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Umbrella Drawers.....	at \$1.00, \$1.50, \$1.75, 2.00
Night Robes.....	at 75c, \$1.00, \$1.25, \$1.50, \$2.00, 2.50
Chemise.....	at \$1.00, 1.50
Corset Covers.....	at 25c to .75
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The Dalles Daily Chronicle.

Weather Forecast. PORTLAND, AUG. 28, 1896. FOR EASTERN OREGON—Tonight fair; tomorrow warmer. PACIFIC OBSERVER.

SATURDAY, - - AUGUST 29, 1896

WAYSIDE GLEANINGS.

Random Observations and Local Events of Lesser Magnitude.

The weather is probably cloudy today.

The Dalles Commission Company will load a car of plums, prunes and pears for Chicago on Tuesday.

Lost—A silver headed black walnut cane, with name S. L. Brooks engraved upon it. Finder will be rewarded by returning it to owner.

Messrs. Van Bladigan and Parkins took a spin on their bicycles to Mosier yesterday. They made the 7 miles down from the summit in one hour.

Rev. O. D. Taylor presented THE CHRONICLE office with a handsome basket of grapes this afternoon from his famous Columbia river fruit ranches.

A complaint was filed today by the O. R. & N. vs. J. G. and I. N. Day for the recovery of engine No. 291, or \$2000 in lieu of its value thereof, besides \$2400 damages for being deprived of its use.

Mr. S. L. Brooks has lost a valuable cane which he advertises for elsewhere. It is very valuable to him for several reasons. It was presented him by an old friend of the East who lived within three miles of Abraham Lincoln's home and the stock was taken from a black walnut tree within 60 feet of Lincoln's home.

Misses Alma and Anna Taylor will open a primary school September 14th at the rooms formerly occupied by the Kindergarten, taught by Miss Hall and Miss Anna Taylor. The number of pupils will be limited, and parents desiring to patronize such a school will kindly communicate with the Misses Taylor at an early date.

Mr. C. F. Lauer assumed the duties of his new position today as marshal of the city. About his first official act was to arrest the extraordinary cripple who is selling lead pencils around the streets for being drunk and disorderly. This individual when drunk is quite ugly and is inclined to make the most of what weapons nature has provided him with. He is quite an original cripple, his deformity consisting in having his left leg crossed in front of his right, making his step but a few inches in length.

John Gavin of this city was recently admitted to the bar by the supreme court at Salem. There were seventy-four applicants, including forty-one seniors of the law department of the Oregon University. The examination was wholly written. Forty-nine questions were on the list and four hours time given for the writing of the answers. Mr. Gavin received a certificate entitling him to practice. He received his instruction through the Sprague

Correspondent School of Law, 114 Telephone Building, Detroit, Mich. This school enables students to study law in their own homes by the correspondent method. It is quite remarkable what this school has been able to accomplish with its students scattered as they are in every state and all the instruction given by mail. Any young man or young woman unable to attend a law school and desiring to study law at home will be profited by writing the school for particulars.

THE FIRE FIEND.

Johnston Bros. Store at Dufur Burned to the Ground.

About 12:30 o'clock last night the Johnston Bros. of Dufur were aroused from slumber by the report that their store was burning. They hurried out, to find that the flames were beyond control. The store building burned to the ground with all its contents. There is no fire department in Dufur, but the Johnstons had put in two small hydrants from the creek which were capable of throwing 1 1/2 inch streams and by the use of these the property adjoining was saved. Johnston Bros. lose on the building and contents about \$11,000. Out of this to be subtracted the insurance, which amounts to \$7,000 in the German-American, Home Mutual and New Zealand insurance companies. Mr. G. W. Johnston, who was in town this morning, says they will at once rebuild and restock, and he is already on his way to Portland to lay in a complete general merchandise stock. Mr. Johnston does not believe for a moment the fire was accidental, but he has no clue to the incendiary.

The night before Fred Gordon of Victor lost his store and public hall in the same manner. It seems that incendiarism is rife. Only a few weeks ago a large house was burned on the hill in The Dalles. The house was unoccupied and it caught about 3 o'clock in the morning.

Died.

At Kingsley, Davis Hix at 11:55 p. m. Friday night, aged 26 years.

The death of Davis Hix causes profound sorrow in that community. He has been a great sufferer for months, but bore that suffering without murmur. He returned from St. Vincent's hospital about three months ago, where he was sent for treatment. His death was peaceful, and he passed away quietly and painlessly. He was born in Hamilton county, Illinois. His parents are both dead, having died when Davis was quite young. The only living relatives are his brother John, who lives at Kingsley, and his sister, Mrs. Lena Bevins, who now lives at Chehalis, Wash. He leaves a wife and one child, a little girl of 4 years. Mrs. Hix was a daughter of Robert Kelley, deputy sheriff of Wasco county. Mr. Kelly is now at Kingsley to attend the obsequies.

Real Estate Transfers.

James and Ella Harper to Geo. Daggett, lot F, block 38, Ft. Dalles Mil. Res.; \$50.

ATTEMPTED POISONING.

Mark Enyart Eats Strychnine in Pie—His Mother-in-Law Suspected.

The Fossil Journal reports one of the most fiendish attempts to commit murder by poisoning, the intended victim being Mark Enyart, who lives four miles from Fossil.

Enyart had been away from home for a couple of weeks putting up hay, and when he returned found his wife's mother, Mrs. Nuckolls stopping with her on a visit. She asked Mark's wife to go home with her, to one of the Jim Johnson place that day saying she had to go home that day anyway. The wife said: "Well, if Budd (Enyart) does not want me to stay at home for anything." Enyart replied: "Of course you can go if you want to." Mrs. Nuckolls asked him if he would not like something to eat before he left for Shepard's and so the old lady Nuckolls put a lunch on the table for him to eat. Enyart returned about 1 o'clock that afternoon, and found the folks still gone, and the lunch on the table. There was some pie on the table, which was a favorite plate of his, and the first thing he did was to pick up a piece of that, and take a bite off the small end. He thought it did not taste right, but swallowed that piece too quick to taste of it, and so he bit off another piece to see what it tasted like. This confirmed his impression that it tasted bitter. He looked at it then, and saw that it looked as if white sugar had been spread all over the top of it, and there were the prints of a case knife where it had been used to press the white sugar down in the pie. About that time the first bite he had taken began to draw the lower part of his stomach up like a knot. This, with the extreme bitter taste of the third bite, caused it to flash through his mind that he had been poisoned, and it was strychnine instead of white sugar on the pie. He immediately stepped to see if his strychnine bottle, which he kept hanging out of sight behind the looking glass, was there yet, and it was gone. It had been hanging there since the 1st of January, and been used then to poison some coyotes with, but the bottle was two-thirds full when he used it last. Enyart immediately grabbed the butter plate, and proceeded to swallow the ball of butter as fast as he could do so. He then thought of his tobacco. He chewed and swallowed the half of a plug he had with him, that caused him to vomit. He threw up the contents of his stomach, and thereby saved his life.

Enyart suspected that Mrs. Nuckolls had put up the dose for him, for he had remembered that she was particular to let him know twice that she left the lunch for him on the table. And she had been on very poor terms with him ever since he ran off with the daughter to marry her. So when they got back to the house he charged her with fixing up the dose for him. She replied: "I did not do it, I did not do it." Mrs. Enyart then spoke up and said: "Why Budd, ma asked me three or four days ago where the strychnine bottle was

and I looked up there and it was gone." Other little incidents still further pointed Enyart's suspicions toward Mrs. Nuckolls.

Thus far no arrests have been made, but the grand jury will soon be in session, and the case will surely be investigated.

Kittens Suckled by a Dog.

Mr. F. Weidner of Mosier is a great hand for pets. About two months ago a dog and a cat gave birth to litters of their respective progeny at about the same time. He drowned all the pups but one, and before long another member of the family had given that way also. About the same time the mother cat was missed. The first time they noticed its absence was by observing the dog nursing the cat family. The kittens were very contented, and while lazily looking with half closed eyes at the amazed observers, kept their paws moving alternately, unsheathing their sharp little claws each time. This did not seem to disturb the foster mother, who gave the kittens the same attention she formerly did her own offspring.

Notice Concerning Schools.

The public schools will open on Monday, September 7th. Former pupils absent from the May examination or who did not make satisfactory grades on the work of the spring term, will be given an examination in the studies in which they are deficient and should be at the Court street school for such examination at 9 a. m. Saturday, September 5th. I shall be at the Court street school during the entire day and children lately moved into the district should see me then concerning their classification and assignment in the schools. Teachers' meeting at 3:30 p. m. JOHN GAVIN, Principal.

The Concert Tomorrow.

The concert tomorrow begins at 4:30 p. m. Following is the program:

1. Polonaise—"Royal Decree".....Swift
2. Operatic Medley—"Bric-a-brac".....Mead
3. Cornet Solo—"Autograph Polka".....Casey J. P. Benton.
4. Schottish—"Amy".....Petee
5. Schubert's Serenade.....F. Schubert
6. Selection from Bohemian Girl.....Balfe
7. Song Medley, Original.....Petee
8. Waltz—"Pleasures of Life".....Ware
9. March—"Ben Hur".....Paul

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