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### The Dalles Daily Chronicle.

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FRIDAY, JULY 19, 1895

#### BRIEF MENTION.

Leaves From the Notebook of Chronicle Reporters.

#### Additional Local on Fourth Page.

Sam Thurman has opened a lemonade and fruit stand next door to the old H. od stable.

Bert Hawthorne's fine was paid today so he has been released from jail and breathes the air of freedom once again.

The warehouse of Mays & Crowe is being filled by a carload of Old Hickory wagons which arrived yesterday. These wagons were shipped direct from the factory.

A sure sign that times are better is seen in the increased number of shows and circuses that are on the road. The Dalles is billed for a theatrical performance July 20th.

The clouds are gathering in the sugar war and there promises to be some lively times. People had better buy while it is cheap for no one knows what the morrow may bring forth.

Tonight is the social at the Methodist church. The ladies are making preparations for giving everybody a good time so dont disappoint them with a small crowd. Let everybody go.

The Oregon Fruit Union have moved their office and storeroom from the first floor of the Cosmopolitan across the street to a portion of the building occupied by The Dalles Lumbering Co.

The piano used at the concert last night by Miss Minto was not a Hardman as down on the program but a rich toned, handsome instrument of the Ludwig make, furnished by Jacobsen Book and Music Company.

The audience at the opera house last night was too late in coming. Many arrived and took their seats at the appointed time, but the majority kept coming till a late hour. The Dalles has an unenviable reputation for being tardy at performances and either the people should come earlier or the performance begin later so that all could come at the same time.

Harry Hampshire, Rocky Chenoweth and J. W. Fisher came up on the Regulator last night from Wind river, where they have had a camp for several days. Their outing did them good and they came back with all the signs of having had a rugged outdoor life. The weather was rather cool for outings the last two or three days, but otherwise the campers had a good time.

County Surveyor Sharp is having a handsome cottage built on the corner of Fourth and Federal streets, diagonally

across from the big stable. The frame is up and most of the outside work finished. The building is a very pretty design and built of the best material. When done it will be one of the prettiest residences in the city. This makes the second new house built in that vicinity this spring. Across the street is the cottage just erected by Henry Clough.

Several wagon loads of wool arrived at the Wasco warehouse this morning, coming from beyond Mitchell. Fifteen sacks belonged to C. L. Pierson and the teams hauling it were eighteen days on the road. This is more than double the usual time, which is generally seven or eight days. The teamsters were hindered by their horses getting away and much delay was caused in catching them. The freighters came over the new Curran creek road and report it yet a little soft, but that by next season it will be in splendid condition for heavy hauling.

A considerable quantity of fruit is being shipped from Lyle this season, a consignment coming up on the Regulator last night. The large farm of Mr. Balfour has been planted with a great many varieties of fruits and berries, and when the trees and vines get to the bearing stage there will be a vast amount ready for shipment. Mr. Balfour's place can be plainly seen from the river and the passerby can tell on what a large scale operations are being conducted. Farther up the valley is some fine fruit land which is just being developed and in a short time Lyle will be one of the most important fruit shipping points on the river.

#### A New Industry.

In an interview with J. C. Meins we were informed that measures are being taken to establish a fruit drying plant in The Dalles. It is proposed to put up a first class dryer with all the appliances and tools needed to grade and prepare fruit for drying and shipping. Mr. Meins has just received from San Jose, Cal., one of the new prune perforator and graders, a machine perhaps destined to entirely supersede the lye dipping process used in preparing prunes.

The cost of the plant will be \$1000, \$600 of which is already subscribed in cash and the balance ought to be made up by some of our enterprising business men. As there are about 250 to 300 tons of green prunes in this vicinity that will be virtually lost, there being no facilities for drying them, this plant would bring a net profit of about \$3500 to the various prune growers in the vicinity of The Dalles.

#### Are You Going to the Coast

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W. C. ALLAWAY, General Agent.

#### BOEN.

To the wife of Rev. A. Horn, on Wednesday, July 17th, a girl.

#### A Rare Treat.

About thirty-five hundred people in The Dalles last night missed one of the finest performances ever given in the city. The moderate number that did attend were charmed by the program which Mrs. Hinsdale and her associates presented during the evening. The crowd was not as large as either the management or the performers could wish but the opera house was fairly filled with an intelligent audience. Although through the press and otherwise the reputation of Mrs. Hinsdale, Miss Minto and Miss Jessup had been made known to the people of The Dalles it can safely be said that there was not one in the audience who was not agreeably surprised at the excellence of the entertainment.

The evening's program began with the selection "Fest," from Lurtzing, played by the orchestra, and although not all the members were present, the playing was up to the high standard always attained by these praiseworthy musicians. Mrs. Hinsdale was greeted with applause as she appeared upon the stage. The first greeting was out of compliment to a stranger, but the applause which followed the close of her selection showed how completely she had sung her way into the hearts of the audience. She sang Longfellow's little poem "Beware" set to music by Penning. Mrs. Hinsdale was compelled to respond to an encore and sang "Coming Through The Rye." Miss Gertrude Minto by her first selection upon the piano proved herself an artist of merit. The piece she chose, "Polka de la Rein," gave an excellent opportunity for displaying her musical powers. Her touch and expression are faultless and the facility with which she played the rapid passages showed she was capable of brilliant work. Miss Minto received a hearty encore.

By this time the audience were enthusiastic and when the fair electionist, Miss Lloyd Jessup, appeared before the footlights she was greeted with an outburst of applause. Miss Jessup's first recitation was "The Kitchen Clock," which was rendered in a perfect manner. For an encore Miss Jessup gave a piece in negro dialect, which showed good imitative powers. The song "I am Titania," by Mrs. Hinsdale, and the piano solo "Barcarole," by Miss Minto, were well received by the audience.

The orchestra scored a great success in playing the beautiful overture "War March," by Mendelssohn. However high the praise may be for the others who appeared on the program it may be extended to the orchestra. Prof. Birgfeld lead the musicians in a masterful way, while Miss Newman at the piano made a fine accompanist. The two songs, "Close Thine Eyes" and "The Bee and the Flower," composed by Mrs. Hinsdale were beautiful selections and sang charmingly. The sentiment was very tender and the music sweet. She was again encored. Miss Minto played Chopin's "Impromptu" in such a pleas-

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#### PERSONAL MENTION.

Mr. Hugh Glenn went to Portland on the local today.

Mrs. Charles Dehm and family are in The Dalles on a visit.

Mrs. Chris Bills returned last night from a short visit near Mosier.

Mr. John Roth of Kingsley returned last night from a visit to Portland.

Sheriff Driver was a passenger on the west bound local to bring back a prisoner.

Mr. E. H. Merrill has gone on a rust-treating jaunt along the banks of the Columbia.

Messrs. J. W. Gage and J. F. Stephenson, two well known citizens of Mitchell, are in the city.

Mr. J. Couch Flanders, an attorney-at-law of Portland, was in the city this morning on legal business.

Mr. and Mrs. Hinsdale returned to White Salmon, where they are spending several weeks in summer recreation.

Mrs. A. H. Jewett came up from White Salmon last night to attend the concert. She returned this morning.

Miss Minto and Miss Jessup were passengers down the river on the boat this morning. They will spend the next two weeks at White Salmon.

Mr. Joseph A. Johnson of Buffalo, N. Y., is in The Dalles attending to important business matters. He is the guest of Mr. J. T. Rorick of North Dalles.

Miss Rose Michell left on this morning's train for Portland. She will attend the meeting of the Oregon Press Association, which convenes at Newport July 20th.

Prof. Birgfeld lost no time in getting back to the slyvan haunts of the Cascade woods and went down on the boat this morning. His family will remain there during the summer.

Miss Effie Frazier goes to Portland Friday night, and expects to go to the state editorial association at Yaquina bay, in company with Miss Rose Michell, of The Dalles.—East Oregonian.

Miss Catherine Lansing, who has been visiting Mrs. I. H. Hazel for three weeks, returned home this morning. Miss Lansing is a member of the faculty of Pacific university at Forest Grove.

Hon. George H. Williams, Ex-United States Senator, was in The Dalles this morning. Mr. Williams is Oregon's most distinguished citizen and can well be called "our Grand Old Man." He has served as attorney general in Grant's cabinet and held repeated positions of honor. He is a fine example of a true American citizen.

#### The Training of Lions.

There is one fact which no one would suspect—that it is easier to train an adult lion taken in a snare than an animal born in a menagerie. The civilized lion would soon be spoiled for work, and the inherent devilry would break forth with awful disaster. Another strange fact is that the older an animal grows, particularly of the feline family, the more dangerous it becomes. The Great Wallace Shows have both animals born in captivity and those taken in their native jungle.

The Oro Fino has received a consignment of the celebrated Anheuser, Busch, Budweiser, Lager beer, which will be retailed at 25 cents a bottle. jy12-19ds\*\*

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