before the cold has become settled in the system. This can always be done if you choose to, as nature in her kindness to man gives timely warning and plainly tells you in nature's way, that as a punishment for some indiscretion, you are to be afflicted with a cold unless you choose to ward it off by prompt action. The first symptoms of a cold, in most cases, is a dry, loud cough and sneezing. The cough is soon followed by a profuse watery expectation and the sneezing by a profuse watery discharge from the nose. In severe cases there is a thin white coating on the tongue. What to do? It is only necessary to take Chamberlain's Cough Remedy in double doses every hour. That will greatly lessen the severity of the cold, and in most cases will effectually counteract it, and cure what would have been a severe cold within one or two days' time. Try it and be convinced." Fifty cent bottles for sale by Snipes & Kinersley, druggists.

FORFEITED RAILROAD LANDS. We are now ready to prepare papers for the filing and entry of Railroad Lands for sale to business before the U. S. Land Office and Secretary of the Interior. Persons for whom we have prepared papers and who are required to renew their applications, will not be charged additional for such papers. THORNBURY & HUDSON, Rooms 8 and 9, Land Office building, The Dalles, Oregon.

The Best Cough Medicine. "One of my customers came in today and asked me for the best cough medicine I had," says Lew Young, a prominent druggist of Newman Grove, Neb. "Of course I showed him Chamberlain's Cough Remedy and he did not ask to see any other. I have never yet sold a medicine that would loosen and relieve a severe cold so quickly as that does. I have sold for a doctor, in within the last sixty days, and do not know of a single case where it failed to give the most perfect satisfaction." 50 cent bottles for sale by Snipes & Kinersley, druggists.

Notice to tax payers. All state and county taxes, become delinquent April 1st. Taxpayers are hereby requested to pay the same before that date in order to avoid going on the delinquent list. The county court has ordered the sale of all property in which the taxes have not been paid. Please call and settle before the time mentioned and save costs. D. L. CATES, Sheriff of Wasco County.

FOR SALE. A choice lot of brood mares; also a number of geldings and fillies by "Rockwood Jr.," "Eliator," "Oregon Whiskies," and "Idaho Chief," same standard bred. Also three fine young stallions by "Rockwood Jr.," out of first class mares. For prices and terms call on or address either J. W. Condon, or J. H. Larsen, The Dalles, Oregon.

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.

Merino Sheep for Sale. I have a fine band of thorough bred Merino sheep consisting of 87 bucks, about 34 ewes and about 290 young lambs, which will sell at a low price and upon easy terms. Address, D. M. FRENCH, The Dalles, Or.

The Kicker Against Hard Times. Hepper Gazette: The rancher who stays in town playing whiskey games when he ought to be rustling, is the hardest kicker. We know that times are hard and that crops have been short, but what on earth can one expect who don't even try to make the best of the matters?

Horsemen Attention. The spring rodero for horses will meet at Bake Oven on the first day of May. R. BOOTEN, CHAS. W. HAIGHT, J. N. BURGESS.

Stock Strayed. Three 3-year-old fillies—(2 sorrels and one bay) two 2-year-olds (both bays) all branded 1 on the left shoulder. I will give \$5 piece for the recovery of the same. J. W. ROGERS, Boyd, Or.

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. February 7, 1891.

To the Public. Notice is hereby given that all the barber shops of The Dalles will be closed in future on Sundays.

Wanted. A girl to do general housework in small family. Good wages. Inquire at this office.

A Wonderful Freak.

One of the most wonderful freaks of nature the world has ever known is now attracting attention in St. Paul, and Spokane Falls figures as the central figure in the phenomenon. It is no less than a horse that bears in its left eye a perfect picture of the waterfall at Spokane Falls. The eye has been seen and examined by hundreds of persons, and closely compared by them with photographs and other pictures of the falls, and no one has yet failed to pronounce it a correct picture.

In discussing the matter with a reporter Mr. Dillman said: "Mr. Deakin sent the horse down to the hotel where I stopped in order that I might see him. The horse is white in color and of medium size. I was somewhat skeptical about the story until I looked into the animal's left eye, when I beheld a perfect reproduction of a part of the falls of the Spokane river as true to life as the best photograph."

"The part of the falls shown is from the water works across to the mills. The island on which the water works stand is also shown. The picture is absolutely perfect in every detail. The horse was sold in St. Paul with a number of other horses, and the wonderful picture in his eye was not discovered until after he had passed into the possession of Mr. Deakin."

"Hundreds of people have viewed the horse, and Mr. Deakin has received an offer of \$7,000 for him, which he promptly refused. He also received a flattering offer to exhibit the animal in the principal towns of Montana. No such phenomenon, or whatever it may be called, was ever heard of before, and the horse will prove a great advertisement to Spokane Falls when placed on exhibition."—Spokane Falls Review.

Courting Death. There are men who have entered certain occupations—with the natural purpose, it may be assumed, of gaining the means to live—when they know that such occupation is a sure road to death. At an east Buffalo establishment which manufactures sulphuric acid some of the employes are inhaling the deadly fumes of the acid every working day in the week. This inhalation, of course, is not instantly fatal, but there is but one result, which is not long delayed. It is related by a health official that the superintendent of another east Buffalo acid establishment died after three years' service.—Buffalo Express.

An Obsolete Craft. The remains of the wrecked schooner Truckee were washed ashore by monster billows from "a old bed that has occupied for a year, came down the company's wharf broadside on and threatened total destruction of the dock, but by prompt action of Capt. McKay and his crew a line was made fast to the wreck and it was towed five miles to sea. Next day the old hulk made its appearance again, and this time, in spite of every effort, it went crashing through the wharf, taking out about ten spiles.—Sonopoc (Cal.) Journal.

Enduring the Water Drop Torture. The statement that a man could not endure to receive in the palm of his hand a quart of water falling drop by drop from a height of three feet was given a practical test by the employes of Bennett & Frantz's Carriage works. The foreman of the trimming department volunteered to prove that the thing could be done, and succeeded in the attempt. His hand was fixed immovably and the water started. The test occupied two or three hours, but the man endured no remarkable discomfort.—Burlington Hawkeye.

The pencil drawings and water color work of Charlotte Bronte, with specimens of her needlework and some articles of her dress, are now being exhibited with other relics of the Bronte family, at Thornton, near Bradford, England. The relics are owned by a gentleman at Haworth, who has opened a museum at that place, where these articles may be seen in future by curious travelers.

Mr. Windom, like Gen. Grant and Secretary Manning, was a great smoker of cigars, and his excessive use of tobacco is supposed to have aggravated his heart trouble. He was disinclined to take any physical exercise and disliked walking. Even in going the short distance from the treasury building to the White House he was accustomed to take a carriage.

Only three persons were killed by electricity plants in Massachusetts last year. Eleven persons lost their lives by not turning off the gas. Now if we know how many persons were killed by kerosene explosions and how many died from sunstroke we could readily judge what kind of light is the most hazardous.

The Massachusetts Historical society has just celebrated its centennial. Addresses were made on the occasion by the president, Rev. Dr. George E. Ellis, Hon. Robert C. Winthrop and Col. T. W. Higginson, while the assemblage was remarkable for the number of distinguished men and women who were present.

Mr. Edison, in a speech to the employees of the Ogden iron mines at Dover, N. J., said: "Boys, wait until next winter and we shall have no snow to bother us upon this hill. During the coming year I shall invent electric and sunlight reflectors that will melt the snow as fast as it falls."

Jacob's well and the plot of ground surrounding it has been sold to the Greek church by the Turkish government for \$4,000. The same company, headed by a wealthy Greek, of Moscow, are negotiating for the wreck of a building in which it is said the patriarch Abraham was born.

While Judge Carrington, of Winsted, Conn., was absent from his desk for a moment, a few days ago, a portion of the ceiling, weighing half a ton, fell where he had been sitting.

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