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The Dalles Daily Chronicle.

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

Clubbing List.

	Regular price	Our price
Chronicle and N. Y. Tribune	\$2.50	\$1.75
and Weekly Oregonian	3.00	2.00
and Weekly Examiner	3.25	2.25
and Weekly New York World	2.25	2.00

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10 Cents per line for first insertion, and 5 Cents per line for each subsequent insertion. Special rates for long time notices. All local notices received later than 3 o'clock will appear the following day.

FRIDAY, - - - JANUARY 25, 1895

BRIEF MENTION.

Leaves From the Notebook of Chronicle Reporters.

The Tittell Sisters Monday and Tuesday nights. The thermometer last night sneaked down to 14 above zero.

Evangelist Woods arrived in the city yesterday, and is conducting revival meetings in the M. E. church.

Jos. T. Peters & Co., have cord wood, which is desirable in all respects and respectfully solicit your orders.

Jim Westfall, Chinaman, was worth \$10,000 or \$15,000 two or three years ago, but now he says he is "busted." The Oregon Pacific railroad did it.

The weather bureau hit the change for today all right. The indications yesterday as promulgated by that office, were for colder weather, and we have it.

No cases of insanity were reported from Hood River today, from which we judge our neighbors are not trying to keep track of the senatorial fight at Salem.

The trial of C. E. Morgan, who was arrested, charged with embezzling \$633 from Boyd & Arnold at Portland, has been set for February 27th. He entered a plea of not guilty.

The weather indications for tomorrow as given by Mr. Brooks, who by the way gave us yesterday's report instead of its coming from Portland, is about stationary temperature, with perhaps some snow.

It is expected that it will take two weeks to get in all the testimony before the referee in the big water right suit in Malheur county, and the estimated cost of the litigation will amount to \$15,000 or more.

The telegraph wire between Crescent City and its terminus, east foot of Slate creek hill, is in a bad shape. There isn't probably ten miles of it in position, and stages have to tangle up in it every few miles.

At a recent school election in Grant's Pass 89 votes were cast. The assessed valuation of the district is 450,000; the

debt for running expenses amounts to \$2,500, and a 10-mill tax will reduce it to \$1,500 this year.

On account of the meetings being held in the basement of the M. E. church, the literary society will again be held up stairs. Members will observe that the night of meeting has been changed from Monday to Friday.

The recorder's court this morning was not ornamented by any new faces. When we peeped in we saw no more hardened criminals than Engineer Brown, Commissioner Butts, Councilman Lauer and the recorder Fearing to remain long lest that combination should put up a job on us, we skipped.

Work was begun on the new telephone line this morning, twenty-six men being employed. The work will be pushed just as rapidly as possible and in a very short time the line will be in operation. We observe where the holes are being dug that there is no frost in the ground, a condition that if it exists through the country, will prove of great benefit, as it will permit the ground to absorb the water when the snow melts, instead of allowing it to run off to the streams.

We Are Not Alone.

It seems that The Dalles is not alone in its peculiar taste for theatricals, or, perhaps we should say its taste for peculiar theatricals. The following from the La Grande Chronicle shows that the citizens of that lovely little city are also in the swim:

"It is strange to what extent tradition and sentiment will hold its influence upon the people. Only a short time since an alleged production of 'Uncle Tom's Cabin' by a company of 'rank' performers drew a crowded house, while McKee Rankin, with a reputation as a character impersonator that is almost unexcelled in the United States, had an attendance barely sufficient to pay expenses."

The preliminary survey for the extension of the R. R. V. railroad has been completed to a point in Sams valley, a distance of 12 miles from the starting point, which was 1 1/2 miles out from Jacksonville on the present line. This completes that part of the project and when the officials arrive in a few days something else definite may be looked for.

J. W. Cottingham, Henri Legore and David Shaffer were arrested on Wednesday by Sheriff Neal, of Wallowa county, charged with obtaining money under extortion—or what is usually called blackmailing. They were bound over in the sum of \$500.

Three persons were burned to death in a morocco factory in Brooklyn last night.

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.

FOUR VOTES SHORT.

Dolph Loses One by Change and One by Sickness, Now Has 42.

The returns from Salem today are not at all favorable to Dolph. He lost one vote by change and one of his supporters was unable to help him, being confined to his bed by sickness. The vote was as follows: Dolph 42, Moore 11, Hermann 10, Bennett 8, Hare 10, Williams 2, Lord 3, Lowell 1, Berkeley 1. This was the result on the first ballot taken this afternoon.

Dolph losing, puts his case in bad shape and will only serve to encourage those who are fighting him. The defection is the wrong way to give any hope that Dolph can win. Whom the gods would destroy they first make mad, and when Dolph is defeated the financial question will be no nearer settlement than before, while Oregon's chance of securing further favors from the river and harbor committee will be gone. There is no use of firing blank cartridges at the bolting legislators. Petitions and pleadings have failed to move one of them, and all that can be done is to let the disease run its course. The free silver republicans have the bits in their teeth and are running away at a speed that will only result in their own undoing and the wreck of the outfit.

Sewers Needed.

The city council some time ago appointed a committee and employed civil engineers to draw plans and estimates for a sewer system for The Dalles. That committee made its report some time ago, filing plans and estimates. Since then nothing has been done with the matter. The cost of the proposed systems was so large that the council probably realized that it was out of our reach at present. However this may be, one fact remains, and that is that something must be done towards putting in a new system of sewers, or repairing the old ones. The high water last summer caused the ground to settle around the old sewers, and in many places they are broken. When the gentle spring shall come again, unless something is done, there will be an odor pervading the city's atmosphere that will not be mistaken for the perfume of the unassuming violets. It has been proposed to bond the city to raise the necessary money, but the tax payer at the mere suggestion grabs his pocket with as tenacious a grip as he will have to his nose next summer, and utterly refuses to consider any bonding system, and yet, "What are you going to do about it?"

Some Fossils.

Justice Davis has a very fine lot of fossils, gathered in the John Day fossil beds, which are, in some respects, the finest in the world, and contain the fossilized remains of animals no other beds have disclosed. Besides the remains of prehistoric animals, these beds contain some very fine specimens of the flora of that ancient time. Perfect impressions of a leaf resembling those of our alder and oak, and besides these many show-

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They Must Go

To make room for new stock, and this

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CLOTHING FOR EVERYBODY.

N. HARRIS.

D. A. DIETRICH, Physician and Surgeon, DUFUR, OREGON. All professional calls promptly attended to, day and night.

JOHN D. GEOGHEGAN, [Register U. S. Land Office, 1890-1894.] Business Before the United States Land Office a Specialty. Wells Block, Main St., Vancouver, Clarke Co. Washington. nov16

ing that the climate at that time was tropical. Cocoa leaves are very plentiful, and in the bluffs where they are broken perpendicularly, run petrified rushes that were from 8 to 12 feet high. The stock of these rushes resembles that of the papyrus, but we have not seen enough of the petrification to convince us that that is what they are. Mr. Davis is just getting his collection assorted and labeled.

Advertised Letters.

Following is the list of letters remaining in the postoffice at The Dalles uncalled for Jan. 26, 1895. Persons calling for the same will give date on which they were advertised:

- Andree, R
- Bray, Wm
- Baker, Geo
- Bennett, Jno (6)
- Bowman, Miss Clara
- Botkin, Dr A W
- Davis, W H
- Ellis, M D
- Fowler, A W
- Hallock, Mrs E
- Johnston, Mrs Annie
- Koonts, John
- Lord, Chas W
- Marshall, D
- Marshall, Dan
- Miller, Freddie
- Miller, Sophia
- McLaughlin, Olsen, Nels
- O'Brien, L
- Orchard, Sophia
- Payette, Miss Anna
- Payette, Mrs Anna
- Pennell, L (6)
- Pollard, Jno
- Pooskey, Edw
- Splawn, Myrtle
- Styler, H M
- Sprinkle, Sam'l
- Smithene, Mr
- Smith, J E
- Smith, Boob
- Wall, Geo M
- Warfield, J M D (2)
- Wartman, W
- J. A. Crossen, P. M.

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Monday Evening..... "Drifted Apart"
Tuesday Evening—a double bill...
"My Uncle's Will," followed by
Augustine Daly's comedy drama
..... "Frou Frou"

Seats on sale at Blakeley & Houghton's Drugstore.

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Notice.

All city warrants registered prior to February 3, 1892, are now due and payable at my office. Interest ceases after this date. I. I. BURGET, City Treas. Dated Dalles City, Jan. 1, 1895.

Andrew Kellar has a four-room cottage to rent

A Long String of Fish

Is not Carried up a Side Street.

It's just about as important to let folks know that we've got extra fine Hams and Bacon, Eastern Buckwheat Flour, genuine Maple Syrup. The Finest Coffee in town. A fine lot of New Breakfast Foods.

THAT ELEGANT DAIRY BUTTER (Dufur)

For all those who call on us we have bargains in Fine Goods; for those who don't, sympathy.

J. B. CROSSEN, Grocer.

Ask Central for 62.

E. J. COLLINS & CO. will occupy this space. Keep your eyes open.

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THE CELEBRATED COLUMBIA BREWERY,

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This well-known Brewery is now turning out the best Beer and Porter east of the Cascades. The latest appliances for the manufacture of good healthful Beer have been introduced, and only the first-class article will be placed on the market.