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THE CHRONICLE PAST, PRESENT AND FUTURE.

Twelve months ago today the first number of The Dalles WEEKLY CHRONICLE was issued and today its publishers send forth to the world the first number of its second volume. The story of its origin needs no rehearsal here. Suffice it that the merchants and business men of The Dalles believed there was a mission in the field of journalism in this city yet unoccupied and the CHRONICLE was started to fulfill that mission. It was never intended to be the vehicle of a faction or the organ of a party. Its founders were no disgruntled politicians nor disappointed office-seekers but business men whose interests were bound up with and inseparable from the interests of the whole community. It is with no desire to stir up unpleasant recollections that we remind our readers that before the advent of the CHRONICLE the press of this city had descended to the level of a narrow and miserable factionalism where it is still bound as firmly as the prince of darkness in the vision of the apocalypse. The rights of the major portion of the community were ignored and the columns of at least one journal teemed with daily denunciations of everything and everybody who could not pass the censorship of its imperial boss. In this unhappy condition the CHRONICLE became the child of necessity. It had to be born. A field of usefulness, wholly unoccupied, lay open before it and how well it has fulfilled its mission, let the record of the past year testify. On political questions, about which men may honestly differ, the CHRONICLE has sought to guide rather than to lead, but on all questions affecting the material interests of The Dalles and of the empire from which the CHRONICLE draws its support, it has aimed to be honest, unselfish and fearless. And it has the supreme satisfaction of knowing that its labors in the people's interests have been appreciated. Twelve months ago today the CHRONICLE was launched upon the sea of journalism without a solitary subscriber. Today its daily and weekly editions have a larger number of subscribers than any paper published in Eastern Oregon with one possible exception. Before the CHRONICLE was six months old its circulation in Wasco and adjoining counties had outnumbered its local contemporaries (one of which started into life over 30 years ago,) and since then constant and almost daily accessions have been made to its subscription list. This is said in no spirit of idle boasting. It is a statement of fact and a record of which any journal may be proud. The publishers of the WEEKLY CHRONICLE have so far appreciated the patronage it has received that they send out the first number of its second volume in a new and enlarged form. The change involves an addition equal to nine columns of reading matter equal to its present size, but the price remains the same, while the volume of news furnished weekly to its subscribers vastly exceeds that of any of its local contemporaries. We need scarcely add that it is confidently expected that this last effort to make the CHRONICLE more worthy of public support will be duly appreciated and that large editions will in consequence be made to its subscription list and advertising patronage.

One of the half dozen copies published by our evening contemporary, by the merest fatuity, fell into our hands this morning and from it we clip the following: "It was rumored today that the Baker had tied up for the winter; but the report could not be traced to any official source. After diligent inquiry we were informed that the boat was stopped for repairs." The report could have been "traced to an official source," if anybody had taken the trouble. It did not take the least bit of "diligent inquiry" for the CHRONICLE to discover, and that from the highest official source in these parts, that the Baker has been ordered to be tied up and that she will be removed to her winter quarters at Crater's Point this afternoon.

The Oregonian believes there is no possible hope of getting an appropriation for a portage railway in Oregon from

a democratic congress, nor, it might have added, from any other congress. When Senator Dolph addressed the people of The Dalles, while on a visit here last summer, he distinctly pointed out the difficulty of getting congress to make any improvements not of a permanent nature. He said it was contrary to all precedent. A portage railroad at best was only a temporary expedient and congress was not accustomed to deal in anything short of permanent works. But if Governor Pennoyer can persuade Speaker Crisp and a democratic congress to depart from congressional precedent for just this once the people of the Inland Empire will be devoutly thankful. In that case we won't look a gift horse in the mouth.

It looks now as if Simon will not be appointed to the federal judgeship. It appears certain that strong protests have been sent in against the appointment and that they have had their effect. This is good news with only one alloy. If Simon does not get the judgeship he will remain as a curse to the republicans of Oregon.

A Progressive Young Man.
An amusing incident happened in one of the local churches on Sunday morning. A young married man and his rather limited family went to divine services, and when seated they did not fill the pew into which they had been ushered. Presently another family came, and were ushered into the same pew, the young married man stepping into the aisle to let them in. The new comers filled the pew, and the y. m. m. took the seat ahead. He had hardly become settled than he again found it necessary to get up while another family filed into the pew, occupying all of it. Once more did the y. m. m. go forward. A hymn was sung, a prayer offered, and the Scripture reading had commenced when still another family came up the aisle; and the y. m. m. once more stepped into the aisle only to see that pew, too, completely filled up. Again he went forward, but by this time the services were well under way and no more people came. To this latter fact alone does the y. m. m. attribute his failure to reach the anxious seat at that service.—Buffalo Express.

Inventions and Farm Machinery.
Every trade, profession and employment can show hundreds of inventions which have brought fortunes to the inventors. In agriculture the inventors have made a complete revolution. Work that was done by hand in a very laborious way dozens of years ago is now done in one-third of the time by steam and machinery. Even within the memory of living farmers there has been such a transformation in their work that their methods appear antiquated and useless. Hundreds of new inventions in the same line are annually being patented, and the farming of the future will be reduced to such a science that one is unable to predict how our crops will be raised and harvested.—George E. Walsh in New York Epoch.

The Largest State.
You may always depend upon a boy knowing a great deal more than anybody else and saying it right out. A Detroit school teacher the other day tackled a ten-year-old pupil. "What is the largest state in the Union?" she asked. "Matrimony," answered the boy promptly, and the teacher has been wondering ever since where he got the information.—Detroit Free Press.

He Excelled in One Thing.
"Did you ever get licked while you were a boy, papa?" asked Johnny. "No," said papa emphatically. "How was that?" queried Johnny suspiciously. "Because, my boy, I was the fastest runner in the whole school."—Harper's Bazar.

To protect itself from the rain the orang-outang crooks its arms over its head. The hair on the orang's upper arm points downward, while on the lower arm it points upward, the apparent purpose being to shed the rain like a thatch.

A Swedish glass which contains phosphate and chlorine is said to have great advantages over other glass for use in microscopes and other fine lenses. It is of extreme hardness and is susceptible of the finest polish.

The Duke of Portland has a necktie for every hour of the day, and he never wears his gloves twice. His hosiery bill is about \$1,200 a year. The Duke of Fife spends about the same amount.

Generally speaking the Chinese will not eat mutton, still less beef. The former is, however, largely consumed by Mohammedans and beef is by no means unknown.

Southern Politics Quiet.
BATON ROUGE, La., Dec. 17.—A combined convention has just nominated Thos. S. Adams of West Feliciana for governor, by acclamation.

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