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WAYSIDE GLEANINGS.

A half-inch of snow fell last night, most of it disappearing during the day.

Tonight is the date set for the firemen's ball, which will be held at the Vogt. There should be, and no doubt will be a large attendance.

Miss Taylor informs us that the Kindergarten will take a vacation until some time in February, when a spring term of four months will open.

The boys industrial class which has heretofore met at 2 o'clock each Saturday in the Kindergarten room, will meet tomorrow at 1:30, and at the same hour each successive week.

The Methodist Sunday school will hold its Christmas exercises this evening at the church at 7:30 o'clock. All are invited to be present, particularly friends of the children.

Smith Bros. announce that they will meet all ladies who have signified their desire to take dancing lessons, and others who may contemplate so doing, Saturday afternoon at their hall at 2:30 o'clock.

Capt. Lewis leaves in the morning for Hood River, where he will make arrangements to deliver his lecture on "Life in Libby Prison," some time in the near future. He also intends visiting Moro, Wasco, and other towns near here later.

The ice blockade at Hell's Gate, a short distance above the city, broke today, and, in the words of our informant, "there was the devil to pay." It hardly seems possible that the chunks of ice which floated down the river came from a place with such a name.

Anyone who may have in their possession book No. 296, namely, "Story of Avis," by Elizabeth Stuart Phelps, will confer a favor on the librarian by returning it to Blakeley & Houghton's drugstore. This volume belongs to the Parmelee library, and as the books must be shipped by January 2d, it is necessary that it be brought in.

Dalles people who have for years made the St. Charles hotel in Portland their headquarters when visiting that city, will be pleased to learn that it is to be thoroughly renovated and fitted up with all modern improvements. Messrs. J. F. Davis and Ex-Judge C. P. Belcher will be the proprietors, while the management will be in charge of G. A. Cable. The new management will take possession on January 1st, when the work of renovating will begin.

The beautiful which covered the ground this morning, was only "skin deep", and not very thick skin at that; but it gives things a wintry appearance and we like it. It's well enough to speak of our

balmy summer days in the middle of winter; they're all right in their way, but they don't weigh much and neither do the residents, when it comes to considering their healthfulness. There is always less sickness and a healthier community when we have wintry weather in winter.

Last night's prayer meeting being the farewell one for Rev. Boltz, who has been pastor of the Christian church here for the past year, a very entertaining service was held and a very large audience present. Rev. Webb, the singing evangelistic, who will accompany Mr. W. V. Boltz on his evangelistic tour, was present and assisted greatly in the song service; while the pastor made a few parting remarks to the congregation. At the close of the meeting the ladies served a fine supper and a most enjoyable time was had.

The Dalles is to have another church, the matter having been taken in hand by the people of Thompson's addition, who are at present erecting a small structure 28x30 feet and which is to cost not over \$300, on a lot situated to the left as the summit of the brewing grade is reached. Mr. Laughlin kindly donated the property, and although the building will be small, it is considered sufficient for present need. The denomination is United Brethren, but it is thought all the residents of the hill, who are so far removed from other churches, will deem it a privilege to attend services so near home.

A letter was received this morning from Harry Fredden which was written on November 22d, and tells the folks at home of their arrival at Manila that morning, after a journey of 32 days on the water. Their transport, the Senator, left San Francisco on October 18th, and they remained in Honolulu almost a week, where they were treated royally by the residents there. He said the trip over was pleasant, barring the fact that it rained considerably, making the boys glad to reach land. At the time of writing they had not yet gone ashore, and did not expect to for a few days, their quarters not being ready and other matters having to be arranged.

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SOCIETY DAY IN THE DALLES.

Farewell Party for Miss Story—Mrs. Brooks Entertains Her Class—Other Pleasant Events.

Yesterday was society day in The Dalles, and a number of very pleasant social events took place, chief among which, perhaps, was a farewell dancing party given in honor of Miss Etta Story, who leaves Saturday night for Union, where she will remain with her parents. Miss Etta has always been a general favorite in The Dalles, her sweet disposition, lady-like manners, amiability and solicitude for the welfare of not only her friends, but all with whom she comes in contact, making her one of the most popular of all the Dalles young ladies. For this reason, perhaps, an unusually large crowd gathered at the K. of P. hall last night to enjoy a few hours and wish her Godspeed as, after making her home with us for fourteen years, she now takes up her residence elsewhere. K. of P. hall is a cozy little one in which to hold such a party and everyone seemed to enter into the dancing in a most enthusiastic manner, music being furnished by Messrs. Baldwin, Long and Bettingen.

One of the novel and taking features of the evening was a cake walk. This being the first attempt at this now-popular dance in this city, but three couples contested for the cake—J. F. Hampshire and Miss Myrtle Michell, Wm. Crossen and Miss Isabelle Sperry and G. A. Clarke and Mrs. W. L. Bradshaw. Under the circumstances the judges thought it advisable to make no distinction, dividing the cake equally among the couples.

Barring the regret which was felt at the thought of parting with one of their number, the party was one of the most enjoyable of the kind ever given, and the following persons reluctantly bade Miss Story good bye as the evening came to a close:

Dr and Mrs Geisendorffer, Mr and Mrs F L Houghton, Mr and Mrs H Logan, Judge and Mrs Bradshaw, Mr and Mrs O. Patterson, Mr and Mrs G C Blakeley, Mr and Mrs C L Phillips, Mr and Mrs M Z Donnell, Mr and Mrs T J Seufert, Mrs J S Fish, Mrs J A Crossen, Mr and Mrs Cable, of Portland, Mr and Mrs B S Huntington, Misses Anna Lang, M. Michell, Catherine Martin, Aimee Newman, Mamie and Mattie Cushing, Elizabeth Sampson, Clara Davis, Dorothy Fredden, Virginia Marden, Laura Thompson, Sarah Henderson, Alice Lyle, Rose, Annette and Myrtle Michell, Clara and Florence Sampson, Florence Hillton, Elizabeth Schooling, Josephine Jenkins, Anna Stubling, Carrie St John, Delia Michellbach, Grace Scott, Mollie O'Leary, Isabelle Sperry, of Portland; Lora Remington, of Lewiston. Messrs. Frank Cram, M. Moody, L. Porter, H D Parkins, J Weigel, E M Williams, A Sturdevant, E M Wingate, V Marden, S Nutting, A McCully, L Heppner, A L Gude, A Clarke, J F

Hampshire, G Mays, A Hunt, R J Gorman, W Vogt, A Stubling, F Weigel, W Fredden, R Sinnott, W Crossen, H Vorse, F W Wilson, G Bonn, M Vogt, C Gottfried, I. Parkins, A O'Leary.

Mrs. S. L. Brooks entertained her Sunday School class at her home on the corner of Third and Union, yesterday afternoon, in a manner which was at once pleasing and instructive. Having arranged a list of questions on Geographical names the guests were required to discover the answers. For instance, one question was "A spot in the woods; to have knowledge of," the answer being "Delaware." Another, "A male; a box; to do wrong. Manchester." This past-time never fails to interest old and young, and such adepts were these young misses in guessing that every name on the list was discovered by each. After lunch had been served Martha Baldwin in a very appropriate and sweet manner, in behalf of the class, presented their teacher with a very pretty picture in pastel. Mrs. Brooks was quite overcome, but answered as only one can who has the love and good of her class at heart and appreciates their affection for her. At the close of the afternoon all joined in singing, with Emily Crossen as pianist. During the afternoon Mrs. Brooks took a number of pictures of her guests, which will be cherished by each one the more as the years go by. The members of the class are: Misses Stella Jackson, Martha Baldwin, Bessie Snipes, Eva Bagley, Daisy Deane, Lily Kelly, Bessie Eddon, Ortha Walters, Kattie Phelps, Lena Zimmerman, Emily Crossen, Dora Neilsen, Lulu Rowe and Ruby Groat.

Roy Grimes, who is spending his holidays at home, entertained a few of his friends last night at their residence on Fifth street. Various games were played, chief among which was the guessing contest, called the flowery love tale, which was greatly enjoyed. Mrs. Grimes served a very tempting lunch, after which Miss Short rendered a number of vocal selections and the guests all joined in singing college songs, etc. George Ruch took a flash-light picture of the party before the guests departed.

Attention, Rebekahs.

A special meeting of Azalea Rebekah Lodge, No. 99, I. O. O. F. is called for Friday evening, Dec. 30th at 8:30 p. m., for practice of secret work, and such other work as may properly come before it. A full attendance is requested.

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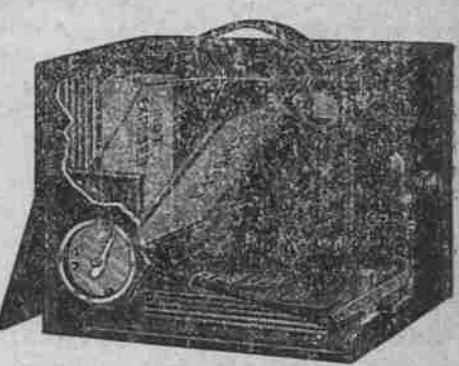
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