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PEASE & MAYS.

The Dalles Daily Chronicle.

Entered a the Postoffice at The Dalles, Oregon, as second-class matter.

Weather Forecast.

Official forecast for twenty-four hours ending at 5 p. m. tomorrow

Tuesday, and Wednesday light rain and nearly stationary temperature.

TUESDAY, - - - - MAR. 21, 1893

MARCH MELANGE.

Stray Bits of News Gathered From All Sources.

A statesman was puzzled to discover just why there wasn't some rule for pronouncing Hawaii. He varied the accent ten times each day. And each time he got a new kind of Hawaii. But finally found, in an outburst of joy. An accurate means for pronouncing "Hawaii." He found out how Stevenson pronounced Ad-in-ai. And used the plan in the case of Ha-wa-i.

Clean up the alleys.

Gardening has commenced in earnest.

W. C. McClure, of Viento, is in the city.

Rev. Mr. Ireland, of Mosier, is in the city.

The awning by Joles Bros. has just been repaired.

Mr. W. C. McClure of Viento, is in the city today.

A steam hoisting machine has been put in at the Regulator dock.

The Ladies Gleu Club will meet with Mrs. J. T. Peters this evening.

The fishing season is closed from the first of March to the 10th of April.

Old papers, suitable for carpets or shelves, will be exchanged for clean rags at this office.

Supt. Baxter's car went east today, having on board Master Mechanic Gibbs, of Albina.

The insane asylum commission spent yesterday in La Grande. Today they will look over Pendleton.

The Standard flour mills Walla Walla, owned by W. S. McCalley, were totally destroyed by fire yesterday; loss \$25,000.

Benj. S. Burroughs, postmaster at Pendleton, has been the first to send in his resignation. It will take effect March 31st. J. F. Johnson will probably succeed him.

A new postage stamp has been issued for registered letters. It is the size of a porous plaster and has a fine engraving of Columbus playing poker with one of the early settlers of Astoria.—Herald.

Winans Bros. have finished stringing a substantial wire cable across the river. They intend to transport all their fish by means of this cable and a basket to this side of the river, and will be a great convenience.

A St. Paul business man states positively that Mr. Hill will build his railroad from Montana through this section to San Francisco, and the railroad magnate makes no secret of his determination.—Tribune.

The bridge contract awarded to R. A. Emmett calls for the building of a span bridge across Lost river at the head of Langell valley. The bid was for \$700, which is very reasonable considering the fact that it is to be a span bridge.—Klamath Star.

The Rod and Gun club propose to be very strict when they discover any infringements upon the game law. This went into force on March 15th and reads as follows: Every person who shall, within the state of Oregon between the 15th day of March and the 1st day of December, of each year, take, kill, injure,

or destroy, or have in his possession, sell or offer for sale, any wild swan, mallard duck, wood duck, pidgeon, teal, spoon bill, gray, black, sprigtail or canvas back duck shall be guilty of a misdemeanor."

The winter of 1893 has been unusually cold both in Europe and America. During the early part of February the Golden Horn of Constantinople was frozen over for the first time since 1854, a period of 37 years. At the same time the continent of North America, excepting a narrow strip along the Pacific coast, was frozen solid as far south as the gulf of Mexico, and the ice in the Potomac river at Washington was two feet thick.—Ex-

GOLD MINES ON THE METHOW.

C. L. Richmond, whose home is in The Dalles, Oregon, arrived in Spokane last week from the Methow country, where in company with Theodore Cartright, David Graham and son, he has spent eight months. Starting from The Dalles last season they went up to the Methow country and began prospecting and before snow had fallen last fall they had located 16 gold bearing claims on Gold creek, a tributary of the Methow, which flows into that stream about 20 miles above its confluence with the Columbia. Considerable prospecting along the veins showed them to be continuous and a test of the ore showed a value of \$18.60 in gold and \$1.50 in silver.

They also located 80 acres of placer ground which prospected well from the surface, but they have not yet struck bedrock, although they have gone down 18 feet. They expect, however, from indications that it is not more than two feet from the bottom of the prospect hole. Abundant water and fine dumping ground is afforded and a saw mill only a short distance away will provide the lumber required. The owners will begin the construction of flumes and sluices very soon.

While prospecting on the north fork of Gold creek, Mr. Richmond found a ten foot vein of antimony, which he traced for several hundred feet. The ore carries a large percentage of antimony and Mr. Richmond is now in correspondence with parties who are looking for such property.

Mr. Richmond thinks their Gold creek quartz claims are equal to any of the others and they do not care to sell, although they have had letters from several parties asking them to name a price. A portion of the coming season will be devoted to the quartz and placer properties and a portion will be devoted to prospecting the mountains between Lake Chelan and the Methow, where Mr. Richmond is confident they will find some valuable gold bearing lodes.

Ore, which Mr. Richmond left in our office, is from the Addaline mine and came from near the surface of an eight foot ledge. There are some 25 or 30 localities in the Methow basin, several placer properties and some valuable coal land.

The snow-fall was very heavy there this winter, being at one time five feet on a level, but it is rapidly disappearing. Mr. Richmond will go home to The Dalles and will return to the mines about April 1st with horses and supplies.

It is hoped that the mail service will be extended from Bridgeport to some point on the Methow near the mouth of Gold creek during the coming season, for besides several miners there are a large number of ranchers who have permanently located in the valley. Grass grows luxuriantly and pine timber abounds. The soil is very productive.—Mining Review.

DIED. This morning at 6 o'clock Mrs. Ida J. Mann, wife of D. W. Mann, aged 27.

The family came to The Dalles about five years ago from Canada. Mrs. Mann leaves a little boy four years old, besides the husband. The funeral will take place at 1:30 o'clock tomorrow afternoon.

Taken Up. At the premises of subscriber, about Jan. 1st, one four-year-old spotted steer, branded "20" on left hip. The owner may have the same by proving property and paying advertising and feed charges. THE DALLES LUMBERING CO.

Working Under Difficulties. The Dalles Lumbering Co., operating fifteen miles up Mill creek, are prosecuting work under difficulties. They are logging while there is yet three feet of snow on the ground. Last night it snowed all night, and there was an 8-inch fall of snow. In some of the canyons there is snow from four to eight feet deep. Regarding the report that they were to furnish lumber for thirty-five cottages they say they would like to see the bills for same, but as yet have heard nothing of it.

THE JUNE EXHIBIT.

Floral Department of the Oregon State Horticultural Society.

One of the most important features of the work done by the Oregon State Horticultural Society at its annual meeting held in this city last January was the forming of a floral adjunct.

This part of their work was quite as essential as any other branch, and while pomology, etc., are practically indispensable, yet this society could do no more laudable work than that of promoting floriculture. True, we must rely upon the former to supply our temporal wants, yet there are elements in our nature that may be nourished by feeding our eyes on things of beauty, such as appeal to our better feelings, serving to elevate our lives to a higher moral standard. These beautiful gifts of nature come to us as messengers of love, peace, purity and rest.

Their commercial value also is of no small consideration. Neither should we lose sight of the fact that they would become one of the leading factors in promoting the growth and prosperity of our country, as has been the case in California, by furnishing an incentive to immigration. So that any way we may view this subject it proves itself well worthy the prominence the horticultural society is giving it, an exhibition in June.

The executive committee appointed by President J. R. Cardwell to manage the affairs of the department set vigorously to work to put into execution plans for a floral exhibit to be given in this city the present season. In consideration of the fact that the Oregon Pioneers held their reunion on the 15th of June, it has been arranged to make the time of this exhibit correspond with their dates, continuing three days, from the 14th to the 16th inclusive. They have prepared a very liberal list of premiums which is as follows:

The county making the best display of cultivated flowers (Multnomah accepted)—1st premium, \$50; 2nd \$25.

Professional florist making the best general display—1st, \$25; 2nd \$15.

Choicest collection of roses by amateurs.—1st, \$10; 2nd \$5.

Largest and finest assortment of pansies by amateurs.—1st, \$10; 2nd \$5.

For the largest pansy.—\$5.

Choicest sweet peas, (variety a consideration).—1st, \$10; 2nd, \$5.

Finest display of potted plants—1st, \$10; 2nd, \$5.

Largest and handsomest Rex begonia.—\$5.

Native flora pressed.—1st, \$15; 2nd \$10.

Native flora fresh.—1st, \$15; 2nd, \$10.

Orchids.—1st, \$10; 2nd, \$5.

The only consideration for entering an exhibit is an annual membership, requiring a fee of 50 cents for ladies and one dollar for gentlemen. The holder is entitled to the privileges of any exhibit in any part of the state during the year. This exhibition is given in the interest of every city, town and village in the state. The purpose is to reach all who love flowers. The state is large, and its flora combines the wealth of the valleys and prairies, the hills and mountains, of all their nooks and intervals and as well the bloom found upon our so called deserts and wastes. There are few wastes in Oregon, none where flowers cannot bloom. Therefore we appeal to the women of Oregon, and men too, wherever and wherever they may be, whether on the beautiful prairies, the more beautiful hills or the slightly mountain sides, to help us in our endeavor to bring more beauty, fragrance and moral trust and pure life into our homes by introducing everywhere, the culture of flowers.

CORRESPONDENCE DESIRED. The ladies of the committee earnestly request all who are interested to accept this as a personal invitation to open a correspondence with them. Any information desired may be had by calling on or addressing the secretary, Mrs. M. E. Shafford, 350 Morrison street, Corner 7th, Portland, Oregon.

Our Wamic Letter.

WAMIC, Or., March 20th, 1893. Like the Athenians of old we have nothing to do but to "hear and tell some new thing." Still we have not been able to hear the new thing this week.

Our literary society adjourned last Friday evening to meet on the first Friday in September, next. The concluding entertainment last Friday, was a splendid play, entitled "The Egyptian Mummy." The characters were remarkably well sustained, especially the mummy. The troupe received the most flattering congratulations from the enraptured audience, and of the dramatist and practical tragedians who did the training, we would say "well done" etc.

Mr. William Mayfield is thinking of building a residence in our town, in order to give his children better school advantages.

The grass is growing. The plows are going. The sowers are sowing. The brooks are flowing.

A number of the pupils of the deaf-trick school were absent last evening on account of the inclement weather. The master, Judge Bradshaw, will be ready to hear recitations this evening at 8 o'clock in the basement of the M. E. church, and all pupils had better be present, or they may suffer the consequences.

For Rent. A nicely furnished room in good location with or without board. Apply at this office.

Letter from Mr. and Mrs. Corum.

We have received a letter from Mr. H. J. and Mrs. C. E. Corum, Wapinitia, announcing the death of their little girl, May, nearly four years old, mention of which was made in yesterday's CHRONICLE. The letter shows that while the parents are heart-broken, they are resigned to the Divine will.

From the standpoint of poor humanity, who can calculate only upon things material, death seems to be a sad calamity, and when it takes a little one in the springtime of life, standing just upon its threshold; a wee prattler, unconscious alike of the joys and sorrows of earthly existence, it seems unnatural. Nothing can be said to assuage the present grief of the parents; like Rachel, weeping for her children and would not be comforted because they were not, the image of their little one will recur to them throughout the years to come; but when finally, wearied with the sorrows of earth, they themselves approach the banks of the silent river, may they be welcomed by a little bark from the other side, driven by their child, now the deathless spirit—little May.

WEATHER COMPARED.

U. S. Department of Agriculture Weather Bureau.

PORTLAND, March 20, 1893. The chief of the Weather Bureau directs the publication of the following data, compiled from the record of observations for the month of April, taken at this station for a period of 21 years.

TEMPERATURE. Mean or normal temperature, 53.2°. The warmest April was that of 1886, with an average of 55.4°. The coldest April was that of 1892, with an average of 49.6°. The highest temperature during any April was 85 on the 28th, 1890. The lowest temperature during any April was 28 on the 7th, 1875. Average date on which last "killing" frost occurred (in spring), on the 11th. Average number of days with .01 of an inch or more, 15. The greatest monthly precipitation was 7.88 inches in 1885. The least monthly precipitation was 1.12 inches in 1885.

The greatest amount of precipitation recorded in any 24 consecutive hours was 1.34 inches on the 2d, 1885.

CLOUDS AND WEATHER. Average number of cloudless days, 6. Average number of partly cloudy days, 10. Average number of cloudy days, 14.

WIND. The prevailing winds have been from the south. The greatest velocity of the wind during any April was from the southeast, 40 miles on the 24th, 1892.

B. S. PAGUE, Observer.

"The people of this vicinity insist on having Chamberlain's Cough Remedy and do not want any other," says John V. Bishop, of Portland Mills, Indiana. That is right. They know it to be superior to any other for colds, and as a preventive and cure for croup, and why should they not insist upon having it. 50 cent bottles for sale by Blakeley & Houghton, druggists.

Sold Their Farm.

Peter West and wife have sold their Tutuwallow farm on the reservation for \$3,000 to Leslie Leonard, who lately arrived with his family from Tacoma. Mrs. West receives \$2,000 and Mr. West \$1,000 of the consideration, which arrangement settles their property affairs. Mr. Leonard has shipped the lumber from Tacoma for a two story dwelling which he will build on the farm, and intends in due time to have a fine country home. He takes possession today.—East Oregonian.

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The professor refers to the following ladies and gentlemen: Ex-Governor Stevenson, Boise City; Bishop Glorieux, Dr. M. E. Spaulding, Boise City; Prof. Marsh, Pacific University, Forest Grove; H. E. Neal, Capitol State Bank, Boise City; Col. Bailey, U. S. A.; J. McClinton, warden Oregon penitentiary, Salem; Dr. Powers, Stanford University; W. T. Kane, Milton Harlan, Miss Lauer, Mrs. G. W. Rowland, John Mitchell, E. P. Fitz Gerald, Mrs. D. Bolton, Co. Treas. Wm. Mitchell, Pat Fagan, The Dalles; C. J. Mellis, agent, Huntington; Miss Stalker, school teacher, Huntington. The oculist has a valuable cure for Catarrh and Deafness and he invites all who desire a free test of the same to call on him. Remember his fee and costs no money. No pedicure employed. Artificial glass eyes inserted to perfection. Remember, the professor is the only one that carries a complete set of tools, where lenses can be ground on the premises if necessary.

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