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The Daily and Weekly Chronicle may be found on sale at T. C. Nickelsen's store.

### FEBRUARY FARRAGO.

Minor Events of Town and Country Briefly Stated.

When a widow says, "I never dirt," You must believe it true, For, as the poets in a manner pert, She's trying it on you.

The Hull-Cummings murder case is set for Monday.

Prof. LeRoy's weekly soiree tomorrow night at Chrysanthemum hall.

A telegram announces that Dr. Wilding cannot come. No preaching tonight at the M. E. church.

Mr. Sam. Leeter of Prineville, brought twenty head of fine young horses from his range last night and today shipped them in charge of a brother, to Memphis, Tennessee.

The Day Brothers have appealed the case against them, wherein Joseph Smith was granted \$1,154 damages. The case will come up again next week before Judge Bradshaw.

The audiences are still large and attentive at the Christian church. One confession last night. Subject this evening: "A Reason for the Christian's Hope." Baptism immediately after the sermon.

Surveyor Crandall finds that the "Elton" grade will be 20 feet in a hundred and the "Laughlin" grade 14 feet. This is the Fourth street road to the East End, and both routes are considered pretty steep.

Edward Bourner of Umatilla county was placed in the asylum yesterday. The cause of his insanity is constant smoking of cigarettes. He has four children. At times he becomes violent and desires to kill them.

Prof. A. LeRoy, who lectured in The Dalles a short time ago, has been appointed postmaster at La Grande. It is understood that it was through the solicitation of Mrs. Cleveland he got the appointment, who is a personal friend of Mr. LeRoy.

Today has been a genuine old-fashioned March one. The snow squalls and blustering winds have reminded Kansasites and Dakotans of their approaching blizzards, which we are not favored with. The temperature is ranging between thirty-eight and forty-six degrees above zero.

Ask your dealer for Mexican Silver Stove Polish.

## D. J. COOPER ASSAULTED.

Garrett Fullerton Laboring Under a Slight Delusion.

Garrett Fullerton was arrested and brought before Justice Davis yesterday on the charge of assault and battery upon D. J. Cooper. He was admitted to bail in the sum of \$100 for his appearance for trial this evening at 7 o'clock. In default of bail he was committed to jail. The appearance of Mr. Cooper would indicate that he had decidedly the worst of the trouble.

Fullerton seems to be laboring under a slight misapprehension as to the rights of owners of property. Some time ago he was picked up by Mr. Cooper and given a home on the farm. Mr. Cooper had decided to move his family on the place, but hearing that Fullerton had said he would not permit the family to move there as long as he had possession, went out to the place in advance of the family's arrival. He met Fullerton in the room and told him the family was coming and to move his bed upstairs. Fullerton objected and Mr. Cooper proceeded to roll up the blankets, proceeding with them as far as the stair door. Here his way was blocked by Fullerton. In this crisis of authority Fullerton led out with his right, knocking Cooper, blankets and all on to the floor. He followed his advantage by a thorough drubbing, of which Mr. Cooper's face today bears ample evidence. After satisfying his pugilistic propensities Fullerton left the house, bound for town, ten miles distant, through the mud, and wading creeks nearly up to his hips. Cooper mounted a horse and passed him on the way, swore out a complaint against him, and when Fullerton loomed up in the distance near the city limits, was promptly arrested and placed in jail.

### A Busy Place.

A party who arrived today from the Locks, says that it is a pleasure to watch the work going on. His own words are that it is business from the word go. Every man seems to understand his own duty and applies himself with energy. A score of different things are going on at once. Fifteen engines, stationary, donkeys and locomotives, never rest; drills are probing; blasts exploding; pumps exhausting the water from the canal in which the men are at work; ponderous machinery, stone crushers, sand sifters, mortar mixtures, are all in motion, depositing their product in the canal; and innumerable tram cars fit here and there like ants on errands bent. Altogether the Locks affords a most unusual sight in these times, and it looks more like 1892 than at any time since last January a year ago.

### Feeding Spoiled Wheat.

H. P. Moore and brother are feeding 100 head of steers on spoiled wheat, on Tygh Ridge. They find the experiment more than satisfactory, as they get a market for their grain at good figures, besides a good sale for their beaves at stalk-fed prices. Messrs. Jas. Moore and Polk Butler are also feeding 100 head of steers on damaged wheat. They report that the fattening process is all that they desire.

If you wish to see a fine assortment of oranges, lemons and bananas just call and see the display at H. H. Campbell's, next door to the postoffice.

Hot clam broth at J. O. Mack's every av at 4 o'clock.

Use Mexican Silver Stove Polish.

## Elocutionary Contest.

The juvenile elocutionary contest at the Congregational church last night was a very pleasant affair. Interest did not flag on account of all of the contestants reciting the same selection, because of the pleasure taken in noting the points of difference in the rendition by each speaker. The following program was observed:

Prayer.....Rev. Whistler.  
Song.....Myrtle and Reta Stone  
No. 1—"On the Other Train".....Mabel Allen  
No. 2.....Francis Parrot  
Solo.....Mrs. A. L. Varney  
No. 3.....Bessie Snipes  
No. 4.....Martha Schoelling  
Duet.....Messrs. Vine Phelps and Balfe Johnson  
No. 5.....Alfred Ball  
Solo.....Georgia Sampson  
No. 6.....Edna Barnett  
Address.....Rev. Jenkins  
Closing Ode.....A Class

The judges, after a short deliberation, awarded the prize to No. 6, which gave general satisfaction, as evidenced by the first applause of the evening. The musical selections were very pretty and well rendered. During the time the judges were deliberating Rev. J. W. Jenkins talked most agreeably upon the subject of temperance, furnishing much information that the public did not know. The Dalles Juvenile Temple is the largest in the state. Mrs. Barnett deserves great credit for her single-hearted efforts in this cause, and is doing a great work in this city. She has reason to be proud, too, of her juvenile order. Children are always interesting and they appeared to splendid advantage last evening when closing the entertainment by marching across the rostrum and through the aisles, following the banner of the order. Mrs. Barnett's only embarrassment was in affixing the medal to her own child, for which she made a short apology. The judges did not know whose child it was or they would have relieved her of the delicate duty.

### Whist Frivolities.

Mr. and Mrs. S. P. M. Briggs entertained the Union Whist Club royally last night at Fraternity hall. It being Valentine's evening each guest was presented with a pretty valentine with the compliments of the host and hostess. There were a number of invited guests present to share the pleasures of the evening, and at the close of the score the first honors, a beautiful sofa pillow, was taken away by Mrs. L. E. Crowe, and the second was presented to a successful young lady whose name we do not recall at present. The order was given out to clear the room of carpets, etc., and Miss Alma Schmidt seated herself at the piano, when the merry dance was the concluding part of the entertainment.

### Circuit Court.

The case of Chandler vs. Heald still occupies the time before Judge Bradshaw today and the jury were this afternoon listening to the arguments.

The grand jury found a true bill against Charles Chester for larceny in a dwelling. Defendant was arraigned and plead not guilty.

### PERSONAL MENTION.

Hon. W. H. H. Dufur of Dufur is in the city.

Mr. W. Glavey, a resident of Wasco county for the last eighteen years, located on a beautiful farm near Hood River, is in the city and called at THE CHRONICLE office this morning. He says that fruit prospects are excellent in his section.

Haworth the printer, at home 116 Court St., Feb. 1st.

## GLAD TO GET BACK.

Mr. N. Harris' Account of the "Change" Elsewhere.

The Bottom Has Dropped Out of the Sound Country—Despair of a Bellingham Bay Woman—Chicago's Dire Distress.

Mr. N. Harris returned last evening from a trip through the Sound country, over the Canadian Pacific in British Columbia, and through the East. Mr. Harris is a close observer, a shrewd financier, and his experiences should be of value in determining the general condition of affairs throughout the country.

To begin with he does not talk very hopefully. He has been a resident of this country more than twenty years and he says he never saw such a crisis as exists at the present time. Bellingham Bay he describes as a beautiful city, with wide, paved streets, lined by beautiful stone buildings. Hardly any sign of life is to be noted. For blocks windows are broken and the houses deserted. There is no money in circulation and business is almost totally suspended. He ate dinner at a finely appointed restaurant, and besides himself only one other man occupied the dining room. Standing on the corner by a hotel he saw a woman and a little girl walking on the opposite side of the street. The woman hastened her steps, apparently trying to walk away from the child. The latter, in alarm, said, "Where are you going, mamma?" She replied in a tone of desperation: "I don't care where I go. I would rather go to hell than remain here." Those who had money have left and those who have no money are compelled to remain. At another place in the Sound country he went in the postoffice to buy 10 cents worth of stamps about 4 o'clock in the afternoon. As he paid for them the postmaster remarked: "That is the first money taken in today." Mr. Harris thinks that the reason of the greater stringency in the Sound country over Oregon is due to "booming" and overbuilding.

In British Columbia, on the line of the Canadian Pacific, he was surprised to find the state of affairs reversed. The people seem contented and no one is suffering. Work is ordinarily plentiful at good wages. A resident said to him: "We have not got such fine buildings as in St. Paul and Chicago, but we have plenty to eat."

At Chicago the scenes of distress were renewed. The wife of one of his friends was knocked down and robbed at 9 o'clock in the morning on a public street while doing some marketing. Strong men may be seen sweeping the streets, and are only allowed three hours a day. They are paid only with food and a very mean quality at that. Even women are thus employed. The weather was so cold, said Mr. Harris, that if one poked their head out of doors he would get his nose frozen off, and in such an atmosphere, women, thinly clad and in one instance, a man with only one shoe on, were sweeping the streets to procure food. Everyone is praying for another election to hurry around and, mentally, are clothed in sackcloth and ashes for voting for the change. Chicago will go republican next time by a phenomenal majority, the disposition being to vote the straight ticket, down to constable, and even if a democratic candidate happens to be more agreeable to them personally, they will vote for the republican anyway, as a sort of self-inflicted penance. Their remorse is deeply rooted, and they have come to realize that the suffrage is not a thing to trifle with.

Speaking of the jobbing trade, he says merchants are buying only to fill in broken lines, and do not, as heretofore, order an entire line of goods. Others go and buy nothing, representing only as a matter of form, and for business ends.

Speaking of The Dalles, Mr. Harris says he believes that it is today the best town in the United States, and that we don't know what hard times are. Asked if he thought we should finally be overtaken by the same fate as exists in the East, he said no; everyone here is in moderate circumstances, and is provided against the commercial famine. Few here live from hand to mouth, like the thousands in the larger cities, and there is a reserve fund which will fulfill all requirements. We may be pinched, but never crushed. He concluded with a comparison of our climate over that of Illinois, and said we are not half appreciative enough of the blessings we enjoy.

### Notice—Auction Sale.

Having purchased the stock and fixtures of S. Klein, I will offer the same at public sale, without reserve, on Saturday, Feb. 18, 1894, at 10 o'clock a. m., at the store formerly occupied by S. Klein, all the stock of furniture therein, consisting of a well-selected stock of new and second hand furniture, beds and bedding; also a lot of Indian curios, etc. This will be a rare opportunity for bargains, as there will be nothing reserved in the sale.

By J. B. CROSSEN, Auctioneer.

Building Subscriptions Due.

All persons who subscribed to the building fund at the dedication of the M. E. church are requested to pay the amounts which are due to Mr. Dinsmore Parrish.

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Notice is hereby given that by virtue of an execution issued out of the Circuit Court of the State of Oregon for Wasco County, in a suit therein pending wherein W. A. Miller is plaintiff and E. P. Reynolds is defendant, to me directed, and commanding me to sell the real property hereinafter described, to satisfy the sum of \$200.00 and interest thereon at the rate of eight per cent per annum from September 22, 1892, and the sum of \$2,400.00 and interest thereon at the rate of eight per cent per annum from the 20th day of March, 1893, and the further sum of \$20.00 attorneys fees, and the further sum of \$22.50 costs, adjudged to the plaintiff and against the defendant in said suit, I will on the

13th day of March, 1894, at the hour of 2 o'clock p. m., at the front door of the County Court House in Dalles City, Oregon, sell at public sale to the highest bidder, for cash in hand, all of the following described real property, to-wit: The south half of the southwest quarter, the northeast quarter of the northwest quarter, the northeast quarter of the southwest quarter, the northwest quarter of the southwest quarter, the southeast quarter of the southwest quarter, the southeast quarter of the southeast quarter of Section 25, Township 1 North, Range 13 East, W. M., containing 160 acres, and the north half of the northeast quarter, the northeast quarter of the northwest quarter and the southeast quarter of the northeast quarter of Section 25, Township 1 North, Range 13 East, W. M., containing 160 acres, to satisfy said sums and accruing costs.

T. A. WADE, Sheriff of Wasco County.

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