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WE extend to all visitors to our city at this time, our best wishes and a cordial invitation to visit us.

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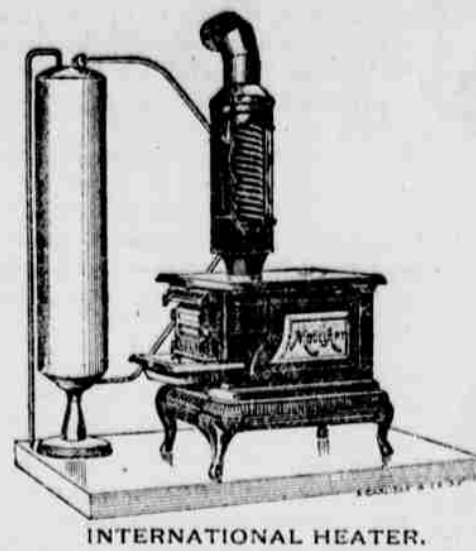
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The Dalles Daily Chronicle.

THURSDAY MARCH 3, 1898

WAYSIDE GLEANINGS.

Wanted—a girl to do general housework. Inquire at this office.

Plain, mixed and dill pickles, olives and pigs' feet in bulk, at The Dalles Commission & Grocery Co.'s.

Quite a number of speakers and delegates who have been attending the convention in this city, left for their respective homes today.

Now is the time to get your bicycles overhauled and put in shape. We are prepared to do all kinds of bicycle repairing. Give us a call. Maier & Benton.

Pa Plata Sheep Dip, proven by every test to be the best non-poisonous fluid dip in the world; guaranteed to cure scab, itch, sore throat, lice and hoof-rot. Clarke & Falk, agents, The Dalles.

Charles McCormack, who lives about two miles east of Woodburn, is preparing to ship about 500 bales of hops to England. He hopes to obtain a better price by shipping them direct to large consumers.

The pleasant up-stream wind which is blowing today is drying the mud, and bicycle riders are getting their wheels ready for use, while a few are already improving the opportunity offered by the drier streets.

Today the new Sherman county paper, the Moro Leader, reached us. It is edited by W. L. Hunting, and is a remarkably wide-awake Republican paper. The Chronicle wishes the new publication all success.

This evening's session of the convention will be the most interesting for ladies and young folks that has yet been held. In conjunction with a splendid musical program a series of stereopticon views will be presented.

In the case of the United States vs. Seufert Bros. Co., recently tried in the United States district court for the third time, the defendant was yesterday given ten days for further time by Judge Bellinger in which to make a motion for a new trial.

Pendleton Tribune: A. L. Gosser, of The Dalles, is registered at the Golden Rule. He is an old business man of The Dalles. He sold out his interest in a commission business there recently and proposes to locate in the Garden City of Umatilla county.

Yesterday Constable Hill arrested one Mat Teal, of Mosier, who is charged with having attempted violence on the person of W. O. Phillips of that place. Teal is having his hearing before Justice Filloon today, and will probably be bound over to keep the peace.

A. M. Williams & Co. are offering our Dalles ladies some very choice items this week. Their buyers have returned from their eastern trip, and the results of their labors are beginning to be noticeable. Their most recent attractions are a special lot of silks waists, which

are being quoted at \$2.50 and \$3, prices decidedly below their real value. An early inspection invited.

Hon. R. Alexander, ex-mayor of Pendleton, who is spoken of by prominent politicians as a candidate for state treasurer, is in the city attending the convention and visiting friends. Mrs. Alexander was a resident of The Dalles before her marriage, and is well known to many Dalles people.

Referring to the discussion of range grasses which occupied so much of the time of the convention, it will interest our readers to know that they can be supplied by Buell Lamberson, Portland's seed man, who is attending the convention, and who will be pleased to send his illustrated catalogue to any address.

Will Garretson has a curiosity in his window in the shape of a two-headed lamb. The body is perfectly formed to the shoulders, where two distinct heads and necks crop out. He has an inscription on it "Oregon Against the World, for Production." It more than attracts the attention of the many sheep men who are in the city attending the convention.

The trial trip Tuesday of United States lightship No. 70, built for San Francisco harbor by Wolfe & Zwicker, was an unqualified success. A trip was made to Kalama and back, and the machinery worked to the perfect satisfaction of Commander George C. Reiter, inspector of the tenth lighthouse district, and Inspector Gregg, who were on board. The ship carried one hundred pounds of steam with a 28-inch vacuum, and averaged eleven knots, which is better than the requirements. As the vessel swung gracefully down the river she was saluted by every passing ship. The contract price is \$73,000.

PERSONAL MENTION.

Henry Hudson is in from Dufur today. T. H. Johnston in from his home at Dufur.

Atty. J. M. Long of Portland is in the city today.

F. W. Hendley of Pendleton is in the city today.

Attorney Pierce Mays is in the city on business today.

J. W. Ayer of Baker City is in this city attending the convention.

The water rent for the month of March will be collected by J. B. Crossen.

Thomas Fargher, a prominent sheep and grain raiser from the Dufur vicinity, is in the city today.

W. J. Furnish, cashier of the Pendleton savings bank and a prominent sheep man, is in the city.

Herbert C. Gregg, editor of the Walla Walla Union, who has been attending the convention in this city, left for home last night.

B. H. Geiger and wife, parents of A. C. Geiger, who have been visiting their son in the city, left for Salem this morning, where they will remain a few days before returning to their home in Kansas.

To Cure a Cold in One Day.

Take Laxative Bromo Quinine Tablets. All druggists refund the money if they fail to cure. 25c.

DRAWING TO AN END.

Last Evening and Today's Sessions Very Interesting.

Wednesday evening's session of the Pacific Northwest Wool-Growers' Association was so largely attended that the seating capacity of the Vogt was inadequate to accommodate all. It is remarkable how many ladies and young people attend the meeting, this being, in all probability, due to the splendid musical programs rendered, as well as the excellence of the speakers who deliver lectures on various subjects.

After the orchestra played a selection the quartet sang "I Long For Thee," and in answer to an encore gave a very amusing medley, "Our National Song." F. J. Barry, of the Union Stock Yards, Chicago, made an interesting speech on "The Horse." Mr. Barry is the largest horse-dealer in the United States, and the best authority on the subject on which he spoke. He advised farmers and stockmen in general to raise the best stock possible, and offered suggestions as to the kinds that command the highest prices in the markets.

Mr. Kinross then sang a solo, which was so pleasing to the audience that they demanded an encore, and were favored with "The Clang of the Forge," which was even more appreciated than the first selection.

State Veterinary James Withycombe addressed the assembly on the subject "Tuberculosis in Animals, Especially in Cattle," and advanced the theory that consumption is rather more contagious than hereditary; also that it may be contracted in many cases from milk of cows afflicted with this disease. His address, though short, was extremely interesting, and the audience regretted that he had not more time to speak.

The Temple Quartet sang "Annie Laurie," and again were called back, singing a pretty encore song.

Music by the orchestra closed the evening's program.

MORNING SESSION.

The morning session was opened by singing "Open the Lattice" by the quartet club, after which the committee on constitution and by-laws reported and the articles of the same were read and adopted section by section by the association.

AFTERNOON SESSION.

Owing to the large amount of business to be transacted in the morning session, the election of officers was postponed until the afternoon session. It resulted as follows:

President, Dr. James Withycombe, Hillsboro, Or.
Vice-presidents—A. S. Mac Allister, The Dalles, Or.; John McMillan, Idaho; John O. Hussey, Montana; A. S. La Graw, Washington.
Secretary—J. W. Bailey, Pendleton.
Recording Secretary—T. B. Wells, Pendleton.
Treasurer—Charles E. Ladd, Oregon.
Executive committee—W. F. Furnish, Pendleton; Nat Webb, Washington; L. L. Ormsby, Idaho; A. Spencer, Mont.
After the election of officers the letters

in the question box were read and discussed.

The subject as to where the next annual meeting of the association would be held, came before the convention and it was decided to hold the same at Pendleton, on the first Tuesday in March.

A number of different resolutions were read and adopted, which will be published later.

An address by W. W. Baker, of Portland, editor of the Farm, Flock and Factory, was attentively listened to by all, and with this the afternoon session closed.

The last session of the association will be held tonight, commencing at 8 p. m., and a delightful time is expected. Among other attractions an illustrated lecture by Prof. Pernot, of Corvallis, will be given.

NEWS NOTES.

The Niagara canal commission states that the route between the Pacific ocean and lake Nicaragua is very feasible, and estimates the cost of construction at not more than \$100,000.

Reports received yesterday state that in case of a war with the United States, Spain will not find allies in Europe. The European countries are neutral to the United States and will, in all probability, remain neutral in case of trouble.

A late dispatch received this morning states that it is known positively that the board of inquiry has reported, but it is unable so far to determine the cause of the accident. The president is determined to find out the facts.

The steamer College City has been put on the Alaska route.

Two Klondikers are reported frozen to death near Skaguay with \$100,000 in their possession.

The result of the recent battle of Holguin, province of Santiago de Cuba, was not a Spanish victory, as was announced in the official report of the engagement sent to Havana. Letters received at New York from Cuban leaders show that the Spaniards not only were not victorious, but that after five days of fighting they were driven from the field in confusion and forced to retreat under cover of darkness, and that their losses in killed and wounded were the heaviest suffered in any single engagement which has been fought in many months.

NOTICE OF ANNUAL SCHOOL ELECTION.

Notice is hereby given to the legal voters of school district No. 12, of Wasco county, state of Oregon, that the annual school election for the said district will be held at the city recorder's office, to begin at the hour of 2 o'clock in the afternoon, on the 2d Monday, being the 14th day of March, 1898, and closing at 6 o'clock p. m. This meeting is called for the purpose of electing one director to serve for the term of three years, and one clerk to serve for the term of one year. Dated this 3d day of March, 1898.

O. D. DOANE,
Chair, board of directors.
Geo. P. MORGAN, Clerk.
DeWitt's Little Early Risers,
The famous little pills.

HIS HORSES AND DOGS KILLED.

Carrying Out the Strange Provisions of an Animal Lover's Will.

At Bridgeport, Conn., a provision in the will of Francis Ives was lately carried out, his fine horses and well-bred dogs having been put to death, says the New York World. Mr. Ives was a distinguished member of the Fairfield county bar and a rich old bachelor. Rumor had it that when he was a young man he fell in love with the beautiful Miss Julia Jones, daughter of Rev. and Mrs. Henry Jones and granddaughter of Noah Webster. Mr. Ives proposed to Miss Jones and she rejected him. Afterwards she married Rev. Thomas Beecher, brother of Henry Ward Beecher. From the time of her marriage Mr. Ives separated himself from the society of women. He owned a fine stable of thoroughbred trotters. Two of them, Prince and Gypsy, were his greatest favorites, and as he speeded them he seemed to be forgetful for the moment and happy. He owned a kennel of pedigreed pointer and setters and he was an enthusiastic hunter. Mr. Ives died last winter, leaving a large estate. His will made his life-long friend, George Hayes, his executor, and, outside of a few small bequests, left his whole estate to his sister, Mrs. Whiting, of New Haven. But the eighteenth clause of his will betrayed Mr. Ives' intense affection for his horses and dogs—an affection which, necessarily diverted from its first object, had centered itself on them. In this clause Mr. Ives directed his executor, Mr. Hayes, to chloroform to death all the animals that he might own at the time of his death in the month of June first following that event. In explanation of this act of seeming cruelty Mr. Ives wrote in his will:

"I fear lest my dogs and horses will fall into the hands of some one who will not treat them kindly."

Mr. Ives was well known to be a humane and kind-hearted man. His executor considered his order binding upon him.

Mailing a Bicycle.

An American tourist is said to have recently sent his bicycle from London to Paris by mail at a cost of a few pence and received it in perfect order. That looks like a yarn, but it is straight. The English parcels post now carries mail packages not over 20 pounds in weight, and not of a higher value than \$100, from any point in England to any place in France at what appears to be a ridiculously low tariff. The bicycle weighed just 20 pounds. The wheels and handle bars were removed from the frame, and carefully wrapped in heavy paper, so as to make a compact bundle, before the postage was paid, and when the wrappings were removed at the tourist's hotel in Paris the machine was in perfect condition.

The Prodigal's Return.

Judge Lamar, at a political meeting in his own state, alluding to the civil war, suggested as a parallel case the parable of the prodigal son and the joyful reception at his home when the naughty boy returned. He was succeeded by a negro, a republican, who, after some general remarks, paid his respects to Lamar's parallel. "Forgiben!" said he, "dey forgiben, dem brigadiers? Why, dey 'se come walkin' into de house, an' bang de do', an' ge up to de do' man an' say: 'Whar dat veal?'"

Repair the Roads.

The following clipping from the Moro Leader should cause the merchants of this place to consider the matter of good roads:

"Already have people south of Sherman county found that we have a railroad, and are making use of it. Teamsters are shipping freight from The Dalles to Wasco, thus saving the most difficult part of the road, saving time and teams. During the coming summer many freighters will come this way if they learn of the advantages of this route."

It should be our aim to have the roads to The Dalles put in condition so that it will be to the advantage of teamsters to come to this place, and if the matter receive the support of our citizens, it can easily be done.

The Modern Way

Comments itself to the well-informed, to do pleasantly and effectually what formerly done in the crudest manner and disagreeably as well. To cleanse the system and break up colds, headaches, and fevers without unpleasant after effects, use the delightful liquid laxative remedy, Syrup of Figs. Made by California Fig Syrup Co.

See A. M. Williams & Co.'s ad.



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