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SATURDAY, AUGUST 15, 1891.

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

LOCAL BREVITIES.

Mr. T. H. Johnston, of Dufur, is in the city.

Mr. S. J. LaFrance of Hood River was in the city today.

A. A. Frazier gave this office a welcome call today.

V. C. Brock, county clerk of Sherman county is in the city.

Engineer Driscoll, who has been engaged to work on the Regulator, is in the city.

Dr. L. Vanderpool of Dufur, the original proprietor of the S. B., medicines is in the city.

Mr. W. D. Palmer, late foreman of the Chronicle, moved his family yesterday from this city to Portland.

Services will be held in the German Lutheran church of this city next Sunday at 10:30 o'clock. A. Horn, pastor.

Captain H. Anlauf and wife, who have been visiting friends in this city for the past few days, left yesterday for California where they intend to make their future home.

Three gentlemen from Hoboville, were supplied last night with lodgings at the city hostelry, Ralph Gibbons, manager and lessee. The night clerk Con Howe finding the gentlemen exposed to the cool night, kindly furnished them with rooms on the ground floor. They refused to pay their bill this morning—\$5 and the tips and were permitted to enlist in the regiment under the command of Gen. Jack Staniels.

Miss Grace Glenn gave a farewell party yesterday afternoon to Miss Annie Wentz. Those present were: Misses Lena Liebe, Minnie Hess, of Portland, Lily Moss, of Coos Bay, Una Wilson, Jessie Butler, Carrie Butler and Lena Thompson. The young people had their picture taken on the lawn and after discussing a refectation of ice cream and cake and enjoying themselves immensely the company separated at 8:30 o'clock.

D. L. Vanderpool of Dufur, came into the store of Filoon Brothers this morning and asked for a box for one of the wheels of his buggy. He was not quite sure of the style he wanted but selecting one that he thought would suit he remarked "I'll take this over to the stable, where my buggy is and see if it will do."

In about half an hour he came back and remarked quietly to John Filoon, "I say John if you say nothing about it I'll set up the cigars. The fact is I left my buggy at home and forgot a. l about it."

The doctor had come into town in a neighbor's hack and never thought of that till he got to the stable.

A Successful School. The Dufur public school will open the first Monday in September and continue ten months. The board of directors have furnished the house for the accommodation of over 100 pupils. Mr. A. Frazier is retained as principal. The classes in this school for the coming year in addition to the common branches will include algebra, geometry, natural philosophy, general history and rhetoric. This is Mr. Frazier's third consecutive year in this school. Under his principalship it has kept steadily growing in favor with the public and in the number of pupils. There is, in fact, no more successful public school in the country. Dufur is a delightful little village where pupils can find board at very reasonable rates and where they will be surrounded with more than ordinary good moral and religious influences.

Why Not? Portland Telegram. Why is it that the chamber of commerce cannot undertake the work of building the portage road? If the road can be built and equipped for \$200,000, what is the necessity of giving \$250,000 to another corporation to build it? The citizens of Portland ought to build the road and own it. And if the narrow gauge is adopted, it will be a small matter to build branches and extensions into all the fine sections, and thus keep the wheat trade forever tributary to Portland.

A BURGLAR PROOF SAFE.

French & Co. Put in one of Hall's Latest Time Lock Safes.

The Hall Safe and Lock company of Cincinnati, Ohio, are constructing for Messrs. French & Co., of this place, a 30,000 pound steel burglar proof vault, and placing the same in their building, corner of Washington and Second sts., under the superintendency of their expert, Mr. Jos. F. Morse.

The vault is one of the strongest structures of its kind in the northwest, with its walls composed of six plates of Hall's drill proof steel, grouped with nine plates of bessimer steel, the whole mass is secured into a solid body by welding cold rolling under a pressure of 50 tons to the square inch and by Hall's patent seven ply welded iron and chrome steel twisted arbors. The inside dimensions of the vault are in clear, 125 inches deep, 60 inches wide and 84 inches high. The entrance to the structure will be guarded by four massive steel doors, inclosed in a vestibule and jams composed of four plates of dull proof steel and four plates of bessimer steel welded and bolted together. The outer door of about 5000 pounds weight is controlled in opening and closing by massive gearing, enabling one man to easily manipulate it. The doors are fitted to cut the finest paper in closing. The prominent features of this outside door are its ponderous half frames 4x2 1/2 inch steel bar carrying twenty 2 inch bolts for locking the door; also its timer and detachable handles. Passing through the first door you encounter a double door of like construction, locked by twenty double bolts of 1 1/2 inches in diameter. Inside of this is a nickel gate of beautiful design to serve as a day door, closing automatically upon entering or leaving the vault. The entire structure is further guarded against fire by a heavy wall of masonry. The foundation is carried to solid rock and composed of heavy concrete work interlaid with bar scrap iron, every few inches, absolutely preventing undermining. The vault is guaranteed absolutely burglar and fire proof from every possible stand point. All the exposed work is handsomely engraved, silver plated and etched. Mr. Morse informs us the work will be completed in about two weeks. It will furnish the community with a long needed protection for valuables and savings. The cost of the entire structure is about \$7,500.

Duck Retrieving at Collin's Landing. Our special reporter at Collin's Landing has sent us the following thrilling incident of camp life at that favorite resort. The other morning at 4:30 o'clock the campers at Collin's Landing were startled from sleep by the sound of a fearful splashing in the waters of a small lake near the camp. The campers immediately rushed from their tents, clad in garments bordering on Adamic simplicity and on arriving at the edge of the lake were simply spell-bound at the sight which met their gaze. Mrs. Filoon was one of the party so ruthlessly waked up and one can better imagine than attempt to describe her feelings when she saw her beloved husband wildly rushing through the waters of the lake with outstretched arms, and Ed Mills frantically grabbing for George's (a-hem) shirt tail, as if attempting to rescue him from some mad determination. The cries and tears of Mrs. Filoon fell headlessly on the ears of her husband, as she hopelessly watched him go deeper and deeper into the water. Just as her suspense was about to ripen into despair George stopped suddenly and cried, "Ida, Ida, I've got it," and then George and Ed came slowly to the shore, bearing tenderly in their hands a little unfledged duck that the supposed suicide wanted to take in out of the wet.

A BRIGHT NEWS AGENT.

He Gives \$15 in Bills for \$30 in Gold to an Accommodating Passenger. A news agent on Wednesday morning's east-bound train No. 2, played a cute trick on an unsuspecting passenger.

He asked his victim to accommodate him with the exchange of gold for bills. The kind passenger assented, with the question:

"How much have you got?" "Thirty dollars," responded the ingenuous peanut butcher.

Instead, however, he had half that amount in bills, which he doubled and counted so cleverly that he made \$30 of the wad, and the passenger handed him the gold and took the greenbacks.

The latter did not discover the fraud until he paid for his breakfast at the Bowman House. He then telegraphed the conductor to interview the news agent and get the money or he would have the brave young man arrested. He received a reply that the money had been secured, and would be returned to him at Pendleton.

That brilliant news peddler should be placed in a position where he can expend his genius in manufacturing stoves or making brick for the state.—East Oregonian.

In 1853 when Ben McAtee first visited Tygh Valley, where he has had his home since 1865, there was not a white settler in the valley. It was the grand rendezvous for Indians for hundreds of miles on every side. There they met for horse-racing and gambling and their own peculiar sports. The tall rye grass, that covered nearly the whole valley was eight to ten feet high. It was a lovely spot, an Indian paradise. Nathan Olney then ran a little ferry boat across the Deschutes at the mouth of Buck Hollow and Dan Butler was constable of Wasco precinct which then included all Eastern Oregon and was a precinct of Clackamas county.

MARKET REVIEW.

THURSDAY, August 13, 1891.

The business of the city for the past week is without interest, and prices remain unchanged. The general topics are finances and the wheat situation and market prospects, which we give in this column.

In brokers' circles the finance question is of an easy character. The demand for loans are less frequent than they were last spring and the money market is more or less quiet on that account. The harvest, which is on hand and with the prospect of a fair average of product and prospective high prices to be realized, will ease obligation and give a new impetus to all kinds of trade and improvements.

WHEAT OUTLOOK OF THE WORLD. That there is a shortage of breadstuffs throughout the world is a fact beyond contradiction. All reports from Europe are confirmed and the deficiency which is necessary for the actual need, is greater than at first supposed. It is variously estimated that it is from 300,000,000 to 619,000,000 bushels, but, however this may be, enough is known that all the reserves and surplus will be required, and then the demand is not supplied.

Russia has already issued her ukase forbidding the export of rye or rye flour, which is the breadstuff of the empire, and that the utmost care must be observed to prevent starvation within her borders. India is threatened with a home market for nearly all her surplus as the drouth has been severe on a large portion of her agricultural districts. The Daubian provinces have fair crops, but England, whose prospects have been very flattering, is suffering from continued stormy weather, and the latest dispatches report no favorable change in the outlook. We append the following from Bradstreet's correspondent which is considered authority:

New York, Aug. 8.—Bradstreet's London correspondent has forwarded a report on the condition of wheat abroad, which indicates that Europe will have to import about 281,000,000 bushels this year. He states that with respect to Russia the most contradictory reports have been issued, but there is no doubt the wheat crop is a big failure in many parts of the empire, and that it would be a safe estimate to assess it at 15 per cent. less than last year's crop. Latest reports of the Hungarian minister of agriculture indicates a reduction of 20 per cent. for the current harvest in Austria-Hungary. The weather has improved the prospect. He allows 75,000,000 bushels for the new crop of the United Kingdom and estimates the following as the amounts which will be needed by the several countries mentioned:

Table with 2 columns: Country, Bushels. Great Britain 145,000,000, France 100,000,000, Germany 85,000,000, Italy 25,000,000, Spain and Portugal 16,000,000, Turkey 10,000,000, Switzerland 8,000,000, Rest of Europe 22,000,000.

He estimates that if the allowance of 33,000,000 bushels for export from India and 114,000,000 from the United States be made, there will still remain a deficit of about 104,000,000 to be supplied from minor sources outside of Europe.

Reports come in from Central America to the effect that the Columbian states will require imports from abroad to supply their deficiency; also a portion of Mexico is quite alarmed over the drouth which is now devastating a portion of her republic. The reports thus far received, which are considered reliable, indicate that the world was never put on such short rations, in fact, has never seen such a great deficiency.

Cablegrams announce firm markets with an upward tendency in England. New York and Chicago markets are steadily looking up, and San Francisco quotations show a rapid advance.

The alliance circulars which have been sent out to the several grain states monthly are having an influence, and already Tennessee and Kansas have acted on the advice and are holding their wheat for better prices. Millers have been compelled to advance the price or seek other states for their supply, which in some instances has been done.

On our coast the wheat market is inactive, although steady. In Walla Walla and beyond, 68 and 70 cents is being offered, and some has changed hands at those figures. There can be but little doubt that wheat will command good prices before another harvest.

MISCELLANEOUS.

The market is well supplied with all kinds of vegetables and fruits, watermelons sell at \$1 to 1.25 per dozen. Canteloupes are brought in in quantities and find rapid sale at 3 cents per pound. Both small and large fruits are in great abundance. Peaches sell from 30 to 50 cents per box of 20 pounds. Good apples sell at 35 to 50 cents per box of 45 lbs. Plums are quoted at 1 1/2 to 2 cents and summer pears at 3 cents per lb. Grapes are quoted at 4 cents per lb. Cabbage sells at 2 cents per pound.

The egg market is firmer than last week. Butter is in fair supply and steady. In smoked meats the market is firmer in tone. Lard is steady at quotations. The Dalles wheat market is steady at 70 cents per bushel.

BAGS—Calcuttas, 9 1/2 by bale with an upward tendency.

OATS—The oat market is in good supply with more frequent offerings. Owing to the near approach of the new crop, a decline has taken place. We

quote \$1.00 per cental. Market is very weak.

BARLEY—The barley supply is fairly good with a limited inquiry. We quote \$1.00 per cental sacked.

Flour—Local branched, \$4.00 wholesale and \$4.25@4.50 retail; extra, \$5.50@ \$6.00 per bbl.

MILLSTUFFS—The supply is in excess of demand. We quote bran and shorts \$17.00 per ton. Retail \$1.00 per 100 lbs. Shorts and middlings, \$20.00@22.50 per ton.

HAY—Timothy hay is in good supply at quotations \$16.00. New wheat hay is in market at \$10.00 per ton loose, and \$11.00@12.50 per ton baled. New wild hay is nominally quoted at \$15.00 per ton. Alfalfa \$12.

POTATOES—New potatoes, 3/4 @ 1 cent per lb.

BUTTER—We quote A1 .40@.50 cents per roll, and scarce.

Eggs—The market is in better supply at 18@20 cents per dozen.

POULTRY—Old fowls are in less demand at \$3.00@3.50. Young fowls are easily sold at \$2.00@3.00 per dozen.

HIDES—Prime dry hides are quoted at .06 per pound. Culls .04@.05. Green .02 1/2 @.03. Salt .03 1/2 @.04. Sheep pelts .25 bear skins \$4@5; coyote .60; mink, .50 cents each; martin \$1.00; beaver, \$2.00 @3.50 per lb.; otter, \$2.00@5.00 each for A1; coon, .30 each; badger, .25 each; fisher, \$2.50 to \$4.00 each.

Wool—The market is quite steady. Wool is nominally quoted at .13@.16 per lb.

BEER—Beef on foot clean and prime .02 1/2, ordinary .02 1/4; and firm.

MUTTON—Wethers are scarce, that is to say No. 1. Extra choice sell at \$3.50; common \$3.00.

HOGS—Live heavy, .04 1/2 @.05. Dressed .06@.06 1/2.

Bacon and hams sell in the market at .09 cents in round lots.

Lard 5 lb. 11 @10 1/2; 10 lb. 10 1/2 @ 10; .08 @.08 1/2 c per pound.

HORSES—Young range horses are quoted at \$25.00@35.00 per head in bands of 20 or 30. Indian horses sell at prices ranging from \$5.00@20.00.

Stock cattle are quoted at \$9.00@10.00 per head for yearlings and \$14.00@18.00 for 2-year-olds, with very few offerings.

Stock sheep are ready sale at quotations, \$2.25@2.50 per head.

Fish—milk cows are quoted from \$25.00@50.00 each, with a very limited offering and less buyers.

LUMBER—Rough lumber \$10.00 to \$12.00 per M. Portland flooring No. 1, \$30.00 per M. Portland rustic finish \$30.00 per M. No. 1 cedar shingles \$3.00 per M. Lath \$3.50 per M. Lime \$2.50 per bbl.

STAPLE GROCERIES.

COFFEE—Costa Rica is quoted at 22 1/2 cents by the sack; Rio, 24; Java, 32 1/2.

Beans—Golden C in half bbls, 5 1/2 cents. Golden C in 100 lb sacks, 5 cents.

Extra C in half bbls, 5 1/2 cents. Extra C in 100 lb sacks, 5 1/2 cents.

Dry granulated in half bbls, 6 1/2 cents. Dry granulated in 100 lb sacks, 6 1/2 cents.

Sugars in 30 lb boxes are quoted: \$2.00; Extra C, \$2.10; Dry Granulated, \$2.25.

STARCH—\$2.25 to \$2.50 per keg.

RICE—Japan rice, 6 1/2 @ 6 3/4 cents; Island rice, 7 cents.

BEANS—Small white, 4 1/2 @ 5 cents; Pink, 4 1/2 @ 4 3/4 cents by the 100 lbs.

STOCK SALT—Is quoted at \$18.00 per ton. Liverpool, 50 lb sack, 80 cents 100 lb sack, \$1.50; 200 lb sack, \$2.50.

Preparing For Hot Weather.

The following telegram from White-wright, Texas, indicates that the people in that vicinity do not intend to be caught unprepared:

WHITEWRIGHT, Texas, June 2, 1891. Chamberlain & Co., Des Moines, Iowa: Ship us at once one gross Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy, 25 cent size, and two dozen 50 cent size. We are entirely out and have had nearly forty calls for this week.

O. Y. RATHBUN & Co. This is just such a medicine as every family should be provided with during the hot weather. It never fails and is pleasant to take. For sale by Snipes & Kinersly.

To the Public. CADDO MILLS, Texas, June 5, 1891. FROM MY OWN personal knowledge, I can recommend Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy for cramps in the stomach, also for diarrhoea and flux. It is the best medicine I have ever seen used and the best selling, as it always gives satisfaction. A. K. SHERRILL, 25 and 50 cent bottles for sale by Snipes & Kinersly, druggists.

Maier & Benton, proprietors of The Dalles Ice company, received this morning their sixth shipment of ice for this season. They also received a choice lot of fir wood today. Call and get prices on wood and ice and be convinced that they will sell you good goods at low figures. Their motto is quick sales and small profits.

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.

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. KINERSLY, City Treasurer.

Notice. All city warrants registered prior to October 3rd, 1891, will be paid if presented at my office. Interest ceases from and after this date. The Dalles, Or., July 10th 1891. O. KINERSLY, City Treasurer.

A special meeting of the Knights of Labor will be held in their hall next Sunday afternoon at 3 o'clock. A full attendance is requested as matters of special importance will come before the meeting.

WANTED! A limited amount of good, clean, woolen rags. Bring them to this office at once and receive a reasonable price for same. \$10.00 reward.

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

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Prof. E. L. Shuey, Dayton, Ohio. LAGONDA 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 56 years, I took out a Ten-Payment Life Policy in the Equitable upon their Ten-Year Tontine Plan, for \$10,000. 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 \$10,000.00. And cash 9,751.69. SECOND—A paid up policy for 54,600.00. THIRD—Surrender my policy, and receive in cash 36,496.80.

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 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 the time I 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.

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