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BRIEF MENTION.

Leaves From the Notebook of Chronicle Reporters.

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The Fourth is over; now for the circus. These are great times for the small boy.

The city council meets tonight at which time it is expected, a marshal will be appointed.

Lost—Mouthpiece and shank of a silver cornet. Finder will please leave at this office. d2t.

The usual mid-week meeting of the Congregational church will be held this (Friday evening) at 8 o'clock.

The weather forecast is as follows: Friday, showers; Saturday, clearing and stationary; Sunday, fair and warmer.

Home musicians indorse pianos carried in stock by Jacobsen. Don't forget to call while the competition sale is on.

Don't forget that tomorrow is the last day of A. M. Williams & Co.'s special clothing sale. See front page for advertisement.

Justice Davis is busy this afternoon hearing the case of the state vs. Lee Moorehouse charged with the larceny of a horse and saddle.

Regular business meeting of the Epworth League will be held this evening at 7:30, in the lecture room of the M. E. church. All members are requested to be present.

The announcement is wished made that P. P. Underwood will preach at the Enderby schoolhouse Sunday morning, July 7th, at 11 o'clock. All are cordially invited to attend.

In the services at the tent this evening the theme will be "The Immortality of the Law of God." The discourse will be an inquiry into the nature of divine law. Sec. Ps. 119-165 and Prov. xxviii:9.

Mrs. O. T. Donnell yesterday lost a black cashmere wrap with embroidery and fringe. The wrap was lost on Washington street before the parade was formed. The finder will confer a favor by leaving it at either THE CHRONICLE office or Donnell's drug store.

A large number of Sherman county people went to the Locks this morning to view that great undertaking. Mr. Schanno and other Dalles gentlemen, who are familiar with the work in progress, also went down and will explain to the visitors many things of interest connected with the locks.

The people of Goldendale are mystified over the disappearance of W. H. Turner, a real estate and loan agent of that place. He left home Wednesday, intending to return for dinner but has

not been seen or heard of since. Searching parties have started out but up to this afternoon have no results.

A number of horsemen were invited to see Veterinary Hesse operate on a sick horse this afternoon. The operation was a serious one and those who were present appreciate the way in which the horse was handled. The veterinary doctor has just received an elegant set of surgical and dental instruments from Chicago to use on some horses which he has to treat.

A good many people noticed yesterday that most of the hunting was hung with the Union down instead of the reverse, as it should be. The Union is never to be down unless as a sign of distress and that was not the case yesterday. People in decorating should always have the strip of blue and the stars upon it at the top.

From Mr. Bateham we learn that from a recent census of the fruitgrowers in Hood River valley it is found that there are 118,000 fruit trees of which 90,000 trees now growing are apple trees. Hood River is already noted for the excellent quality of its fruit, and when this extensive acreage comes into bearing it will be an important factor in the future fruit industry of Oregon.

The rain yesterday was just as welcome as it was unexpected. Thirty-two hundredths of an inch fell and the ground is thoroughly soaked. It is a blessing to the country above any other that could be given, and there is great rejoicing in the land today and this Fourth of July will be numbered among the best we have had, both on account of the successful celebration and the glorious rain that accompanied it.

Manager Birgfeld, of the opera house, has made arrangements for a concert to be given in the opera house. The date will probably be a week from next Thursday. Mrs. F. Webster Hinsdale and Miss Minto, one a vocalist of high reputation and the other a pianist, will appear on the program. A fine elocutionist, Miss Jessup, will also take part in the exercise. These ladies will be assisted in the entertainment by the Orchestra Union.

The city jail was a sight to see this morning; sixteen prisoners in the cells and corridors, every one of them recovering from a drunken debauch. Recorder Phelps had a busy time of it this morning hearing the charges and imposing fines. W. H. Butts, Thos. Haslam, W. Harding and Frank Hill were sworn in as special policemen last night and kept busy seeing there was not too much liberty. The increased force will be maintained until after the circus is gone.

Hamlin Garraha will report at McClure's Magazine for July a talk with Edward Kemeys, the sculptor of pioneer life and wild animals, telling how, as by a revelation, his vocation was made clear to him, and describing his adventures beyond the frontier in search of subjects and inspiration. Portraits of Kemeys and reproductions of his best sculptures will illustrate the paper.

A GALA DAY FOR ALL

OUR COUNTRY'S BIRTHDAY OBSERVED IN THE DALLES.

A Successful Celebration in the Midst of a Pouring Rain—Hess Contest, Fire Works, Grand Ball.

The Dalles celebrated the Fourth in fitting style. The rain, which came down in sheets during part of the day, only intensified the good feeling, and people were made glad by the thought that the harvest was all the more assured. People began arriving from the country and outside points during the previous evening, and by the time the exercises began, fully 800 visitors were upon our streets. The rain of the night before had caused the colors in the bunting to run, and the beauty of many decorations were somewhat marred.

The parade moved promptly at the appointed time in the midst of a pouring rain. The military companies, hose companies, and different organizations made a good appearance in spite of the disadvantages under which they were placed. As the liberty car passed under a wire the top was caught and torn off, so the little children were left unprotected from the rain. The procession moved through the principal streets of town and stopped at the grand stand, where the literary exercises were held. A large platform had been built on Third street, in front of the courthouse, and upon it were seated the participants in the exercises. The rain by this time had nearly stopped, and it looked as if the program might be gone through with in clear weather; but during the oration of Mr. Michell the waters began descending with redoubled force.

Hon. W. L. Bradshaw acted as president of the day. The exercises began with singing by a large choir of male and female voices. The choice voices of the town had been drilled for some time, and the singing was excellent. Judge Bradshaw then introduced Mr. Nicholas J. Sinnott, who after some well chosen words of introduction, said with pleasing effect, read the Declaration of Independence in an impressive, stirring manner. The young reader received generous applause from the audience.

After another song Hon. John Michell was introduced as the orator of the day. Mr. Michell made a brilliant effort and delivered an eloquent oration. Both in thought and literary composition his production was a masterpiece and the impressive delivery held the audience spellbound. Especially happy was the introduction referring to the inclemency of the day when he spoke of heaven smiling through its tears. The orator is to be warmly congratulated.

The exercises closed with singing by the choir and then the crowd which had remained attentive to the program, separated, some to their homes, and others

to hotels and restaurants, where dinner could be had.

IN THE AFTERNOON.

Long before the appointed time the sidewalks along Third street were crowded with people to witness the hose contests. Men were put to work cleaning the streets, which were made very muddy by the rain. A long delay was necessary in order to give the ground time to get in condition so any running could be done. The orchestra band was stationed on the porch of Maier & Benton's grocery store, and entertained the people with some beautiful selections while waiting for the contests.

The Jackson Engine Company ran first and made good time, but unfortunately the kink in the hose did not keep the water back until the nozzle was fixed, so that they were not given any time. The boys made a splendid run, and it was very unfortunate the mishap occurred, as they stood a good chance of winning. The Jackson team was composed of the following men: Geo. Brown, Geo. Liebe, Jr., M. Bartel, S. Frank, N. Sinnott, R. Sinnott, W. Hunter, W. Klindt, J. Maloney, J. Fisher, B. Ulrich, R. Teague.

The Mt. Hood team, composed of residents on the hill, were the next to run, and made the course and got water in forty seconds. They were a well-built set of men, and showed their practice in the way they handled the hose and made connections. The make up of the team was as follows: J. Harper, R. Fisher, J. McNeil, W. Norman, F. Chrisman, Mr. Spivey, J. Hanna, F. Snipes, F. Menelee, W. Nichols, J. Ulrich and W. Johns.

The crowd was on the qui vive of excitement by the time the Columbia boys were ready to run. Some had picked them for winners, and just before the race several bets of 2 to 1 in favor of the Columbias were made. The Jackson team wore white suits, the Mt. Hood red and white, and the Columbia boys were attired in blue. At the pistol shot they darted down the street and made excellent time, getting water in 35 1/2 seconds. This was the best time made, and everyone thought they were the winners. The boys were receiving congratulations, when a protest was made to the judges by the Mt. Hood company. It was claimed that the nozzle was screwed after the water passed through it. A heated discussion was carried on between the members of the two companies, and the judges called in some witnesses to give testimony regarding the matter. The decision was finally made in favor of the Mt. Hood company, and the Columbias given the second prize. This, however, was refused on the part of the Columbia team, and the claim was made that under the ruling of the judges they were entitled either to the first prize or none. It was unfortunate that the occurrence happened, as otherwise nothing occurred to make it anything but a friendly contest. The boys who ran in the Columbia team were Lewis Porter, Ray Logan, C. C. Cooper, Grant Mays, J. E. Hartnett, H.

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