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THURSDAY, - - - MAY 28, 1896

**WAYSIDE GLEANINGS.**

Random Observations and Local Events of Lesser Magnitude.

Hon. Wilson T. Hume at the court house tonight.

Forecast—Tonight and Friday fair; continue warmer.

Atty. W. H. Wilton has been appointed a notary public for Oregon.

All Woodmen who propose to go to Dufer next Sunday will please report to T. A. Ward or C. L. Phillips.

Mr. S. C. Spencer of Portland will address the citizens of The Dalles tomorrow night on political issues.

Flowers for Decoration Day (next Saturday, May 30th), will be gladly accepted if left Saturday morning between ten and twelve o'clock at Fraternity Hall.

Mr. Geo. Joles brought in a sample of grain from their ranch this morning, adjoining Mr. Kelsay's. It is a very thrifty sample, and is not better than the average of the entire field.

News was received today by Mr. Sharp confirming the death of his sister-in-law, Mrs. Prevost, also stating that Miss Evelyn Farrelly went down with the bridge, but was rescued.

Though a young man, Hon. Wilson T. Hume is one of the most entertaining, oratorical and interesting speakers which ever spoke before a Portland audience. He speaks tonight at the court house.

A complete change of program will be given by the Congo Oil Medicine Co. tonight; also a sack race for a prize, between four boys. It will be free to adults; 10 cents for children. Go early.

We hope that all who love their country will be able to take part in the memorial service on Saturday afternoon and evening. Don't forget the gallant dead, and keep fresh the memories of the brave men who fell in defense of their country.

The river is now coming up rapidly. It rose a foot in the 24 hours previous to 10 o'clock this morning, and a foot for the 24 hours previous. The present spell of hot weather is causing considerable anxiety.

The patriotic people of The Dalles appreciate the kindness of Hon. A. S. Bennett in arranging his political speech so that it would not conflict with the Memorial services, and the G. A. E. and W. R. C. take this method of expressing their heartfelt thanks.

"Brockway, the Boy Wonder," failed of securing an audience last night, and left today for Walla Walla. Religion and politics draw the people to other halls than the opera house, and pay amusements will be neglected until after election. Crittenton and Hume will divide the attention of the people tonight.

Mr. Hume is said to be one of the most entertaining orators of Portland. The fact that the Oregonian has been fighting him gives to that gentleman a wide fame throughout the state. Hume is all right

when it comes to making a red-hot speech. He is for Mitchell and Ellis and unadulterated Republican principles.

Next Sunday The Dalles band will give a sacred concert in the school grounds at 4 p. m. The leading feature will be a grand sacred pot pourri arranged for band by C. L. Baraboose of Osaloosa, Iowa, entitled "Joy to the World," a selection of sacred pieces occupying 20 minutes time.

The case of State of Oregon vs. Chas. Snipes is on trial at the courthouse today. The morning was occupied in selecting a jury, which, as finally made up, is as follows: Frank Peabody, J. W. Morrison, G. R. Castner, Chas. Davis, A. J. Linton, James LeDuc, John Darnielle, H. Hansen, R. Teague, W. A. Kirby and H. Liebe. This afternoon the testimony for the prosecution began. At the hour of going to press the prosecuting witness, Mr. VanBibber, was on the stand, who related the incident of his hold-up while driving to town in his milk wagon.

**Circuit Court.**

The following is a record of proceedings of the circuit court, as it appears on the docket:

**LAW.**

Davis Sewing Machine Co vs Wm Tackman, continued for term on application of plaintiff.

E J Collins & Co vs M Hendrickson et al, application for continuance granted.

Wolf & Zwicker Iron Works vs I H Taffe, answer to demurrer.

Annie Urquhart vs O E Jones, argued and submitted.

**EQUITY.**

Lottie A Judkins vs Henry P Judkins, default to be tried before the court, trial had, decree granted.

Mattie E Moody vs Willis E Moody, default to be tried before the court.

**CRIMINAL.**

State of Oregon vs Chas Snipes, demurrer overruled. Plea of not guilty entered. Application for continuance denied.

State of Oregon vs Joe Chapman. A true bill. Arraigned to plead at 9 a. m., May 27th. Plea of guilty. Time for sentence waived, sentenced to one month in the county jail.

State of Oregon vs Lemons; not a true bill, defendant discharged.

**A Mixed Case.**

The matter of the estate of Martha Purser, deceased, has occupied the attention of the county court most of the day. The situation is rather a peculiar one. It seems that in 1882, on the death of Mrs. Purser, the homestead was sold for \$3,000. At the time Mrs. Purser, not needing the money, divided it among the five heirs, giving each \$600, for which each executed a note agreeing to pay \$48 per year to Mrs. Purser until her death, at which time the notes would be cancelled. The matter came up today in the form of an objection to the sale of the real estate, one of the heirs claiming to have paid all his portion and that the others had not, thus seeking to have the unpaid sums declared a portion of the estate.

**The Evangelists on Wednesday.**

The Congregational church was well filled yesterday afternoon as Mr. Crittenton, accompanied by Mr. Carpenter, came in. Mr. Wallace had conducted a short praise service before this time, using the old familiar hymns. Mr. Crittenton, in his Bible reading on the subject announced, "Consecration," brought forward many passages from that book, showing that consecration was one of its fundamental teachings and said that if Christians lived as the word taught, there would be more consecrated lives. He spoke of his own consecration and how it came about, his fight with pride and the appetite for tobacco and how the Lord showed him that he must give up all if he would be fully consecrated and that, he said, was what all would have to do. Let go of this old world to receive the joys that come with a complete surrender of self.

**THE EVENING.**

The song service closed at 8 o'clock and the regular service began at that hour. The beautiful song, "Then They Nailed Him to the Tree," sang by the three gentlemen—Carpenter, Crittenton and Wallace—is one of the best used in these meetings. The scripture lesson was read from Luke 14, beginning at the 26th verse, and part of the 15th chapter, an account of the Prodigal Son, after which Mr. Wallace sang in his best style, "The Prodigal Daughter."

Mr. Crittenton said in commencing that there was a scripture that described every condition in life, and then announced this text from Isaiah xlii-22. "For this is a people robbed and spoiled; they are all of them snared in holes, and they are hid in prison houses; they are for a prey, and none delivereth; for a spoil and none saith restore." He then described how the work was begun in Baxter street, New York, when the question arose where should the girls go who wished to turn from a life of sin, and it was found there was no place for them to go; so Mr. Crittenton established a rescue mission on Baxter street in New York City where any time of day or night for the last 13 years a girl could go and be sure of a welcome. There are now thirty-one Rescue missions in this country, and one in our own state.

He gave many interesting anecdotes of girls that had been rescued and saved through this work. He gave these startling figures: In New York City alone there are 37,000 of these girls; in the United States between 200,000 to 250,000. Their average life was but five years, and at least 100,000 girls of this class filled unknown graves. He said that some of the recruits would come from the Christian homes of the respectable families all over the country, and it might be that homes in The Dalles would furnish some of them. He spoke of the horrible business of the traffic in girls carried on in the large cities. An appeal was then made for money to carry on this work and a collection taken, after which Mr. Wallace sang "Nellie Conroy," composed about one of the rescued and saved girls who lived about a year and a half to labor for

others after having been rescued herself.

There will be no meeting Saturday afternoon and all true Americans, old and young, can attend the Memorial services at the cemetery, that being Memorial day.

**Decoration Day.**

The following program is announced for Decoration Day: The G. A. R. and W. R. C. will meet in Fraternity Hall at 1:30 p. m. sharp. Immediately the procession will form on Fourth street with the right resting on Court, in the following order:

Band.  
Battery G, Company E, in command of Capt. Chrisman.  
James W. Nesmith Post No. 32, G. A. R.

Woman's Relief Corps, in carriages.  
Citizens.

The services at the cemetery will consist of music by a chorus of voices, a recitation by Mrs. Briggs, the National Anthem, ritualistic service, decoration of graves, then the Veterans, W. R. C. and Co G will proceed to Fraternity Hall, where refreshments will be served. At 8 o'clock p. m. Hon. John Michell will deliver a memorial address in the Congregational church. The public are cordially invited to attend.

**Final Bowling Contest.**

The final bowling contest between the married and single men occurs next Friday and Saturday. The teams selected are those who have made the highest averages in the four trial games. The sum of the numbers for the married men is 354½, single 366, and names and records are as follows:

MARRIED.		SINGLE.	
Ed Kurtz . . . . .	40½	A McCully . . . . .	36½
FL Houghton . . . . .	32	G Mays . . . . .	33
H J Maier . . . . .	31½	E Schanno . . . . .	31½
J P McInerney . . . . .	30	N J Sinnott . . . . .	31½
E Schanno . . . . .	29½	J Maloney . . . . .	31½
W G Kerns . . . . .	29½	J Bonn, Jr. . . . .	30
B F Laughlin . . . . .	28½	F W Wilson . . . . .	30
J Bonn, Sr. . . . .	27½	F Hill . . . . .	29½
W L Bradshaw . . . . .	27½	J Hartnett . . . . .	29
C W Dietzel . . . . .	27½	H H Riddell . . . . .	29

RESERVES.  
W H Moody . . . . . 27½  
A M Kelsay . . . . . 27

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