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The Dalles Daily Chronicle.

MONDAY, - - - MAY 24, 1897

WAYSIDE GLEANINGS.

Random Observations and Local Events
of Lesser Magnitude.

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Hood River is well represented on the jury panel, nine out of sixteen being from that neighborhood.

Lost—A tan, silk-lined cape. The finder will be rewarded by leaving it at this office. m24-2t

Mr. William Darch, the Goldendale attorney who was accidentally shot about three weeks ago, is recovering rapidly and is now able to be out.

The Good Intent Society will meet with Mrs. Haight Wednesday afternoon. A full attendance is requested, as important business is to be transacted.

The grand jury at 2 o'clock returned a true bill, but against whom the newspaper man not knowing, is unable to say. When the warrant is served, the knowledge becomes public, not before.

The city jail this morning contains one remnant left over from the Redmen's excursion; one d. d., who was fined \$35, but \$30 was suspended during the good behavior of the defendant, and a "lady," who was also d. d. and who was fined \$10.

E. Y. Judd and J. R. Russell returned from a fishing trip to Trout lake yesterday. They had no success, the fish stubbornly refusing to rise to any fly. The fishing has been quite good, but it was an off day and the fishermen came home without a single trout.

A curiosity is owned by D. H. Smith, at Diamond, Harney county. It is the head of a rabbit which has eight horns, ranging in length from one and a half to two and a half inches. One of these horns sprouts from the nose and the others around the jaw, at least so the Canyon City News says.

Are we to have a 4th of July celebration? If so, it is time the matter was taken in hand. If we are not, we should say so, and let the smaller and more patriotic towns of the country have a chance. We think The Dalles should celebrate and that in a style that will cause all our neighbors to join with us. The attention of the Commercial Club is invited to this subject.

The river situation this morning is much more cheerful, and is adapting itself to the lines marked out for it by THE CHRONICLE. Sunday morning it was at the 42.5 mark, this morning at the 42.7. Reports from up country show a rise in the Columbia, but a slight fall in the Snake and Clearwater. The rise in the Snake is about over and a speedy and rapid fall may be looked for.

The reports by the weather bureau show that the Snake fell yesterday at Weiser .1, at Lewiston .6 The upper Columbia rose at Northport 1.2, at Wenatchee .2. At Umatilla the river had fallen up to 8 o'clock this morning .3

The river will fall here slightly until Thursday, when there may be a slight rise. It is quite probable though that the flood mark has been reached for the year.

Mr. Charles Brown was married Sunday at the residence of the bride's father, to Miss Nellie Underwood, daughter of Ed. Underwood, Justice Fisher performing the ceremony. The bride is one of the prettiest and brightest girls in Skamania county and the groom is a thrifty and energetic young man. The young couple passed up on the train last night to Castle Rock, and will make their home in Washington, opposite that point.

Superior Judge Miller came up from Vancouver yesterday and went over to Goldendale this morning to open the regular term of court, which begins tomorrow. The trial of Frank Castile for the murder of Beck at Cleveland last spring is set for Wednesday. Huntington & Wilson will defend him. Prosecuting Attorney George Stapleton, a former Goldendalite, came up on the boat last night. The case promises to be a very strongly-contested one.

Hood River is the liveliest place on the railroad just now. When the east-bound flyer pulls in there are hundreds of people at the depot, and one would think the town had 50,000 inhabitants. The reason is that the berry pickers are through their work by that time and amuse themselves by going to the train. There is a bevy of Portland girls there picking berries. The shipments are steadily increasing, and next week will see them about at their best when, perhaps, 3,000 crates will be shipped per day.

Richard L. Kelling, who was arrested May 16th on a charge of embezzlement, preferred by his employers, the Graton & Knight Manufacturing Company, yesterday waived examination before Municipal Judge Sweek and was held to the grand jury in \$3000 bail. Kelling has worried a great deal over his arrest, and looks several years older than he did when he was arrested. None of his relatives have thus far come to his rescue, although several of his friends are taking an interest in his case and are endeavoring to secure bonds for him.—Oregonian.

Fen Batty walked home the other night, carrying the remains of a wrecked bicycle. We know how the accident occurred, but refuse to tell, because Fen was just exercising on the bridge, and the young lady and he were riding in opposite directions in a circle. Whether it was the attraction of one body for another or what, we do not pretend to say, but the wheel the lady was riding came head on into Fen's bike, blowing out the cylinder head, smashing the spokes, puncturing the tire and demolishing things generally, and all because Fen didn't know better than to be traveling contrarywise to a woman.

Mrs. Sarah P. Cartwright, a pioneer of 1853, died in this city May 12th, at the residence of her daughter, Mrs. L. O. Dodge, at 384 Park street. She was

the widow of Theodore Cartwright, and was well known throughout the state, having lived in Salem, Albany, The Dalles and Portland. She leaves a family of three daughters and one son—Mrs. Dodge and Mrs. Jerome C. Bridges of Portland, and Mrs. J. W. Taylor and Jay Cartwright, both of Eastern Oregon. She was 68 years of age, and a very estimable woman. The funeral services took place under the auspices of the Christian Scientists. The interment was at Lone Fir.—Oregonian.

Tuesday morning about 10 o'clock smoke and flames were seen issuing from Rev. T. H. Grant's house, at Rimrock. A correspondent of the Prineville Review. Neighbor hastened to the place, but before they arrived the house was almost entirely burned, with almost all the contents. Rev. Grant was away, Mrs. Grant and the younger children only being at home. Mrs. Grant was sewing and heard a slight noise up stairs, but thinking it was a cat paid no attention until the roaring of the flames warned her that the house was on fire. Catching up the baby, who was asleep in the cradle, she carried it and the other children to a place of safety, and, returning, managed to get out the sewing machine, a little bedding and some meat. Then she turned her attention to Mr. Grant's library, but only succeeded in saving a few volumes when the flames and heat drove her from the house. The library, valued at \$500, was burned, together with their clothing and furniture. Mrs. Grant's hands were severely burned and her hair singed. There was no insurance on the house or contents. The neighbors are taking things to the stricken family and they will camp out until another house can be built.

Oregon Man Wins It.

The interstate oratorical contest between representatives of the educational institutions in Idaho, Washington and Oregon took place Saturday evening in the Taylor street First M. E. church. Fred Fisk, of the university of Oregon, won the decision, receiving the vote of two of three judges, while G. F. Johnson, of the Puget Sound university, representing the state of Washington, received one vote. J. A. Coffey, the third contestant, coming from the university of Idaho, and representing that state, was credited with having the finest composition and the most original and clear-cut thoughts, but he failed on the point of delivery. In palliation for this defect it must be said that there is no elocutionist in the institution where Mr. Coffey is studying.

The contest is of widespread interest throughout the Northwest, as it is the first of its character yet held in Portland. State competitions have been entered into, but before last year the local victors of the states were not brought face to face on the wider arena. An association is being perfected, however, which has for its purpose an interstate contest each year.

The judges selected for the occasion were Judge Galloway of Oregon City;

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Rev. Charles Edward Locke and Charles J. Schnabel of Portland. The points for consideration were originality, subject-matter, manner of treatment and delivery. No restrictions were placed as to the consideration of either, but the general result was of course affected by them in certain proportions.

PERSONAL MENTION

Mr. B. Savage of Wamie was in the city today.

Mr. A. S. Mac Allister, who has been out to his ranch for a month or more, arrived home last night.

Miss Laura Kelsay was a passenger on the Regulator Saturday for University Park, where she will visit her sister, Mrs. Marblehead, and be with her sister, Kertha, who is attending school there. She will remain for several weeks.

C. W. Haight is in from his place in the southern part of the country. He reports crops in good condition in that neighborhood where they can be irrigated, but says his fields in the highlands which have never failed before, are likely to yield light crops this year.

BOBNS.

Near Fairfield, Sunday, May 23d, to the wife of Robt. Gilbreth, a daughter.

Stockholders' Meeting.

Notice is hereby given that a meeting of the stockholders of The Dalles Chronicle Publishing Company will be held at the county court rooms on Tuesday, the 25th day of May, A. D., 1897, at 2 o'clock p. m., for the purpose of adopting supplementary articles of incorporation, increasing the capital stock of said company and transacting such other business as may come before said meeting. By order of the Board of Directors. The Dalles, Oregon, April 9, 1897. A. S. MAC ALLISTER, President.

R. G. DAVENPORT, Secretary.

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