

Easter Announcement To-morrow.

PEASE & MAYS.



The Dalles Daily Chronicle.

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The Daily and Weekly Chronicle may be found on sale at I. C. Nickelsen's store.

THURSDAY, - - - MAR. 22, 1894

MARS' MONTH.

A Record of Lesser Events for the Thirty-one Days.

"These railways," said the actor said, "would greatly help our art. If they would only put their ties not quite so far apart."

Taxes are coming in very fairly, we are informed by the sheriff.

The river has receded so that the D. P. and A. N. Co.'s dock is out of water.

Capt. J. M. Buschke is a candidate for county clerk on the republican ticket.

The Diamond Mills started up this morning, after having been shut down for the past month.

The Union Whist Club held their last meeting for the season last night, which concluded with a dance and banquet.

A telegram has been received for Mr. Leech, representing the Globe-Democrat. Will the gentleman please make himself known?

The city pound has been remodelled and fitted up, allowing a part of its space for cattle, a part for horses and a part for dogs.

Messrs. Funk Bros., on account of not being able to get their store in readiness, will not present their stock of goods for inspection until the fore part of next week. Their opening day will be announced in this paper. Look out for it.

Bill Nye is "farewelling" in the east. He will close his platform career in Texas next month and go into the strawberry business in North Carolina, where he has a "model farm," so called because it costs him four times as much to run it as the crops come to yearly.

Easter this year comes on the 25th of March, earlier than it has been before for a good many years. In the year 1868, Easter Sunday was on the 28th of March, and that was the earliest for more than 50 years before. It can never be earlier than March 24th, and it has only been that early once in one hundred years.

"Wasco Charley" is the name of an Indian who has just nosed out a small though fine piece of government land three miles this side of Hood River, upon which he proposes to make settlement. It is high up, but there is about fifteen acres which will raise the very best of fruit. It is a sightly location.

and he can look down on the river and see the Regulator pass every day, which looks very small from his elevation.

A fast special will arrive from the east this afternoon at 5:40 o'clock. It will make the run from Umatilla in three hours and fifteen minutes, which will be the fastest time ever made between these two points. It will have aboard the delayed passengers and mail.

According to a law passed by the last legislature, a 5 per cent. fund is set apart for the improvement of roads from the sale of public lands. Last year this amounted to about \$65,000. This year the sum will be about \$40,000, divided among the various counties according to their area.

A citizen of The Dalles who took a short walk into the country a few days ago, reports orchardists actively preparing for a red hot campaign against pests. Cauldron, kettles and scorching fires have been set up in many places along Mill Creek, reducing brimstone, lime, etc., into a mixture for the spraying pumps.

Surprise Party.

March 20th was the occasion of a very pleasant surprise for George Chandler at his home. A few of his friends came to spend the evening. The time was filled by games and after a nice lunch the young people repaired to their homes leaving George wishing that surprises would occur often. Those present were: Misses Irene Woodcock, Grace Willerton, Bertha Willerton, Sadie Allen, Francis Parrott, Ninon Oaks, Mabel Turner, Addie Paine, Myrtle Palmateer, Lulu Blakeney, Masters Ivan Oaks, Joe McNeal, Walter McNeal, Eugene Moore, Garfield Moore, Frank Sylvester, Ernest Willerton, Frank Woodcock, George Chandler.

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.

Decadence of Sturgeon.

Fishermen complain of the scarcity of sturgeon in the Columbia, and say the failure of the legislature to pass any law for the protection of the fish has resulted in a general slaughter of them for the past two or three years by parties who pack them for shipping east, and that if this is continued it is certain to result in extermination. As it is, a steamboat now has to be employed to run up a fish here and there, and traveling 60 miles to get a ton or two of fish. Sturgeon are now being caught as far up as the Cascades, where yearly multitudes of the small ones are slaughtered in the fishwheels.—Baker City Democrat.

Mrs. Emily Thorne, who resides at Toledo, Washington, says she has never been able to procure any medicine for rheumatism that relieves the pain so quickly and effectually as Chamberlain's Pain Balm and that she has also used it for lame back with great success. For sale by Blakeley & Houghton, druggists.

Mrs. Stabling and son have a fine assortment of dahlia bulbs, chrysanthemum, pansy and forget-me-not plants yet on hand. Those wanting such should call on them at once, as now is the time for successful transplanting.

O'LEARY'S BOY.

A 5-year-Old Who Spoke at a Republican Convention.

Mr. J. V. O'Leary, a prominent sheep-raiser of Grass Valley has a very precocious 5-year-old son who "took down the house" at an enthusiastic republican meeting held at Bickleton Saturday. Mr. O'Leary's democracy has never been called to question. But on that day he was chosen to be chairman of the meeting, the business of which to form a republican club. His appearance was the signal for prolonged cheering, and cries of "speech," "speech," "O'Leary," resounded through the hall. The ovation somewhat surprised the gentleman who said:

"Gentlemen, I am not much given to speech-making, and I have a little 5-year-old boy who can make a better speech than I can. Come on, Johnny," and he signalled to a little red-haired youngster who was completely overlooked up till this time. "Johnny" came forward and said:

"Five years ago my father was an aristocrat; three years ago he was a democrat; and—

"For Grover he did whoop, Now he's in the soup."
The effect can be better imagined than described.

Wants to Know.

As stated previously, many letters are constantly received in this city inquiring about our resources. Here is one received yesterday by the U. S. land office:

ORTHOGRAPHY, Grammar Co., Mar. 19.
DEAR SIR!—Well you please Let me now if ther air aney Homestead Land left in your Country or aney other count of Land. All see if ther air aney R. Rod thead Runn buy it, please gey all the Infoimashan You can a bout it, and if you gout aney mapes of the Land please Let me hev som. Truly yours,
JOHN SPELAR.

Babies in the Woods.

Late Saturday night word was brought to Brownsville that two children of William E. Riggs, aged respectively 4 and 6 years, who live about 1½ miles east of the town, up in the hills, were lost in the brush, and some of the citizens were out hunting them all night, but without success. Early Sunday morning about seventy-five men and boys started out to scour the brushy hills. The rain had fallen nearly all night, and it was cold and stormy, and grave fears were entertained for their safety, and it was not relieved when a little dog, that had gone with them, returned home alone about 8 o'clock in the morning. The search was diligently prosecuted, however, and about 11 o'clock the two little ones were found safe under a large fir tree, about 2½ miles from home, over on the slope of McDowell creek. They were not hurt, but their feet were blistered, and they were cold and hungry. They were soon returned to their home, after an absence of about nineteen hours. Guns were fired and the hardy searchers came joyfully in from the search.

The regular subscription price of the WEEKLY CHRONICLE is \$1.50 and the regular price of the WEEKLY OREGONIAN is \$1.50. Any one subscribing for THE CHRONICLE and paying for one year in advance can get both THE CHRONICLE and WEEKLY OREGONIAN for \$2.00. All old subscribers paying their subscriptions for one year in advance will be entitled to the same offer.

Haworth, printer, 116 Court St. tf

The Cause of Failure.

Bill Nye went a visiting, and while he was gone the bank wherein his money was deposited went busted. Bill didn't know the bank was gone, so he went up to draw out \$500, and this was what he thought: "What was my surprise and indignation to find in place of the bank a nice new book and stationary store. 'And what can I do for you?' asked an urbane man with disheveled whiskers, coming forward. 'You might tell me where the Farmers' and Swappers' bank has gone,' says I, with some warmth. 'When I leave a bank on a certain corner and tell it to stay there till I come back, I am not pleased to find when I return that it has taken advantage of my absence to go out and see the town.' 'The Farmers' and Swappers' bank,' said the man, 'hopes to resume very soon, but of course at present it is closed until it can realize on its collateral.'

"I hustled around and found that the collateral was a lot of paper showing that Mr. Chow Chow, the grocer, had indorsed for old man Stiff, the embalmer, and old man Stiff, the embalmer, had endorsed for old Chow Chow, the grocer, in order to borrow of the bank \$50,000 deposited there by old man Rennet, the farmer, and old man Pieplant, the farmer. It was the old story. The business men had endorsed for each other in order to borrow the farmers' deposits, and the lawyers were now taking what was left in payment for advising them how to do it."

PERSONAL MENTION.

Mr. W. A. Hendrix of Dufur is in the city today.

Mr. R. R. Hinton is in town from Bake Oven.

Mr. Geo. W. Triplort of Winans is in the city today. He reports an exceptionally heavy rainfall the past season, and that there is now three feet of snow on the ground.

Mr. Gillhouse of Dufur is in town today, and reports that owing to the influence of the warm sun and continuous breeze the roads are drying fast. There are only a few mud holes on the route.

Mr. W. F. Helm of Chicken Creek, who is in the city on a visit to his son, carries a very highly prized cane. It was cut from the historic apple tree of Walla Walla valley, said to be the first apple tree planted on the Pacific coast. It was set out by Rev. Dr. Whitman, and still bears fruit annually.

BORN.

In The Dalles, March 20, 1894, to the wife of James Snipes, a daughter.

Notice.

I hereby announce myself as a candidate for the office of county clerk, subject to the decision of the republican county convention.

I. I. BURGET.

For County Treasurer.

I hereby announce myself as a candidate for re-election as county treasurer, subject to the action of the republican county convention.

WILLIAM MICHELL.

Stockholders' Meeting.

Notice is hereby given that there will be an annual meeting of the stockholders of the Dalles, Portland & Astoria Navigation Company held in the Chronicle hall on Saturday, the 7th day of April, 1894, at the hour of 2 o'clock p. m., for the purpose of electing seven directors and transacting any other business that may properly come before said meeting. By order of the president.

SAM'L I. BROOKS, Secy.
The Dalles, Feb. 28, 1894. 2-27-4t

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New Hats for Easter.

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New Hosiery for Easter.

New Shoes, &c, for Easter.

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