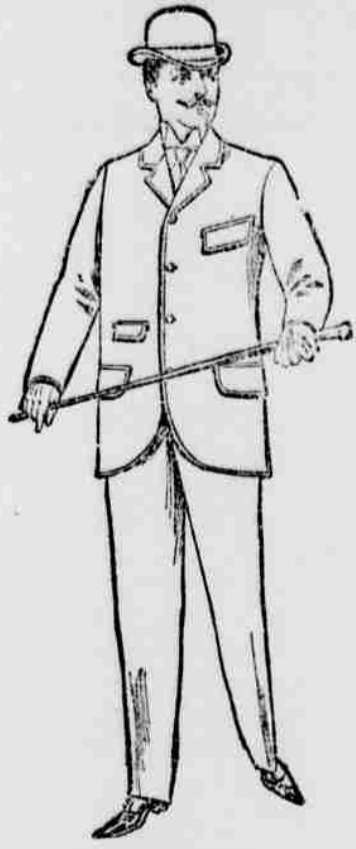


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The Dalles Daily Chronicle.

WEDNESDAY, - - - APRIL 14, 1897

WAYSIDE GLEANINGS.

Random Observations and Local Events of Lesser Magnitude.

New line of step ladders at Maier & Benton's.

The weather forecast for tomorrow is fair and cooler.

A big drive in matches. Three papers for 5 cents at Maier & Benton's.

Rev. Wilbur M. Jones of Portland will preach at the Calvary Baptist church tonight at 7:30.

Fresh asparagus, onions, lettuce, etc., and Chinook salmon every morning at Dalles Commission Co.'s.

The Oregonian says: "F. N. Jones, member of the legislature, was in Portland yesterday." What legislature?

If you are thinking of going anywhere on the cars Sunday, do not forget that the time card is changed on that date.

The Dalles Commercial Club has organized a base ball club, and that game promises to run high the coming summer.

The new school district, No. 63, at Wanic, has chosen J. W. Beaby, M. Kennedy and John End, directors, and J. E. Kennedy, clerk.

Word comes from Omaha that rumors are in the air there, to the effect that the O. R. & N. and Short Line are to consolidate, but the rumor cannot be verified.

Mr. B. S. Stone has about completed his fish wheel a mile and a half below town, and will have it ready for business by the time the salmon are ready to tackle it.

Mr. Lockwood, who has the contract for building the Hood River bridge, is in the city. The material for the bridge is on the way, and work will be begun on it at once.

The river came up eight-tenths of a foot in the twenty-four hours ending at 7 o'clock this morning, against a rise of one and one-tenth feet in the preceding twenty-four hours.

The ladies of the First Christian church will serve ice cream and cake in the basement of the church on Friday evening at 10 cents a plate. Come and bring your best girl.

Seufert's catch of salmon yesterday was sold to the Dalles Commission Company, it consisting of four fine fish, or about what would be caught in one of their wheels during a good run, at one dip.

If you would like to spend a pleasant evening, which you will never regret, come to the Good Templar hall next Saturday evening. Besides an excellent program, ice cream and cake will be served. Admission 15 cents.

Do you want your windows cleaned, carpets taken up, beaten and re laid, or janitor work of any kind done by a first-class man? If so, telephone Henry

Johnson at Parkins' barber shop. Phone 119. a10-1f

The river this morning was fifteen feet and a half above low water mark. The rise coming so early indicates that there is no danger of extreme high water this year, though it is probable the 45-foot mark may be reached.

Judge W. W. Page of Portland died at his home in that city Tuesday. Judge Page was one of the leading attorneys of the state, being a specialist in the laws concerning real property. He was a pioneer, and was admitted to practice in 1859 before Judge Deady.

There was an alarm of fire in the East End yesterday afternoon, which was caused by an incipient blaze in a house back of St. Arnolds blacksmith shop. The East End Hose Company responded, but the fire was out almost before the alarm was turned in.

Since the opening of the locks and the advent of spring, the trip to Portland by "The Regulator Line" is a most delightful one. The steamers have been remodeled, and every comfort is offered. The specialties of the line are magnificent scenery, safety, quick time, attentive employees, excellent meals and economy.

The fishermen generally do not anticipate a heavy run of salmon this year, it being according to their notion an off year, and next year being the charmed fourth, will be the big run. In 1890 and 1894 the runs were extremely heavy, and '98 is expected to rival them. With a strike on the lower river, the catch here will, however, be better than that of the average off year.

Mrs. Daly Dead.

Mrs. Lyman Daly, who was injured by being thrown from a wagon while coming down 3-Mile hill last Saturday, died last night, never having fully regained consciousness after the accident. She was on her way to Vancouver to visit relatives at the time of the accident, and it is indeed a sad ending of what was intended as a pleasant visit. Mr. and Mrs. Daly lived on Pleasant Ridge, on a farm belonging to J. C. Meins, and the injured woman was taken to Mr. Meins' house here after the accident. Mrs. Daly was 27 years old, and besides her husband, leaves two little children. The funeral will take place from the Meins' residence tomorrow morning at 10 o'clock.

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GOOD YIELD EXPECTED.

Eastern Oregon Will This Year Double Her Output of Gold.

The output of gold from the placer claims of Eastern Oregon will this year produce nearly double that of any season for the past five years, says the Baker City Republican.

The number of new claims that have in a large and small way been opened and rigged up in many gulches, and through the placer fields, exceed many fold that of any season for many years. The water supply promises to be the very best in the history of the country. There is more water stored in the snow banks now than was ever before known in the history of the country. Unless a phenomenal thaw occurs in the spring months the gravel mines will be enabled to run through the summer and into the cold, freezing weather of the fall months. But little gravel bullion will find its way to the bank counters until July, then there will be a large regular output for several months, exceeding the last few years' records by many thousands of dollars.

Change of Time.

Next Sunday the O. R. & N. will begin running two through passenger trains each way every day. The time card for this point has not reached us yet, but the time of arrivals and departures at Portland are as follows: No. 1 arrives at 6:30 a. m., No. 2 departs at 9 p. m. Train 3 will arrive at noon and train 4 will leave at 3 p. m. The hour of arrival from Portland will be about 12:30 a. m. and 6:30 p. m., and they will leave for Portland at about 3:10 a. m. and 8:30 a. m. The change will prove of great convenience to the traveling public. Trains 3 and 4 run on the Spokane route, the others to connect with the Short Line, and the latter will not go by the way of Walla Walla, as at present.

Artisan's Program.

The following is the program for this evening:
Solo J. G. Miller
Select Reading Miss Georgia Sampson
Vocal solo—"The Convict and the Bird" J. A. Perkins
Recitation Mrs. M. E. Briggs
Vocal Solo Chas. S. Clarke
Address Max Morehead
Deputy Organizer High School Quartet
Song "The Assessor" Artisan Quartet
Song Artisan Quartet

PERSONAL MENTION

Mr. Nello Johnson is up from Oregon City, and will probably spend the summer here.

Mr. S. Vandersol came up from Portland last night, and will leave for Heppner tonight.

Mr. A. S. Mac Allister left yesterday for his ranch in Gilliam county, to be away a month or so.

Mr. George Stapleton, one of Vancouver's prominent attorneys, arrived from Goldendale, on his way home at noon today.

Miss Maggie Flinn, teacher in the third grade, has been kept away from her duties all week by throat troubles, and Josie Spiuk is temporarily filling her place.

MERE IDLE MUSINGS.

Dancing and Other Things, But Principally Dancing.

Cervantes, in that most delightful creation Don Quixote, gives a very graphic, though somewhat pathetic, description of that doughty knight-errant's encounter with a windmill, which he had mistaken for a giant. As that poor gentleman's lance struck the fans the wind caught and whirled them so violently that the Don was unhorsed, and poor Rosinante, sharing his master's misfortunes, was thrown into the ditch.

It has been our misfortune to duplicate that unfortunate adventure, but, like the other "fellow," we learned our mistake too late. So, we have kindly "loaned our eyes and our ears" to the callow youth who invites us to his library under the name of "Consistency," and have done our best to "emerge from the lofty pinnacle of our editorial greatness" (by which we suppose our young friend means that we should "come off the perch") and have read his statements anent the sinfulness of dancing with a great deal of pleasure, not unmixed with profit. The pleasure consisted in being led along new paths, into verdant fields of fresh-flowered literature, and resting our tired brain by following the dreamy, though somewhat salacious, fancy of our kind and youthful mentor. The profit was from several sources, the most prominent of which was the amount of information we were enabled to grasp from one who appears to be thoroughly informed concerning the habits and private character of that much-in-evidence personage known in polite society as Satan, but whom our young Telemachus, with unseemly familiarity, hails as the devil.

Now let us say to our young friend (for such we judge him to be) that there is not a person on earth who has a greater love for the human race than ourself. There is only one thing this side of heaven that commands our veneration more than an honest, conscientious, truthful Christian boy, and that is a pure, sweet girl, with heaven's own light in her clear eyes, and soul as spotless as an angel's wing; one who can, as she grows to womanhood, nestle up against the bosom of the man she loves as trustingly as a babe against its mother's breast, and whose very touch goes to his soul and makes the strings of his heart vibrate in a harmony of thanksgiving to the good God for making such an one; one whose feet kiss the earth but to bless it; whose hands touch but to glorify, and whose presence is a benediction. And thank God! many such there be. Rather than knowingly put a stumbling block or a pitfall before the feet of such an one, we would choose the punishment of eternal solitude upon the Stygian shore. And yet we believe in dancing. We believe that the young men and the young women of these days are good, not bad. We believe that chivalry exists today, as in the olden

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We have secured the services of an experienced bicycle repairer from San Francisco, and are better prepared to do this class of work than we have ever been before. We will guarantee all bicycle work done by us to be first-class, and satisfactory to our patrons.

We have on hand about 25 wheels, '96 patterns, of different makes—some new and some second hand. To close them out, to make room for '97 wheels, we have decided to offer them for sale at very low prices, many of them away below cost. This is your chance if you are not particular as to whether you ride a '96 or '97 wheel. They are all good wheels, and in good shape.

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