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TIME TABLES.

The Dalles, Portland & Astoria Nav. Co.

SCHEDULE.

The boats of The Dalles, Portland & Astoria Navigation Co. will commence running on Monday, Feb. 15th, and until further notice under the following schedule.

Steamer "DALLES CITY" leaves PORTLAND at 6 A. M. Tuesdays, Thursdays and Saturdays. CASCADES at 10:30 A. M. Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays. Steamer "REGULATOR" leaves THE DALLES at 6 A. M. Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays. CASCADES at 1 P. M. Tuesdays, Thursdays and Saturdays. B. F. LAUGHLIN, General Manager.

Railroads.

WEST BOUND. No. 2, Arrives 12:01 A. M. Departs 12:06 A. M. No. 1, Arrives 4:25 A. M. Departs 4:30 A. M. EAST BOUND. No. 1, Arrives 12:01 A. M. Departs 12:06 A. M. No. 2, Arrives 4:25 A. M. Departs 4:30 A. M.

STAGES.

For Prineville, via. Bake Oven, leave daily at 6 A. M. For Antelope, Mitchell, Canyon City, leave daily at 6 A. M. For Dufur, Kingsley, Wamic, Wapinitia, Warm Springs and Tygh Valley, leave daily (except Sunday) at 6 A. M. For Goldendale, Wash., leave every day of the week except Sunday at 8 A. M.

Post-Office.

General Delivery Window, 8 a. m. to 7 p. m. Money Order, 8 a. m. to 4 p. m. Sunday, 9 a. m. to 10 a. m.

CLOSING OF MAILS.

By trains going East, 9 p. m. and 11:45 a. m. Stage for Goldendale, 7:30 a. m. Stage for Prineville, 5:30 a. m. Stage for Dufur and Warm Springs, 5:30 a. m. Stage for Tygh and Hartland, 5:30 a. m. Stage for Antelope, 5:30 a. m.

SATURDAY - MARCH 20, 1892

U. S. DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE, WEATHER BUREAU, THE DALLES, Or., Mar. 20, 1892.

Table with columns: Pacific Coast Time, BAR., REL. HUM., D. R. WIND, SUN., MOON, STATE OF WEATHER. Values for 8 A. M., 9 P. M., 10 P. M.

Maximum temperature, 47; minimum temperature, 41. Height of River, 3 p. m., 9.2 feet; Change in past 24 hours, 0.3 feet. Total precipitation from July 1st to date, 9.41; average precipitation from July 1st to date, 12.35; total deficiency from July 1st, 1891, to date, 2.94 inches.

WEATHER PROBABILITIES.

SAN FRANCISCO, Mar. 26, 1892. RAIN Weather forecast till 8 p. m. Monday; Rain, rising temperature, clearing weather for Sunday. KERKHAM.

LOCAL BRIEFS.

If you want the news, you want THE CHRONICLE. If you are not a subscriber, please read this and hand in your name. C. W. McGill of Wapinitia, and Alex McLeod of Kingsley, are in town. The debt of Klickitat county is said to be in the neighborhood of \$80,000. A pamphlet containing the new Australian ballot law adopted by this state is for sale at the CHRONICLE office at ten cents a copy. Mr. H. J. Corbett is so well pleased with The Dalles that he is still with us. The genial climate here is a great benefit to his health. Klickitat county has a man who has cost the county at various times, something like \$10,000 in trying to convict him of various crimes and misdemeanors. The bell for the new M. E. church arrived from Baltimore this week and will summons people to worship tomorrow. It is a fine toned bell and weighs 417 pounds. Ridgeway is the name of a new post-office in Wasco county, situated on the stage road between Bake Oven and Cross Keys. Mrs. Mary L. Cook is the postmistress and she has appointed her husband, Harry, as her deputy. Methodist services in the new church tomorrow as follows: Class meeting at 10 a. m., sermon to young converts at 11, Sunday school at 12:20. Children's meeting at 4 p. m., Epworth League at 6. Preaching at 7:30, subject: "The Relation of Spirituality to Success in Every Day Life." Aurora lodge of Knights of Pythias was inaugurated Thursday night in Wasco, and twenty-three persons were initiated as charter members. A delegation of twenty Knights was present from this city and they report having had a royal good time and speak enthusiastically of the generosity and big-heartedness of the people of Wasco. Reports from the farming districts in this county are of the most encouraging kind. The winter wheat has the best outlook for a large yield this season that has ever been known, the spring sowing is coming up and the soil conditions are excellent for a good growth and an abundant harvest. Reports are also very favorable for an excellent fruit season. Peaches, pears and apples especially, are very promising.

Judge Bradshaw left today for Hepner, to attend circuit court.

Borers in peach trees are now the worst pest valley orchardists have to contend with.

Mrs. W. G. Backus of Hood River, lies dangerously ill at her residence at that place. Mrs. Backus is not expected to recover.

Ten prairie schooners have arrived from Prineville within the past three days after freight for the merchants of that busy city.

Mr. C. E. Bayard, U. S. special timber and land agent, is in the city on his return from Baker City. From him we learn that spring prolongs his stay in the lap of winter and that there is plenty of snow all through that country.

A. J. Wall, of the Eight-mile menagerie, met with a loss yesterday that touched the very tender spot in his heart for the brute creation. Mr. Wall has had a deer and a monkey in a small enclosure and the deer yesterday for some reason or other got mad at the monkey and stamped it to death. The poor little thing having been chained to a box was powerless to get out of the way.

Emissaries of his Satanic Majesty are circulating reports, without any foundation whatever, in fact, to the effect that The Dalles, Portland & Astoria steamers have been sold out. Such foolish statements are unworthy of denial, but THE CHRONICLE emphatically pronounces them false and misleading. Designed for a purpose which cannot be accomplished. Daily trips are to be inaugurated on April 4th, and kept up, so long as there is water in the Columbia to float a steamer.

When the Hood River delegation reached The Dalles yesterday there was considerable inquiry for the Cascade locks delegation, which did not appear. Finally a Hood River man vouchsafed the information, "to be kept quiet," however; that the Locks delegation had all joined together and sent their proxies to Col. Sinnott. But it was not kept quiet, and pretty soon candidate after candidate, who had been let into the secret, began to lead Col. S., a lively racket. He was totally in the dark, himself, and it was several hours before the true situation was revealed. Col. Sinnott enjoys the joke hugely, and the knowledge of the inside workings of county politics which it afforded, will last him until the meeting of the next convention.

Republican County Convention. The republican county convention of Wasco county met this morning in this city. At 10:20 a. m. the meeting was called to order by chairman of the county central committee, M. T. Nolan, who opened the proceedings by reading the calls for the state and county conventions.

Mr. Nolan then thanked the republicans of Wasco county for the honor they had done him in appointing him for two terms in succession chairman of the county central committee.

M. J. Anderson, of Dufur, then placed in nomination for temporary chairman of the convention Hon. W. H. H. Dufur, of Dufur. T. A. Hudson moved to amend by substituting the name of M. P. Isenberg. Anderson said, "We want no substitute."

M. A. Moody moved that the chair appoint two tellers to collect the ballots on the vote for chairman. The chair appointed Hon. Robert Mays and M. A. Moody. Mr. Dufur was elected by a vote of 38 to 35. The election was made unanimous on vote of Mr. T. A. Hudson. J. M. Patterson was elected secretary and H. C. Rooper assistant secretary.

On motion a committee of five on credentials was appointed by the chair, consisting of Hon. Robert Mays, R. Sigman, C. L. Gilbert, C. V. Lane and W. D. Richards. On motion a committee of five on order of business was appointed consisting of M. J. Anderson, J. E. McCormick, F. C. Sexton, H. Rice and F. Menefee.

The convention then adjourned to 1:20 p. m.

AFTERNOON SESSION.

The convention was again called to order by Chairman Dufur at 1:40 p. m.

The committee on credentials reported, as duly elected, the delegates whose names have been already published in the CHRONICLE, as follows: East Dalles precinct, Frank Creighton, J. W. Koozts, W. J. Roberts, Frank Connelly, H. L. Kuck, Emory Campbell and Fred Grummond.

Biglow precinct, Frank Menefee, M. T. Nolan, Hugh Chrisman, C. J. Crandall, Robert Mays, and Thomas Joles. Trevett precinct, J. M. Patterson, Judd Fish, William Mitchell, C. L. Phillips, P. DeHuff, J. G. Koozts, A. M. McLeod and W. H. Jones. West Dalles precinct, J. W. Marquis, George Runyan, G. B. Halvor, A. N. Varney, and A. A. Urquhart. Mosier precinct, L. Devenport, Frank Phillips. Hood River precinct, M. P. Isenberg, J. W. Baker, T. R. Cook, E. S. Olinger, C. L. Gilbert.

Falls precinct, Robert Black, E. P. Ash, Dr. Candiani, A. Watt, P. Moran, Baldwin precinct, W. E. Winans, Ross. Eight-Mile precinct, W. E. Campbell, J. E. McCormick. Columbia precinct, H. Gilpin, W. D. Richards. DesChutes precinct, H. Rice, A. S. Roberts.

Nansene precinct, Henry Hudson, J. Easton.

Dufur precinct, H. H. Dufur, Willard Vanderpool, M. J. Anderson, R. Sigman, Geo. W. Johnston.

Kingsley precinct, F. C. Sexton, E. Williams, H. Mahew. Tygh precinct, W. M. McCorkle, J. H. Sherar.

Wamic precinct, A. E. Lake, T. J. Driver, P. W. Knowles. Oak Grove precinct, S. G. Blackerby, Frank Gabel, W. H. Davis. Bake Oven precinct, H. C. Rooper, H. Jordan, Lem Burgess.

Antelope precinct, W. Kelsay jr., J. C. Murphy, D. S. Kinsey, C. V. Lane, Grant Mays.

The following persons were admitted to the convention by proxies: M. A. Moody by proxy of Emory Campbell, C. P. Heald, by proxy of J. W. Baker, T. A. Hudson, by proxy of L. Devenport, F. C. Sexton by proxy of Emory Williams.

Fred Grummond's proxy was voted by C. F. Beers. Hood River was allotted five delegates instead of four.

The committee on the order of business reported as follows: We recommend that your body proceed to nominate the candidates for the respective offices as follows:

Sheriff, Clerk, County Judge, Assessor, Treasurer, Superintendent, Commissioner, Surveyor, Coroner and last, the delegates to the state convention.

We recommend that the temporary officers be made permanent. Signed: W. J. ANDERSON, Chairman. FRANK MENEFEE, Secy.

Mr. Mays moved to amend by districting the county for the state representation, as by the caucus of country delegates last night. Adding that the line between Biglow and Trevett precincts be the line between the four city precincts, dividing them into two districts.

The caucus referred to divided the county as follows:

- First district, Hood river, Falls and Baldwin. Second district, Mosier, Antelope, Bake Oven and Deschutes. Third district, Kingsley, Tygh, Wapinitia and Wamic. Fourth district, Dufur, Nansene and Columbia.

Mr. A. Moody moved as an amendment to the amendment, that the city delegates be permitted to caucus as to the division of the city, as the country delegates did last night for the country.

The amendment to the amendment was carried, and the convention adopted the report of the committee.

On motion of C. L. Phillips the convention resolved to ballot for candidates by precincts. The tellers collecting the ballots from each precinct as its name is called.

H. Gilpin moved the following resolution which was unanimously adopted.

Resolved: That the republicans of Wasco county, in convention assembled, do instruct our delegates to the state convention to pledge the candidates for the legislature that they work for the passage of a law that shall cut off the 33 1/2 per centum from the salaries of clerk and sheriff of this county, or otherwise place these officers under a reasonable fixed salary.

A resolution by M. P. Isenberg, was heartily adopted, declaring that the convention is in favor of an open river.

Another, by A. S. Roberts, was also adopted, declaring that the convention is in favor of having congress extend the time for the payment of the price of the railroad lands lately forfeited.

The convention proceeded to ballot for sheriff, after the following persons had been put in nomination:

- C. P. Balch, H. W. Steel, C. W. Rice and C. L. Phillips. On the first ballot the candidates received the following vote: C. P. Balch, 34; H. W. Steel, 13; C. W. Rice, 11; C. L. Phillips, 15; Blank, 1. Necessary to a choice, 38.

On the second ballot Balch received 39 votes, Steel 10, Rice 11, and Phillips 14. Mr. Balch was therefore declared the choice of the convention for sheriff.

Nominations for clerk were now in order, and the following candidates were put in the field:

- Alex McLeod, E. N. Chandler, J. M. Huntington and J. M. Patterson. The first ballot resulted as follows: McLeod 16; Chandler 23; Huntington 30; J. M. Patterson 5.

On the second ballot for clerk McLeod received 11 votes, Chandler 24, and Huntington 39. Mr. Huntington was declared the nominee of the convention.

For County Judge only one name was brought before the convention, that of the present incumbent Hon. C. N. Thornbury, who was nominated by acclamation.

For Assessor three candidates were put in the field, the present incumbent John E. Barnett, A. A. Urquhart and J. W. Koozts.

On the first ballot 12 votes were cast for Barnett, 17 for Urquhart, 32 for Koozts, 12 for Cockerline and one blank. The name of Mr. Barnett was then withdrawn from the race and the convention proceeded to the second ballot. The result was Urquhart received 19 votes, Koozts 41, and Cockerline 14. Mr. Koozts was then declared the nominee of the convention.

For County Treasurer William Michel, E. Jacobsen and I. C. Nickelsen were placed in nomination. On the

first ballot Michell got 30 votes, Jacobsen 29, and Nickelsen 15. The second ballot stood 36 for Michell, 32 for Jacobsen, and 6 for Nickelsen.

On the second ballot Mr. Michell received 38 votes to 33 for Mr. Jacobsen and 3 for Nickelsen, and was therefore declared the nominee of the convention.

Troy Shelley was then nominated for School Superintendent by acclamation. S. D. Fisher, H. A. Leavens and E. P. Ash were nominated for county commissioner.

H. A. Leavens received the nomination by a vote of 46, to 15 for S. D. Fisher, and 12 for E. P. Ash. One blank.

E. F. Sharp was nominated by acclamation for surveyor and N. F. Eastwood in like manner for coroner. This closed the county nomination and a recess of half an hour was then taken before balloting on the delegates to the state convention.

The city is chock-a-block of politicians today, and the streets remind one of a boulevard in a large city.

J. B. Huntington, register of the U. S. land office at Burns and brother of B. S. and J. M. Huntington of this city, is in town on his way to the republican state convention.

"For an open river," is the title of an article to which your special attention is directed today on the 4th page of THE CHRONICLE. Read it and mail it to some friend in the frozen regions beyond the Rockies.

Dr. W. E. Rinehart was called to Arlington yesterday to perform a critical operation on a lady of that place. The operation was successfully performed and the patient was resting easily when the doctor left.

"Goods in all lines at rates defying competition," is the motto of Mr. N. Harris, whose store will open for a lively business campaign on Monday, at which all buyers will be candidates for bargains, irrespective of party.

The Congregational church services in the Court house Sunday at 11 o'clock a. m. Sunday school at 1:15. Young people's society of Christian Endeavor at 6 o'clock p. m. All are cordially invited. Union services in the Court house at 7:30 p. m.

Mr. J. P. Case, of this city, received a telegram from Missoula this morning informing him of the death of his infant daughter. The child will be remembered as the babe that Mrs. Dr. Rinehart cared for after the death of its mother and took to Mr. Case's relations last January.

We noticed five heavy freight teams in the feed yard of The Dalles Mercantile Company today, just in from Prineville to load with freight for the interior merchants. We noticed that the yard was literally packed with teams and stock which is evidence that the East End is doing a rushing business.

Enjoying Their Passes.

Last evening at 8 o'clock a jolly party of thirteen eastern general passenger and ticket agents, male and female, sat down to dine at a feast spread for them by mine host Sinnott, at the Umatilla house. They had been doing Portland, and came up the Columbia by steamer, meeting their coach "Glacier" here, which was attached to the 12:06 a. m. east bound passenger today and they went on their way rejoicing. The ladies of the party say they have not enjoyed any part of the trip, from the east via California, better than this, via The Dalles. The gentlemen all had business which occupied their attention, at the meeting of the Transcontinental Association at San Diego, which meeting by the way, was not a complete success as the attendance was rather light. Owing to the absence of several members of the committee, considerable business was laid over until the next meeting. The reason given for the light attendance is that the railroad men could not spare the time occupied in traveling, as one of them informed a representative of THE CHRONICLE, "It is our business to remain at home, and let other people do the traveling."

Devotion to Politics Rewarded.

McD. Lewis, of Wapinitia, says he made his first haul out of politics yesterday. It was not a big haul to be sure, it was only the value of a boar pig, but he got the pig, and he got it as the reward of his devotion to democratic principles, and got it honestly to boot. Mr. Lewis bought the pig from Jno. D. Whitten, of Kingsley, and placed it in a dry goods box to take it home in a hack. Going down Tygh Hill the pig raised the lid of the box and jumped out, without notifying its owner. When Mr. Lewis got to the Tygh store he discovered his loss, and thinking the pig was gone for good, he determined to drive home to his ranch. Just then, however, he met a wicked defender of the McKinley tariff, whom he desired to convert from the error of his ways, and as the person in question was a tough case, a couple of hours were spent in vain effort to convince him that the tariff is a tax. At the end of that time a neighbor, who had found the errant pig, was seen driving it towards the Tygh store. Thus a couple of hours spent in missionary work, devoted to the interests of tariff reform were rewarded by the restoration of the lost pig, and that is how Mr. Lewis made his first haul out of politics.

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