

The Dalles Daily Chronicle.

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METEOROLOGICAL REPORT.

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

WEATHER PROBABILITIES.

THE DALLES, July 25, 1891. Weather forecast till 12 m. Monday; fair. Slightly cooler. Westerly winds.

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

LOCAL BREVITIES.

The thanks of this office is tendered to Rev. W. H. Wilson for a box of delicious peach plums.

Judge Thornbury has not a doubt in the world that the present infernally hot spell is caused by the McKinley bill.

A Japanese coat-hoover narrowly escaped being ground up by the wheels of a passing freight train on the U. P. trestle this morning.

Miss Mattie Johnston was a passenger on the Baker this morning. She goes to swell the majority of Dalles people in camp at the Cascade hot springs.

Near Bogus dwells a paralyzed man with a wife and son. Last week the old lady was seen working hard in the field, while the son was staggering home as drunk and happy as a lord.

The Spokane Review believes that the time will come, and at no distant date, when wheat will be carried to the seaboard for two dollars a ton.

Services will be held in the German Lutheran church, tomorrow at 10:30 a. m. and 7 p. m. Sunday-school services at 7:30 a. m. A cordial invitation is extended to all.

Mr. I. C. Nickelsen kindly furnished, this morning, each member of the Chronicle staff with a fan. The only pity is, we are all so busy getting out the best paper in Eastern Oregon that we have not time to use them.

Mr. C. W. Rice and family will leave on Monday for a month's summer outing. They intend to go by way of the Barlow road and stop part of the time near the base of Mount Hood and the rest at the Wilhoit soda springs.

Mr. Geo. Filloon, wife and child, Miss Sadie Whitmer and Mrs. J. J. Marshall, Mrs. Filloon's sister, went down on the Baker this morning to go into camp during the heated spell, at the Cascade hot springs. Mr. Filloon will return Monday.

They have four assessors in Clatsop county and here is the result, as summed up by the Astorian:

The city assessment roll will be completed this week. The school assessment and the state assessment and the county assessment and the street assessment and the road assessment and the poll tax assessment is in present fashion, too.

We have heard of all sorts of battles, but the most unique battle on record took place in this city on last Thursday night. It was a battle of bats. High tiles, low tiles, narrow tiles, summer tiles—all kinds of tiles were wrecked and ruined. But the boys must have fun, even if half of them had to go home barefooted.

Mrs. Jane Ferguson, a widow lady of comfortable means, from the Willamette valley, was in town yesterday filing on a homestead claim which she has taken up adjoining the claim of her son, Mr. Vincent Tapp of Wapinitia. We understand there are still some good claims remaining untaken in that fine agricultural section, to which the settlers would gladly welcome new comers.

The discovery has been made that men in The Dalles who have crossed the continent a dozen times, who were born and practically raised by the sounding sea, and who have a hundred times battled with the billows of the Atlantic and Pacific Oceans can get deadly sea sick riding a hobby-horse on the merry-go-round.

The Alabama Theatrical company now billed to play in Portland, passed through the city this morning. About a dozen of the troop changed cars for the boat. They had their own special baggage car on the side of which was painted in large and striking characters, a crescent surrounded by a wreath which they use, we understand, as a sort of trade mark or advertising sign.

It is rumored that Col. Houghton will tender his resignation as colonel of the Third regiment, to take effect September 1st. This is, of course, a matter which largely concerns the colonel and the regiment, but we shall be sorry, indeed, if the colonel's resignation should result in the removal of headquarters from this place, as, in the opinion of some, is likely to be the case, and sorer still if the city should lose that which has, for so long, been the pride and pleasure of the community—the regimental band.

Hon. F. P. Mays came up on the noon passenger today.

George Herbert, the host of the Mount Hood hotel Hood River, was in the city last night.

The new supply pipe is of wrought iron and meets the entire approval of the city engineer.

Oil has been struck in Greece. There seems to be a good deal of eternal fitness about that classic name.

Five men of the twenty-three employed in making the excavation for the new supply pipe dropped off work yesterday on account of the heat.

Mr. J. A. Gulliford of Dufur, who has been in the Pendleton country for three or four days, passed through the city today on his way home.

Hon. W. McD. Lewis has named his fine thoroughbred colt DesChutes. The colt was sired by Tilden, dam Ruby, is of a chestnut color and was foaled May 12th last.

The following appears in the last issue of the La Grande Gazette:

Miss Minnie Bishop, of La Grande and Simon Frazier, of The Dalles, were united in the bonds of matrimony last Saturday.

Mr. Frazier will be remembered as an old-time employe at the Company's shops. The lady, we understand, came to La Grand some time ago from the east.

Two tramps and a dead drunk were arrested last night and brought before the recorder this morning. The drunk paid the usual fine and the others, in default of funds, were held to work out their fines on the steps.

The Portland Bridge Building company have twenty-three men, all from this city and neighborhood, employed digging the ditch from the new reservoir to the receiving basin at Mespleis.

Even Balfour has awakened at last to the wrongs of Ireland. His good intentions are deserving of praise, but it should not be forgotten that it is Mr. Gladstone who has made popular the cause of Ireland in England, and forced the tory government into a policy designed primarily to soothe the discontent and retain that party in power.—Spokane Review.

The report that the operating department of the Union Pacific has arranged for a supply of forty-six new and powerful locomotives and 1,600 freight cars for the handling of the wheat crop will not be received with unqualified confidence by the average farmer. It is to be hoped that the rumor is correct and that the Northern Pacific will take equally radical measures; but similar reports were circulated last year, and like "the letter that he longed for," the new cars and engines never came.—Spokane Review.

Two carloads of supply pipe for the water works have already arrived. The contract for hauling has been let to W. N. Wiley, who sub-let it to William Neabeck, who has already commenced the work. The contractors have some three months to finish the work so that we may expect to have the new system in operation by the month of November at farthest.

Joseph Stadelman lodged a complaint with the city officials charging three tramps with having raided his melon patch last night and destroyed a lot of garden truck. One of them, a colored brother, was arrested by Chris. Bills this morning but the "other two white fellows," as the negro puts it, are still at large. The negro says he "didn't do nothing but sit on the fence," as he knew too much about water melons to risk any danger from them at this time of year.

He sat in his door at noonday; He was lonely, glum and sad; The flies were buzzing about him. Let by a blue-winged gad.

Not a customer darkened his portals; Not a sign of business was there; But the flies kept on buzzing About the old man's hair.

At last, in misery, he shouted: "Great Scott, I'm covered with flies!" And the zephyr that toyed with his whiskers asked: "Why don't you advertise?"

This tramp business is becoming an insufferable and expensive nuisance. It is costing the city at the rate of about \$120 a month, for which she gets nothing in the world but an exemption from a tramp's depredations during the time of his confinement in the city jail. The whole system, as now conducted is wrong. If we must run them in, and there can be no two ways of it, let us get enough of work out of them to pay their cost of keep. A tramp is arrested and brought before the recorder. This officer gets two dollars and the marshal gets two for his arrest and commitment. He is punished by a fine that means three days in jail. His board during these three days costs 20 cents a meal. If no work is got out of him, the city is out about five dollars and a half in actual cash. If the city gets three days work out of him, his work costs every cent it is worth and vastly more. What ought to be done to this. Fine every man of them to the full extent of the law. Have arrangements made so that they can be used advantageously on our streets, especially cutting through and leveling the rocky portions of unimproved streets on the bluffs, and thus get back every dollar that it costs the city for their arrest and committal. It is a thousand pities we could not have a whipping post for lazy loafers who refuse to work while farmers are begging for help at good wages. The man who can work and won't work ought to be made to work—or soundly thrashed.

Has to Be Stirred With a Stick. Columbia, (Missouri) Herald.

The annual rise of the river has come later than has been its custom. As yet little damage has been done, save the cutting away of the banks. In the present condition of the river, we commend to those living near it the description given of it by Bob Burdette after a visit to Missouri when the Big Muddy was at the other extreme. Bob says: "The dust blows out of the Missouri river. It is the only river in the world where the dust blows in great columns out of the river bed. The cattail come up to the surface to sneeze. From the great wide-stretching sand bars on the Kansas shore, great columns of dust and sand about two thousand feet high, come whirling and sweeping across the river and hide the town, and sweep through the train and make everybody so dry and gritty that a man can light a match on the roof of his mouth. The Missouri river is composed of six parts of sand and mud, and four parts of water. When the wind blows very hard it dries the surface of the river and blows it away in clouds of dust. It is just dreadful. The natural color of the river is seal brown, but when it rains for two or three days at a time, and gets the river pretty wet, it changes to a heavy iron gray. A long rain will make the river so thin that it can easily be poured from one vessel to another, like a cocktail. When it is ordinary dry, however, it has to be stirred with a stick before you can pour it out of anything."

SULLIVAN AT HONOLULU.

His Exhibition There Not a Success Financially.

SAN FRANCISCO, July 23.—Private advices received by the last Honolulu steamer say that the sparring exhibition there between Sullivan and Jack Ashton, while en route to Australia, was not a success financially. The coming of the retired champion was extensively advertised, but before the Sullivan combination arrived the managers of Honolulu advised the people not to encourage such a sport by patronizing it. The show was very sparsely attended. The crowd was disgusted with the poor exhibition given, and left denouncing the show. Sullivan and several Honolulu sports afterward went out to the Road house and got gloriously "full" and kicked up a row. Returning to the city, Sullivan made quite a favorable impression on the youthful natives by throwing handfuls of small silver among them to scramble for.

The Great Northern Survey.

SPOKANE, July 23.—The Great Northern engineers are still surveying in the Big Bend country. Mr. Galonsa, who has been in Coulee City for a few days, returned yesterday, and reports that the survey is almost completed through the Grand coulee, and that the engineers are now beginning a survey of M-see coulee. The survey runs through Coulee City, hitting the northeast corner of the original town site.

Married Eighty-Four Years.

On a farm near Bellingham, Lac Qui Paak county, Minn., says a Minneapolis paper, lived a couple who have been married eighty-four years. The husband, Daniel Salisbury, is 104 years old, and his wife Mary is 102. Both are hale and sprightly and may live several years yet. According to the census there are nearly 5000 people in the United States who have reached 100 years, but about seventy-five per cent are negroes, and the age of many of these may be guess work.

A Chicago paper declares that railroads can not make a greater charge for a shorter distance. They can't eh? Just get a Northern Pacific tariff sheet and see if they can't. "Dang it, man, they can't hang you on that testimony," said the lawyer to his condemned client. "The law is against it." "I don't know nothing about the law," said the prisoner, "but I do know that the jury convicted me, and the judge passed sentence, and the gallows is all built."—Spokane Review.

The Dalles Times-Mountaineer says: "We can see no reason why pianos are prohibited in saloons. They produce classical music." Great Scott! If it is music that is ground out of the regulation saloon piano, what could the sounds that are often brought forth from the hand organ, bag-pipe, Chinese flute and devil's fiddler be called?—Oregonian.

The great treasury vault at Washington covers more than a quarter of an acre and is twelve feet deep. Recently there was \$90,000,000 in silver stored there—an amount that weight 4000 tons and would load 175 freight cars.

We very much regret to learn that Hon. E. L. Smith of Hood River has had another attack of illness similar to that of last year. He is at present in Olympia but is expected home in a couple of weeks.

Hon. W. McD. Lewis is going to exhibit at the district fair some hogs of the razor back variety that have been turned into thoroughbred Berkshires by eating Wapinitia crickets.

Messrs. Arthur Kennedy and John Jackson left this evening, in a skiff, for Wind river where they intend to remain three or four weeks.

ARE

You going to the seashore, camping or to the picnic? If so get your supplies at 62 Second Street 62. Potted, canned and smoked meats, Pickles of all varieties, Crackers and Biscuits, fine Coffees and Teas, canned Fruits in variety, and in fact everything one needs for picnics or camping parties.

62 JOHN BOOTH, 62 Leading Grocer, 62 Second Street.

CHRONICLE SHORT STOPS.

Blackberries, three boxes for twenty-five cents at Joles Brothère.

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.

2379 is the cough syrup for children.

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

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

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

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

Bids will be received at the office of Hugh Glenn up till the first of August, for the hauling of 150 barrels, more or less, of cement, from the cars to the new reservoir on the Mesplee place.

Ask your grocer for Dufur flour.

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.

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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 Erskenville. 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 \$700. 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.

The following statement from Mr. W. B. Denny, a well known dairyman of New Lexington, Ohio, will be of interest to persons troubled with Rheumatism. He says: "I have used Chamberlain's Pain Balm for nearly two years, four bottles in all, and there is nothing I have ever used that gave me as much relief for rheumatism. We always keep a bottle of it in the house." 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.

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.

Twenty Dollars Reward.

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 \$20 is hereby offered for evidence that will lead to the conviction of persons doing the same. By order of the Board of Directors.

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.

HO! THERE!

I will give 50 cents for each cow impounded between the hours of 8 o'clock p. 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. DURVE.

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.

Notice.

City taxes for 1891 are now due. Dalles City tax assessment is now in my hand and will be held in my office for sixty days. Sixty days from date, July 18, 1891, city taxes will be delinquent. O. KINERSLEY, City Treasurer.

Notice.

Notice is hereby given to all persons knowing themselves indebted to the estate of H. Solomon to call at the store and settle the same, as all book accounts must be settled. J. R. DAWSON, Assignee.

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.

Horses Wanted.

I want to buy a span of good ponies weighing from 900 to 1000 pounds each. They must be sound, gentle and well broken to harness. Enquire at Tom Ward's stable. RICHARD G. CLOSTER, THE DALLES, Or., July 22, 1891.

\$10.00 Reward.

Lost, a diamond scarf pin—the above reward will be paid by returning to C. E. Haight.

Child's Ring Found.

Owner can have it by calling at this office and paying for this notice.

BORN.

In this city July 25th to the wife of J. T. Mullan, a daughter.

The Northwestern Life Insurance Co., OF MILWAUKEE, WISCONSIN.

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

Prof. E. L. Shuey, Dayton, Ohio. 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 56 years, I took out a Ten-Year Life Policy in the Equitable upon their Ten-Year Tontine plan, for \$40,000. My premiums during the period amounted to \$7,312.00. The Tontine period expired early in January of the present year, and the Company then offered me the following terms of settlement:

Table with columns: Term, Amount.

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 send it." This forced me to return it to the New York office, and compelled me to wait some twenty days after 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 \$1,015.20 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. Very truly yours, ROSS MITCHELL.

We have thousands of comparisons with all the leading Life Insurance Companies of the United States. Full information furnished upon application to T. A. HUDSON, Associate General Agent, JOHN A. REINHARDT, Special Agent, The Dalles, Oregon.

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