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The Dalles Daily Chronicle.

MONDAY - SEPTEMBER 6, 1897

NOTICE.

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WAYSIDE CLEANINGS.

Random Observations and Local Events of Lesser Magnitude.

The river is reported as being full of salmon, and a good fall catch is anticipated.

Sam Thurman today brought in the first large sturgeon of the fall catch. It weighed, dressed, 235 pounds.

For rent—New house, just finished. Five rooms; everything modern. Apply to W. A. Johnston. e2-tf

It is now stated that the Columbia Southern will have its road completed to Wasco by the 20th.

Wheat trains are getting more numerous every day, and soon there will be one rattling by every hour or two.

The weather report for tomorrow is "cooler." Mr. Pague expressing no opinion concerning the probabilities of rain.

A girl wanting to attend school can find a place to assist in light housework and care of children by calling at this office. s3-tf

The Elite candy factory is being enlarged, and in the near future will sell bread and cakes, as well as confectionaries, ice cream, etc. 2-tf

Now is the best time to order your roses. They are now in full bloom, and you can take your choice at the Stabling Greenhouse. Also winter-blooming plants very cheap. s6-1w

According to the Spokesman-Review only about forty per cent of the harvesting in the Palouse country is done, and it is estimated that with the most favorable weather, thirty days will be required to finish it.

Last week's score at the Umatilla House alleys was: Monday, Sampson, 62; Tuesday, F. Jobson, 54; Wednesday, Porter, 50; Thursday, Chris Myer, 48; Friday, Jobson, 52; Saturday, J. Bonn, 55; Sunday, Phillips, 51.

Today is the day upon which the firemen's tournament was to have begun, and, of course, as Pague did not know it was declared off, he sent us up a shower. Anyhow, though the races did not come off, The Dalles got first water.

There has been quite a rainfall within the past week, but reports from all parts of the county are to the effect that no damage has been done so far except to delay threshing. Another week's rainy weather would, however, do considerable damage.

The Catholic church is rapidly near-

ing completion. The frame work of the tall spire is finished, and in another week or ten days the outside work will be finished. The building is a very handsome one, a credit to the Church and to the city.

The D. P. & A. N. Co. has a big scow and a gang of men hauling rock from the Washington shore and dropping them in the river at the end of the Court street roadway. The intention is to make the roadway wide enough that teams may drive up to the wharf-boat and turn around.

Professor T. S. Lippy, one of the first to return from the Klondike, and who brought back with him more than a coal oil can full of gold, made the First Methodist church of Seattle a present of \$1000 recently, to get the church out of debt. He also gave \$500 to the Y. M. C. A. of Seattle. Before leaving Alaska, he gave \$500 to the Methodist missions up there.

Mr. Fred. Wilson, who has been over in Sherman county, arrived home yesterday, coming in with Mr. Biggs. He tells us the grain crop in Sherman is immense, that two temporary warehouses built by the railroad right-of-way are already nearly filled with wheat, that Wasco is booming, many new houses being built, and that Moro is also showing great improvement.

A prominent farmer from Klickitat county, in replying to our reporter's inquiry concerning the wheat crop, said this morning: "The quality is the very best, but in quantity, the crop, taking the whole county through, will not average more than sixty per cent of the normal yield. This condition was caused by the exceedingly dry spring, which prevented much of the spring-sown grain sprouting.

John Holton, an old Jackson county pioneer who puts not his trust in banks, succeeded, by hard labor, in saving between \$400 and \$500 in gold. He wanted to take a trip to the seashore during the warm weather, so he banked his money in his granary and left a diagram with his wife, showing the location of the treasure. When he returned, the diagram was in the bottom of the trunk and the gold was probably in the bottom of somebody's pocket, as Mr. Holton hasn't found it yet. A Mr. Egbert and his wife stopped with Mrs. Holton during Mr. Holton's absence, and Mr. Holton thinks their departure was coincident with that of the gold.

The Fourth of July passed without any celebration here, and the firemen's tournament slipped through like water through a sieve, and now the annual fair is in shape to do the same thing if some action is not taken concerning it. The premium lists and other printed matter are here, but none of the officials are on hand. J. O. Mack, secretary of the association, is now in Pendleton, and probably located there permanently. With Mr. Matlock, also of Pendleton, a little effort will transfer the meetings from this city to Pendleton. Are we to let the fair slip by, not only for this year, but for all time? If not, a move will have to be made, and that speedily.

THE SKAGUAY BLOCKADE.

Mr. John Parrott Writes of the Situation There.

SKAGUAY, Aug. 27, 1897.

EDITOR CHRONICLE:

DEAR SIR:—I suppose you have heard something about the great blockade at Skaguay City. It is something a person would have to see to realize what it is. When your writer first landed here the blockade meant too much freight and not enough pack horses, and now it signifies much more. There are so many horses that it is almost impossible to get over the trail, which is very narrow. Pack trains are delayed over one-half of the time in passing. A number of horses are killed every day by meeting in dangerous places where one horse crowds the other off the trail. Some fall down and get up without being hurt, and others fall over the embankment anywhere from ten to six hundred feet.

Three weeks ago Skaguay was a little city of about 300 white tents, and now there are about one hundred buildings under construction and about eight hundred tents. A saw mill commenced to cut lumber yesterday, with a capacity of 30,000 feet daily. One large wharf is completed and another is under construction. Nineteen large steamships have landed here since August 4th loaded with miners and their Klondike outfits. Provisions and board are very cheap here, providing a person does his own cooking. Flour is 75 cents per sack; a small loaf of bread is worth 25 cents; beef steak is 40 cents per pound; bacon 6 cents per pound; a very thin pie costs 50 cents; dried fruit is from 6 to 8 cents per pound. The reason groceries are so cheap is because there are so many miners who are stranded on the pass and are compelled to sell their outfits at a great sacrifice.

It is an evident fact that not over one out of fifty will get to Klondike this winter. Dr. Siddall and I expect to leave Skaguay City on the 30th, and embark on our little boat at the head of Lake Linderman Sept. 5th. We have joined a party of twelve to travel together down the Yukon. There are several ladies in the party, and we expect to have entertainments, concerts, Sunday school and a good time generally on our trip to Dawson City.

JOHN PARROTT.

Foster Badly Crippled.

A. N. Foster, a resident of Haystack, recently purchased a traction engine, and in moving it from Heppner to Cliff Jones' place near Heppner, he met with an accident which will lay him up for some time, and possibly cost him his right arm. He was using a team to guide the engine in ascending the steep hill south of Heppner, and succeeded without a mishap. But later on when near Cliff Jones' place, where he was to make his first stop, the "blow off" pipe burst. Foster at once threw off the steam, but the horses became frightened and endeavoring to get off the engine, the full force of ninety pounds of steam

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