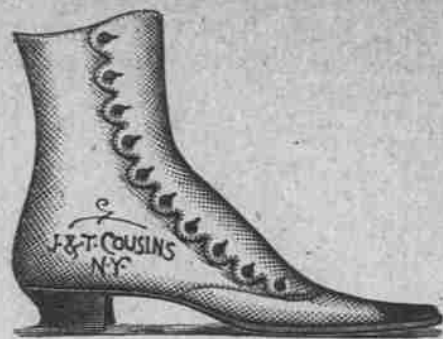


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MONDAY, - - - MAY 11, 1896

WAYSIDE GLEANINGS.

Random Observations and Local Events of Lesser Magnitude.

The Wasco warehouse received sixty bags of wool today.

The next bowling contest occurs Thursday and Friday nights.

Situation wanted by two girls to do general housework in private families. Inquire at this office. mill-1f

A handsome monument arrived Saturday on the boat for John F. Easton, Dufur, to be erected by the Woodmen of the World.

Evangelist Crittenton has evidently found that Pendleton requires more than casual treatment, as he has decided to remain there until May 23d.

A report was current this morning that Joe Wadica's store, next to Kohler's grocery was robbed. Investigation proved the report was groundless.

Though the past week was a poor one for fish, the wheels generally made expenses. Cool weather and a low stage of water is holding the run back. The strike still continues at Astoria. Fishermen at the Cascades have been doing well.

The Dalles band has no superior in the state. Those desiring the services of a first-class band are recommended to read a description of its merits in the article in this number entitled "The Band Re-organized." Then correspond with Mr. J. G. Miller, The Dalles. "Cut this out; it may not appear again."

Work was begun today on the front of the new Williams building. It will be built of pressed brick of the Spokane variety, a pretty mottled brick, technically termed granite. A cement sidewalk will be laid in front of the new building, and extend around the French corner to the alley. The Williams block will perhaps be the handsomest, though not the largest, in the city.

Mr. L. H. Campbell, the inventor of the wagon train, has returned from Goldendale. He states that they are taking hold of the matter with much vim, and that the enterprise will be a go. He was interviewed by many business men and farmers, who were unanimous in their expression of the advisability of establishing a transportation company and secure a right of way either to The Dalles or to Lyle. Mr. Campbell does not believe there will be any trouble in securing either the taking of stock or the right of way. There will also be a liberal bonus for the object of constructing a suitable wagon road.

The Joys of Birthdays.

Last Saturday a few of the many friends of Mrs. Crossen, remembering that it was the anniversary of her birthday, planned and carried out for her a surprise that was a successful one. The ladies assembled at Mrs. Crossen's residence at 3 o'clock, and spent a very merry four hours in games, singing, and

in lingering at the table over the discussion of a sumptuous luncheon. Mirth and merriment reigned supreme, and to the casual listener at any one moment it seemed as if parliamentary rules were smashed to smithereens during that afternoon, for at no time was the floor occupied by less than seven speakers. Mrs. Crossen received her second surprise when there arrived a handsome cherry and leather rocker, which her friends present had designed as a souvenir for her of this pleasant day.

All present voted that birthday parties were the very best of all, and a count was made of the various guests' birthdays to see where the next anniversary celebration should be held. It was acknowledged to be one of the shortest afternoons ever spent by Mrs. Sinnott, Mrs. Lytle, Mrs. Thornbury, Mrs. Bradshaw, Mrs. Glenn, Mrs. Crowe, Mrs. W. H. Wilson, Mrs. Hudson, Mrs. Kinersly, Mrs. Fish, Mrs. Peters and Mrs. Hobson.

A Sister's Inquiry.

The following letter has been received by the postmaster and referred to us for publication. It is a touching inquiry from an only sister, directed to an only brother, informing him of the death of their father. The letter is dated Ashboro, Indiana:

DEAR SIR—Will you please inform me if you know where James Jameson is. If he is there will you let me know. He is my brother, and all the living relative I have. I have been writing to him, but cannot get an answer. I am his only sister and would be so glad to hear from him. If you know where he is, tell him that our father died the 17th of April, and I am so lonely without some one in this big world to call friend. I think if you have a little sister you would be glad to hear from her. If he is not there, will you try to find out where he is. I will be so thankful to you. I know that he was there some time ago. I will look for an answer from you. Let me know as soon as you get this, and if he is there give him this letter. I remain yours with respect,
MARTHA J. TRIBBLE.

A First-Class Entertainment.

The Red Men will give an excellent entertainment Wednesday evening, May 13th, at K. of P. hall. Here is the program:
Overture—"Jolly Fellows" Suppi
Reading of Proclamation of the Great Council U. S. Improved Order of Red Men. Mendelssohn
Song—"The Hunter's Farewell" Mendelssohn
Selection From opera "Beautiful Galathea"
Mr. Hoeker.
Speech on Redmanship. John Mitchell, P. S.
Piano Solo X. Scharswenka
Song—"Better than Gold" Mr. J. Hartman.
Selection—"Premier Nocturne" Leybach
Song—"The Rhine" Nagell
Society's Harmonie.
Overture—"Zehn Madchen und Kein Mann" Suppi

T. A. Van Norden, the watchmaker and jeweler, can be found in his new quarters, opposite A. M. Williams' store. my8-1m

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A PATHETIC REQUEST.

Mr. and Mrs. Campbell's Dying Child Wanted to go With Mamma.

The funeral of Josephine Campbell occurred yesterday at the Episcopal church. She was aged 5 years, 4 months and 7 days. The parents are yet strangers in our community, and the funeral was not largely attended. Their advent into our community is a sad one. About two weeks ago Dr. T. F. Campbell and wife, and their little daughter arrived in Portland, en route for The Dalles, where the doctor proposed to take up his residence. The family put up at the Barr hotel on Glisan street, and soon after little Josephine was taken very sick. Her ailment developed into brain fever, resulting fatally. The child realized that she would not long remain here, so she said to her mother:

"Mamma, please do not let me stay here after I'm dead. I want to go with you."

The pathos of that appeal must have greatly intensified the grief of that heart-broken mother, and little Josephine's dying request was granted. The last sad page of the chapter was the funeral yesterday.

Little Josephine was always an interesting child, beloved by everyone and the very idol of her parents' hearts. At the age of 4 she read in the newspapers and wrote letters to her friends in the East. She was bright and beautiful and to all appearances of good constitution. Her fatal illness is believed to have been superinduced for some weeks by typhoid infection, by measles and by cutting permanent teeth. Travel, change of climate, even the sea voyage was taken for her and with much apparent benefit. Resting at Portland over Sunday she was taken seriously ill. All that skill and loving care could do was hers. Four of Portland's leading physicians and her father gave every possible attention. Though the blow was lightened little Josephine seems to have been called to go. She passed away peacefully to her rest Thursday, May 7, at six in the evening. She was interred on Sunday, yesterday, at The Dalles with the beautiful burial service of the Episcopal church, surrounded by friends and floral offerings. Her parents have the sympathy of all.

He Knows Crittenton.

The following is taken from a letter written by a gentleman in Eureka, Cal., to a friend in The Dalles concerning Mr. Crittenton, the evangelist, and his work. He says:

"We had him here last year. He will do your churches no harm. He has no axes to grind outside of saving the lost. He is no proselyter and has no selfish ends to gain; sincere and earnest—not a sermonizer, but a pleasant talker. All churches here united in general services in the armory hall, the largest in the city, and the effect was good on all the churches. He is independent financially and otherwise. He is no beggar and is not embarrassed by mixing up money with the more needful things of the soul.

I wish he would come again. Here he took rooms at a hotel like a commercial traveler, because he wanted to receive calls and feel free to invite everybody to his room. He is one of a thousand rich, and is spending his fortune in seeking and saving the lost. I hope he will be much blessed in The Dalles."

BAND REORGANIZED.

Will Give a Delightful Open Air Concert Next Sunday.

The band has been reorganized under the following management:

- Jud Fish, president.
- Otto Peterson, musical director.
- John Hertz, treasurer.
- J. G. Miller, business manager and secretary.
- The instrumentation comprises 14 pieces, and is as follows:
Mark Long and John Hertz, clarinet.
Otto Peterson, J. P. Benton and L. E. Dawson, cornet.
Joe Kohler, Jud Fish and Fred Van Norden, alto.
J. G. Miller, euphonium, (baritone.)
Chris Paulson, tuba.
Arthur Clark, snare drum and traps.
Arthur Kenedy, bass drum.

The band will rehearse three times a week, and the boys are taking a lively interest. The first open air concert of the summer will take place next Sunday afternoon, probably at the Academy grounds, though the location is not yet definitely known. This concert will exceed in musical merit anything ever before given by The Dalles band. The band is this week practicing on what is known as a "descriptive" piece, entitled "The Dance of the Goblins." This will include mechanical contrivances to imitate the singing of birds, the chirping of crickets, shooting, the clock striking the midnight hour, etc. The bird imitations will be of the nightingale, cuckoo, lark and others. This is a class of music never before attempted and will meet with unbounded appreciation. The next descriptive piece in contemplation is "The Hunting Scene," in imitation of various animals.

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Teachers' Examination.

Notice is hereby given that for the purpose of making an examination of all persons who may offer themselves as candidates for teachers of the schools of this county, the county superintendent thereof will hold a public examination at his office in The Dalles, beginning Wednesday, May 13th, at 1 o'clock p. m. Dated May 2 1896.

TROY SHELLEY,
County School Superintendent, Wasco County Oregon. m7-7t

We have left a few choice canna and dahlia bulbs, large flowering geraniums at 15 cents, and the choicest tea roses at 15 cents, or two for 25 cents. Our late large flowering pansies are now in full bloom at 25 cents per dozen. At the Stabling Greenhouse. apr28-1w

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