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The Dalles Daily Chronicle.

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as second-class matter.

TUESDAY, - FEBRUARY 18, 1896

BRIEF MENTION.

Leaves From the Notebook of Chronicle
Reporters.

Forecast—Today fair; tomorrow fair
and warmer.

Eight cars of ice arrived this morning
for The Dalles Commission Co.

"The Practical Idealist" tonight at
the Congregational church—8 o'clock.

The case of State vs. Ed. Sheer and G.
P. Bradley, for larceny of a dwelling, is
being tried in circuit court this after-
noon.

A surprise party was given Master
Frank Woods at the residence last night
by his boy and girl friends, which was a
very pleasant affair.

Mr. William L. Isbell and Miss Cath-
arine A. Eben were married Sunday
last at the residence of the bride's par-
ents, Judge L. S. Davis performing the
ceremony.

The nuptials of Mr. J. G. Vibbert and
Miss Eva Southwell were celebrated at
the residence of Mr. Martin Henrichson
yesterday by Rev. I. H. Hazel, of the
First Christian church.

Prof. Neece's singing class was orga-
nized at the M. E. church last evening.
Indications are that it will be a very
prosperous one. Monday, Wednesday,
and Friday will be the meeting nights.

The contract work to be done by Day
Bros. is almost completed. The canal
will be cleared of all obstructions this
week. The dredger broke down yester-
day, which caused a delay of about
twenty hours.

A shooting scrape is reported from the
Prineville country, between Isaac W.
Mills and James W. Wagner. In a dis-
pute over a division fence Mills shot
Wagner, but whether or not with fatal
result is not yet known.

A telephone is being put in at the
Regulator dock for the convenience of
the public through the courtesy of Sen-
fert & Condon. It will be so arranged
that when the freight house moves up
with the water, the connection will re-
main intact.

It wasn't a very liberal assortment of
clothes which came with the baby, and
(h'm) the—the—the advent of the in-
fant was totally unexpected, I assure
you, friends, and, (h'm) in short, is
there not some charitable society which
furnishes baby clothes in cases like this?

Dr. A. P. Stowell of Vancouver, for-
merly of Goldendale, left for his home
this morning, the proud possessor of two
handsome coach puppies, which were
forwarded to him from Chicago to The
Dalles. The puppies are seven weeks
old, thoroughbred, and cost \$30, exclu-
sive of express charges.

The Mother Goose entertainment at
Fraternity hall was well attended. The

fairly heroes and heroines of our child-
hood were impersonated in costume by
the children of the Juvenile Temple,
who recited neat verses and sang sweet
airs, all of a temperance nature. Mrs.
Isaac Joles was the drillmaster, and
succeeded in making of the affair a thor-
ough success.

Pendleton secured the next tourna-
ment of the Eastern Oregon and Wash-
ington Firemen's Association. In pass-
ing upon the matter of prizes, the di-
rectors placed the value of the trophies
to be awarded as follows: Speed race—
First prize, \$90; second, \$50. 'Wet
test—First, \$80; second, \$40. Hook and
ladder test—First, \$50; second, \$25.
Foot race, 220 yards—Prize, \$20.

The remains of Mabel Carter were laid
to rest in Sunset cemetery this morning,
the funeral occurring at 10 o'clock from
the residence of Mr. B. F. Laughlin.
Mabel Carter was the adopted daughter
of Wm. Hinkle, her father being the
brother of Mrs. Hinkle, also Mrs. D. M.
French. She departed this life at Salem,
Friday, Feb. 14th, aged 14 years, and
her remains were brought to The Dalles
to repose in the family burying ground.

Rev. P. S. Knight will give a most en-
tertaining and instructive lecture this
evening at the Congregational church,
his theme being "The Practical Ideal-
ist." This is a part of the winter course
of lectures at that church, which have
become widely known throughout liter-
ary circles of this city. The lecture to-
night is by an able and well-known doc-
tor of divinity of the Congregational
church and will undoubtedly be an un-
usual treat.

Saturday's auction of dress goods,
clothing, shoes, hats, caps and an en-
dless variety of furnishings of all kinds,
sold by M. A. Moody, assignee, was a
veritable slaughter. For instance, six-
teen ladies' corsets were bought for \$1,
each worth more than that. Buttons at
10 cents per thousand was certainly,
also, an eye opener. The value of arti-
cles offered for sale seemed to cut no
figure. All bids were accepted, and so
much interest was aroused by the re-
ports of bargains that the Vogt stand
was crowded until 10 p. m., and yet only
one-half of the stock was disposed of.
The balance will be closed out on next
Saturday, the auction beginning at 10 a.
m.

Certain boys of tender age are in the
habit of jumping on cars, locomotives
and trains as they are switched around
in the yard, a very dangerous pastime,
and disagreeable, as well, to the train-
men. If persisted in, the result will be
a killed or maimed boy, for they get
more reckless with experience, and when
they get to the stage that they are "too
smart" to be hurt, the time is ripe for a
"horrible accident." Parents should
know where their boys are at all times.
The railroad management have finally
become aroused by this long-continued
nuisance, and propose to make an ar-
rest or two if it is not stopped, as much
for the protection of the boys them-
selves as for the bother they make the
switchmen.

FARLEY'S FIND.

An Unknown Infant Left at His Door-
step Early This Morning.

The lusty crying of an infant on the
doorstep of Mr. J. G. Farley about 4
o'clock this morning awoke Mr. Sher-
man Frank, who occupies an upper
front room of that residence, who at
once alarmed the household, and Mr.
Farley proceeded to the place auricularly
demonstrated to be the location of the
unbidden guest.

Here he found the frail morsel of hu-
manity, ensconced in a common lunch
basket, wrapped in an old shawl, but
with finer garments beneath it. In the
basket was found a gilt-edged card, con-
taining the following information:

Little Kenneth Clair; born
Feb. 17th, 1896. This child is
not born out of wedlock nor of
low parentage.

The note is reproduced accurately as
to spelling and punctuation. It was
written in bold hand, of good penman-
ship, but thought by Mr. Farley to be a
woman's writing. The only other clue
to the little one's identity is the cost
mark attached to a slip, the only extra
one put in the basket, and upon which
was the maker's trademark, the mer-
chant's cost mark in cipher, and the
selling price in figures, 90 cts. Mr. Far-
ley took the cost mark to every store in
The Dalles, and found it was not pur-
chased here. He has reached the con-
clusion that it was left by some parties
aboard the morning train, who again
took the train after depositing the charge.
Mr. Farley lives in that part of town
where the train stops at the depot. The
train stops about fifteen minutes, giving
plenty of time to make the errand and
return to the train. The basket con-
tained a few cracker crumbs and had a
grease spot on the bottom, indicating its
recent use for a lunch basket.

As soon as the excitement caused by
the baby's unexpected advent had sub-
sided a little, Grandma Blakeney was
called in to help care for it. Another
lady, a neighbor, was called, and volun-
teered to supply the demands of appe-
tite from the maternal fount, but it was
not hungry, and had evidently been
nursed about ten minutes before.

The baby has dark blue eyes; the
color of its hair has not been deter-
mined yet, it will have to grow first;
the slip in which it was dressed is hand-
embroidered and, its other clothing
would indicate that it is the child of
people of education and refinement. Mr.
Farley has not determined what he will
eventually do with the little stranger,
but if he caters to the wish of his little
daughter he will keep it. She was very
much elated over the discovery this
morning, and mystified as elated. Al-
though it is "very sudden," she accepts
the situation with perfect equanimity
and exhibits the pride of a mother in
showing the new arrival to her little
friends.

Circuit Court.

W. E. Stoej was sentenced this morn-
ing by Judge Bradshaw to pay a fine of

\$150, and remanded to jail until the
amount shall have been paid.

The case of State of Oregon vs. D. Mc-
Kelvey was dismissed, and was not per-
mitted to go to the jury, the facts in the
evidence not being sufficient to warrant
a question of guilt. McKelvey had
taken a three-year lease of a farm be-
longing to E. C. Dickerson, with a priv-
ilege of five. Before the expiration of
the time the owner of the farm had a
good opportunity to sell. It became de-
sirable to abrogate the lease held by Mr.
McKelvey and it was set aside by a jus-
tice of the peace. Under this state of
affairs the arrest of McKelvey was in-
stituted for feeding from a stack of hay
owned jointly by the two. In circuit
court it was shown the justice of the
peace exceeded his jurisdiction, and
therefore that McKelvey had committed
no crime.

Vogt Block to Be Rebuilt.

Our citizens will be pleased to learn
that the Vogt block will be rebuilt.
Plans are now in the hands of Con-
tractor Glenn for its construction. It will
look like the former structure, which
perished in the great fire of 1892, with
the middle story left out. This was a
magnificent block, as the towering walls
which yet remain, will attest, and was
built in 1889. The new building, like
the old, will contain six store fronts and
two large hallways on Second street,
and one hallway on Federal. Its main
dimensions are 100x150 feet. It will
have two pedaments, one containing the
words "Vogt Block," the other the fig-
ures "1896."

The Knights of Pythias will use about
half of the upper floor for a hall, which
is to be something very fine.

A Diplomatic Tutor.

From a French journal comes this
little anecdote of a tutor and his royal
pupil: The lesson was in Roman history
and the prince was unprepared. "We
come now to the Emperor Caligula.
What do you know about him, prince?"
The question was followed by a silence
that was becoming awkward, when it
was broken by the diplomatic tutor.
"Your highness is right," he said, "per-
fectly right. The less said about this
emperor the better."

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