

The Dalles Daily Chronicle.

WEDNESDAY, JULY 15, 1891

METEOROLOGICAL REPORT.

Table with columns: Pacific Coast Time, H.A.K., Rel. Hum., D. of W. Wind, State of Weather.

Maximum temperature, 88; minimum temperature, 62.

WEATHER PROBABILITIES.

FAIR Weather forecast till 12 m. Thursday; fair. Nearly stationary temperature.

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

Notice.

Persons leaving town for the springs, sea coast, or mountains can have THE DAILY CHRONICLE sent to them without extra cost by leaving orders at this office.

LOCAL BREVITIES.

Never dirt with a summer girl. Drive down the nails in your sidewalk. The town is flooded with oil men-selling by samples.

Newton Burgess of Bake Oven is in The Dalles today.

Miss Ida Mulligan has the thanks of the Chronicle office for a bouquet of flowers.

The Warm Springs Indian police have returned from Simcoo with a prisoner who was arrested for selling liquor.

Stacy Shoan of Garretson's jewelry store has gone to the Willamette valley for his usual summer vacation.

Uncle Jimmy Ferris will go to Wapinitia today to spend the balance of the summer. He will return to The Dalles in the fall.

In the marriage license granted to Mr. Quirk the other day, our types made us say fifty-six. It should have been thirty-six instead.

Diphtheria has almost entirely disappeared from Pendleton. The disease was in a mild form and no deaths occurred from this scourge.

Most of the churches are about to close their summer vacation, says the Elmira Telegram, but the devil will continue business at the old stand.

We can sometimes depend upon the "restraining influence" of the home, but the walls of the calaboose are not built to exercise that sort of influence.

Our cattle men are buying up every calf that is offered for sale. The cattle business is going to boom, if indeed it is not already booming.—Prineville News.

Mr. H. Herbring is building a two-story brick residence 18 by 36 feet on his lot on Fourth street between Lincoln and Pentland. It will be a comfortable home when finished.

The Heppner warehouse books show a receipt of one and three-quarter million pounds of wool this season. When all the wool arrives it is expected that the amount will reach two million pounds.

It would cost about \$1,000 to purchase the necessary machinery to bore an artesian well. Why not club together and try for artesian water on the flat just north of town? It might prove to be a paying investment.—Prineville News.

Members of the A. O. U. W. will find \$2 taxed up against them for July. This makes \$12 for the half year ending July 1st. The whole number of deaths during that period has been forty—twenty-eight having been paid by surplus.

The 3d regiment band will give a concert tomorrow night from the balcony over Snipes & Kinersley's drug store. The boys have been practicing some new music that is said to be very fine, and will give the public a chance to enjoy it.

Mr. Walter St. John, who holds the position of secretary of the Washington Pharmaceutical association, in company with his wife has been visiting her mother Mrs. Lusher in this city, for the past two weeks, has returned to Tacoma.

The most successful and progressive towns are those which most liberally support the home papers. A newspaper well filled with home advertisements is one of the best advertisements in the world of the place where the paper is published.

The Prineville News has discovered it to be a noticeable fact that those of our horsemen who raise large, well-bred animals have little or no trouble in disposing of them at good prices. Small horses of the scrub variety are dull sold at any price. The moral is plain. It pays to raise only the best.

Messrs. Geo. Watkins and family, Isaac Joles and family, Mr. George Joles of the firm of Joles Bros., Mrs. Randall and family, and Mrs. Henry Taylor left this morning for an outing in the mountains on the head waters of Hood River. Some of the party will remain until about the first of September.

The salmon catch during the past few days has been the most successful of the season. The Seufert brothers' wheels are taking them out by the tons each day, and the Rockfield cannery is having all it can get away with. The light run in the first part of the season was quite discouraging, and the unexpected large catch of the close of the season will enable it to do a fair business in canning.

DIAMOND FLOUR MILLS.

A Short Description of a Valuable Concern.

The city of Spokane is just now busily engaged in raising a bonus of \$50,000 to give to parties who will establish a mill with an output of 1,200 barrels of flour per day. The Dalles is more fortunate. It did not have to pay a dollar's subsidy toward the putting of the Diamond Roller Mills in operation, and no one institution in the city has done more to put money in circulation and advance values than these same mills. The concern is the property of Mr. A. H. Curtis, a wide-awake, energetic and thorough business man, and one who has made a complete success in his line of business, in this city.

The mills are located in the east end of town, and occupy a frontage of 50 feet width with a depth of 100. The building is four stories high and is built of corrugated iron. It is a handsome and stately structure and the inside arrangements are all that could be desired for the economical conduct of the business.

The mills have a capacity of 100 barrels per day, but by a little extra crowding 125 barrels can be put out. There are seven sets of rollers in use, all of the P. P. Allis pattern and manufacture. The miller in charge is Mr. Wm. H. Groat. He is a thorough master of his business, and never lets the "Diamond" grade of flour fall below its high standard of excellence. Chris Paulsen is the flour packer, and James Snipes is the accommodating and efficient clerk of the establishment.

The machinery is driven by a 70 horse power Corliss engine, which is managed by Mr. E. W. Bunker with Clarence Bunker as assistant. The engine is a fine one, and does its work very easily.

Last year Mr. Curtis purchased 75,000 bushels of wheat, which was ground into flour at his mills. The wheat was all raised in this vicinity, a good deal of it, however, coming from Klickitat county, as Mr. Curtis gave free ferrriage across the Columbia to all farmers who sold their wheat to him. He has not decided whether he will do the same this fall in regard to the wheat of our neighbors over the brook, but will make the make the announcement later if he decides so to do.

The flour turned out by the Diamond Roller Mills is of a superior grade, and in Portland, where much of it is shipped, is regarded as a superior baker's flour.

These mills are a home institution, spending a large amount of money here every year for wheat and in the payment of wages, and should receive the united patronage of the people of The Dalles and vicinity so as to enable the concern to keep in operation the year through, and we hope to be able to record from time to time that Mr. Curtis is receiving patronage commensurate with the money he has invested in this much-needed establishment.

A Bright Oregon Boy.

We had the pleasure this week of meeting Mr. Corwin S. Shank of this city who has just returned from Yale college where he has graduated with high honors. He stood at the head of his class in graduation, and in addition he received a special honor or "sheepskin" as Mr. Shank calls it, for his oratory. Since Yale has been in existence there had been but eleven of these special honors given, and this young man from Oregon carried off the twelfth prize. So rare a winning is worthy of recording and Mr. Shank is receiving the congratulations of his friends on his success.

Freight Rates.

A shipper makes the statement to a CHRONICLE man that the rate per 100 pounds on wool from The Dalles to Boston via the Union Pacific railroad, is \$2.65. The Northern Pacific line takes wool from this point to the same destination for \$2.45, twenty cents cheaper per 100 lbs. than the Union. The Northern line has to pay truckage over the U. P. from The Dalles to Wallula junction, and then successfully competes with Gould's road. Why the Union does not give as good rates to shippers as our Northern neighbor is what no person can find out.

There is a regular sea-saw going on in the Pacific Northwest base ball league. It is nip and tuck now between the Portland and Spokane teams, as to which shall lead in the race for the pennant. One day Portland in the lead and the day following Spokane walks off with the honors, while the poor Tacoma's are the tail-enders of the league all of the time. Last year Barnes' babies won a majority of all the club games and hopes to be able to do so this year. That club is in the lead today having captured their last game from the Tacoma's. Portland intends to "be in it" however, and if Spokane wins, it will have to "play ball" for all that is in the club.

They all do. Do what? Go to A. M. Williams & Co. for dress goods.

Business at the East End is somewhat quiet today, though a considerable wool has changed hands, one lot selling as high as 17 cents.

Shall open July 18th a fine line of mens' furnishing goods; shirts, handkerchiefs, neckwear, etc.

Hon. F. P. Mays, U. S. district attorney, made a flying visit to this city today.

The band boys practice Tuesday and Friday nights and are improving very rapidly in their musical studies.

SETTLING WITH SHERMAN.

The Committee finds that the New County Owes Wasco \$242,900.

Judge Thornbury and O. M. Scott have made the following report to the county court:

To the Board of Commissioners of Wasco and Sherman Counties:

GENTLEMEN: We, the board of Commissioners, designated by act of legislation of the state of Oregon of Feb. 10, 1891, to determine the proportion of the indebtedness of Wasco county to be assumed by Sherman county, by said act provided, find as follows:

Amount of whole assessment for Wasco county \$2,422,341.00
Assessment in territory annexed, which gives a proportion of 1-43 56,350.00
Indebtedness of Wasco Co. 81,447.19
Less reserve funds in hand 11,201.24
\$70,245.95
Less value of public property 34,001.28
\$36,244.67

We find that 1-43 of this amount amounting to \$842.90 to be the amount of indebtedness to be paid by Sherman county.

Respectfully submitted.

C. N. THORNBURY, O. M. SCOTT.

July 14, 1891.

Roll of Honor of Nansen Public School. NANSEN, Or., July 14, 1891.

ED. CHRONICLE: School closed in District No. 39 last Friday with twenty-five pupils enrolled. Following is their standing in scholarship and deportment:

Table with columns: Name, Sch'tp, Dep. Harvey Warner 94 98, Helen Warner 92 98, Annie Payette 94 98, Irving Ballard 93 96, Ella Roth 91 98, Nick Marx 87 98, Albina Payette 97 98, Willie Roth 96 94, Louise Payette 93 98, Archie Mayhew 92 96, Pat Oneal 94 97, Jane Oneal 93 97, Ethel Davidson 90 97, Elsie Mayhew 90 96, Henry Payette 90 97, Victor Roth 90 99, Roy Davidson 81 98, Emma Payette 80 97, Carl Roth 73 97, Emma Oneal 90 96, Owen Davis 91 96, Joseph Bones 90 98, George Oneal 75 93, Perry Warner 80 97, Archie Davidson 80 96.

Those receiving the prizes for the highest number of head marks are: Class No. 1, Anna Payette; class No. 2, Willie Roth; class No. 3, Ethel Davidson. MARY E. HAWTHORN, Teacher.

Hop Lice in the Willamette.

The Salem Journal says that Ed C. Harran has shown that journal hop leaves from the Beardsley yards at Eola that were literally covered with lice, and it is certain that these Eola yards, about as large as any in the state, are badly infested, and not liable to have half a crop unless spraying can check the pest. All delusions about there being no danger to the crop are pernicious. The farmers better realize that their crop is liable to be destroyed, and go to spraying to save it. The fact is, all talk of no possibility of injury from hop lice is for the purpose of taking down prices, and the outlook in the eyes of some of our best posted hop men is that there may not be half a crop.

Visitors From St. Louis.

Dr. Thomas O'Riley, wife and children from St. Louis came up the Columbia river yesterday to visit Colonel Sinton of the Umattila house. The doctor was delighted with the scenery on the Columbia and said nothing equalled it in America. Dr. O'Riley is an old friend of the colonel's but has not met the genial host of the Umattila for forty years. When he knew the colonel he was a truthful lad and he unhesitatingly swallows all the fish stories that Col. S. has related for 40, these many years. Dr. O'Riley will have some huge fish stories to tell when he gets back to St. Louis.

The Dalles, Portland & Astoria Navigation company has purchased the hull of the new steamboat Myrtle, with the intention of making it a link in the chain of the new line of steamers to The Dalles and back. Already a boat is being built at The Dalles for this purpose at a cost of \$26,000, called the Regulator, which is expected to be ready for work August 1st.—Oregonian.

The city of Jacksonville, Florida, protects catfish in the river as scavengers. It is a \$5 fine to catch one of them, and the fish seem to know it. The river is full of them, and they vary in size from a baby to a 200-pound man.

The State Press association will meet next month at Astoria, a place to which everybody likes to go occasionally at least. A Dalles paper has recently suggested that the next meeting be held at Hood River, which is coming into prominence as a summer resort.—Portland Telegram.

A runaway team caused quite an excitement on Second street yesterday but it was nothing compared with the run A. M. Williams & Co. are making on their line of dress goods.

Mr. Ostlund, who has charge of moving the old Catholic church building on to the grounds west of its former location, has nearly completed his undertaking. He expects to get it to its place today.

Recent schedules of expenses at Harvard add about \$75 to defray the fines for membership in Greek letter societies.

It is the correct thing now to call select parties smart and small.

CHRONICLE SHORT STOPS.

Raspberries, three boxes for twenty-five cents at Joles Brothers.

For headache use S. B. headache cure. For coughs and colds use 2379.

For physic always use S. B. headache cure.

Use Dufur flour, it is the best. Ask your grocer for Dufur flour.

2379 is the cough syrup for children.

One hundred gallons curjants at Joles Bros., twenty-five cents per gallon.

For O. N. G. dinarhoca S. B. pain cure is the best thing known.

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

A. M. Williams & Co., have on hand a fine lot of tennis and bicycle shoes.

For ice cream crump use S. B. pain cure.

Centerville hotel, on the Goldendale stage road, furnishes first class accommodation for travelers.

For 4th of July colic use S. B. pain cure.

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

For 4th of July colic use S. B. pain cure.

The celebrated Walter H. Tenny Boston-made mens' and boys' fine boots and shoes in all styles, carried by The Dalles Mercantile company at Brooks & Beers old stand.

Don't wear your life out scrubbing your kitchen floor when you can buy such beautiful linoleum, the best for kitchen and dining-room, for 75 cents a yard, and oil-cloth at 35 cents a yard at the store of Prinz & Nitche.

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Long Ward offers for sale one of the best farms of its size in Sherman county. It consists of 240 acres of deeded land at Erskinville. There is a never-failing spring of living water capable of watering five hundred head of stock daily. The house, which is a large store building with ten rooms attached alone cost \$1700. A blacksmith shop and other buildings and the whole surrounded by a good wire fence. Will be sold cheap and on easy terms. Apply by letter or otherwise to the editor of the CHRONICLE or to the owner, W. L. Ward, Boyd, Wasco county, Oregon.

Attention! The Dalles Mercantile company would respectfully announce to their many patrons that they now have a well selected stock of general merchandise, consisting in part of dress goods, gingham, challies, satens, prints, hosiery, corsets, gloves, handkerchiefs, hats, caps, boots, shoes, gents' furnishing goods, ladies' and mens' underwear, groceries, hardware, crockery, glassware, etc., in fact everything pertaining to general merchandise. Above being new, full and complete. Come and see us.

Children Cry for Pitcher's Castoria.

When Baby was sick, we gave her Castoria. When she was a Child, she cried for Castoria. When she became Miss, she clung to Castoria. When she had Children, she gave them Castoria.

In almost every neighborhood there is some one or more persons whose lives have been saved by Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy, or who have been cured of chronic diarrhoea by it. Such persons take special pleasure in recommending the remedy to others. The praise that follows the introduction and use makes it very popular. 25 and 50 cent bottles for sale by Snipes & Kinersley.

NOTICE.

R. E. French has for sale a number of improved ranches and unimproved lands in the Grass Valley neighborhood in Sherman county. They will be sold very cheap and on reasonable terms. Mr. French can locate settlers on some good unsettled claims in the same neighborhood. His address is Grass Valley, Sherman county, Oregon.

Parties have been cutting the supply pipes above the city between the flume and the reservoir, thus doing much damage. This must be stopped and a reward of \$25 is hereby offered for evidence that will lead to the conviction of persons doing the same. By order of the Board of Directors.

Mr. John Caragher, a merchant at Caragher, Fulton Co., Ohio, says that St. Patrick's Pills are the best selling pills he handles. The reason is that they produce a pleasant cathartic effect and are certain and thorough in their action. Try them when you want a reliable cathartic. For sale by Snipes & Kinersley.

Notice.

All parties having accounts against the Fourth celebration committee for goods furnished, hauling, or labor performed, etc., are requested to furnish the same to the undersigned.

W. H. LOCKHEAD, Chairman Finance Committee.

For a troublesome cough there is nothing better than Chamberlain's Cough Remedy. It strengthens the pulmonary organs, allays any irritation and effectually cures the cough. It is especially valuable for the cough which so often follows an attack of the grip. For sale by Snipes & Kinersley.

HO! THERE!

I will give 50 cents for each cow impounded between the hours of 8 o'clock a. m. and 7:30 o'clock a. m. found at large about my premises. Put them in boys, bring marshal's certificate and get your money. E. B. DUFUR.

The Dalles Mercantile Co., are now prepared to furnish outfits to the teamsters and farmers and all others who desire to purchase anything in general merchandise. Their line is new, full and complete. Call and see them. Prices guaranteed.

Lost, on the streets of The Dalles last Saturday a gunny sack containing a horse sponge, quarter boots and towel. Finder will be rewarded by leaving the same at this office.

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\$100 to \$500 to loan on short time. BAYARD & CO.

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LAONGDA HEIGHTS, SPRINGFIELD, O., June 15, 1891.

DEAR SIR:—Replying to your request for a statement of the facts concerning my experience with the Equitable Life Assurance Society of New York in their late settlement with me, I would state that in the early part of 1881, my age being 66 years, I took out a Ten-Payment Life Policy in the Equitable upon their Ten-Year Tontine plan, for \$40,000. My premiums during the period amounted to \$37,512.00. The Tontine period expired early in January of the present year, and the Company then offered me the following terms of settlement:

FIRST—A paid up policy for \$40,000.00. SECOND—A paid up policy for \$5,751.00. THIRD—Surrender my policy, and receive in cash \$6,496.80.

I was so little satisfied with the results of my investment that I chose the third, cash, proposition, but when I so decided, the company, through several of its representatives, labored to induce me to take one of the other forms of settlement, but finding that I was determined to surrender the policy and take the cash, they finally instructed me from the home office to send policy and receipt for the amount, \$36,496.80, to their state manager in Cleveland, and he would remit me the amount. I followed their instructions and sent the policy and receipt through my bank in Springfield to our correspondent in Cleveland, only to have it returned from the Cleveland Bank with the information that the state manager of the Equitable states that he "had not sufficient funds to meet it." This forced me to return it to the New York office, and compelled me to wait some twenty days since maturity before receiving final settlement.

I have given no statement endorsing the Equitable, or expressing my satisfaction with their settlement with me. On the other hand I have positively refused to do so. The fact that my returns were \$2016.20 less than my total investment renders further comment unnecessary. During the time I carried the Equitable policy and up to the day when they submitted the above proposition to me, I was kept in total ignorance of the condition of my investment. In marked contrast with this has been my experience with the Northwestern, in which in 1882, I took a Ten-Year Endowment Policy, Ten-Year Tontine, for \$10,000, that company having from time to time furnished me with a memorandum of the surplus on my policy over the signature of their actuary; so that while my policy has not yet matured, and will not until next year, I have the satisfaction of knowing that at maturity it will net me from \$4,000 to \$5,000 more than the face of the policy calls for.

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