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WAYSIDE CLEANINGS.

Random Observations and Local Events of Lesser Magnitude.

The weather forecast for tonight and Tuesday is "cooler."

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The weather forecast for tonight and tomorrow is "showery."

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Prosperity struck the street sprinkler today, and it is taking a rest.

Wanted—A young girl to do light house work and take care of children. Apply at this office. a24-tf.

The steamship Portland is to be armed with a rapid-fire Maxion gun, to protect her against Chinese pirates.

Santa Fe, New Mexico, has a board of trade composed entirely of women, and it is said to be remarkably successful.

The Good Templars will serve ice cream and cake in the Bunnell building, next to the land office, tonight. It will cost only 15 cents a dish.

Don't fail to hear the University Clef Club tomorrow evening at the M. E. church. Tickets will be on sale at the door. Admission 25 and 15 cents.

The celebrated Pickaninny band will entertain the public free at Mays & Crowe's store this evening, at 8 o'clock. They are little, but they are dandies.

The Duchess d'Uzes has some 14,000 bottles of Champagne in her cellar in Paris, and as many more in her wine rooms at Rhines. This indicates that the Duchess d'Uzes her wine sparingly.

Mrs. M. J. Chase has opened the Bettington house across the street from Mrs. Brittain's, and can give rooms with or without board. She would be pleased to accept part of the patronage of the public. a26-d1w.

It is only a matter of a few days until Wasco has railroad communication with the balance of the world. The Columbia Southern is rapidly nearing completion and will move Sherman's wheat crop this year.

The private school conducted by the Misses Taylor, will open Monday the 13th, in the lecture room of the Baptist church. Children from 4 to 10 years of age will be taught. Pupils will also be received in special studies.

Those Pickaninnyes are well worth hearing, and also seeing. Each of the little fellows resembles the Nile in that

they have deltas instead of mouths, and one look at them reminds one irresistibly of the dreamy summer in Peach-blow Paradise.

Umatilla county's wheat crop will be worth more than \$3,000,000 and its other crops more than \$1,000,000. This is a better showing in proportion to the number of people interested than the Klondike, or any other gold fields have ever made.

D. C. Christie, of North Yakima, has sold the horse Ben L. to C. W. Wilmot, for a consideration of \$300. He has no record, but has traveled a mile in 2:17, and has made the last quarter in a four-mile heat in 0:31 1/2, which is a 2:05 gait. His sire is White Prince, by Tamolian, and his dam is Julia, by Rifleman.

It is probable that the annual firemen's tournaments will be discontinued for some time. The Dalles boys feel that they have been treated shabbily by the neighboring towns, and will take no further part in the meetings, and as most of the other towns seem to feel the same way, the outlook for future meetings is far from encouraging.

Another load of huckleberries, amounting to 40 gallons, arrived in Skamania from the "patch" the other morning. The berries were brought in on a couple of cayuses and a siwash. This luscious fruit is exceedingly plentiful this year, and the bushes are loaded as they were never known to be loaded before, says the Skamania Pioneer.

Dr. Hershberger's experiment in fig-growing in Adams county, has proved very satisfactory to himself. One tree, scarcely twenty-eight inches in height, has borne an even three dozen figs, most of which were cut off before they ripened. A few, however, were allowed to ripen, and they were of a very large variety and excellent flavor.

The court house is as quiet as a country churchyard, no marriage licenses no nothing. Taxes are coming in slowly, and none of the guests at the hotel Driver have expressed any intention of leaving before October. At the recorder's office there isn't even a d. d., and in the East End, while there is considerable business, there is nothing to make news items.

The improvement of the Alsea river, in Benton county, begun in June, is about half completed. The work consists chiefly in blasting out and removing rocks in the stream so that scows laden with freight from the Alsea valley can be navigated to the Alsea bay. About six men are employed in the operations, and a great amount of blasting has been done. Charles Church, of Portland, is the contractor.

The Oregon delegation seems very slow about making recommendations for federal appointments. It looks now as though nothing would be done in the matter until congress meets, unless it is to select successors to the district attorney and marshal. These offices become vacant next month. The fight made for Judge Fee for the former office has served to unite forces against Mr. Driver, who wants the marshalship,

simply because Fee's friends think both offices will not be filled from Eastern Oregon.

The profitable result of hard work is shown in the instance of Johnny Hogan, who left North Yakima last year with little money, but plenty of determination, and took up a sagebrush ranch near Toppenish, says the Yakima Herald. This year he has 2000 bushels of wheat for sale, and will be able to pay for his ranch, meet all expenses and have money left over.

The average mean temperature for the past ten days has averaged about as mean as it was possible. A week ago today a person felt that a barrel or tub was about the only garment a fellow was safe from getting lost from himself in, as he perspired from every pore; and now the wind whistles around a fellow's thinly-clad system as though it were bent on a mission of warning from the glaciers of Chilcoot pass.

Three four-horse teams laden with plunder such as is generally found in emigrant outfits, came across from Klickitat county this morning. The owners were probably bound from some place which they will "like worse" in the course of a year, and then they will move again. Once the moving habit is acquired, the desire to gather moss or spend time in incubating ceases.

"Sandy" Thompson, Wallowa county cattleman, delivered 700 head of 2-, 3- and 4-year-old steers in Elgin last Tuesday to C. N. Thompson, of Chicago. The steers were weighed at Enterprise, and the purchase price is not made public, although it is known to be better than 2 1/2 cents on foot. The sale amounts to about \$20,000, and about winds up Mr. Thompson's stock interest in Wallowa county. He expects to go to Prineville before long.

DIED.

In this city, Monday, Aug. 30, 1897, Lewis D. Ainsworth, aged 28 years. The funeral will take place tomorrow afternoon at 4 o'clock, unless other arrangements are made upon hearing from relatives.

Lewis D. Ainsworth was born in Iowa in 1869, and first came to The Dalles March 1, 1890, accepting a position in French & Co.'s bank, which he held until compelled to give it up on account of sickness. In 1893 he was married to Maggie, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Rowland. He was taken sick soon after the firemen's tournament in the fall of 1893, the disease soon developing into consumption. In 1894, accompanied by his wife, he went to Arizona and after a year or more there without receiving permanent benefit, went to Hawaii, returning to The Dalles last spring.

He leaves, besides his wife, a little daughter aged about 3 years, a father and mother, a sister and two brothers, and a large circle of friends.

Creamery butter, sweet potatoes, lemons, etc., at Maier & Benton's. a1-tf

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THE DAINTY MULE.

He Will Drown if He Gets Water in His Ears.

Mr. S. G. Hart of Colorado is on his way to Skaguay with twenty-nine mules which he will use in packing across the White pass. We fear Mr. Hart's venture will prove unprofitable.

A mule resembles a woman in a great many respects besides its ability to kick without cause, and that one trait common to both critters, that "When they will they will, depend on't, and when they won't they won't, and that's the end on't," is what will cause Mr. Hart trouble. A mule is great on the pack as long as he is on good solid ground. He can hump his back and climb a hillside like a cat, but when the ground is soft he is a different bird. His feet are small and he knows it. Once get him on soft ground and down he goes on his belly and there he remains until his pack comes off. This is especially true of him in the snow or in the water. Once get a mule down in the water, if it is no deeper than his knees, if he gets water in his ears he will drown. Going from Sunshine into Bodie, six miles, many a mule has been drowned on the mountain side where they would get off the beaten snow into the slush on the upper side of the grade.

The Oregon cayuse is the animal for the Alaska trails, and will go where the dainty footed mule can neither be driven, coaxed nor dragged. As an article of diet this winter honors are probably about even between them, and this will be the principal use for them until next spring.

Farewell to G. W. Phelps.

Last night about forty couples, including the Elks and a number of invited guests, met at Elks' hall to spend a social hour, bid good-bye and extend their best wishes to one of their number, G. W. Phelps, who left on the o'clock train for Heppner, where he enters into law partnership with Hon. W. R. Ellis.

A short, but excellent program had been hastily arranged, consisting of a solo by Miss Myrtle Michell, recitation by R. H. Lonsdale, solos by the little Misses Kelsay, dialect recitation by J. H. Hampshire, and clarinet solo by Mark Long. Dancing was interspersed with the program, and was thoroughly enjoyed as the evening was cool and the dancers just in the mood to enter heartily into the first dancing of the season. At 11 o'clock, the usual hour for remembering absent brothers, after forming the circle of Elks, F. W. Wilson, in a few remarks spoke feelingly of their regret at parting with Mr. Phelps and bade him God speed in the name of the order, when all drank to the departing brother.

As the clock struck 12 Mr. Phelps, in a very appropriate manner, thanked the members and his friends for their good will, and said that words could not express the regret he felt at leaving his Dalles friends, after which all shook hands with and bade him good-bye.

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