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The Dalles Daily Chronicle.

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NOTICE.

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WAYSIDE GLEANINGS.

Random Observations and Local Events of Lesser Magnitude.

University Students At the M. E. church tonight. Admission 25 cents; children 15 cents. The members of the Clef Club arrived in the city today. They are fine singers, so don't fail to hear them tonight. At the Methodist conference at Pendleton, just ended, Rev. J. R. Warner was re-appointed presiding elder for this district. This is a deserved compliment, and a recognition of his good work heretofore. The score at the Umatilla House alley last week was a remarkably good one. Some one erased it from the board, but one of the pin-setters had copied it. It was as follows: Monday, Estebenet, 63; Tuesday, Porter, 54; Wednesday, Porter, 77; Thursday, Maetz, 57; Friday, Pundt, 49; Saturday, Porter, 57; Sunday, Bennett, 53. Average 57 1-7. Mrs. Mary Brittain went to Mosier this morning, having been here to settle with the insurance company for the loss of her house. The building was insured in the Firemen's Fund Co. for \$900, and she promptly received a check for the full amount. Henry Britts had his personal property, which was in the house, insured for \$100, which was also paid. The score for last week at the Umatilla House alley was unfortunately erased from the blackboard before it was copied. The average was 57 1-7, the lowest being 49, and the highest 77, the latter being the record to date made by C. E. Porter. The record yesterday was made by Victor Sampson, 62, and the high average for last week shows that there is a steady improvement among the bowlers generally. Mrs. C. L. Phillips is now receiving and opening one of the largest and finest stocks of fall and winter millinery ever brought to The Dalles. Part of the stock comes from San Francisco and part from New York, and includes the very latest things in shapes, colors and textures. As soon as the goods can be unpacked, a grand opening will be given, and the ladies of The Dalles and vicinity can rest assured that they will find an assortment from which they can find plenty of things to please them. Returns from fruit sent East are coming in, and are anything but cheerful. The first shipments are all right, but later returns indicate that nothing will be left for the growers. About thirty

cars have been shipped to date, and there is an abundance of fruit if a market can be found for it. The trouble is that Idaho, California, Oregon, Washington and Utah are pouring their products into the East faster than they can be consumed, and prices are so low that freights and commissions leave nothing for the grower. C. Rafferty, well known in Eastern Oregon, was stricken by paralysis near Huntington last Thursday. He had been offered a position in a hotel in Huntington, but thought he could get a better one in the new hotel in Baker City, so he started with a companion to walk to Baker City. When out eight or ten miles he was suddenly stricken with paralysis, and fell helpless to the ground. As it was growing late his companion remained with him until the next morning, when he notified the authorities in Huntington, and Marshal Hannon sent a conveyance out and had the unfortunate man removed to town. He is still in a helpless condition, and as he is getting well along in years his friends fear his affliction may prove permanent. Conference Ended. The last day of the Columbia River conference opened yesterday morning with devotions, which were continued for thirty minutes. The adoption of the constitution for the Columbia River conference was considered, and, after several articles had been amended, it was adopted. At the afternoon session a proposition by the citizens of Sprague, Wash., for establishing an academy there, was not accepted. The Preachers' Aid society of the Columbia River conference was organized. Rev. N. E. Parsons was elected as its first president. Some of the appointments were as follows: Pendleton—Rev. John Uren. La Grande—Rev. Perry Chaudler. Union—Rev. A. E. Thompson. Milton—Rev. W. C. Mitchell. Waitsburg—Rev. J. S. Anderson. Astoria—Rev. John La Cornu. Pomeroy—Rev. N. E. Parsons. Dayton—Rev. Walter S. Skipworth. Walla Walla Circuit—James Greensdale. Dixie—Rev. Richardson. Lewiston—Rev. Henry Brown. Walla Walla—Rev. W. C. Reuter. The Dalles—Rev. J. H. Wood. Moscow—Rev. G. M. Booth. Colfax—Rev. Todd. Spokane, First church—Rev. P. R. Cool. Enterprise—Rev. W. Dewees.—Tuesday's Pendleton Tribune. Mrs. M. J. Chase has opened the Bettingen 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. Wanted—A young girl to do light house work and take care of children. Apply at this office. a24-1f. Subscribe for THE CHRONICLE.

A THUMPING SOMNAMBULIST. Beats a Travelling Companion Nearly to Death While Asleep. Dr. Sutherland this morning had a piece of crazy-quilt patchwork in the surgery line that is seldom equaled. The man who furnished the job was Henry Butcheck, who hails from near Corvallis, the work covering the entire scalp, which was cut in twenty places, and there would have been more if many of the cuts had not been of the confluent kind. When we called at the doctor's office he was engaged in giving the man a hair cut under serious difficulties, preparatory to stitching and dressing the gaping wounds. Where there were no cuts the scalp was a pulp, and it was all done by a friend and traveling companion of Butcheck's, with an iron bar and without malice. Butcheck says that he and his friend had been working near Dillon, Montana, and were beating their way home by the box-car route. The friend carried an iron bar to defend himself against the brakemen in case they were too forcible in inviting them off the trains. Butcheck's companion is an acute somnambulist, a dreamer of dreams to some purpose, for, in the early hours of morning, about an hour before the train arrived here, this friend, so he told Butcheck, dreamed a brakeman was choking him and trying to put him off the train; that to defend himself he grabbed the iron bar aforesaid and began slathering away at his antagonist. Unfortunately for Butcheck the brakeman was only a vision, but he was a tangible reality. The blows disturbed Butcheck, and finally awakened him, and then the other fellow woke up and the trouble ceased, the man who did the beating abandoning his companion, probably fearing that he would get into trouble. Butcheck, however, believes the story of the dream, and says that his friend is a good fellow. From the appearance of the man's head, his friend is an artist in the fighting line, and, judging by the work done while he was asleep, he would be a terror if awake. MISSED THE SCOOP. Our Reporter Catches On, But the Giggling Hello-Girl Switches Him. As we sat in our den last night about 10 o'clock, we heard a voice faint and far away, and applying our best ear to the telephone, we were delighted to find that the hello-girl had accidentally, or otherwise, connected us with the 'phone in the Perkins hotel private parlor. With an eye single for news, we glued our auricular appendage to the instrument, and recognizing the well-known voices of Senator McBride and Representatives Tongue and Ellis, a vision of a glorious scoop danced tantalizingly through our mind. "Beauty," said McBride, "may be a fatal gift, but it isn't in it with the gift of having patronage to give." "True! Too true!" asseverated the classical Tongue. "The golden apple inscribed 'To the most beautiful,'

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raised h-l in the mythological heaven 3,000 years ago, and the lady who got the prize lost her reputation thereby, while Paris, who recommended her for the prize, got only a grass widow as a reward and was killed over her. "My friends," said Ellis, in a may-it-please-the-court tone of voice, "you are dealing in reminiscences of an obsolete mythology, legendary lore, that comes ghost-like from the mists of superstition, that fades into the dreamless chaos before time was or eternity began. Who the dickens cares who got the apple, any way; nobody wants apples. This is the plum season, and the fellows who do not get plums, and that pretty soon, you will find full of prunes. Let's get down to business and shake the fruit trees. I, for one, am in favor of recommending for district attorney a candidate from one side of the Cascades, and for U. S. marshal one from the other side, and I therefore propose the names of— Here the hello-girl switched us off, and all the satisfaction we could get in response to our anguishing demands to be coupled on again, was the mocking answer from that same girl, who sang to us: "Hello! Hello! Hell-o-Hell—" And then she giggled. It was the Portland hello girl, of course.

The Boatmen's Strike.

There has been a general strike of the deck hands on the river boats on the lower river for some time, but it did not affect the D. P. & A. N. Co.'s line until this week. It seems there is some kind of a union to which nearly all the boat crews belong, and the strike was ordered by the union. The wages paid by the D. P. & A. N. were \$35 per month, and the hands were satisfied with this and disliked to quit. At the same time they did not like to go back on the union, so reluctantly walked out, the Regulator crew quitting Monday night, and that of the Dalles City Tuesday night. The boats left on time with new crews, and while the work is new to most of them, they will be on to their jobs in a few days.

The Pickaninnies.

The Pickaninny band gave one of its inimitable concerts at Mays & Crowe's last night and attracted a large crowd that was delighted with the performance. The pickaninnies are genuine thoroughbred little coons, they make good music and dance well, but their singing, like that of most youngsters, is strained. The little fellows are well trained, though, and the smallest one has a mouth that will make him a fortune. We honestly believe he could swallow himself without any trouble. The band is well worth going to hear and the price of admission, which is free, should not keep any from attending. There is nothing so thoroughly appreciated by the ladies during the hot weather as a delicious dish of genuine ice cream. The Elite candy factory serves just that kind. Also soda, ice cream soda and milk shake. a5-1f

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